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1 Introduction

1.1 General

This document describes the functionality of the iPCA module Automated Inbox Check (iPoint Compliance Agent – AIC).

Information about the usage of the products is available in the corresponding documents.

Parts of this documentation may describe optional functions. These optional functions are marked as "optional" in the documentation.

Some functions are available only if a particular application privilege is granted to the user. If a required functionality is not available for you, please contact you internal administrator.

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2 Support

For any questions about the application, please contact your in-house administrator.

This administrator will check and answer your enquiry.

If you in-house administrator cannot solve the problem, he will contact iPoint-systems gmbh to get a solution for it.

It is important that only the in-house administrator contacts iPoint-systems gmbh as this is the only way to get a fast response and to avoid doing the work twice.



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3 New functions

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Version	Description
11.12.000	Added AIC whitelist feature
9.10.001	Initial release of AIC



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4 Check of datasheets received from suppliers

Datasheets submitted by suppliers are checked by Automated Inbox Check (AIC) module.

This allows to:

- check received datasheet against appropriate check configuration that could be
 - o standard
 - project specific (optional)
 - o organization unit specific (optional)
- automatically reject a datasheet if its quality does not comply with minimum requirements on quality of IMDS datasheets
- assign ranking to checks in the check configurations
- automatically calculate quality score of the datasheet based on the performed checks and defined ranking

4.1 Check process and logic

Received datasheets are automatically checked upon their download from the IMDS online system. This process consists of few stages depending on the configuration and quality of the datasheet (see **Figure 1**).

4.1.1 Automatic check stage 1

This check stage is done only in case that at least one of the checks in the check configuration for check of supplier datasheets is assigned to the check category **"Automatic rejection"**.

In case that at least of these checks failed and and the configuration parameter "AIC_STOPCHECK_ON_ERROR" is set to "TRUE" (see chapter 6.4.1), received datasheet is automatically rejected notifying the supplier about the issues found during this check.

PLEASE NOTE: It is very important, that the checks are assigned to the check category **"Automatic rejection**" upon careful companywide decision based on the requirements on the minimum quality level on received MDSs.

4.1.2 Automatic check stage 2

This check stage is done only in case that at least one of the checks in the check configuration for check of supplier datasheets is assigned to the check category "**Precheck**" or "**Manual check**" and one of below cases is true:

- all checks from **chapter 4.1.1** are successfully passed
- at least one check from **chapter 4.1.1** failed and the configuration parameter **"AIC_STOPCHECK_ON_ERROR"** is set to **"FALSE"** (see **chapter 6.4.1**)
- checks from chapter 4.1.1 were not done at all



4.1.3 Manual checks

Upon automatic check stage 2 (see **chapter 4.1.2**) is done and the datasheet is not automatically rejected, the MDS needs to be further manually checked in order to accept or reject it.



Figure 1 Workflow of check of received MDS



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4.2 AIC statuses

Following AIC statuses could exist for received datasheets based on the result of the AIC check:

Automatic rejection	Precheck	Manual	Status
۲	٢	٢	Not checked (either MDS was already accepted/rejected/cancelled when downloaded or accepted/rejected when MDS was not checked yet)
<u> </u>	0	0	MDS was not checked yet – check is pending
		١	Automatic rejection check OK, precheck OK, no ToDos found
			Automatic rejection check OK, precheck OK, open ToDos exist
			Automatic rejection check OK, precheck OK, all ToDos classified as "No error"
		\	Automatic rejection check OK, precheck OK, at least one ToDo classified as "Error"
	-	0	Automatic rejection check OK, precheck found at least one error, no ToDos found
	•		Automatic rejection check OK, precheck found at least one error, open ToDos exist
	•		Automatic rejection check OK, precheck found at least one error, all ToDos classified as "No error"
	•	•	Automatic rejection check OK, precheck found at least one error, at least one ToDo classified as "Error"
٩	۲	۲	Automatic rejection check found at least one error, precheck and manual check not done as MDS was automatically rejected
\diamond		0	Automatic rejection check found at least one error, precheck OK, no ToDos found
		A	Automatic rejection check found at least one error, precheck OK, open ToDos exist
			Automatic rejection check found at least one error, precheck OK, all ToDos classified as "No error"
		•	Automatic rejection check found at least one error, precheck OK, at least one ToDo classified as "Error"
	•	0	Automatic rejection check found at least one error, precheck found at least one error, no ToDos found
4		A	Automatic rejection check found at least one error, precheck found at least one error, open ToDos exist
	•		Automatic rejection check found at least one error, precheck found at least one error, all ToDos classified as "No error"
٩	٩	٩	Automatic rejection check found at least one error, precheck found at least one error, at least one ToDo classified as "Error"

 Table 1
 List of possible AIC statuses



4.3 Calculation of final quality score of received datasheet

Once all automatic check stages are accomplished, the quality score of the received datasheet is calculated. This helps to provide an overall picture about the quality of the datasheet that passed AIC check without an automatic rejection.

For the calculation of the MDS quality score, only checks assigned to the check category "**Precheck**" are considered. Checks assigned to the check categories "**Automatic rejection**" and "**Manual check**" are not considered.

By default, below listed formula is used for calculation of final quality score:

 $\begin{aligned} Quality \ score &= Ranking_{serious} \times No_{serious} + \frac{Ranking_{medium} \times No_{medium}}{No_{nodes}} + \frac{Ranking_{low} \times No_{low}}{No_{nodes}} \\ &+ Ranking_{analyze} \ (if \ No_{analyze} > 1) \end{aligned}$

Where:

- Ranking_{serious}
 Weight defined for "Serious error" check category
- Rankingmedium
 Weight defined for "Medium warning" check category
- Rankinglow
 Weight defined for "Low warning" check category
- Rankinganalyze Weight defined for "Warning to be analyzed" check category
- Noserious
 Number of checks with ranking "Serious error" failed
- Nomedium
 Number of checks with ranking "Medium warning" failed
- Nolow
 Number of checks with ranking "Low warning" failed
- Noanalyze Number of checks with ranking "Warning to be analysed" failed
- Nonodes
 Number of nodes of analyzed MDS



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The formula can be modified based on the company requirements and defined check categories (see **chapter 6.1.1**). For details about how to change the formula, see **chapter 6.4.2**.

Based on the calculated quality score of received datasheet and the quality thresholds defined in "AIC **Parameters**" screen (see **chapter 6.2.1**), the final quality score is set for MDS:

- \bigcirc MDS NOK, the calculated quality score is above the maximum quality threshold
- Omega MDS to be analyzed, the calculated quality score is between the quality thresholds
- MDS OK, the calculated quality score is below the minimum quality threshold



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5 Received tab

The Received tab is split into four areas:

1. Search mask (orange) - see **chapter 5.1**

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- 2. Result list (blue) see chapter 5.2
- 3. Additional data (green) see chapter 5.3
- 4. Actions (green) see chapter 5.4

& Search							
					Rec	eived	
Name: Part-/Item-/Material-No.:: Id-No/ IMDS Node-Id: Type: to Org.unit:	< /		State: Contact Person: Editor: Supplier code: Supplier:		Received from: Received to: Edited from: Edited to:	+ Current V Current V Latest ID incl. deac	/ersion
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Figure 2 Received tab

5.1 Search mask

Enables to search for received datasheets.

Below listed search criteria is available in addition to the standard search screen for received datasheets:

• Final quality score

Calculated quality score of the datasheet based on the defined check configuration and assigned check categories.



- o Empty
- MDS NOK, the calculated quality score is above the maximum quality threshold
- MDS to be analyzed, the calculated quality score is between the quality thresholds
- MDS OK, the calculated quality score is below the minimum quality threshold

If no value is selected from the drop-down list, search is performed for datasheet regardless of the final quality score.

For remaining search criteria, please check standard IHS user manual, **chapter 10.3**.

5.2 Result list

The result list displays received datasheets as per defined search criteria.

Below listed search criteria is available in addition to the standard search screen for received datasheets:

• AIC

Result from the AIC check. For details see **chapter 4.2**.

• Final quality score

Calculated quality score of the datasheet based on the defined check configuration and assigned check categories:

- Empty Final quality score is not calculated
- \diamond MDS NOK, the calculated quality score is above the maximum quality threshold
- ODS to be analyzed, the calculated quality score is between the quality thresholds
- MDS OK, the calculated quality score is below the minimum quality threshold

For remaining items in the result list, please check standard IHS user manual, **chapter 10.3**.

The order of the columns in the result list and columns displayed can be managed by the user. For more details see IHS user manual, **chapter 7.4.4**.

The content of the result list could be exported to CSV or XLS(X) format using the button 🔳.

5.3 Additional data

This function is standard. For details, please check standard IHS user manual, **chapter 10.3**.

5.4 Actions

The following actions are available:

• Load

Loads selected received datasheet. This function is standard. For details, please check standard IHS user manual, **chapter 10.3**.



• Accept

Allows accepting received datasheet. This function is standard. For details, please check standard IHS user manual, **chapter 10.3**.

• Reject

Allows rejecting received datasheet. This function is standard. For details, please check standard IHS user manual, **chapter 10.3**.

Reset State

Allows resetting acceptance/rejection decision for received datasheet. This function is standard. For details, please check standard IHS user manual, **chapter 10.3**.

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6 Master data, parameters, check configuration and configuration parameters

6.1 Master data

6.1.1 Check categories

This master data panel allows to define check categories used for the definition of the weight for checks in the check configuration for received datasheets (see **chapter 6.3.1)**.

It can be accessed from the menu **"Extras → Master Data → Check categories**".

The check categories master data panel is split into four areas:

- 1. List of check categories (orange) see chapter 6.1.1.1
- 2. Details of check category (blue) see chapter 6.1.1.2
- 3. Change log table (black) see chapter 6.1.1.3
- 4. Actions (green) see chapter 6.1.1.4

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PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission **"ADMIN_IMDS_AIC"** can access check categories master data panel.

🕞 C	heck cat	egories				- • •
•		Category	Weight	Language	Description	
	1	1	100		Serious error	
	2	2	10		Medium warning	
	3	3	1		Low warning	
	4	4	0.5		Warning to be analyzed	
•	Catego	ory: 1			Weight: 100	
	Descrip	otion: Serious err	or		English 👻	J
		Co	lumn Old	value New	value User Date	
		1				
-				New	Edit Delete Save Cancel	
				INEW		

Figure 3 Check categories master data panel

6.1.1.1 List of check categories

Displays the list of all existing check categories.

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Upon selection of the entry, all its details are displayed in the details of check category area.

Following information is available:

• Category

Internal ID of the check category generated upon first save of the check category.

• Weight

Weight defined for the check category. This is used for the calculation of the quality of the received MDS from the supplier.

• Language

Language flag of the check category description shown.

• Description

Description of the check category shown in the language of the application.

	Category	Weight	Language	Description
1	1	100		Serious error
2	2	10		Medium warning
3	3	1		Low warning
4	4	0.5		Warning to be analyzed

Figure 4 List of check categories in the check categories master data panel

6.1.1.2 Details of check category

Display the details of the selected check category or allow definition of a new check category.

Category:	1	Weight:	100	
Description:	Serious error			English 👻

Figure 5 Details of check category in the check categories master data panel

6.1.1.3 Change log table

This table displays change log for a check category selected in the list of check categories.

Following information is displayed:

• Column

Name of the detail of the check category defined or changed.

• Old value

Previous value of the detail of the check category detail displayed in the first column of the change log table.



If this is empty, the value was defined for the first time so the old value did not exist.

New value

Actual value of the detail of the check category detail displayed in the first column of the change log table.

• User

iPCA username of the user who defined new or changed existing value.

• Date

Date and time when the particular change was done.

	Column	Old value	New value	User	Date
1					

Figure 6Change log table in the check categories master data panel

6.1.1.4 Actions

The following actions are available:

• New

Empties and activates fields in the details of check category area and wished check category can be defined (see **chapter 6.1.1.4.1**).

• Edit

Enables modification of the selected check category (see **chapter 6.1.1.4.2**).

• Delete

Deletes selected check category (see **chapter 6.1.1.4.3**).

• Save

Saves the new or updated check category. Upon save, change log table to updated with new or updated values.

• Cancel

Cancels the creation or edit of the check category.

Figure 7 Actions in the check categories master data panel



6.1.1.4.1 New

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New check category can be created by click on the "New" button.

This activates the details of check category area.

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Following information must be defined:

• Weight

Weight defined for the check category. Minimum value must be greater than "**0**" and maximum lower than "**1000**".

• Description

Description of the check category. Multiple languages are supported. It is mandatory to define the description of the check category in the language, in which the application is started. o define description of the check category in different language, first the language needs to be selected and then the description is to be added.

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission "ADMIN_IMDS_AIC" can create new check category.

6.1.1.4.2 Edit

The details of the selected check category can be modified by click on the "Edit" button.

Once all changes are done, check category can be saved by click on the "**Save**" button. To cancel changes, click the "**Cancel**" button.

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission "**ADMIN_IMDS_AIC**" can edit the check category.

6.1.1.4.3 Delete

An existing check category can be deleted upon its selection and click on the "**Delete**" button. This will bring up a small pop-up window (see **Figure 8**). By click on the "**Yes**" button the check category will be deleted. By click on the "**No**" button, the derogation will be kept.

Assignment of the check category to any check in any check configuration is removed upon the deletion of the check category. Then, the check won't have any check category defined.

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission "**ADMIN_IMDS_AIC**" can delete the check category.

PLEASE NOTE: The check categories pre-created by iPoint should not be deleted and recreated otherwise the final quality score of the MDS won't be calculated correctly!



Figure 8 Confirmation of deletion of the check category



6.2 Parameters

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6.2.1 AIC Parameter

AIC can be configured using the "AIC Parameter" screen, which is accessible from menu "Options \rightarrow Parameter \rightarrow AIC Parameter".

The AIC Parameter panel constists of:

- 1. General settings tab (see chapter 6.2.1.1)
- 2. Email tab (see chapter 6.2.1.2)

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission "ADMIN_IMDS_AIC" can access AIC parameters panel.

6.2.1.1 General settings tab

This tab allows defining thresholds used for classification of checked MDS based on the final calculated quality score.

Following mandatory fields must be populated:

• Minimum quality threshold value

MDS with calculated quality score below this threshold is marked as correct and gets final quality score with symbol (see **chapter 4.3**).

• Maximum quality threshold value

MDS with calculated quality score above this threshold is consid marked as incorrect and gets final quality score with symbol \diamondsuit (see **chapter 4.3**).



Figure 9 Tab "General settings" in AIC Parameter panel

6.2.1.2 Email tab

This tab allows defining email submission behavior and email texts.

The tab is split into two sub-tabs:

- 1. General email settings tab (see chapter 6.2.1.2.1)
- 2. Localization tab (see chapter 6.2.1.2.2)



6.2.1.2.1 General email settings tab

Following information must/could be defined:

• Email sender

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The email address, which is used for sending of all rejection emails for MDSs. This field is mandatory.

• Rejection reason language

The language to be taken for results from CSI check. Possible values: en, de, en;de, de;en This field is mandatory.

• Send email

If this checkbox is checked, the rejection email is send to the supplier of the rejected MDS.

• Append signature

If this checkbox is checked, the user signature defined in the user profile will be appended to the rejection email for the MDS.

• Use user's email address as sender

If this checkbox is checked, the rejection email for the MDS is send from the email address of the user who processed the MDS.

• Send copy to sender

If this checkbox is checked, a copy of the rejection email for the MDS is send also to the sender of the email.

📦 AIC Parameter		×
General settings Email		
General email settings Localization	ı	
Email sender:		Ŵ
Rejection reason language:	100	i
Send email:		٩
Append signature:		$\dot{\psi}$
Use user's email address as sender:		$\mathbf{\hat{v}}$
Send copy to sender:		$\mathbf{\hat{v}}$
	Save	<u>C</u> lose

Figure 10 Tab "General email settings" in AIC Parameter panel



6.2.1.2.2 Localization

Following information must/could be defined:

• Rejection

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Text, which is appended to the reason for denial and to the rejection email for the rejected MDS.

• Automatic rejection – Email header

The header of the email sent to the supplier of the MDS. This email is send is in case the MDS did not pass at least one "**Automatic rejection**" check. This field is mandatory.

IC Parameter	×
General settings Email	
General email settings Localization	
Rejection:	
Email header:	
	•
<u>Save</u> <u>Close</u>	

Figure 11 Tab "Localization" in AIC Parameter panel

6.3 Check configuration

To manage the check configuration for check of received datasheets, panel for management needs be opened by navigation to the menu "**Options** \rightarrow **Checks** \rightarrow **Check configurations...**".

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission **"ADMIN_CHECK_CONFIG**" can access and modify check configurations.

The default check configuration relevant for received datasheets has following attributes:

- Configuration No.: 1
- Description: SCM/USC Inbox Check



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isting a	check configurations		
C	Configuration No.	Description	
1 1		SCM/USC Inbox Check	
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			

Figure 12 Check configuration panel

For details, please check standard documentation check routines user manual, **chapter 4.2.1**.

6.3.1 Check ranking

To define a ranking for the check, the value from the drop-down list must be selected (see **Figure 13**). Values shown in the drop-down list are from check categories master data. For more details about how to create, edit or delete check categories, please see **chapter 6.1.1**.

Sum of percentages for Wild Cards - Rule 4.5.2.C/4.5.3.E/5.1.A	100 - Serious er 🔻
	100 - Serious error 10 - Medium warnin 1 - Low warning 0.5 - Warning to be a

Figure 13 Definition of the ranking for a check

Each check, which is assigned to the check category "**Precheck**" or "**Manual check**", must have the ranking defined, otherwise the error is shown (see **Figure 14**) and check configuration cannot be saved.

😜 Error 🛛 💌
Please fillout all mandatory fields first!
Close << Details
The ranking has to be selected if the checklevel of a check is set to "Precheck" or "Manual check".

Figure 14 Error shown if the ranking is not defined for all relevant checks



6.4 Configuration parameters

6.4.1 Parameter "AIC_STOPCHECK_ON_ERROR"

By default, if at least one of the checks assigned to the check category **"Automatic rejection**" fails, the reason of rejection is compiled from all failed checks and the datasheet is automatically rejected.

In order to add also messages for checks assigned to check category "**Precheck**" and "**Manual check**", the value for configuration parameter "**AIC_STOPCHECK_ON_ERROR**" would have to be changed. This would allow supplier receive all important information in order to improve the quality of the MDS even more and mitigate the risk of further rejection of the MDS

Following values for the configuration parameter "AIC_STOPCHECK_ON_ERROR" are possible:

• TRUE

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Only checks assigned to the check category "Automatic rejection" are done.

• FALSE All checks are done.

Default value of this parameter is set to "TRUE".

If the parameter is set to "**FALSE**", all checks could be performed so the supplier gets a complete list of all further errors and not only the serious automatic rejection errors. So the supplier would be able to correct also the minor errors with a submission of the MDS.

6.4.2 Parameter "AIC_QUALITY_SCORE_FORMULA"

The default formula for calculation of the quality score of the datasheet defined in the configuration parameter **"AIC_QUALITY_SCORE_FORMULA"** is as detailed below:

rank_1 * no_checks_1 + (rank_2 * no_checks_2 / no_nodes) + (rank_3 * no_checks_3 / no_nodes) +
(case when no_checks_4 > 1 then rank_4 else 0 end)

The formula is written in SQL syntax (e.g. prevent division by 0 or if-else statements written by case-when syntax).

The placeholders (case insensitive) that can be used in the formula are detailed below:

- Rank_<Id of the category> Category of the check category
- No_checks_<ld of the category> Number of failed checks with the ranking of the category Id
- **No_nodes** Number of nodes (including basic substances) of analyzed datasheet



7 AIC Whitelist (optional)

7.1 General

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The AIC Whitelist module allows to exempt the supplier's MDS from the automatic rejection, so that it can be checked manually. This is required in case when the MDS from the supplier was automatically rejected, but in discussion with the supplier it was agreed that the datasheet is correct and the supplier is asked to resubmit formerly rejected datasheet. If previously submitted MDS is added to the AIC whitelist, the newly send one will not be automatically rejected so the MDS will be available for manual check and approval.

7.2 Way to add MDS to the AIC whitelist

The MDS can be added to the AIC whitelist from:

- the result list in the "Received" panel (see chapter 7.2.1)
- the "Add to AIC Whitelist" option in the context menu for parent node of the opened received MDS (see chapter 7.2.2)
- the "Manage AIC Whitelist Tasks..." master data panel (see chapter 7.2.3)

7.2.1 Received panel

By selecting an entry and click on the right mouse button, the context menu is opened.

Following action is added:

• Add to AIC Whitelist

Allows to add selected entry to the AIC whitelist.

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Figure 15 Context menu in the "Received" panel

This option is enabled only in case that the selected MDS has recipient status either "**rejected**" or "**modified**".

Upon click on the **"Add to AIC Whitelist"** option, the panel for creation of the AIC whitelist entry with populated **"IMDS Id"** field is opened. For more details about creation of the AIC whitelist entry, see **chapter 7.2.3.1.3.1**.

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission **"AIC_WHITELIST_VIEW_EDIT"** can create new AIC whitelist entry.



7.2.2 Received MDS

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By selecting a parent node of the received MDS and click on the right mouse button, the context menu is opened.

Following action is added:

• Add to AIC Whitelist

Allows to add opened MDS to the AIC whitelist.



Figure 16 Context menu in the received MDS

This option is enabled only in case that the opened MDS has recipient status either "**rejected**" or "**modified**".

Upon click on the **"Add to AIC Whitelist"** option, the panel for creation of the AIC whitelist entry with populated **"IMDS Id"** field is opened. For more details about creation of the AIC whitelist entry, see **chapter 7.2.3.1.3.1**.

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission **"AIC_WHITELIST_VIEW_EDIT"** can create new AIC whitelist entry.



7.2.3 AIC Whitelist Master Data

This master data panel allows to define and maintan AIC whitelist tasks used for the exclusion of the received datasheets from automatic rejection done upon the AIC check.

It can be accessed from the menu "Extras → Master Data → Manage AIC Whitelist Tasks...".

The AIC Whitelist master data panel consists of:

- Open tasks tab (see chapter 7.2.3.1)
- History tab (see chapter 7.2.3.2)

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission **"AIC_WHITELIST_VIEW_EDIT"** or permission **"AIC_WHITELIST_VIEW"** can access AIC Whitelist master data panel.

7.2.3.1 Open tasks tab

This tab allows to create new AIC whitelist entry or to search for open AIC whitelist entries and delete them.

This panel is split into three areas:

- 1. Search mask (orange) see chapter 7.2.3.1.1
- 2. Result list (blue) see chapter 7.2.3.1.2
- 3. Actions (green) see chapter 7.2.3.1.3

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Figure 17 Tab "Open Tasks" in the AIC Whitelist panel



7.2.3.1.1 Search mask

Enables to search for AIC whitelist tasks based on defined search criteria. The following search criteria are available:

• IMDS Id

ID of the MDS for which the AIC Whitelist entry exists.

- User Full name of the iPCA user who created the AIC Whitelist entry.
- **Comment** Comment defined for the AIC Whitelist entry.

The following actions are available:

- Search Perform searches based on criteria entered into the search fields
- Reset
 Remove entered search criteria from search fields

7.2.3.1.2 Result list

The result list displays AIC Whitelist entries as per defined search criteria. Each row represents one AIC Whitelist entry.

The following standard columns are available:

- IMDS Id ID of the MDS for which the AIC Whitelist entry exists.
- User

Full name of the iPCA user who created the AIC Whitelist entry.

• Created

The date and time of when the AIC Whitelist entry was created.

• Comment

Comment defined for the AIC Whtelist entry.

7.2.3.1.3 Actions

The following actions are available:

• New

Allows to create a new AIC Whitelist entry (see **chapter 7.2.3.1.3.1**).



• Delete

Allows to delete an existing AIC Whitelist entry (see **chapter 7.2.3.1.3.2**).

7.2.3.1.3.1 New

The new AIC Whitelist entry can be created manually by click on the "**New**" button. This loads an empty AIC Whitelist creation dialog (see **Figure 18**).

O Create ne	ew AIC whitelist task?	×
IMDS Id:		88
Comment:		
	Save Cancel	

Figure 18 Dialog for creation of an AIC Whitelist entry

Following information must be defined:

• IMDS Id

ID of the MDS of the AIC Whitelist entry.

The value can be chosen using button which will load special received search window allowing to search for only MDSs with recipient status "**rejected**" and/or "**modified**". Wished MDS can be then confirmed by click on the "**Apply**" button.

• Comment

The comment for an AIC Whitelist entry.

Once all details are defined, the AIC Whitelist entry can be created using "**Create**" button. To cancel creation of the AIC Whitelist entry, the "**Cancel**" button is used.

In case that for selected MDS the open AIC Whitelist entry exists, the error message is displayed to the user (see **Figure 19**) and new entry is not created.



Figure 19 Error message informing user that an open AIC Whitelist entry exists for selected IMDS ID



In case that the not all mandatory fields are populated an error message is shown (see Figure 20).



Figure 20 Error message shown on save of AIC Whitelist entry if not all mandatory details are defined

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission "**AIC_WHITELIST_VIEW_EDIT**" can create new AIC whitelist entry.

7.2.3.1.3.2 Delete

Selected AIC Whitelist entry can be deleted by click on the "**Delete**" button. This will bring up a small popup window (see **Figure 21**). By click on the "**Yes**" button an AIC Whitelist entry will be removed from the "**Open tasks**" tab and moved to the "**History**" tab with status "**Deleted**". By click on the "**No**" button, the AIC Whitelist entry will be kept as open task.

Delete AIC whitelist task?			
?	Delete whitelist task ' '? The task will be aborted and moved to history. Yes No		

Figure 21 Dialog for deletion of an AIC Whitelist entry

PLEASE NOTE: Only user with activated permission **"AIC_WHITELIST_VIEW_EDIT"** can delete existing AIC whitelist entry.

7.2.3.2 History tab

This tab allows to see all processed or deleted AIC Whitelist entries.

This panel is split into three areas:

- 1. Search mask (orange) see **chapter 7.2.3.2.1**
- 2. Result list (blue) see chapter 7.2.3.2.2
- 3. Actions (green) see chapter 7.2.3.2.3



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Status	Changed	IMDS Id	Version	User	Created	Comment
View						

Figure 22 Tab "History " in the AIC Whitelist panel

7.2.3.2.1 Search mask

Enables to search for AIC whitelist tasks based on defined search criteria.

The following search criteria are available:

IMDS Id

ID of the MDS for which the AIC Whitelist entry exists.

• User

Full name of the iPCA user who created the AIC Whitelist entry.

• Comment

Comment defined for the AIC Whitelist entry.

• Status

Status of the AIC Whitelist entry.

- o All
- $\circ \quad \text{Deleted} \quad$
- $\circ \quad \textbf{Processed}$
- Changed

Period of time in which the AIC Whitelist entry was changed.

This can be defined either manually in the text field or by using ¹¹ button and selecting the date from the calendar shown.



The following actions are available:

• Search

Perform searches based on criteria entered into the search fields

• Reset

Remove entered search criteria from search fields

7.2.3.2.2 Result list

The result list displays AIC Whitelist entries as per defined search criteria. Each row represents one AIC Whitelist entry.

The following standard columns are available:

- Status Status of the AIC Whitelist entry.
- IMDS Id ID of the MDS for which the AIC Whitelist entry exists.
- IMDS Id

Version of the ID of the MDS for which the AIC Whitelist entry exists.

• User

Full name of the iPCA user who created the AIC Whitelist entry.

• Created

The date and time of when the AIC Whitelist entry was created.

• Comment

Comment defined for the AIC Whitelist entry.

7.2.3.2.3 Actions

The following actions are available:

• View

Allows to view an AIC Whitelist entry (see chapter 7.2.3.2.3.1).

7.2.3.2.3.1 View

Selected AIC Whitelist entry can be viewed by click on the "**View**" button. This will bring up the panel for creation of the AIC whitelist entry with populated both fields without any possibility to change the content.



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7.3 Check process

7.3.1 Check process and logic



Figure 23 Workflow of check of received MDS with AIC Whitelist module



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In case that the AIC Whitelist module is licensed and for the ID of the received MDS an open AIC Whitelist task exists and there is at least one issue found in the MDS during the check of checks assigned to the check category **"Automatic rejection**", the MDS is not automatically rejected, but a to-do task with message **"MDS passed inbox check as in AIC Whitelist with comment "<AIC Whitelist comment>". Please check.**" and the same text is inserted into the **"IHS-Comment"** field. Afterwards, the AIC Whitelist task is set to **"Processed**".

7.3.2 Check configuration

The check with name "**AIC Whitelist**" is added to the checkconfiguration called "**SCM/USC Inbox Check**" into the "**General**" tab. The check is assigned to the check category "**Manual check**" and this cannot be changed. The ranking is set to lowest default value and it can be adjusted, if required.



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