

Same Day Booking on Hotel Select for Worldspan®

Product Advisory Number:	669				
Version:	01				
Load To Production:	25-MAR-09	05:00	EDT	09:00	GMT
High Level Description:	Enhance Hotel Select to allow a user to request hotel availability, rules and sell for the previous calendar day according to the Worldspan system clock (which is US Eastern time zone). This will allow users in time zones west of ET to make bookings for the current day. It will be up to the hotel suppliers to determine if they will accept the transaction request.				
Impact Summary:	No Impact				
Reason For Issue:	First Issue				
Customer Impact:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Internal Only	<input type="checkbox"/>	Developers	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Agency Customers	<input type="checkbox"/>	Airline Customers	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	eCommerce Customers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Car, Hotel, Rail or Cruise Customers	
System:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Galileo			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Apollo			
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Worldspan			
Load To Copy:	20-FEB-09				
Web Services: (API and Messaging)	Messaging DIR - all date sensitive edits and functions of the DIR will support hotel transactions included in this advisory for system date minus 1.				
Issue History:	Version 01				

Overview

The Worldspan system currently uses 12:01am ET (Eastern Time) as the cut off time for same day hotel availability and booking requests regardless of the property local time. Many OTAs and 24 hour agency locations have a need to book hotels for same day arrival several hours after midnight ET – but up to this point were unable, as they received an error response

An enhancement is being made to the Hotel Select system to enable a user to request hotel availability, rules and bookings for their current day, but it is after the 12:01am ET cutoff. This will allow users to book properties for same day check in that are located in time zones west of ET. It is up to the suppliers responding to the transaction to validate if they are still open for sale at the specified property. The decision to accept the sell is entirely up to the suppliers.

This enhancement will not be available on the Hotel Booking Tool (HBT) or Hotel Interactive Maps (HIM) product on 'Go!' in this phase.

Customer Benefit

- OTA and 24 hour agencies will benefit by being able to service their customers requiring same day accommodations
- Hotel suppliers will be able to distribute and sell inventory that might otherwise not have been booked.

Detail and Customer Examples

This enhancement applies to the following hotel transactions:

- Hotel List
- Hotel Availability
- Hotel Sell
- Hotel Rules
- DIR List
- DIR Availability
- DIR Rules

The examples below reflect this enhancement. The booking date is assumed to be March 10, and the system time is 12:01 ET and later for all examples.

1. Hotel List (HL)

A user will be able to request a list for system's date minus 1. This will be read by the system as March 09. The system will accept this entry and send to the Hotel Select database or to the Hotel Source suppliers, as appropriate. It will be up to the supplier to determine if the property in question is available for sale on date specified.

Entry: >HLMCI9MAR10MAR1
Time: 00:04:28

MO-KANSAS CITY		IN MON 09MAR/OUT TUE 10MAR			
LN	CO	PROPERTY NAME	ADDRESS	DD	
001	A	HY HYATT REGENCY CROWN	KANSAS CITY MO 6410826	2N	
002		IC INTERCONTINENTAL KAN	KANSAS CITY MO US 6411	1S	
003	A	CY COURTYARD MARRIOTT K	KANSAS CITY MO US 6411	1S	
004		WV THE RAPHAEL	KANSAS CITY MO 64112	2SW	
005	A	BW BEST WESTERN INN AND	KANSAS CITY KS US 6610	2NW	
006	A	EA HOMESTEAD KANSAS CIT	KANSAS CITY MO 64111	1S	
007		HI HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS	KANSAS CITY MO US 6411	1SW	
008		EO ECONO LODGE INN AND	KANSAS CITY MO 64111 2	0	
>HA(PROPERTY AVAILABILITY >HD(DETAIL >HLD(MORE PROPERTIES>					

2. Hotel Availability (HA)

A user will be able to request an HA for system's date minus 1 reading the date. The system will accept this entry and send to Hotel Select database or to Hotel Source suppliers, as appropriate. It will be up to the supplier to determine if the property in question is available for sale on the date specified.

Entry: >HA1
Time: 00:13:35

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**HOTEL SOURCE** WELCOME TO HYATT HOTEL SOURCE
HY HYATT REGENCY CROWN      IN MON 09MAR/OUT TUE 10MAR  CURR: USD
HYMKCRK  REF: MO-KANSAS CITY                PERSONS: 01
LN      RATE      DESCRIPTION                      CXP
01      249.00G   1 KING BED                                     24H
                1 KING GRAND BED  FLOORS 5-33  276 SQ FT
02      249.00G   2 DOUBLE BEDS                                  24H
                2 DOUBLE GRAND BEDS  FLOORS 5-33  276 SQ FT
03      269.00G   BUSN PLAN 1KNG                                  24H
                1 KING GRAND BED  FLOOR 30  276 SQ FT
04      269.00G   BUSN PLAN 2DBL                                  24H
                2 DOUBLE GRAND BEDS  FLOOR 30  276 SQ FT
05      289.00G   REG CLUB 2DBL                                   24H
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3. Rules (HR)

The HR transaction will return the appropriate rules when referencing an availability display of system date minus 1. However, it is recognized that this request from an availability display or sold segment for “system date minus 1” may error if it is sent to the supplier, if the supplier’s system does not support this logic.

Entry: >HR1
Time: 00:14:34

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**HOTEL SOURCE**
$ WELCOME TO HYATT                                     $
HYMKCRK HYATT REGENCY CROWN CENTER
IN TUE 09MAR/OUT TUE 10MAR                          NBR PERSONS: 1
                                                    HY BKG CODE: KNGRACK
RATE:      249.00  USD PER NIGHT STARTING 09MAR FOR 1 NIGHT
           249.00  USD TOTAL RATE STARTING 09MAR FOR 1 NIGHT
ROOM RATE DETAIL: NO TAXES/SURCHARGES/FEES
  2.38 PERCNT CTY TX PER NT BEG 09MAR FOR 1 NTS
  4.23 PERCNT ST/PRO TX PER NT BEG 09MAR FOR 1 NTS
  7.50 PERCNT MISC PER NT BEG 09MAR FOR 1 NTS
  1.12 PERCNT CNTY TX PER NT BEG 09MAR FOR 1 NTS
  1.73 USD MISC PER NT BEG 09MAR FOR 1 NTS
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4. Sell – Date Minus 1

A direct or reference sell for a booking that is for the system date minus 1, will be sent to the supplier for confirmation.

Hotel Sell

Entry: >H0/G-CCVI4444333322221111EXP09-09

Time: 00:19:34

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1 HHL CY SS01 MCI IN09MAR OUT10MAR MCICP-CY COURTYARD MARRIOTT
KC CTRY CLB/NP-1/R-REGA00/RG-USD 159.00 /RD-REGULAR RATE GUEST
ROOM 1 KING/BS-1P/NM-TEST PNR/G-CCVIXXXXXXXXXXXXX1111EXP09-09/CX
P-CANCEL PERMITTED UP TO 6PM DAY OF ARRIVAL HOTEL TIME. 184.1
1 CANCEL FEE PER ROOM./CF-82161372 |CY|
>
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Entry: ER

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1P- 4M6IGP -
1.1TEST/PNR*ADT-
1 HHL CY HK01 MCI IN09MAR OUT10MAR MCICP-CY COURTYARD MARRIOTT
KC CTRY CLB/RG-USD 159.00 /NM-TEST PNR/G-CCVIXXXXXXXXXXXXX1111EX
P09-09/CXP-CANCEL PERMITTED UP TO 6PM DAY OF ARRIVAL HOTEL TIM
E. 184.11 CANCEL FEE PER ROOM./CF-82161372 |CY|-
P- 1.DAP111-
T- 1.T/-
TKG FAX-NOT PRICED FARE TYPE EX -
**** ITEMS SUPPRESSED ****/IH-
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5. Sell – Today's Date (10March) then change to Date Minus 1 (09March)

A direct or reference sell for a booking that is for the today's date 10March sent to the supplier for confirmation.

Entry: >H0/G-CCVI4444333322221111EXP09-09
Time: 00:15:57

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1 HHL MC SS01 MCI IN10MAR OUT11MAR MCIDT-MC MARRIOTT KC DOWNTOWN/NP-1/R-CORA00/RG-USD 209.00 /RD-CORPORATE RATE GUEST ROOM KING OR DOUBLE/BS-1P/NM-TEST PNR/G-CCVIXXXXXXXXXXXXXX1111EXP09-09/CXP-CANCEL PERMITTED UP TO 5PM DAY OF ARRIVAL HOTEL TIME. 242.55 CANCEL FEE PER ROOM./CF-82161383 |MC|>
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Entry: > ER
Time: 00:53:39

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1P- 4M6IGP -  
1.1TEST/PNR*ADT-  
1 HHL MC HK01 MCI IN10MAR OUT11MAR MCIDT-MC MARRIOTT KC DOWNTOWN/RG-USD 209.00 /NM-TEST PNR/G-CCVIXXXXXXXXXXXXXX1111EXP09-09/CXP-CANCEL PERMITTED UP TO 5PM DAY OF ARRIVAL HOTEL TIME. 242.55 CANCEL FEE PER ROOM./CF-82161383 |MC|-  
P- 1.DAP111-  
T- 1.T/-  
TKG FAX-NOT PRICED FARE TYPE EX -  
**** ITEMS SUPPRESSED ****/IH-  
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Modify the booking to arrive 09 March.

Entry: >H@1/D9MAR10MAR
Time: 00:57:20

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1 HHL MC XX01 MCI IN10MAR OUT11MAR MCIDT-MC MARRIOTT KC DOWNTOWN/NP-1/R-CORA00/RG-USD 209.00 /RD-CORPORATE RATE GUEST ROOM KING OR DOUBLE/BS-1P/NM-TEST PNR/G-CCVIXXXXXXXXXXXXXX1111EXP09-09/CXP-CANCEL PERMITTED UP TO 5PM DAY OF ARRIVAL HOTEL TIME. 242.55 CANCEL FEE PER ROOM./CF-82161383 |MC|~  
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1 HHL MC SS01 MCI IN09MAR OUT10MAR MCIDT-MC MARRIOTT KC DOWNTOWN/NP-1/R-CORA00/RG-USD 209.00 /RD-CORPORATE RATE GUEST ROOM KING OR DOUBLE/BS-1P/NM-TEST PNR/G-CCVIXXXXXXXXXXXXXX1111EXP09-09/CXP-CANCEL PERMITTED UP TO 5PM DAY OF ARRIVAL HOTEL TIME. 242.55 CANCEL FEE PER ROOM./CF-82161383 |MC|~  
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Entry - >ER

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1P- 4M6IGP ~  
1.1TEST/PNR*ADT~  
1 HHL MC HK01 MCI IN09MAR OUT10MAR MCIDT-MC MARRIOTT KC DOWNTOWN/RG-USD 209.00 /NM-TEST PNR/G-CCVIXXXXXXXXXXXXXX1111EXP09-09/CXP-CANCEL PERMITTED UP TO 5PM DAY OF ARRIVAL HOTEL TIME. 242.55 CANCEL FEE PER ROOM./CF-82161383 |MC|~  
P- 1.DAP111~  
T- 1.T/~  
TKG FAX-NOT PRICED FARE TYPE EX ~  
**** ITEMS SUPPRESSED ****/IH~  
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DIR0DHL0000009580001P1P0011P1PAU000000010101010600000000000000000031
006020$000000000000132HL446641F218USD20090682009069B2RD235GAUS AT
LANTA *2202VA44587.151H3200.122PH2532DF220
404 873 4692 2DD220404 881 9898 03TAX1515 2DD150
03N .162HR2972RD15GA 2PZ15303093PA217ATLANTA3PA122075 FOURTEEN
TH STREET2PN220FOUR SEASONS ATLANTA2PC153285701F16FS BA 0.151H32
28.122PH2532DF22014046597715 2DD22014045247000 0
3TAX1515.002DD15001N .162HR31242RD15GA 2PZ21030303 21033PA2224
ATLANTA GA US 30303 21033PA1222111 CONE ST N W FULTON2PN221SUPER
8 ATLANTA WORLD2PC152342 01F16OZ BA 0.151H3208.122PH2532DF2201-
404-221-6368 2DD2201-404-659-2000 03TAX1515 2DD15001
N .162HR31042RD15GA 2PZ15303033PA2216ATLANTA GA 303033PA122325
5 COURTLAND STREET NE2PN214HILTON ATLANTA2PC150910101F16HH BA 0.
151H3215.122PH2532DF22014047336990 2DD22014048926000
03TAX1515.002DD15003N .162HR31112RD15GA 2PZ15303613PA22>
    
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8. DIR Hotel availability entry

Entry:
 >DIR0DVE0000001840011P1P0001P1PQL000000010101010000000000000000000000
 000001\$00000000000030033VAQ291F227BB20ATL20090682009069USD01B*300
 22HR2402PC18HYATLRA 2PN220HYATT REGENCY SUITES02HS13B010

 (HAATL/D09MAR10MAR/E-USD/N-01/NP-01/H-HYATT REGENCY SUITES)
 Time: 02:05:52

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DIR0DVE0000009580001P1P0011P1PAU000000010101040000000000000000000031
006050$000000000000132VA427941F220 20090682009069USD.132HC42666
2MD11B.131H42642*152SA2451S12CB1S12DB1S12EB1S215AA25.00 1
S12BB0*2163RMA42471.162RM31503HSD17BBBBBBB2CN13HR(2BC210ROMLTO1
*122DA2781D223LIMITED TIME* GUESTROOM1D244UPSCALE SUITE W-KING
OR 2 DOUBLE GRAND BEDS 01R210 165.111F16AB 0.162RM31493HS
D17BBBBBBB2CN13HR(2BC210KNGLTO1 *122DA2771D224LIMITED TIME* 1
KING BED1D242650-SQ-FT. UPSCALE SUITE W-KING GRAND BED 01R210
165.111F16AB 0.162RM31553HSD17BBBBBBB2CN13HR(2BC210DBLLTO1
*122DA2831D227LIMITED TIME* 2 DOUBLE BEDS1D245650-SQ-FT. UPSCAL
E SUITE W-2 DOUBLE GRAND BED01R210 165.111F16AB 0.162RM315
53HSD17BBBBBBB2CN13HR(2BC210BSNLTO1 *122DA2831D227LIMITED TIME
* BUSINESS PLAN1D245SUITE W-KING OR 2DOUBLE GRAND BEDS BREAKFAST
01R210 180.911F16AB 0.162RM31353HSD17BBBBBBB2CN1324H2BC21
OROMRACK *122DA2631D19GUESTROOM1D244UPSCALE SUITE W-KING OR >
    
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9. DIR Hotel rules entry.

Hotel rules entry, the check in date is today-1 and check out date is today.

Entry:

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>DIRODVE1000001630011P1P0001P1PQL00000001010101000000000000000000
000001$00000000000030034VRDQ269F231BAATL20090682009069HY      ATR
S2HX14101B*30012BI2132RT17ROMRACK00
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(HR|P-HYATLRS/D9MAR10MAR/R-ROMRACK/NP-01/N-1)

Time: 02:09:30

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DIRODVE1000009580001P1P0011P1PAU000000010101020000000000000000031
006090$000000000000123VRD412761F220ATL20090682009069USD.171H41240
.143RRD3220.125TAXES3168*113OCA273.173OCU2623ORD1112IC11I3TAX148
.004DURR1114DATE1720090684PERP11B4MONP11B00*113SLA274.174SALE262
3ORD1122IC11I3TAX146.004DURR1114DATE1720090684PERP11B4MONP11B000
4DISC16N      5TTLRT16238.265TXCUR13USD0.111S3725*183RLA37132TX21
7AWELCOME TO HYATT2TX288FGUESTROOM UPSCALE SUITE W-KING OR 2 DOU
BLE GRAND BEDS MARBLE BATH DATAPORT 650 SQ FT2TX242ERACK RATE
REGULARLY PUBLISHED ROOM RATES.2TX266JRULES TAX 6.000 PERCENT
RULES OCCUPANCY TAX      8.000 PERCENT2TX267HGUARANTEE CC DPS
T CD NBR TA NBR CC ACCEPTED AX CA CB DC DS JC VI2TX252ICANCEL
CANCEL BY 4PM EST 24 HOURS PRIOR TO ARRIVAL2TX3305KPROPERTY HAS
200 ROOMS AND 200 SUITES ON 7 FLOORS PROPERTY LOCATION ON THE S
OUTHSIDE OF ATLANTA 20 MINUTES FROM ATLANTA S BUSINESS DISTRICT.
DIRECTIONS TO PROPERTY FROM AIRPORT TAKE I 75 NORHT TO EXIT >
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