

MYOB Exo Employer Services

Australian Edition

2020.03

Release Notes



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Introduction

What's New in this Release?

The 2020.03 release contains updates to tax tables for the 2020–2021 payroll year.

The purpose of this document is to provide essential information on the installation and use of this release:

- The **Installation** section provides an overview of the installation process, including pre-installation requirements and post-installation steps.
- The **New Features** section describes all new features introduced in this release.
- The **Known Issues** section details any issues in this release that have been identified as requiring attention.

Need assistance? If you have any questions or you need assistance with installing this update, please contact your MYOB Accredited Business Partner. Alternatively, the answers to most common installation issues can be found on the MYOB Enterprise Knowledgebase at <http://myobexo.custhelp.com/>.

Installation

Pre-Install Requirements

Requirements for PCs running Exo Employer Services components are detailed in the Minimum System Requirements document, available on the [MYOB website](#).

Installing Exo Employer Services

Information on installing and upgrading MYOB Exo Employer Services is maintained on the MYOB Enterprise Knowledgebase. See the following articles:

- [Upgrading MYOB Exo Employer Services Online](#)
- [Upgrading MYOB Exo Employer Services Manually \(Australia\)](#)
- [How do I run Network.exe?](#)

Note: Check the Known Issues section on page 5 for any known installation issues.

Check the Release

After the installation is complete, the version numbers of all MYOB Exo Employer Services applications should be as follows:

| Application | Version |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| MYOB Exo Employer Services | 2020.03 |
| MYOB Exo Payroll | 2020.03 |
| MYOB Exo Employee Information | 2020.03 |
| MYOB Exo Time and Attendance | 2020.03 |
| Runtime Files | 09.00.0000.7423 |

To check that this release installed successfully, check that the versions displayed on the About window (**Help menu > About**) match the versions listed here.

New Features

Changes to Tax Tables

Changes to personal income tax thresholds announced by the Government during the Federal Budget have been incorporated into the withholding schedules and tax tables and will apply to payments made on and from 13 October 2020.

This release includes the updated PAYG tax tables for the 2020–2021 payroll year. MYOB Exo Payroll automatically applies the new rates and thresholds to pays created after this version is installed.

As the changes to withholding are made part way through the income year, employers have until 16 November 2020 to implement these changes. This means that there is no need to recalculate pays that were processed between 13 October and when this version was installed.

Note: Full information on all tax tables is available on the ATO website at: <https://www.ato.gov.au/Rates/Tax-tables/>.

Security Update

MYOB Exo Employer Services meets the ATO Digital Service Provider Operational Framework's security standards. You can find the list of qualifying payroll products and information about the operational framework at the following link:

<https://softwaredevelopers.ato.gov.au/product-register>

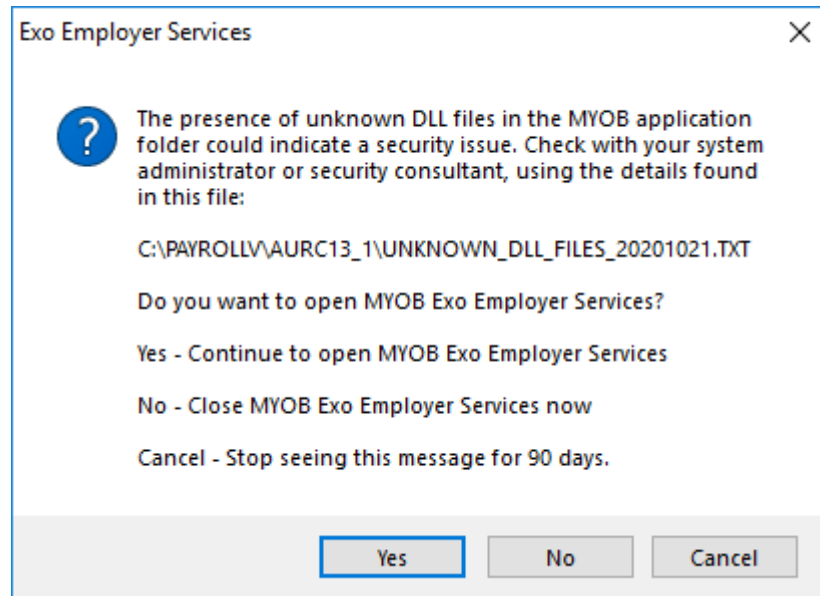
Previous releases of Exo Payroll included security enhancements to passwords, and updated our client communication components to support TLS 1.2. This release introduces the following security enhancements to prevent any DLL hijacking in the Exo Employer Services application folder:

- When Exo Employer Services first starts, it looks for any unknown DLL files in the payroll application folder and reports any found. While this alert could indicate a security issue, it is not necessarily a reason for concern; since the history of Exo Payroll goes back more than 15 years, there could be some DLL files that are not needed anymore.
- When Exo Employer Services first starts, it looks for any DLL files supplied by MYOB that don't have a valid code signature from MYOB.

If you get an alert about DLL files that are unknown or have invalid signatures, ask your IT administrator, security consultant, or MYOB Business Partner for advice. Legitimate files that are required by the current software version will not be picked up by these alerts. Contact your normal support channel if you need more information.

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In both cases, a warning message appears, giving you the option to ignore the warning and continue to open Exo Employer Services, to close Exo Employer Services, or to continue and suppress the warning message for 90 days:



Note: As Exo Payroll is a desktop product, a lot of its security is based on the client environment. We recommend you review the [“Security and Disaster Recovery” white paper](#) and review your processes frequently.

Known Issues

The following Known Issues have been identified in this release.

Error 2066 in a networked environment

The FoxPro error: “2066/Index file [filename].CDX is corrupt. Please rebuild it” can occur persistently on network systems that have a Server 2008 operating system with workstations running Windows Vista, Windows 7 or 2008 Terminal Server; or peer-to-peer networks where the server/workstation is running a Windows Vista or Windows 7 operating system, and one or more other workstations are also using a Windows Vista or Windows 7 operating system.

For information on this issue and suggested workarounds, see the following articles on the MYOB Enterprise Knowledgebase:

- [What to do when getting an Error 2066 message](#)
- [Consistent error 2066 in a networked environment](#)