

ServerPac Internet Delivery Installation Checklist

OVERVIEW

Your order's download package is provided in SMP/E GIMZIP format, therefore SMP/E utilities (GIMGTPKG, GIMUNZIP) are used by the ServerPac jobs (RECEIVE, RESTORE) to process your order. **Your order will reside on IBM's download server for 30 days before it expires. You must complete the download of all order content before your order expires.**

You must first perform the tasks to ensure your environment is set up to accommodate the download of this package. The package is intended for the z/OS UNIX® environment so it will ultimately reside in the download zFS on your z/OS host system. Therefore, you must ensure you have enough space to accommodate the download of your order.

There are two methods to download your order. Choose the method that meets the needs of your environment.

- Direct to host
 - o You can download directly to your z/OS host system using Secure FTP (FTP using Secure Sockets layer or FTPS) or HTTP Secure (HTTP using Secure Sockets Layer or HTTPS). The CustomPac Installation Dialog allows you to specify which option you want to use.
- Store and Forward
 - o You can download to your workstation first using IBM Download Director with encryption then upload to your z/OS host system

Do not forget to perform the tasks to download any publications, CD/DVD images, or other material before your order expires. There is an "instructions" or README file on each page that describes what to do on that page.

TASK: Understand Your Environment

Understand how your environment can affect your choices for Internet delivery:

- downloading to host or workstation
- size of your order and data transfer rates
- security requirements

WHERE YOU WILL FIND INFORMATION: "z/OS Planning for Installation"

A link to this publication is provided on the Shopz Help pages under the Internet Delivery topic in the Additional Resources section and on the Shopz "Installation Documentation" download page for your order. Review Chapter 2 topic "Choosing the order delivery method: DVD or Internet", especially subtopic "Choosing the Internet download method: direct or intermediate". Also review Chapter 4 subtopic "The Internet delivery process" for an overview of the end-to-end process.

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TASK: Prepare Your Environment for Internet Delivery

To prepare your environment for Internet delivery you must satisfy the hardware and software requirements.

If you are downloading your order directly to your host, you will have the option to use FTPS or HTTPS to download the order.

Go to the Connectivity Test for SW Download Readiness web site for instructions on how to set up and verify that your system can connect to the IBM download servers and download the test package using your chosen download method. You can find the Connectivity Test for SW Download Readiness web site at: <https://www.ibm.com/marketing/iwm/iwm/web/preLogin.do?source=cbct>

If the CustomPac Installation Dialog is not set up on your system, you must run the LOADRIMS or LOADRIMH job provided on the Shopz download page to install a new dialog level.

If the CustomPac Installation Dialog is already set up on your system and it is not at level 27.20.00 or higher, you must run the EUPDATES or EUPDATEH job provided on the Shopz download page to update the dialog to the latest level. Alternatively, you can run the LOADRIMS or LOADRIMH job to load the latest level of the dialog.

You can determine the level of the CustomPac Installation Dialog you are using by checking the upper right-hand corner of the primary panel CPPPPOLI.

WHERE YOU WILL FIND INFORMATION: "z/OS Planning for Installation"

A link to this publication is provided on the Shopz Help pages under the Internet Delivery topic in the Additional Resources section and on the Shopz "Installation Documentation" download page for your order. Review Chapter 3 subtopic "Driving system requirements for installing z/OS and other IBM products by using ServerPac and the CustomPac Installation Dialog", especially items "Internet delivery requirements" and "Additional Internet delivery requirements for intermediate download" and topic "Identifying driving system hardware requirements".

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Choose your Download Method and perform ONE of the next two tasks:

EITHER

TASK: Download Directly to Your z/OS Host System

The link "Required information for ServerPac Dialog" on the Shopz download page provides information needed for RECEIVE processing performed by the CustomPac Installation Dialog.

The RECEIVE job, created by the CustomPac Installation Dialog, uses SMP/E GIMGTPKG service routine to download your order from the IBM server to the download file system on your z/OS host. You will be able to customize and create the RECEIVE job with the required statements for the SMP/E GIMGTPKG Service routine to download your order using Secure FTP (FTPS) or HTTP Secure (HTTPS).

WHERE YOU WILL FIND INFORMATION: "ServerPac Material (Host)" links

Use the "ServerPac Material (Host)" link on the initial download page for your order. The README located on the associated download page has the information needed for installing a new level of, or migration actions needed to update your existing CustomPac Installation Dialog. For this download method, the CustomPac Installation Dialog initiates RECEIVE processing. Further information on RECEIVE processing can be found in the "ServerPac: Using the Installation Dialog" book. Review Chapter 3 "Receiving a new order". A link to this publication is provided on the customized download page for "Installation Documentation".

OR

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TASK: Download to Your Workstation First then Upload to Your z/OS Host System

If you are downloading your order to a workstation:

WHERE YOU WILL FIND INFORMATION: "ServerPac Material (Workstation)" link

Use the "ServerPac Material (Workstation)" link on the initial page for your order. From the associated download page, the README describes details about the information needed for the CustomPac Installation Dialog. The ServerPac Material link initiates the download of your order to the workstation using IBM Download Director with encryption.

After the download to your workstation is complete, the package must be transferred to your z/OS host system UNIX environment preserving the directory structure. You must upload the files in binary format from the workstation to the z/OS host. Refer to the README at the "ServerPac Material (Workstation)" link for the methods to upload files to the z/OS host.

You will not be able to unzip or browse the files of the package from your workstation. Files must first be transferred to your z/OS host system UNIX environment.

For further information on IBM Download Director, see
https://www6.software.ibm.com/dldirector/doc/DDfaq_en.html

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TASK: Download Publications for your Order

WHERE YOU WILL FIND INFORMATION: "Product Publications" link
"Additional Licensed Publications" link

The "Product Publications" link provides you with unlicensed publications for your order. If there are licensed publications associated with your order, these are available with the "Additional Licensed Publications" link.

TASK: Download CD/DVD Images

WHERE YOU WILL FIND INFORMATION: "CD/DVD Images and Other Licensed Material" link

The "CD/DVD Images and Other Licensed Material" link provides CD and DVD images if any are associated with the product content of your order. Often, these images contain content such as client code.

TASK: Complete your Installation

WHERE YOU WILL FIND INFORMATION: "Installation Documentation" link

The "Installation Documentation" link provides the "ServerPac: Using the Installation Dialog" and the "Installing Your Order" books. Use these documents to continue with your ServerPac installation using the CustomPac Installation Dialog.

Remember you need to complete the download of all the order contents before your order expires. Your order resides on the IBM download server for 30 days.

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