

# LICENSING ANNOUNCEMENT

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## SHA-256 FILENAMES

**Primary Audience:** All USPS® Licensees

As a reminder, all Licensed Software Developers must have their software transitioned to SHA-256 no later than **August 1, 2017**. After this date, only SHA-256 files will be posted with updates.

After August 1, make sure you are using the appropriate data file name when downloading the updates. The SHA-1 and SHA-256 data files will continue to appear on the Electronic Product Fulfillment (EPF) website and the EPF Download Manager after August 1; but the SHA-1 files will not be updated and will eventually expire and be deleted from EPF. Once your software applications have been transitioned to SHA-256, you must retrieve the SHA-256 file in order to receive updates. Note that the SHA-256 file name has a "2" in the file name, while the SHA-1 version does not:

**Electronic Product Fulfillment**

Product Type: ALL Products | Fulfillment Date: ALL | Status:  New  All | Log Out

Status	Product	Fulfilled	Modified	File Name	File Size
New	DPV® FLAT	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dpvft.tar	2.3 GB
New	DPV® FLAT SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dpvft2.tar	2.3 GB
New	DPV® FULL	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dpvfl.tar	957.1 MB
New	DPV® FULL SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dpvfl2.tar	957.1 MB
New	DPV® SPLIT	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dpvsp.tar	1.5 GB
New	DPV® SPLIT SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dpvsp2.tar	1.5 GB
New	DSF FLAT	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dsfflt.tar	2.6 GB
New	DSF FLAT SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dsfflt2.tar	2.6 GB
New	DSF FULL	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dsffl.tar	1.6 GB
New	DSF FULL SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dsffl2.tar	1.6 GB
New	DSF SPLIT	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dsfsp.tar	2.6 GB
New	DSF SPLIT SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dsfsp2.tar	2.6 GB
New	DSF2® Data	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dsf.tar	760.0 MB
New	DSF2® Data SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	dsf2.tar	760.0 MB

## Electronic Product Fulfillment

Product Type: ALL Products | Fulfillment Date: ALL | Status:  New  All | [Log Out](#)

Status	Product	Fulfilled	Modified	File Name	File Size
New	LACSLink®	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	laclnk.tar	435.5 MB
New	LACSLink® Data	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	llk.tar	435.5 MB
New	LACSLink® Data SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	llk.tar	435.5 MB
New	LACSLink® SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	laclnk2.tar	435.5 MB
New	RDI	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	rdi.tar	48.0 MB
New	RDI SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	rdi2.tar	48.0 MB
New	SUITELink®	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	stelnk.tar	1.0 GB
New	SUITELink® Data	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	slk.tar	1.0 GB
New	SUITELink® Data SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	slk.tar	979.7 MB
New	SUITELink® SHA-256	Jul 15, 17	Jun 16, 17	stelnk2.tar	1.0 GB

If you are using the Rest Web Services application to retrieve the product updates, make sure you are using the appropriate SHA-256 product IDs and codes to download the SHA-256 data files. Attached is the current documentation concerning Product Codes and Product IDs for EPF and Rest Web Services.

**All Licensees who receive weekly and monthly data updates from the USPS® via EPF should have access to the SHA-256 data files. If you do not have access to the SHA-256 files, please respond to this email immediately.**

The USPS Licensed Products that are impacted are:

- NCOA<sup>Link®</sup>
- Daily Delete
- Zero Zero Table (NCOA<sup>Link</sup> MPE Data Users Only)
- DPV<sup>®</sup>
- DSF<sup>2®</sup>
- LACS<sup>Link®</sup>
- Suite<sup>Link®</sup>
- RDI<sup>™</sup>

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