

EDI and Retail STAR

What is EDI?

EDI stands for Electronic Data Interchange, which is a structured transmission of data between different computer systems. Retail STAR has an EDI interface that can be licensed.

What can it do for Retail STAR?

EDI in Retail STAR is designed to help with communications between you and your vendor. It allows you to import UPCs used by the vendor to identify specific merchandise (832 UPC Import) and to generate purchase orders using the UPCs supplied by the vendor (850 Purchase Order (multi-store) Export) using the X12 standard for EDI.

Retail STAR EDI also lets you map a vendor's style, color, and size of an item to the manufacturer's UPC. This makes labeling easier and enables you to send PO's electronically.

How do I get the EDI files to the vendor?

Retail STAR EDI eliminates the process of moving files to and from a VAN, portal, trading partner, or corporate EDI site by building the delivery process into the trading partner setup. Using EDI Vendor Maintenance, you simply define a network resource or FTP site to deliver and pick up your EDI data, and the process happens 'under the hood' whenever you check for data to import or you export purchase orders.

EDI uses a vendor ID, a vendor-assigned style, a vendor-assigned color code, and a vendor-assigned size code to identify a specific UPC uniquely. For Retail STAR to work with EDI, you need to map the information assigned by the vendor to complementary elements in its database.

EDI can be a great tool for you and your business. If you are interested in EDI, contact your salesperson for more information.

Signature Capture Compliancy Update

As a valued customer, we are contacting you to keep you informed about critical credit card industry security deadlines and our plans to help you stay compliant with these new PCI requirements.

The PCI Security Standards Council has determined that the following devices no longer comply with recently enacted standards:

HHP-TT3101
HHP-TT8810
HHP-TT8500

If you own any of these devices, they must be replaced by July 1st, 2010. Failure to replace these devices could create a substantial liability issue for your company.

We have devices that have been approved for compliant use, and are available for purchase from your CAM Sales Representative. If you have any additional questions or want to learn more about recent PCI security requirements mandated for retailers, please contact your sales representative via our corporate offices at 866-840-4443.

Retail STAR Current Version

The current version of Retail STAR in general release is Retail STAR 8.5.86 SP 1.4

If you are interested in upgrading to this release, please contact Support at (800) 949-1470 and use option 6.