



UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF GEORGIA
Information Technology Services

Release of Academic Release 1.6

PURPOSE: To release Academic Release 1.6, which includes the following:

- Military Advanced Standing (new/modification)
- Additional Advanced Standing (new)
- Course Data Submission Summary Report drill-down (modification)
- Resolutions for Learning Support Known Issues
 - Matriculation term logic for Learning Support validation rules VSTE156, VSTE172 and VSTE176 (modification)

This collection will open on February 4, 2020.

SOURCE: Information Technology Services (ITS)

PREREQUISITE: The prerequisite for the Academic Release 1.6 is Data Collection ETL (ZADMETL) 1.3.

IMPACT: Implementation of the Academic Release 1.6 is mandatory.

RELEASE LOCATION AND DOCUMENTATION: The Academic Release 1.6 release and the accompanying documentation are located on files.usg.edu in the following directory:

/DataServices/ADC/prod/1_6

Release documentation includes:

- Test plan for Academic Release 1.6
- ETL Execution Parameters
- Technical Release Notes
- User Guide

The release documentation is also available on

https://www.usg.edu/georgia_best/application_development_and_support/data_collections.

A recorded [release webinar](#) is available on YouTube to review functionality included in this release.

TECHNICAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILE VALIDATION (CAMPUS_ODS_ADM_ETL_INSTALL.sql):

After downloading the file (CAMPUS_ODS_ADM_ETL_INSTALL.sql), you may run the following checksum command to validate the file is the same as the one located in the directory above:

1. Download the package (CAMPUS_ODS_ADM_ETL_INSTALL.sql) file to a local server.
2. Run the following command, replacing to make sure the checksum info is the same as it was when ITS posted the package: `$md5sum CAMPUS_ODS_ADM_ETL_INSTALL.sql`
3. Verify the checksum info you get from the above command. It should be the same as below:
`5a29977ee85b57fae4f87c09afb5aabe
CAMPUS_ODS_ADM_ETL_INSTALL.sql`

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BEST PRACTICE: You are strongly urged to apply the software to your test environment before applying it to production. Institutions should comprehensively test using local business processes to ensure that the functionality meets reporting requirements.

MANAGED SERVICES TECHNICAL NOTE: If you are a hosted institution in production, please open a ticket with ITS as soon as possible to request the software to be applied to your test environment. After successful testing, submit a new ticket requesting to apply the software to your production environment to begin official reporting.

MORE INFORMATION AND SUPPORT

For emergency, business interruption or other production down situations, immediately call the ITS Helpdesk at 706-583-2001 or 1-888-875-3697 (toll-free within Georgia). For uncritical issues, log in with your username and password at <https://usg.service-now.com/usgsp> to submit a ticket.