



Welcome to version 6.2 of the Product Information Exchange Standard (PIES). This specification for the management and distribution of item-level product information has been updated by the Technology Standards Committee of AAIA to meet the needs of the Vehicle Aftermarket industry.

Here is a quick reference guide to What's New in PIES version 6.2

PIES 6.2 Changes

HEADER Segment

- Changed all "Brand Owner" elements to OPTIONAL
 - BrandOwner DUNS or DUNS+ 4 (A20)
 - BrandOwner GLN (A21)
 - BrandOwner VMRS ID (A22)
 - BrandOwner AAIAID (A23)
- Changed <ContactEmail> (A41) to max 254 characters

ITEM Segment

- Changed "Brand AAIAID" (B20) to Required/Mandatory element
- Added <SubBrandAAIAID> element (B27)
- Added <ACESApplications> element (B30)
- Removed "X" enumeration from <HazardousMaterialsCode> element

EXPI Segment

- Changed <ExtendedProductInformation> to a KM (Key Mandatory) element
- Added the following E05 EXPI Codes
 - RST Regulating State
 - RPC Regulating Postal Code
 - RCS Regulating County, State
 - RCT Regulating City, State

PRODUCT ATTRIBUTE Segment

- Added "PCDBAttribute" attribute to <ProductAttribute> element
- Added "AttributeUOM" attribute to <ProductAttribute> element
- Increased "AttributeType" attribute to 80 characters (alphanumeric)

TRAILER Segment

- Removed <RecordCount> element (Z05) - No longer supported or in use