

Release Notes for March 19, 2026 Umler System Release

The Umler system release scheduled for Thursday, March 19, 2026, includes functional enhancements to Umler which includes docket implementation work as directed by the Umler Committee to implement new elements, element changes/updates, as well as modifications to permissible values and business rules within the application.

Below are the complete details of this release.

Element Updates (New Elements/Element Changes & Removals)

- Lining Date Done (B602) *
 - Equipment Group: HOPP
 - Presentation Group: Feature
 - Public/Confidential: Confidential
 - Element Definition: The date car lining is applied.
 - Range of Value(s):
 - Minimum: 1/1/1900
 - Maximum: 12/31/9999
 - Validation Rule(s):
 - Lining Date Done cannot be earlier than the Built Date (BLDT)
 - Lining Date Done cannot be later than today's date
 - Lining Date Done cannot be populated if Lining Material (A158) is Unlined

- Lining Touch-up Date Done (B603) *
 - Equipment Group: HOPP
 - Presentation Group: Feature
 - Public/Confidential: Confidential
 - Element Definition: The date car lining is patched or touched up.
 - Range of Value(s):
 - Minimum: 1/1/1900
 - Maximum: 12/31/9999
 - Validation Rule(s):
 - Lining Touch-up Date Done cannot be earlier than the Built Date (BLDT)
 - Lining Touch-up Date Done cannot be later than today's date
 - Lining Touch-up Date Done cannot be earlier than the Lining Date Done (B602)
 - Lining Touch-up Date Done cannot be populated if Lining Material (A158) is Unlined

Permissible Value/Range Updates - Updates/Removals/New Values

- Coupler Code (A057)
 - Equipment Group: BOXC, GOND, HOPP, FLAT, IFLT, VFLT, MISC
 - Presentation Group: Draft System Components

- Added Permissible Value(s):
 - EF60BWE-Type E/F (Rule 17) - EF60BWE

Business Rule Changes - New/Changed or Updated/Removed Rules

- Outside Length (OSLG)
 - Equipment Group: BOXC, GOND, FLAT, IFLT, VFLT, MISC
 - Presentation Group: Dimension
 - Added Rule:
 - If Axle Count (A024) is 4, then Outside Length must not exceed Inside Length (A135) by more than 24 feet.
 - Removed Rule(s):
 - Outside Length (OSLG) on freight cars (except refrigerators) must not exceed Inside Length (A135) by more than 16 feet
 - Outside Length (OSLG) on refrigerator cars (Mechanical Designation RB, RBL, RP, RPL, or RC) must not exceed Inside Length (A135) by more than 26 feet

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