

## 9.5 Release Notes

### IRIS Version 9.5

**Release Date: December 7, 2022**

9.5 Release Notes Publication Date	Notes and Changes Made
December 7, 2022	Initial Release

### About

IRIS Version 9.5 Release implemented 26 items. Multiple enhancements have been made to the *Wellbore* screen to improve reporting and increase the accuracy and integrity of wellbore data. New functionality has been added to *Pressure Notifications* in the *Pipelines* module. Delegated Business Associate's (BAs) work items search functionality has been enhanced. Changes to Rural Municipality data have been implemented and are available online. A new document type has been added to the *Attachment Info* tab of *Incident Reporting*. In compliance with *Oil and Gas Conservations Regulations, 2012, O-2 Reg6 Section 122(4)*, the system check for payment of Petrinex Penalty Invoices has been removed from IRIS. The removal of invalid land parcels during land checks for *Non-Advertised Disposition Applications* has been automated. Enhancement have been made to the IRIS login page to improve user's login experience. As well, various enhancements and fixes to known defects were implemented to the Infrastructure, Petroleum Tenure and Security Modules.

### What's changed?

The highlights of what has changed in IRIS Version 9.5 release are noted below.

**Note:** Whether a user has access to the functionality or enhancements outlined in these *9.5 Release Notes* depends on the individual's security access and assigned permissions sets.

### Infrastructure Functionality

- An enhancement has been made to the *Wellbore* screen. A tab was renamed to *Packers/Plugs* to reflect what can be reported. The following types are now available for selection, and new mandatory *Cement Measured Depth* fields have been added, dependent on the type of packer/plug that is selected:
  - *Bridge Plug*
  - *Cement Plug*
  - *Retainer*

- An enhancement has been implemented to the *Pressure Test Notifications* listed below in the *Pipeline* module. An error message will display if a *Start Date* and *End Date* exceeds four consecutive calendar days for *Scheduled Dates of Work*.
  - *Pressure Test – New*
  - *Pressure Test – Replacement*
  - *Pressure Test – Re-route*
  - *Pressure Test – Reactivation*
  - *Pressure Test – Liner Installation*
  - *Pressure Test – Exceed MOP*
- An enhancement has been made to the *Work Item* search functionality for delegated BAs. Industry can now utilize *Advanced Search* or *My Work Items* while acting on behalf of another Business Associate (BA) ID to view and complete work items for the delegated company, where the user has permission. Additionally, any users signed in as a *Delegate BA*, can now access work items via the *Work Item Summary* email notification.
- Alongside the proposed new *Directive PNG048: Hydraulic Fracturing Requirements*, *Directive PNG013: Well Data Submission Requirements* was updated to require additional information for hydraulic fracturing operations in IRIS. These changes will be seen on the *Wellbore* screen when adding or editing a treatment on a wellbore. Treatment types of *CO2 Fracture*, *Chemical Fracture*, and *Sand Fracture* will now fall under the same treatment type of *Hydraulic Fracture*. Additionally, a new disclosure question has been added to the *Add Treatment* function, along with several other mandatory data fields. These improvements will increase the accuracy and integrity of wellbore data and keep operations consistent with the regulations outlined in the latest directives. See [Industry Tip](#) for more information.
- An enhancement has been implemented to rectify/populate any Rural Municipality data for well licenses and facility sites that have a blank/null field. In addition, any Rural Municipality previously listed as *999 Northern Admin District* has been recalculated. These changes will also be reflected in the *LLR Well List* and *LLR Facility Lists* available on the [www.saskatchewan.ca](http://www.saskatchewan.ca) website and through IRIS.
- An enhancement has been made to the *Attachment Info* tab of *Incident Reporting*. A new *Document Type of Report* has been added to the options available for attachments.
- To comply with *Oil and Gas Conservation Regulations, 2012, O-2 Reg6 Section 122(4)*, Industry users are no longer required to submit advance payment of *Non-Compliant Reporting Penalty Invoices* in order to apply for a waiver. The system check for payment of *Petrinex Penalty Invoices* has been removed from IRIS. The regulation *for Waiver Application Submission* within 45-days of invoice issue has not changed.

## **Petroleum Tenure Module**

- An enhancement has been implemented to *Non-Advertised Disposition Applications (Helium Exploratory Permit, Helium Lease, and Negotiated Lease)* enabling a system land check to trigger deletion of land parcels with no *Crown Mineral Ownership* from the application's *Land Selection*. Going forward, *Applicants* can prompt IRIS to delete invalid land parcels when either *Save as Draft* or *Validate* is selected anytime during the application process.

## **Security Module**

- Formatting enhancements have been made to the IRIS login page and *Industry Login* section, to improve the login experience for Industry users.



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**Security and Permission Sets**

The following changes were made to the following IRIS's permission sets.

**\*Note:** If a user is already assigned to the below permission set, they will automatically receive access to the new function.

**Industry**

**No Security and Permissions Set updates for IRIS Version 9.5 Release.**

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