



GDS Net/IT Fare Configuration and Example

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This document is a brief description of the process of configuring GDS Net/IT fare while searching fares and issuing ticket. This information is limited to the current requirements and assuming that the fares are loaded in the GDS and available through the IATA location, used in the fare search and ticketing.

System Requirements.

Most of the fares nowadays are loaded in the GDS. They can be searched and accessed via commonly available APIs. The type of fares loaded are mainly split into

- Published;
- Private

The Published fares are based on the recommended retail price, discounted for the agent. For instance, if the fare is published for \$1000.00 with the 5% commission, the agent Net will be \$1000 - \$50 = \$950.00.

The Private fares are based on the Net amount with the commission or mark-up added to it. In a lot of cases Private fares are referred to Net or IT (Inclusive Tour) fares. The example is, if \$900 Net fare has 5% commission then the total will be \$900 + \$45 = \$945.00 as Agent Net. In most of the cases the Net fare is used with 0% and Service Fee applies.

Configuration.

In t-solution it is possible to configure both Published and Private fares, catering for different Net calculation. If the Published fares are configured via BSP Commissions option, related to combination of Airlines, Regions, Classes, etc., Private fares are set via Airline option called "Deal Type Farebasis" with the reference to a certain pattern of Farebasis issued by airline. Below example demonstrates how the fares are configured and how the fare search is affected when performed for the relevant origin-destination areas.

Below snap-shot shows how the Published fare is configured with “BSP Commission” option for QF travelling between USA/Canada and Australia regions. The commission is set to 1%.

Airlines Maintenance

BSP Commissions

Airlines

QF

✓ Search

🔄 Refresh

With Commission Only: ☐

Airline	IATA Code	Name	Commission Count	Active
QF	081	QANTAS AIRWAYS	8	Yes

BSP Commissions

+ Add

Edit	Region From	Region To	From Date	To Date	Routing	Book Class	Class	Return Type	Tour Code	Ticket Designator	Commission
	USA/Canada	Australia & New Zealand	02/07/2014	01/07/2015		V/S/K/M					16%
	USA/Canada	Australia & New Zealand	02/07/2014	01/07/2015		N					14%
	Australia & New Zealand	USA/Canada	02/07/2014	01/07/2015		Y/B/H/K/J/C					15%
	Australia & New Zealand	USA/Canada	02/07/2014	01/07/2015		D/F/A/W/R					10%
	Australia & New Zealand	USA/Canada	02/07/2014	30/06/2015		M/V/S/N					5%
	USA/Canada	BJS/BKK/BOM/HKG/JKT...	02/07/2014	01/07/2015		Y/B/K/M/V/S/J...					6%
	USA/Canada	POM	02/07/2014	01/07/2015		V/S/K/M					16%
	USA/Canada	POM	02/07/2014	01/07/2015		N					14%
	USA/Canada	Australia									1%

The following snap-shot shows how QF Private Fare is configured as IT deal type based on the GDS-quoted Farebasis including LXSA inside the farebasis text. Please note that with the % sign the system allows to manage text pattern, assuming that if the % sign is placed in front of the text, then it allows for any other characters to be part of the farebasis before matching pattern; if % sign is placed at the end of the text then it allows the other characters to be used after the matching pattern.

Airlines Maintenance

BSP Commissions

Airlines

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QF

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Edit	Airline	IATA Code	Name	Short Name	Comm Domestic	Comm Internatio
	QF	081	QANTAS AIRWAYS	Qantas	1	7

Details

Ticketing

BSP Commissions

Commissionable Tax

Deal Type Farebasis

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Active: ☒

Edit	Airline Code	Name	Description	Deal Type	Farebasis	Active
	QF	QF KWSA	Test for GDS Net Fares	IT	%LXSA%	Yes

Here are some examples of how else the Farebasis can be configured:

- LXSA. Exact text;
- %LXSA. Any character(s) before the text, i.e., YKLXSA;
- LXSA%. Any character(s) after the text, i.e., LXSA20M;



The Private fare is indicated as "IT" in the "Fare Type" with the "Net" value displayed as a base fare and 0% commission applying to the fares where "LXSA" is part of the Farebasis string. The agent Net remains the same as Net rounded up to the closest full dollar value.

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From	Boston(BOS)	To	Sydney(SYD)	CARRIER	QANTAS AIRWAYS	Adult	1	Children (2-12)	0	Infant (0-2)	0		Clear	Search
Departure	15/07/2015 Wed	Return	30/07/2015 Thu	Class	Economy									

☒ Return ☐ One Way

\$2,917.89

	Early Night(0-6)	Morning(6-12)	Afternoon(12-18)	Evening(18-24)
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	QF	B/Class S/N	Fare Basis SKWSA14/NKWA14	Min Nil	Max 1 Year	Class Economy	Fare Type Published	Auto-ticket Yes	Source AMADEUS	Rules
	Gross \$2,084.89	Commission % 1%	Incentive % 0%	Extra \$0.00	Service Fee \$2.50	Tax \$850.89	Net \$2,067.00	Total \$2,917.89	AVAILABILITY ▼	

	QF	B/Class B/T/N	Fare Basis TLXSA10/NKWA14	Min Nil	Max 1 Year	Class Economy	Fare Type IT	Auto-ticket Yes	Source AMADEUS	Rules
	Net \$2,105.89	Commission % 0%	Incentive % 0%	Extra \$0.00	Service Fee \$0.00	Tax \$846.89	Net \$2,106.00	Total \$2,952.89	AVAILABILITY ▼	

	QF	B/Class B/T/N	Fare Basis TLXSA10/NKWA14	Min Nil	Max 1 Year	Class Economy	Fare Type IT	Auto-ticket Yes	Source AMADEUS	Rules
	Net \$2,110.39	Commission % 0%	Incentive % 0%	Extra \$0.00	Service Fee \$0.00	Tax \$851.39	Net \$2,111.00	Total \$2,962.39	AVAILABILITY ▼	