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Create a ᔆᴹᔆ|Host and ᔆᴹᔆ|Retail Point of Sale Demo System and update it to 2022r1 or higher

Important steps to follow when creating a Demo system in preparation for your upgrade from ᔆᴹᔆ|Host pre 2022r1 to ᔆᴹᔆ|Host 2022r1 or higher.

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INTRODUCTION

This document is intended to be used by customers that are updating a ^{SMS}|Host demo system that is on a version prior to 2022r1 to ^{SMS}|Host 2022r1 or higher.

If you are updating a demo system that is on a version lower than version 21.0x, please refer to SMS Document # 1018690, Create a ^{SMS}|Host and ^{SMS}|POS Demo System and update it to v21+

CREATING A DEMO ^{SMS}|HOST SYSTEM

Create a new demo system

1. To create a demo system, go to **\hostplus\fxp32** and type ***wrapper makedemo*** or go to character menu **D,Z** and type ***makedemo***.
2. Please refer to the SMS document # 1010010, Guide to the Makedemo Utility for ^{SMS}|Host and ^{SMS}|Retail Point of Sale for further information about how to use the Makedemo utility to create a demo system.

UPDATING A PRE 2022r1 DEMO SYSTEM TO 2022r1+

On updating a demo or production ^{SMS}|Host system that is on a version prior to 2022r1 to 2022r1 or higher, client-side installation of ^{SMS}|Host files to the server or workstation where that live or demo 2022r1 or higher system is launched will be implemented. For further information about the client-side deployment functionality in 2022r1 and higher, please refer to SMS Document 1021090 ^{SMS}|Host Deployment Guide.

In order to ensure a smooth demo update to 2022r1 or higher, SMS strongly recommends following these steps.

1. Update demo system to ^{SMS}|Host 2022r1+

If your demo system is currently on version 22x or 2021r1, please refer to SMS document # 1021140, ^{SMS}|Host v.22x to 2022r1 Update Instructions, for detailed steps required to update your demo system to version 2022r1.

If your demo system is currently on version 21x, please refer to SMS Document # 1021130 ^{SMS}|Host v21x to 2022r1 Update Instructions.

If your demo system is currently on a version lower than 21x, please refer to SMS Document # 1018690 Create a ^{SMS}|Host and ^{SMS}|POS Demo System and update it to v21+.

2. Register ^{SMS}|Hostdemo

Following successful update of a pre 2022r1 demo system to 2022r1 or higher and before allowing users to access the system, a user with administrative rights to each workstation and server, must launch the *SetupHost* installer in order to correctly setup each machine for running ^{SMS}|Hostdemo 2022r1 or higher.

Note: SMS <u>strongly</u> recommends this step is performed on all workstations and servers that will be used to access ^{SMS}|Host during the demo testing period, as it will avoid the need to run *SetupHost* on multiple machines following the update on the live ^{SMS}|Host system to 2022r1 or higher.

Pre-Requisite: The Microsoft® .Net Framework v4.8 Runtime must be installed before attempting to run *SetupHost* on each machine. The .Net Framework v4.8 Runtime is available for download directly from Microsoft®, see: <u>https://dotnet.microsoft.com/download/dotnet-framework/net48</u>

3. Enforcement of Client-Side Installation ("Local Deploy")

The update to 2022r1 will enforce client-side installation, also known as "local deploy", for all non-Thin Client deployed ^{SMS}|Hostdemo sytems.

On initial launch of demo ^{SMS}|Host by property IT, local deploy will copy selected `\hostdemo\fxp32` files to `\psms\localdeploy\lc_hostdemo` (or to `\sms\lc_hostd` if property had Local Deploy enabled in the demo ^{SMS}|Host system that has just been updated).

4. Selection of Client-Side Installation Location

For IT departments that want to enforce a different location for client-side installation when users first logon to the newly updated ^{SMS}|Hostdemo 2022r1 or higher system, go to the Client Side Settings configuration screen in ^{SMS}|Hostdemo MR&D (character menu path **F,L,E,7**) and select the desired option.

After selecting desired option and logging out of ^{SMS}|Hostdemo, instruct users to launch ^{SMS}|Hostdemo for the first time. Client-Side installation files will be copied to location specified by the IT Department.

If at any point during the process of creating, updating or launching the demo system you run into any problems or have any questions, please contact the <u>SMS Customer Support Center</u>.