

Deltek Costpoint Hot Fix Readme

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2018 Maryland Withholding Tax

The State of Maryland released a revised withholding guide which reflects changes to the state's standard deduction for the 2018 tax year. Maryland's maximum standard deduction increases from \$2,000 to **\$2,250**.

Costpoint will be using the new maximum standard deduction amount for Maryland payroll. In order to accomplish this, this Costpoint release adds new records, effective July 1, 2018, for Maryland in the Manage State Standard Deductions and Manage Local Standard Deductions screens.

Attention: For more information, please refer to the *Maryland Employer Withholding Guide*: http://forms.marylandtaxes.gov/current_forms/Withholding_Guide.pdf.

System Requirements

This enhancement requires Costpoint 7.1.1 PATCH3518.

IMPORTANT NOTES

Warning: Unless specifically noted in the release notes, this state tax update and any future federal and state tax table changes will require the following:

- System JAR 054 for Costpoint version 7.0.1
- System JAR 028 for Costpoint version 7.1.1

Versions 7.0.1 and 7.1.1 - Calendar Year End 2018

In an effort to allow adequate time to prepare for future year-end system jar requirements, please be aware that you must have the following System JARs loaded before the Calendar Year End 2018 release which is scheduled for December 2018. Appropriate action should be taken throughout the next months to plan for this System JAR requirement.

Anticipated Calendar Year End 2018 System JAR Requirements

- Costpoint 7.0.1: System JAR 054 (released June 2018)
- Costpoint 7.1.1: System JAR 028 (released April 2017)

Notes:

- **System JAR 054 for Costpoint 7.0.1** introduced an update to the Colorado state tax withholding tables. In response to the federal tax code overhaul (Pub. L. 115-97), the Colorado Department of Revenue announced an update to their Allowance table on April 2, 2018 (effective April 1, 2018). This required an update to Costpoint Compute Payroll, which can only be released through a System JAR in Costpoint version 7.0.1.
- **System JAR 049 for Costpoint 7.0.1 and System JAR 028 for Costpoint 7.1.1** introduced a much needed change to the State Filing Statuses in Costpoint. Rather than using filing statuses that only applied to Costpoint (Both, Miscellaneous 1, Miscellaneous 2, etc.) and had to be manually mapped to each state's actual filing statuses, Costpoint 7.0.1 and 7.1.1 have been updated to use each state's actual filing status(es). Though the new filing statuses were introduced in April 2017, Deltek will continue to support tax table updates based on the original state filing statuses for the remaining 2018 tax updates. Any tax updates for 2019 will only support the new state filing statuses that were introduced in System JAR 049 for 7.0.1 and System JAR 028 for 7.1.1 (both released in April 2017).

Version 7.1.1 – Further Reductions in the Need to Release Regulatory Updates within System JARs

We are happy to announce that we have made several programming changes within the past year to limit the need for regulatory changes to be released via System JAR. System JAR 028 for Costpoint 7.1.1 was part of that effort. The coding changes introduced in System JAR 028 for Costpoint 7.1.1 allowed us to disassociate payroll computation coding changes from future 7.1.1 System JAR releases. So, after System JAR 028, changes to Costpoint version 7.1.1's Compute Payroll application will not require deployment via System JAR as they did in the past. This not only means that we can deploy Costpoint 7.1.1 regulatory updates and fixes more quickly, but it will also help us keep the System JAR requirements for Calendar Year End releases as minimal as possible.

The changes we made with the noted System JARs will greatly help with that effort to minimize the System JAR requirements for future regulatory releases.

More information about this release is on the following page.

Custom Programs Affected

Sometimes an update can cause custom programs and reports to stop working as expected. Before applying this update, consider whether you have any custom programs or reports in the application area affected by the update. If so, contact Deltek Support Center at <https://deltek.custhelp.com> before you install the update.

To Download the Hot Fix/Feature Update

1. From Internet Explorer, go to <https://dsm.deltek.com>.
2. Click **Run Deltek Software Manager**.
3. Log in using your Deltek Support Center credentials.
4. In the left pane of the Deltek Software Manager, expand your Deltek product.
5. Expand the Hot Fixes folder for your product, and select the update to download.
6. Click **Download** at the bottom of the screen.

To Install the Hot Fix/Feature Update

Refer to the installation instructions posted on Deltek's Support Center site, <https://deltek.custhelp.com>.

- For Costpoint 7.1.1 updates, refer to Knowledge Base article 79232.
- For Costpoint 7.0.1 updates, refer to Knowledge Base article 73769.
- For Costpoint 7.0 updates, refer to Knowledge Base article 67722.

Before you install this update, please review all previous updates in the Knowledge Base article. You may need to install prerequisite programs or database patches (described in the Knowledge Base article) prior to installing this update. Note that when you download an update using Deltek Software Manager (DSM), all dependent files are automatically downloaded.

To Check to See if the Hot Fix is Installed

1. Open the application that was updated.
2. Click **Help » About Costpoint** from the Costpoint toolbar. This will display a screen that shows you the latest update JAR for the application that is open, as well as the latest system JAR and all patches applied to the system.

To Check to See if the Feature is Installed

1. Click **Help » About Costpoint** from the Costpoint toolbar.
2. Open the Features subtask and click the Feature that was just installed.
3. Open the Applications subtask. Check the list of applications and their corresponding application jars and see if they are correct and have been successfully deployed (highlighted in green).
4. Open the Patches subtask. Check the list of patches and see if they are correct and have been successfully deployed (highlighted in green).

Note: Most of the features installed have their corresponding patches, but not all.

Appendix: For Additional Information

Deltek Support Center

The Deltek Support Center is a support Web site for Deltek customers who purchase an Ongoing Support Plan (OSP).

The following are some of the many options that the Deltek Support Center provides:

- Search for product documentation, such as release notes, install guides, technical information, online help topics, and white papers
- Ask questions, exchange ideas, and share knowledge with other Deltek customers through the Deltek Support Center Community
- Access Cloud-specific documents and forums
- Download the latest versions of your Deltek products
- Search Deltek's knowledge base
- Submit a support case and check on its progress
- Transfer requested files to a Customer Care analyst
- Subscribe to Deltek communications about your products and services
- Receive alerts of new Deltek releases and hot fixes
- Initiate a Chat to submit a question to a Customer Care analyst online

Attention: For more information regarding Deltek Support Center, refer to the online help available from the Web site.

Access Deltek Support Center

To access the Deltek Support Center:

1. Go to <https://deltek.custhelp.com>.
2. Enter your Deltek Support Center **Username** and **Password**.
3. Click **Login**.

Note: If you forget your username or password, you can click the **Need Help?** button on the login screen for help.

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