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204 Load Tender for LTL Pickups

Version: 1.1 X12 Version: 4010 Functional Group SM

This standards document contains the format and establishes the data contents of the Motor Carrier Load Tender Transaction Set (204) for use within the context of submitting a Load Tender and/or a Bill of Lading within an Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) environment to R+L Carriers, Inc.

When used with R+L Carriers, Inc., this transaction set can be used to allow shippers or other interested parties to offer (tender) a shipment to a Less-than-Truckload (LTL) motor carrier including detailed scheduling, shipping, and billing instructions pertinent to a load tender.

Note: The receipt of this file does not guarantee a pickup will be made and is left to the discretion of the terminal dispatcher. All attempts will be made to service the request on the date requested. In the event that a pickup cannot be made, regardless of the reason, the partner will be notified in a manner agreed to upon that will be established during partner setup and testing.

General Guidelines for Submitting EDI Load Tenders:

- ✓ If required fields are missing or are transmitted in an invalid format, the pickup request will be rejected and an EDI 997 document will be created with a Reject status.
- ✓ Weight and number of pieces are required elements for a load tender.
- ✓ Submit pickup requests early in the day for same-day pickups.
- ✓ Ship-to and ship-from addresses must contain a street address. R+L will not pickup from or deliver to a P.O. Box.

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Revision History

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Added Appendix B Sample 204 Documents

EDI 204 Document Elements

Envelope:

<u>ID</u>	Segment Name	Max Use	Repeat	Notes	<u>Usage</u>	
<u>ISA</u>	Interchange Control Header	1			Must Use	
<u>GS</u>	Functional Group Header	1			Must Use	

Header:

	<u>ID</u>	Segment Name	Max Use	<u>Repeat</u>	<u>Notes</u>	<u>Usage</u>
	<u>ST</u>	Transaction Set Header	1			Must use
	<u>B2</u>	Beginning Segment for	1			Must Use
		Shipment Information				
		Transaction				
	<u>B2A</u>	Set Purpose	1			Must use
	<u>L11</u>	Business Instructions and	50			Can Use
		Reference Number				
	<u>G62</u>	Date/Time	1		<u>1/090</u>	Can Use
	<u>MS3</u>	Interline Information	1			Can Use
	<u>AT5</u>	Bill of Lading Handling	6			Can Use
		Requirements				
	<u>PLD</u>	Pallet Information	1			Can Use
	<u>NTE</u>	Note/Special Instruction	10		RLC-01	Can Use
LOOP ID -	<u>0100</u>			1	RLC-02	
	<u>N1</u>	Name	1		<u>1/140</u>	Can Use
	<u>N2</u>	Additional Name Information	1			Can Use
	<u>N3</u>	Address Information	2			Can Use
	<u>N4</u>	Geographic Location	1			Can Use
	<u>L11</u>	Business Instructions and	1			Can Use
		Reference Number				
	<u>G61</u>	Contact	3			Can Use
LOOP ID -	0200			10		
	<u>N7</u>	Equipment Details	1			Can Use

Detail:

<u>ID</u> LOOP ID - 0300	Segment Name	Max Use	Repeat 999	Notes RLC-03	<u>Usage</u>
	01 01 0 1 1	4	333	IKEC-03	NA 1
<u>S5</u>	Stop Off Details	1			Must use
<u>L11</u>	Business Instructions and Reference Number	50			Can Use
<u>G62</u>	Date/Time	2			Can Use
<u>AT8</u>	Shipment Weight, Packaging and Quantity Data	1		2/040 RLC-04	Can Use
<u>LAD</u>	Lading Detail	999		<u>2/050</u> RLC-04	Can Use

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<u>AT5</u>	Bill of Lading Handling	6			Can Use
	Requirements				
<u>PLD</u>	Pallet Information	1			Can Use
<u>NTE</u>	Note/Special Instruction	20		RLC-01	Can Use
LOOP ID - <u>0310</u>			1	RLC-05	
<u>N1</u>	Name	1			Can Use
N2	Additional Name	1			Can Use
	Information				
<u>N3</u>	Address Information	2			Can Use
<u>N4</u>	Geographic Location	1			Can Use
——————————————————————————————————————	Contact	3			Can Use
LOOP ID - <u>0320</u>			99	RLC-06	
<u>L5</u>	Description, Marks, and Numbers	1			Can Use
AT8	Shipment Weight,	1			Can Use
<u>A10</u>	Packaging and Quantity	Į.		<u>2/040</u>	Call Use
	Data			RLC-04	
LOOP ID - <u>0325</u>			99	RLC-07	
<u>G61</u>	Contact	1		<u>2/140</u>	Can Use
<u>LH6</u>	Hazardous Certification	6			Can Use
LOOP ID - 0330			25	RLC-08	
LH1	Hazardous Identification	1			Can Use
	Information				
LH2	Hazardous Classification	4			Can Use
	Information				
<u>LH3</u>	Hazardous Material	10			Can Use
	Shipping Name				
<u>LFH</u>	Freeform Hazardous	20			Can Use
	Material Information				
LOOP ID COTO			000	21172	
LOOP ID - <u>0350</u>			999	<u>2/150</u>	
OID	Order Identification Detail	1			Can Use
LOOP ID - <u>0360</u>			25	<u>2/190</u>	
<u>L5</u>	Description, Marks, and	1			Can Use
A.T.C	Numbers	4			
<u>AT8</u>	Shipment Weight,	1			Can Use
	Packaging and Quantity				
	Data				

Summary:

<u>II</u>	<u>D</u>	Segment Name	Max Use	Repeat	<u>Notes</u>	<u>Usage</u>	
<u>L</u> :	<u>.3</u>	Total Weight and Charges	1			Can Use	
<u>s</u>	<u>E</u>	Transaction Set Trailer	1			Must Use	

Envelope Trailer:

<u>ID</u>	Segment Name	Max Use	Repeat	Notes	<u>Usage</u>
<u>GE</u>	Functional Group Trailer	1			Must use
<u>IEA</u>	Interchange Control Trailer	1			Must use

Notes:

1/090	Segment G62 in header is used to convey the must-respond-by date and time when
1/140	responding to a 204 transaction. Loop 0100 is used to convey name and address detail relative to bill-to, party controlling freight, or other shipment level name and address information. It is not used to convey ship from or ship to detail which should be handled within loop 0300 in table 2.
2/040	Segment AT8 in loop 0300 is intended for the transmitting of total weight, quantity, and volume relative to the specific stop-off. Should weight, quantity, and volume also be sent in segment AT8 in loop 0320 and tied to commodity detail, then the accumulated amounts of weight, quantity, and volume in the AT8 segment in loop 0320 should equal the
2/050	amounts in the single AT8 occurrence in loop 0300. Use LAD segment in loop 0300 for all relative reference numbers. Use LAD segmenteither in loop 0300 or loop 0350, but not both.
2/140	The G61 segment in loop 0325 contains the person or company to be contacted by the carrier in case of a hazmat emergency.
2/150	Use loop 0350 for conveying seller's order/invoice level detail or buyer's purchase order level detail. If not using order level detail, this loop should not be used.
2/190	If sending order level detail within the 0350 loop, then use L5 and AT8 segments in loop 0360 to relay commodity detail. Otherwise, use L5 and AT8 segments within the 0320 loop to relay commodity detail. Use either loop 0320 or loop 0360, but not both.
RLC RLC-01 RLC-02 RLC-03	Segment terminators should be either a tilde (~) or hat (^). Text in the NTE02 element will be displayed to the terminal dispatcher. Loop 0100 is used to convey Bill-To information only. Use Loop 0310 to identify pickup and delivery locations. Loop 0300 is used to specify pickup and drop-off detail information, reference numbers and stop reason.
	At a minimum, two 0300 loops are required: one for the shipper (SH or SF), and one for
RLC-04	the consignee (CN or ST). Total shipment pieces and weight for this stop-off location should be transmitted in either the AT8 segment or LAD segment in the 0300 loop.
RLC-05	Loop 0310 is used to identify the party type, name, contact, and location relative to this stop-off location.
RLC-06	Loop 0320 is used to identify commodity detail line items or hazardous material items in terms of description, pieces and weight, and classification relative to this stop-off location. If used, the accumulated amounts of weight, quantity, and volume in the AT8 segment in loop 0320 should equal the amounts in the single AT8 occurrence in loop 0300.
RLC-07	Loop 0325 is to identify a person or office to whom communications should be directed for a hazmat accident involving this hazardous material shipment.
RLC-08	Loop 0330 is used to specify the hazardous commodity identification and classification reference numbers, shipping name, and any additional information required for this shipment.

Appendix A Loop Description and Usage Sample 204 Documents

ISA Interchange Control Header

Max: 1 Loop: N/A Elements: 16

To start and identify an interchange of zero or more functional groups and interchange-related control segments.

Usage: Must use

Element Summary:

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Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
ISA01	101	Authorization Information Qualifier	ID	2/2	Must use
		Description: Code to identify the type of			
		information in the Authorization Information.			
10.4.00	100	All valid standard codes are used.		40/40	
ISA02	102	Authorization Information	AN	10/10	Must use
		Description: Information used for additional			
		identification or authorization of the			
		interchange sender or the data in the			
		interchange; the type of information is set by			
10 4 0 2	100	the Authorization Information Qualifier (I01).	ID	0/0	M4
ISA03	103	Security Information Qualifier	ID	2/2	Must use
		Description: Code to identify the type of			
		information in the Security Information. All valid standard codes are used.			
ISA04	104	Security Information	A N I	10/10	Mustuss
13AU4	104		AN	10/10	Must use
		Description: This is used for identifying the security information about the interchange			
		sender or the data in the interchange; the			
		type of information is set by the Security			
		Information Qualifier (103).			
ISA05	105	Interchange ID Qualifier	ID	2/2	Must use
10/100	100	Description: Qualifier to designate the	ID.	212	Widst dsc
		system/method of code structure used to			
		designate the sender or receiver ID element			
		being qualified.			
		All valid standard codes are used.			
ISA06	106	Interchange Sender ID	AN	15/15	Must use
		Description: Identification code published by		. 5, . 5	
		the sender for other parties to use as the			
		receiver ID to route data to them; the sender			
		always codes this value in the sender ID			
		element.			
ISA07	105	Interchange ID Qualifier	ID	2/2	Must use
		Description: Qualifier to designate the			
		system/method of code structure used to			
		designate the sender or receiver ID element			
		being qualified.			
		The constant "02" shall always be used			
		when sending to R+L Carriers.			
ISA08	107	Interchange Receiver ID	AN	15/15	Must use
		Description: Identification code published by			
		the receiver of the data; When sending, it is			
		used by the sender as their sending ID, thus			
		other parties sending to them will use this as			
		a receiving ID to route data to them.			
		The value "RNLO" shall always be used			
10/		when sending to R+L Carriers.			
ISA09	108	Interchange Date	DT	6/6	Must use
		Description: Date of the interchange.			

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ISA10	109	Format: YYMMDD Interchange Time Description: Time of the interchange.	ТМ	4/4	Must use
ISA11	I10	Format: HHMM Interchange Control Standards Identifier Description: Code to identify the agency responsible for the control standard used by the message that is enclosed by the interchange header and trailer The constant "U" shall always be used when sending to R+L Carriers.	ID	1/1	Must use
ISA12	I11	Interchange Control Version Number Description: Code specifying the version number of the interchange control segments. The value "00401" shall always be used	ID	5/5	Must use
ISA13	l12	when sending to R+L Carriers. Interchange Control Number Description: A control number assigned by the interchange sender	N0	9/9	Must use
ISA14	I13	Acknowledgment Requested Description: Code sent by the sender to request an interchange acknowledgment (997).	ID	1/1	Must use
ISA15	l14	Usage Indicator Description: Code to indicate whether data enclosed by this interchange envelope is test, production or information. Recognized Codes T Test P Production	ID	1/1	Must use
ISA16	l15	Component Element Separator Description: The component element separator is a delimiter and not a data element; this field provides the delimiter used to separate component data elements within a composite data structure; this value must be different than the data element separator and the segment terminator.		1/1	Must use

GS Functional Group Header

Max: 1 Loop: N/A Elements: 8

Indicates the beginning of a functional group and to provide control information.

Usage: Must use

Element Summary:

Elemen	it Suii	illiary:			
Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
GS01	479	Functional Identifier Code	ID	2/2	Must use
		Description: Code identifying a group of			
		application related transaction sets.			
		The constant "SM" shall always be used			
		when sending to R+L Carriers.			
GS02	142	Application Sender's Code	AN	2/15	Must use
		Description: Code identifying party sending			
		transmission; codes agreed to by trading			
		partners.			
GS03	124	Application Receiver's Code	AN	2/15	Must use
		Description: Code identifying party receiving			
		transmission; codes agreed to by trading			
		partners.			
		The value "RNLO" shall always be used			
		when sending to R+L Carriers.		0.40	
GS04	373	Date	DT	8/8	Must use
		Description: Date expressed as			
		CCYYMMDD.			
		Note: This field is the date the request was sent to R+L Carriers.			
GS05	337	Time	TM	4/8	Must use
0000	337	Description: Time expressed in 24-hour	I IVI	4/0	Widst dse
		clock time as follows: HHMM, or HHMMSS, or			
		HHMMSSD, or HHMMSSDD.			
		Note: This field is the time the request was			
		sent to R+L Carriers.			
GS06	28	Group Control Number	N0	1/9	Must use
		Description: Assigned number originated			
		and maintained by the sender			
GS07	455	Responsible Agency Code	ID	1/2	Must use
		Description: Code identifying the issuer of			
		the standard; this code is used in conjunction			
		with Data Element 480.			
		The constant "X" shall always be used			
		when sending to R+L Carriers.			
GS08	480	Version / Release / Industry Identifier Code	AN	1/12	Must use
		Description: Code indicating the version of			
		the EDI standard being used.			
		The constant "004010" shall always be			
		used when sending to R+L Carriers.			

Semantics:

- 1. GS04 is the group date.
- 2. GS05 is the group time.
- 3. The data interchange control number GS06 in this header must be identical to the same data element in the associated functional group trailer, GE02.

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Comments:

1. A functional group of related transaction sets, within the scope of X12 standards, consists of a collection of similar transaction sets enclosed by a functional group header and a functional group trailer.

ST Transaction Set Header

Max: 1

Loop: N/A Elements: 2

Indicates the start of a transaction set and to assign a control number.

Usage: Must use

Element Summary:

Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	Type	Min/Max	Element Usage
ST01	143	Transaction Set Identifier Code	ID	3/3	Must use
		Description: Code uniquely identifying a Transaction Set			
		All valid standard codes are used.			
ST02	329	Transaction Set Control Number	AN	4/9	Must use
		Description: Identifying control number that			
		must be unique within the transaction set functional group assigned by the originator for			
		a transaction set			

Semantics:

1. The transaction set identifier (ST01) used by the translation routines of the interchange partners to select the appropriate transaction set definition (e.g., 810 selects the Invoice Transaction Set).

Beginning Segment for Shipment Information Transaction

Max: 1 Loop: N/A Elements: 2

To transmit basic data relating to shipment information.

Usage: Must use

Element Summary:

Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
B201	375	Tariff Service Code Description: Code specifying the types of	ID	2/2	Can Use
B202	140	services for rating purposes All valid standard codes are used. Standard Carrier Alpha Code	ID	2/4	Can Use
		Description: Standard Carrier Alpha Code The value "RNLO" shall always be used when sending to R+L Carriers.			
B203	154	Standard Point Location Code Description: Code (Standard Point Location) defined by NMFTA point development group as the official code assigned to a city or point (for ratemaking purposes) within a city	ID	6/9	Can Use
B204	145	Shipment Identification Number Description: Identification number assigned to the shipment by the shipper that uniquely identifies the shipment from origin to ultimate destination and is not subject to modification; (Does not contain blanks or special characters)	AN	1/30	Must Use
B205	188	Weight Unit Code Description: Code specifying the weight unit All valid standard codes are used.	ID	1/1	Can Use
B206	146	Shipment Method of Payment Description: Code identifying payment terms for transportation charges	ID	2/2	Must Use

Recognized Codes
CC Collect
PP Prepaid

Element Usage

Must use

B2A Set Purpose

Max: 1 Loop: N/A Elements: 2

To allow for positive identification of the transaction purpose.

Usage: Must use

Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u> Element Name B2A01

Transaction Set Purpose Code Description: Code identifying purpose of

transaction set.

Recognized Codes

Original (Load Tender) 01 **Cancel Load Tender**

04 **Change Load Tender**

Application Type B2A02 346

Description: Code identifying an application.

ID 2/2 Can Use

Min/Max

2/2

ID

Recognized Codes LT

Load Tender (LTL)

L11 Business Instructions and Reference Number

Max: 50 Loop: N/A Elements: 3

To specify instructions in this business relationship or a reference number. Information included here is global and applies to all drop-off locations contained within this transaction set.

Usage: Used

Eleme	ent S	umm	nary:
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<u>Ref</u>	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
L1101	127	Reference Identification	AN	1/30	Must Use
		Description: Reference information as defined for a particular Transaction Set or as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier.			
L1102	128	Reference Identification Qualifier Description: Code qualifying the Reference Identification.	ID	2/3	Must Use

Recognized Codes			
ВМ	Shipper's Bill of Lading Number		
CN	Carrier's Reference Number (PRO)		
CO	Customer's Order Number		
CR	Customer's Reference Number		
IT	Internal Customer Number		
MB	Master Bill of Lading		
P8	Pickup Reference Number		
PO	Purchase Order Number		
SO	Shipper's Order (Invoice) Number		
ZZ	Mutually Defined		

L1103	352	Description Description: A free-form description to clarify the			
		related data elements and their content	AN	1/80	Can Use

AT5 Bill of Lading Handling Requirements

Max: 6 Loop: N/A Elements: 1

Identifies Bill of Lading handling and service requirements.

Information included here is global and applies to all drop-off locations contained within this transaction set.

Usage: Used

Element Summary:

Ref Id AT501 152 Element Name Special Handling Code

Description: Code specifying special transportation handling instructions.

<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
ID	2/3	Must Use

ID

2/10

Can Use

Recognized Codes

AGG Aggregate Tender Discount

DNF Do Not Freeze

FR Fragile - Handle With Care

IDL Inside Delivery IPU Inside Pickup

NC Notify Consignee Before Delivery

TPS Third Party Service

LD Lift Gate

ZZZ Mutually Defined

HM HAZMAT

AT502 560 Special Services Code

Description: Code identifying the special

service.

Recognized Codes

CC Carrier Unload

CD COD Request

DV Declared Value

ID Inside Delivery
RD Residential Delivery

ZZ Mutually Defined

AT503 153 Special Handling Description

Description: Free-form additional description of special handling instructions to appear on printed bill if special handling code is not adequate.

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NTE Note/Special Instruction

Max: 10

Loop: N/A Elements: 2

To transmit information in a free-form format, if necessary, for comment or special instruction. Information included here is global and applies to all drop-off locations contained within this transaction set.

Usage: Used

Element Summary:

Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
NTE01	363	Note Peference Code	ID	3/3	Can Hea

Description: Code identifying the functional area

or purpose for which the note applies.

Recognized Codes
GEN Entire Transaction Set
ZZZ Entire Transaction Set

NTE02 352 **Description** AN 1/80 Must use

Description: A free-form description to clarify the

related data elements and their content

Comments:

1. The NTE segment permits free-form information/data which, under ANSI X12 standard implementations, is not machine processable. The use of the NTE segment should therefore be avoided, if at all possible, in an automated environment.

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Loop 0300

Repeat: 999

Loop: 0300 Elements: N/A

To specify pickup and drop-off detail information, reference numbers and stop reason.

At a minimum, two 0300 loops are required: one for the shipper (SH/SF), and one for the consignee (CN/ST).

Usage: Required

Loop Summary:

<u>Pos</u> 010	<u>ld</u> S5	Segment Name	Max Use	Repeat	Element Usage
010	S 5	Stop Off Details	1		Must use
020	L11	Business Instructions and Reference Number	50		Can Use
030	G62	Date/Time	2		Must use
040	AT8	Shipment Weight, Packaging and Quantity Data	1		Must use
050	LAD	Lading Detail	999		Can Use
060	AT5	Bill of Lading Handling Requirements	6		Can Use
063	PLD	Pallet Information	1		Can Use
065	NTE	Note/Special Instructions	20		Can Use
070		Loop 0310		1	Can Use
130		Loop 0320		99	Can Use
150		Loop 0350		999	Can Use
210		Loop 0360		99	Can Use

Stop Off Details

Max: 1

Loop: 0300 Elements: 8

To specify pickup and stop-off detail reference numbers and stop reason.

Usage: Must use

Elemer Ref S501	nt Sum <u>Id</u> 165	Element Name Stop Sequence Number Description: Identifying number for the specific stop and the sequence in which the	Type N0	Min/Max 1/3	Element Usage Must use
S502	163	stop is to be performed. Stop Reason Code Description: Code specifying the reason for the stop.	ID	2/2	Must use
		Recognized Codes CL Complete Load CU Complete Unload PU Part Unload LD Load			
S503	81	Weight Description: Numeric value of weight.	R	1/10	Can Use
S504	188	Weight Unit Code Description: Code specifying the weight unit.	ID	1/1	Can Use
		Recognized Codes E Metric Ton K Kilograms L Pounds S Short Ton T Long Ton			
S505	382	Number of Units Shipped Description: Numeric value of units shipped in manufacturer's shipping units for a line item or	R	1/10	Can Use
S506	355	transaction set. Unit or Basis for Measurement Code Description: Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in which a measurement has been taken.	ID	2/2	Can Use

Recogn	nized Codes
09	Tire
5B	Batch
B8	Board
BB	Base Box
BD	Bundle
BR	Barrel
BX	BOX
CA	CASE
CH	Container
CL	Cylinder
CH	Container
CT	Carton
DR	DRUM
DZ	DOZEN
FT	FOOT
PC	PIECE
PF	PALLET
PP	PLATE
QC	CHANNEL
SH	SHEET
SV	SKID
SY	SQUARE YARD
TB	TUBE
TC	TRUCKLOAD
X2	BUNCH
Z2	CHEST
ZZ	Mutually Defined

			R	1/8	Can Use
S507	183	Volume			
		Description: Value of volumetric measure.			
S508	184	Volume Unit Qualifier	ID	1/1	Can Use
		Description: Code identifying the volume unit.			

Syntax:

1. P0304 - If either of S503, S504 is used, then both are required.
2. P0506 - If either of S505, S506 is used, then both are required.

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1. is used, then both are required.

Max: 50
Loop: 0300 Elements: 3

G62 Date/Time

Max: 2 Loop: 0300 Elements: 5

To specify pertinent dates and times as related to this stop-off location.

Usage: Must Use

Element Summary:

Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
G6201	432	Date Qualifier Description: Code specifying type of date.	ID	2/2	Must Use
		Recognized Codes EP EARLIEST Pickup DateBefore Date LP Latest Pickup Date			
G6202	373	Date Description: Date oversead as COVAMADD	DT	8/8	Must Use
G6203	176	Description: Date expressed as CCYYMMDD Time Qualifier Description: Code specifying the reported time.	ID	1/2	Can Use
		Recognized Codes I Earliest Requested Pickup Time K Latest Requested Pickup Time			
G6204	337	Time Description: Time expressed in 24-hour clock time as follows: HHMM, or HHMMSS, or HHMMSSD, or HHMMSSDD.	ТМ	4/8	Can Use
G6205	623	Time Code Description: Code identifying the time.	ID	2/2	Can Use
		Recognized Codes LT Local Time			

Syntax:

1. R0103 - At least one of G6201, G6203 is required.

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- 2. P0102 If either of G6201, G6202 is used, then both are required. 3. P0304 If either of G6203, G6204 is used, then both are required.

Elements: 4

Max: 1 Loop: 0310

N1 Name

To identify a party by type of organization, name, and code.

Usage: Must Use

Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u> N101	<u>Id</u> 98	Element Name Entity Identifier Code Description: Code identifying an organizational entity, a physical location, property or an individual Recognized Codes CN Consignee SH Shipper	<u>Type</u> ID	<u>Min/Max</u> 2/3	Element Usage Must use
N102	93	Name Description: Free-form name	AN	1/60	Must Use
N103	66	Identification Code Qualifier Description: Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code.	ID	1/2	Must Use
N104	98	Identification Code Description: Code identifying a party or other code.	AN	2/80	Must Use

Syntax:

- 1. R0203 At least one of N102, N103 is required.
- 2 P0304 If either of N103, N104 is used, then both are required.

Comments:

1. This segment, used alone, provides the most efficient method of providing organizational identification.

N2 Additional Name Information

Max: 1

Loop: 0310 Elements: 2

To specify additional names or those longer than 35 characters in length.

Usage: Used

Element Summary:

<u>Ref</u>	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
N201	93	Name	AN	1/60	Must use
		Description: Free-form name			
N202	93	Name	AN	1/60	Can Use
		Description: Free-form name			

N3 Address Information

Max: 2 Loop: 0310 Elements: 2

To specify the street address location of the named party.

Usage: Used

Element Summary:

Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
N301	166	Address Information	AN	1/55	Must use
		Description: Address information			
N302	166	Address Information	AN	1/55	Can Use
		Description: Address information			

N4 Geographic Location

Max: 1 Loop: 0310 Elements: 6

To specify the geographic location of the named party.

Usage: Must Use

Element Summary:

Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	Element Usage
N401	19	City Name	AN	2/30	Must Use
		Description: Free-form text for city name.			
N402	156	State or Province Code	ID	2/2	Must Use
		Description: Code (Standard State/Province)			
		as defined by appropriate government			
N403	116	agency. Postal Code	ID	3/15	Must Use
11403	110	Description: Code defining international	ID	3/13	Must Ose
		postal zone code excluding punctuation and			
		blanks (zip code for United States).			
N405	309	Location Qualifier	ID	1/2	Can Use
		Description: Code identifying type of			
		location.			
N406	310	Location Identifier	AN	1/30	Can Use
		Description: Code that identifies a specific			
		location.			

Comments:

1. N402 is required if city name (N401) is in the U.S. or Canada.

G61 Contact

Max: 3 Loop: 0310 Elements: 5

To identify a person or office to whom communications should be directed for this stop-off location.

Usage: Must Use

Element Summary:

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<u>Ref</u> G6101	<u>ld</u> 366	Element Name Contact Function Code Description: Code identifying the major duty or responsibility of the person or group named	<u>Type</u> ID	<u>Min/Max</u> 2/2	Element Usage Must use
		Recognized Codes DC Delivery Contact SH Shipper Contact			
G6102	93	Name Description: Free-form name.	AN	1/60	Must use
G6103	365	Communication Number Qualifier Description: Code identifying the type of communication number.	ID	2/2	Must use
		Recognized Codes TE Telephone EM Email			
G6104	364	Communication Number Description: Complete communications number including country or area code when applicable.	AN	1/80	Must use
G6105	443	Contact Inquiry Reference Description: Additional reference number or description to clarify a contact number.	AN	1/20	Can Use

Comments:

1. G6103 qualifies G6104.

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SE Transaction Set Trailer

Max: 1 Loop: N/A Elements: 2

Usage: Must use

To indicate the end of the transaction set and provide the count of the transmitted segments (including the beginning (ST) and ending (SE) segments).

Element Summary:

Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	<u>Usage</u>
SE01	96	Number of Included Segments Description: Total number of segments included in a transaction set including ST and SE segments	N0	1/10	Must use
SE02	329	Transaction Set Control Number Description: Identifying control number that must be unique within the transaction set functional group assigned by the originator for a transaction set	AN	4/9	Must use

Comments:

1. SE is the last segment of each transaction set.

GE Functional Group Trailer

Max: 1 Loop: N/A Elements: 2

Usage: Must use

To indicate the end of a functional group and to provide control information.

Element Summary:

Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	<u>Type</u>	Min/Max	<u>Usage</u>
GE01	97	Number of Transaction Sets Included	N0	1/6	Must use
		Description: Total number of transaction			
		sets included in the functional group or			
		interchange (transmission) group terminated			
		by the trailer containing this data element			
GE02	28	Group Control Number	N0	1/9	Must use
		Description: Assigned number originated			
		and maintained by the sender			

Semantics:

1. The data interchange control number GE02 in this trailer must be identical to the same data element in the associated functional group header, GS06.

Comments:

1. The use of identical data interchange control numbers in the associated functional group header and trailer is designed to maximize functional group integrity. The control number is the same as that used in the corresponding header.

IEA Inter

Interchange Control Trailer

Max: 1 Loop: N/A Elements: 2

Usage: Must use

To define the end of an interchange of zero or more functional groups and interchange-related control segments.

Element Summary:

Ref	<u>ld</u>	Element Name	Req	Type	Min/Max	<u>Usage</u>
IEA01	I16	Number of Included Functional Groups Description: A count of the number of functional groups included in an interchange	M	N0	1/5	Must use
IEA02	I12	Interchange Control Number Description: A control number assigned by the interchange sender	M	N0	9/9	Must use

Appendix B: Sample 204 Documents

Example #1 - Simple Load Tender

Receiving Carrier SCAC	RNLO						
Purpose	urpose Original Load Tender						
Unique shipment ID	ue shipment ID TEST062705-D						
Payment Method	thod Collect						
Requested Pickup Date & Time	e 06/27/2005 @ 08:00						
Number of Pieces	1						
Weight	1000 lbs						
Comments	A pickup appointment is required						
Bill To Address	Johnsons Widgets 71 Ohio Ave., Sturtevant, W	/I. 53177					
Pickup Address	Johnsons Widgets 123 Main St., Wilmington, C	Dh. 45177. Customer Identifier: ABC123					
Special Note	Call shipping contact for appointment						
Shipping Contact	Joe Smith 555.123.4321						
Delivery Address	Acme Corp 1030 W 1 st St., Ste 200 Chicago, II.	60622. Customer Identifier: 150486					
Requested Delivery Date & Time	06/27/2005						
Header		Shipment ID (unique)					
ST*204*0001~							
B2** RNLO ** TEST062705-D ** CC ~							
B2A* 00 ~		Purpose Code					
G62*64*20050711*1*0712*CD~							
NTE*GEN*A PICKUP APPOINTMENT 1	S REQUIRED~						
0300 Loop		The first 0300 Loop contains loading					
S5*1*CL~		details.					
G62*10* 20050627 *Y* 0800 *CD~							
		ATO contains total number of nices and					
		AT8 contains total number of pieces and weight for this location.					
0310 Loop		weight for this location.					
N1*SH*JOHNSONS WIDGETS*ZZ*ABC	L23~						
N3* 123 MAIN ST ~ N4* WILMINGTON*OH*45177 *USA~		A Shipping contact (G61) is required.					
G61*SH*Joe Smith*TE*555-123-43	321						
0300 Loop		Subsequent 0300 Loops are for drop-off					
S5*2* CU ~		location details.					
G62*68*20050627*Z*1200*CD~							
0310 Loop	0310 Loop						
N1*ST*ACME CORP*ZZ*150486~							
N3*1030 W 1ST ST*STE 200~							
N4*CHICAGO*IL*60622*USA~ Trailer							
SE*24*0001~							
CE+30+0001.							
SE*38*0001~							