

<p style="text-align: center;">RELEASE NOTES VERSION 1.2.1 Online Collection System for European Citizens' Initiatives</p>
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1. Introduction

This document contains the release notes for version 1.2.1 of the Online Collection System for ECI, and its associated Cryptography tool.

1.1. Intended Readership

- Business Owner
- Developers
- Testers
- Organisers of Citizens' Initiatives.
- System Administrators charged with installing and maintaining OCS.

2. Release Notes of OCS Version 1.2.1

The new version contains some changes in the various linguistic translation versions. In particular, the Privacy statements are aligned with the changes in the Corrigendum to REGULATION (EU) No 2011/2011 published on 30 March 2012.

The Cryptography tool is now translated into the 23 official languages of the EU.

The user's preferred language and most recent working directory will now be persistent between instances of the application.

When exporting a PDF file for Belgium, the two administrative languages French and Dutch will now be generated.

If you already downloaded OCS 1.2.0, please be sure you have the correct version of the database scripts:

oct-db-oracle.zip (md5 hash = 108021845bf887ea08680315695fd572)
oct-db-mysql.zip (md5 hash = 8677511169a31d893196c3a36f644100)

2.1. Installation and migration procedure

If you have previously installed a version of OCS prior to version 1.2.0 it is strongly recommended that you completely uninstall the previous version of OCS before installing a new version. Failure to completely uninstall the previous version may lead to errors during the installation of the new version.

OCS version 1.2.0 and higher do not require to be deinstalled when they are replaced by a new OCS version, if you follow the OCS migration procedure described below.

Please note that an OCS migration procedure will migrate to the new version only from the immediately preceding version. Therefore, you are only able to migrate to OCS version 1.2.1 from version 1.2.0 .

2.1.1. OCS migration procedure

Reinstall OCS by installing the latest version of oct-ear.ear, which can be downloaded via the link at <http://joinup.ec.europa.eu/software/ocs/release/121> .

Installing oct-ear.ear is usually done through the Administrative Console of the Application Server used to run the application.

There are no database changes between OCS version 1.2.0 and 1.2.1. As such there are no database migration scripts required.

2.1.2. Offline Cryptography Tool migration procedure

Download via the link at <http://joinup.ec.europa.eu/software/ocs/release/121> the Cryptography tool appropriate to the platform in use: oct-crypto-win32.zip or oct-crypto-linux.zip .

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Delete the bin and lib sub-directories contained in the installation directory.

Unpack the new bin and lib sub-directories into the installation directory.

Warning!: Do not remove the data sub-directory. By doing so, you would lose the possibility to decrypt any encrypted signatory data.

Glossary

Term	Description (EN)
EAR	Enterprise Archive A file format used by Java EE for packaging one or more modules into a single archive so that the deployment of the various modules onto an application server happens simultaneously and coherently.
ECI	European Citizens' Initiative
EU	European Union
OCS	Online Collection System (for ECI)
OCT	Online Collection Tool <u>N.B. This name has been deprecated and replaced by the name <i>OnLine Collection System</i>.</u>