

Geotab Drive App update release note

What's New in Geotab Drive App – 2103 Release

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Note: All items marked Feature Preview are in Feature Preview section and may change or disappear at any time. We do not recommend using these features in a production setting. To use items in Feature Preview, you must toggle Feature Preview to ON by navigating to Administration > Users from the main menu.

Updates to the Asset Inspection (formerly known as DVIR) workflow

In AT&T Fleet Management, administrators can now mark parts in the defect checklist as **Required**. Required parts must be marked as either safe or faulty by the user during asset inspection and cannot be ignored.

Here's how to add or mark a part as **Required** in AT&T Fleet Management:

Asset type:

All
 Device
 Trailer

Parts and defects:

Required

Categories that are marked as "required" will require drivers to check off "no defect" before submitting their DVIR.

Brakes (Parking)		<input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="button" value="✎"/>	<input type="button" value="✕"/>
Slow to release	MAJOR		<input type="button" value="✎"/>	<input type="button" value="✕"/>
Weak or ineffective			<input type="button" value="✎"/>	<input type="button" value="✕"/>
Will not release			<input type="button" value="✎"/>	<input type="button" value="✕"/>
Other		<input type="button" value="Show"/>	<input type="button" value="Hide"/>	
Brakes (Service)		<input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="button" value="✎"/>	<input type="button" value="✕"/>
Air compressor not working	MAJOR		<input type="button" value="✎"/>	<input type="button" value="✕"/>

During the asset inspection workflow:

- All **Required** parts are displayed together in a section above all optional parts.
- An error is displayed if the user does not specify if a **Required** item has defects or not.
- If no defect is selected, the Drive App automatically collapses that part, and then expands and slides down to the next.

Historically, inspection lists have a defect option for each part called **Other** to cover any miscellaneous problems that may not be listed. As of this release, administrators can now choose to display or hide the **Other** defect option. This is replacing the previous implementation using the NODVIROTHERR custom code).

*** NOTE:** This updated asset inspection workflow is currently only available in the Drive App. We plan to add the updated workflow to AT&T Fleet Management in a future release.

Type of checklist

Class 8 Inspection

▼ Brakes (Parking)

No defects

Slow to release **MAJOR**

[add defect](#)

Weak or ineffective

[add defect](#)

Will not release

[add defect](#)

Other

[add defect](#)

▶ Brakes (Service)

No defects

Other defects (optional)


▶ Coupling Devices

Finally, usability improvements have been made to the repair workflow.

▼ Brakes (Parking)

2 defects


Slow to release **MAJOR**

 test

- Repaired
- Repair not necessary for the safe operation of the vehicle

Add a remark

Weak or ineffective

 test

- Repaired
- Repair not necessary for the safe operation of the vehicle

Add a remark

General updates

Canadian ELD updates

This software release has all the remaining changes required for Canadian ELD compliance. Once our third-party certification is completed, we will enable full email transfer capabilities.

Updates to HOS Log Edits

To comply with American and Canadian ELD regulations, administrators in AT&T Fleet Management can no longer edit unverified logs.

Update to the Yard Move Exemption

We have added a small note to the rule explaining that it only officially supports U.S. customers, and does not function in other jurisdictions.

Yard Move Exemption

Turn off Yard Move when over: On Off 32 km/h

Turn off Yard Move when leaving zone type: On Off Office

This rule enables additional features when using Yard Move in the Drive app. Entering a speed (must be 20 mph/32 km/h or less) or a zone type will turn Yard Move off when the speed is exceeded, or when the vehicle leaves the zone type. Either or both can be used with this rule.
Note: This rule supports US ELD customers only. It will not function in other jurisdictions.

Validation of driver information

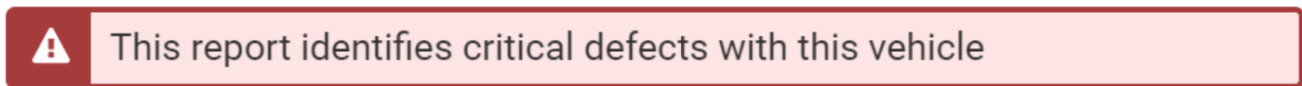
- When an administrator configures a driver under a Canadian ruleset, and the driver license number **and** driver province/state are missing, an error message appears asking the administrator to enter the missing information.
- When an administrator configures a driver under any ruleset, and either the driver license number **or** driver province/state is missing, an error message appears asking the administrator to enter the missing information.

Added toast message to Login/Logout Workflow

To comply with Canadian ELD regulations, during the login/logout workflow, the Drive App now displays a toast saying **Exemptions: None Available** if a driver does not have any available exemptions. Previously, a toast would only appear if exemptions were available (such as Personal Conveyance or Yard Move).

Updates to banner messages during Asset Inspection

When performing a new Asset Inspection, a banner is displayed (screenshot below) if a critical defect was identified in the previous certified inspection. This message is now no longer displayed if the identified critical defect has already been repaired. Note that the banner is still displayed when viewing the previous inspection in Inspection Mode.



Removed legacy messaging UI

As of this release, we are no longer supporting the Drive App's older messaging UI, previously supported by the LEGACY_TEXTMESSAGING custom code. Learn more about our updated messaging features in this [blog post](#).

Updates to Clock-in/Clock-out Feature

The Clock-in/Clock-out feature, previously only available in Feature Preview, is now added fully into the Drive App.

Updates to rulesets

Following the US regulation changes where On Duty time can be counted as Rest Break time, the following rulesets have been updated to behave as such:

- Oregon 70-hour/7-day
- Oregon 80-hour/8-day
- Nebraska 70-hour/7-day
- Nebraska 80-hour/8-day

In addition, two new rulesets have been added:

- California Property Short-haul
- California Property Short-haul with Rest Requirements

Improved Drive App accessibility

As per the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines, we have made changes to the Drive App user interface to make it more accessible for our Customers. This involves darkening text and buttons, along with other minor changes.

Improved ruleset selection in Drive App

Due to the ever-increasing amount of supported rulesets, drivers often must scroll through a long list to select their ruleset. We have made changes to the ruleset selection UI to improve usability:

- The initial view will only display a driver's three most recently selected rulesets.
- All other rulesets are collapsed in a separate list. Users can press **Show All** to see the full list.
- Split sleeper ruleset will only be displayed if there is a matching Split Sleeper ruleset for the driver's current ruleset.

Split sleeper

USA Property 60-hour/7-day with split sleeper

Recent

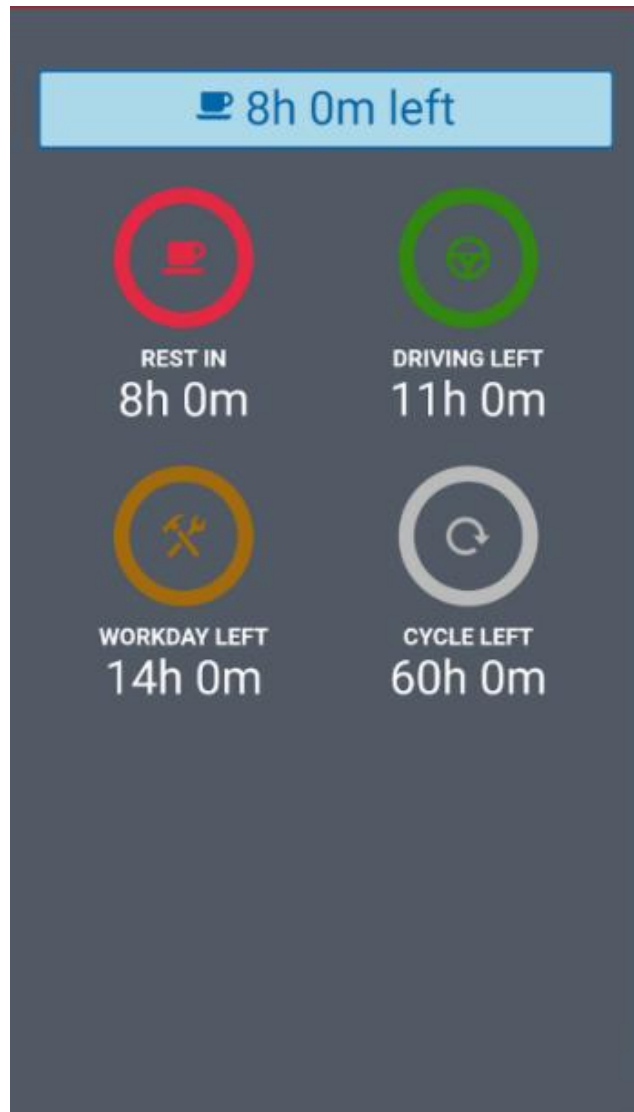
USA Property 60-hour/7-day

USA Property 70-hour/8-day with split sleeper (16-hour exemption)

Other rulesets [Show all](#)

Updates to the lock screen

The lock screen is redesigned to give it a more modern look.



SDK and Add-in updates

Updates to the DriverRegulation Object

The new `currentDutyStatus` property added to the `DriverRegulation` object. This allows integrators to easily retrieve a driver's current duty status.

DVIRLogSearch

The new `DVIRLogType` property has been created as a search property under `DVIRLogSearch`. This allows integrators to search for an asset inspection based on whether it is a pre-trip, post-trip, or in-trip inspection.

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