

MISSION TIMES ISSUE WHEN IMPORTING DDP FILES

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1. GENERAL

In the context of Dynamic Execution, starting with LOGFAS 7.0.0, DDP data was aligned between ADAMS/CORSOM and EVE modules, except for the dates/days. This is because EVE can only show actual calendar dates and does not use a relative day like ADAMS/CORSOM.

Estimated Days of Departure (EDD), Estimated Time of Departure (ETD), Estimated Day of Arrival (EDA) and Estimated Time of Arrival (ETA) of Missions in EVE (further referred to as execution times) are not synchronised automatically with Planned Departure and Arrival Times in ADAMS/CORSOM (further referred to as planned times). On the other hand, execution times automatically cascade to planned times.

Mission times are exported to DDP files using LDM module. While DDP files always contain planned times, they may not contain execution times (if there is no Reference Date of the Plan) or they may include different execution times.

2. ISSUE

Execution times may be different than planned times as part of normal behaviour, or due to two software bugs. Under normal behaviour, this happens when planned times are updated in ADAMS, but execution times are not manually synchronised in EVE. However, due to a software bug present in LOGFAS 8.1.0 or earlier versions, when performing certain ADAMS actions (e.g. shifting mission times or inserting/updating mission stopovers) planned times wrongly overwrite execution times. First of all, this is a defect because execution times should be synchronised with planned times only by user action. Secondly, execution times may be even generated with incorrect values. This happens regardless if the DDP has or hasn't been opened in EVE.

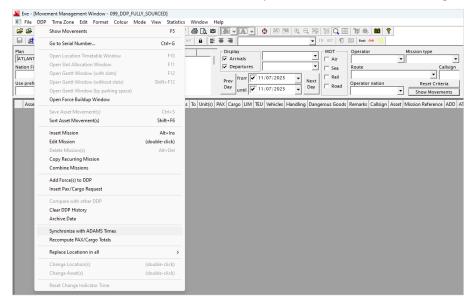
Furthermore, during the import of DDP files using LDM module, mission planned times are overwritten by execution times, due to a another software bug. Even if the execution times are correct and kept different intentionally, they should not overwrite planned times (e.g. in the execution phases).

This problem is fixed in LOGFAS 8.2.0, but exists in all previous versions.

3. RESOLUTION / WORKAROUND

Unless destined to be imported using LOGFAS version 8.2.0 or higher, before exporting the DDP file using LOGFAS versions prior to 8.2.0, proceed as following:

- Open the DDP in EVE.
- b. Select DDP main menu, then select Synchronize with ADAMS Timings context menu.



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c. If there are differences between the Departure and Arrival times in ADAMS and EVE, they will be loaded in the Synchronize EVE and ADAMS times window.

 d. To synchronise these timings Click on the Accept all visible Missions for Mission timings and Accept all visible Requests to synchronise the Request timings.
 Alternatively, Click on the Accept all visible Missions and Requests button.

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e. Once the Missions and Requests have synchronized, Click on the Close Window button.

The differences in the estimated days and times will have been removed and the DDP file can be imported into target database.

4. LOGFAS 8.2.0 FIX

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This issue has been fixed in LOGFAS version 8.2.0 (and later). Regardless of correctly or mistakenly different execution times, they will not overwrite planned times anymore when importing DDP files. Moreover, the fix is applicable also in relation to previous releases, as following:

- When importing DDP files (irrespective of the LDM version used for export, even if not applying the workaround in this document).
- When exporting DDP files to previous LOGFAS formats (irrespective of the LDM version to be used for import).