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### **1** Business Domain View

### **1.1** Introduction

#### **Message Definition**

Claims Notification is a message sent by the buyer to the seller or vice versa for negotiating the resolution of claims.

#### **Principles**

Claims Notification t may be used to:

- communicate claims related to discrepancies that are first captured in the Advanced Remittance Notification,
- communicate any other type of claim related to the specific shipment covered by the Advanced Remittance Notification, or any other additional type of claim made by either party.

### **1.2** References

Reference Number	Reference Name
[ref1]	Order
[ref2]	Despatch Advice
[ref3]	Reconciliation for Request for Payment
[ref4]	Advanced Ship Notice
[ref5]	Claims Debit Credit Advice
[ref6]	Receiving advice
[ref7]	Settlement
[ref8]	eCom domain common Library 3.4
[ref9]	Shared Common Library 3.4

### **2** Business Context

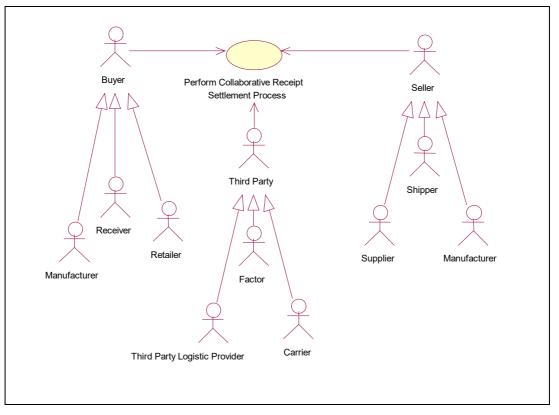
Context Category	Value(s)
Industry	All
Geopolitical	All
Product	All
Process	Рау
System Capabilities	GS1 System
Official Constraints	None



### **3 Business Transaction View**

### 3.1 Business Process – Perform Collaborative Receipt Settlement

#### **Use Case Diagram**



#### **Use Case Description**

Use Case ID	UC-1				
Use Case Name	Perform Collaborative Receipt Settlement				
Use Case Description	Collaborative Receipt Settlement				
Actors (Goal)	<ul> <li>Buyer (Retailer): The retailer is the party that orders, receives goods and makes payment for goods. The retailer is also the buyer in the GS1 Trade of Goods and Services Model. Within the Global Data Synchronization Network the retailer may be identified with the role of data recipient.</li> <li>Seller (Supplier): The supplier is the party that receives orders, delivers goods and receives payment for goods. The supplier is also the seller in the EAN.UCC Trade of Goods and Services Model. Within the Global Data Synchronization Network the supplier may be identified with the role of data receives orders, delivers goods and receives payment for goods. The supplier is also the seller in the EAN.UCC Trade of Goods and Services Model. Within the Global Data Synchronization Network the supplier may be identified with the role of data source.</li> <li>Third Party (Factor): The factor is a financial institution that represents the supplier in matters related to receipt of payment and adjustments to payment. The factor is a financial institution that represents the supplier is matters related to receipt of payment and adjustments to payment. The factor is a financial institution that represents the supplier is matters related to receipt of payment and adjustments to payment.</li> </ul>				
Performance Goals	also a third party in the GS1 Trade of Goods and Services Model. To perform and execute the Collaborative Receipt Settlement process.				
Preconditions Master Data alignment and item, party and price synchronization					
Post conditions Buyer submits the final remittance to the seller or the third party.					



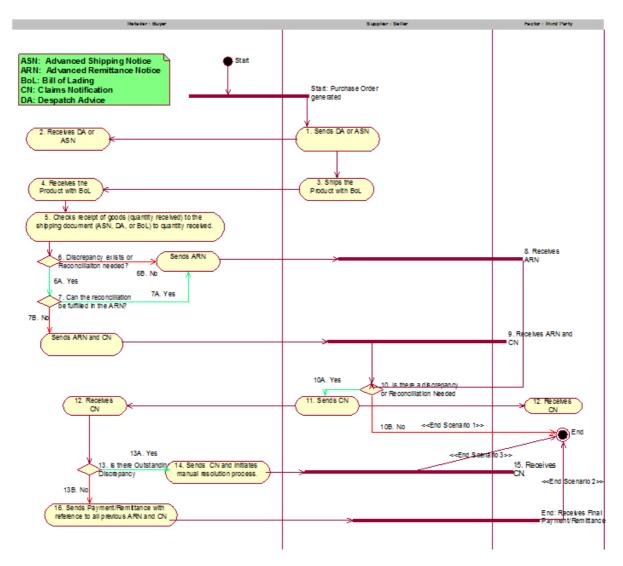


Scenario	-	when purch es with	nase order is generated either by the buyer or seller.
	Step #	Actor	Activity Step
	1	Seller	Sends Despatch Advice (DA) or Advanced Ship Notice (ASN) to the Buyer
	2	Buyer	Receives the DA or ASN
	3	Seller	Ships the product with the Bill of Lading (BoL)
	4	Buyer	Receives the product with BoL
	5	Buyer	Checks receipt of goods (quantity received) to the shipping document (ASN, DA, and/or BoL) to quantity received.
	6	Buyer	Analyse if there are any discrepancies or if reconciliation is needed.
	6A	Buyer	If discrepancy or reconciliation is needed, proceed to step 7
	6B	Buyer	If there is no discrepancy or reconciliation needed, Sends AF proceed to step 8
	7	Buyer	Analyse if the reconciliation can be fulfilled in the ARN.
	7A	Buyer	If reconciliation can be fulfilled in ARN, Send ARN proceed to step 8
	7B	Buyer	If reconciliation cannot be fulfilled in the ARN, then Buyer sends ARN and CN and proceed to step 9.
	8	Seller/ Third Party	Receives ARN
	9	Seller/ Third Party	Receives ARN & CN.
	10	Seller	Analyse if there are any discrepancies or if reconciliation is needed
	10A	Seller	If discrepancy or reconciliation is needed, proceed to step 11
	<i>10B</i>	Seller	If there is no discrepancy or reconciliation needed, proceed t End Scenario 1.
	11	Seller	Sends CN
	12	Buyer / Third Party	Receives CN
	13	Buyer	Analyse if there are any outstanding discrepancies
	13A	Buyer	If there are outstanding discrepancies, proceed to step 14
	13B	Buyer	If there is no outstanding discrepancy, proceed to step 16
	14	Buyer	Sends CN and initiates manual resolution process.
	15	Seller / Third Party	Receives CN, and collaborates with Buyer to reach manual resolution on claim. End Scenario 3.
	16	Buyer	Sends Payment/Remittance with reference to all previous AR and CN



Alternative Scenario	The three ending scenarios are listed above in step 10B, 15, and Ends.
Related Requirements	No related requirement
Related Rules	No related rules.

#### Activity Diagram(s)



Sequence Diagram(s)

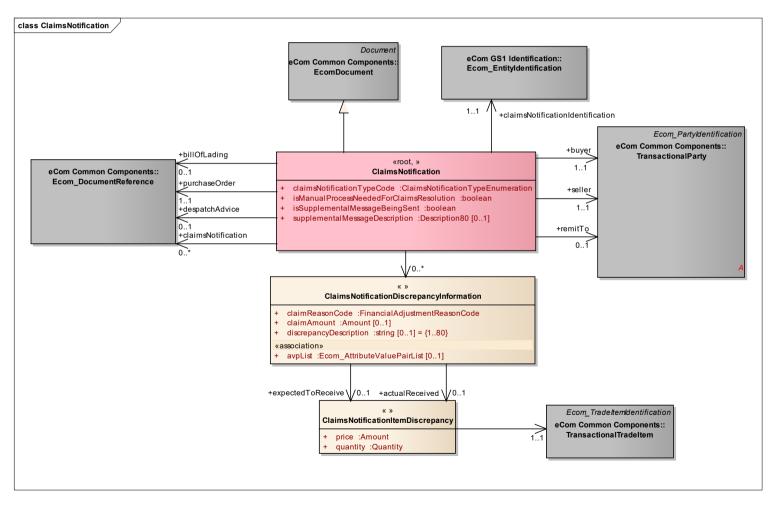
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#### 4.1 Claims Notification

#### **Class diagram**

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#### **GDD Report**

The content of the ClaimsNotification class, its structure and component definitions can be accessed in the Global Data Dictionary: <a href="http://apps.gs1.org/GDD/bms/Version3-4/Pages/bieDetails.aspx?semanticURN=urn:gs1:gdd:bie:ClaimsNotificationDiscrepancyInformation">http://apps.gs1.org/GDD/bms/Version3-4/Pages/bieDetails.aspx?semanticURN=urn:gs1:gdd:bie:ClaimsNotificationDiscrepancyInformation</a>

Content	Attribute / Role	Datatype /Secondary class	Multiplicity	Definition	Requirements
ClaimsNotification				Claims Notification is a message sent by the buyer to the seller or vice versa for negotiating the resolution of claims.	
Association	billOfLading	Ecom_DocumentRefe rence	01	A unique number that identifies the Bill of Lading to be used to synchronize / correlate to each trading partner's respective accounts receivable and accounts payable files.	
Association		ClaimsNotificationDis crepancyInformation	0*	Provides the discrepancy involved in the claims notification. If claims notification is an original or dispute then Discrepancy Information is mandatory.	
Association	claimsNotification	Ecom_DocumentRefe rence	0*	A unique number identifying the Referenced Claims Notification to synchronize / correlate to each trading partner's accounts receivable and accounts payable. It is essential to provide the previous Claims Notification Identification when available for Dispute or Refused.	
Association	seller	TransactionalParty	11	Selling agent Contact Information which includes address, email, phone, web address, etc.	renamed from sellingAgent, made mandatory
Association	despatchAdvice	Ecom_DocumentRefe rence	01	A unique number identifying the ship notice (Advanced Shipping Notice or Despatch Advice) to synchronize / correlate to each trading partner's accounts receivable and accounts payable.	renamed from shipNoticeIdentifica tion
Association	claimsNotificationIdenti fication	Ecom_EntityIdentific ation	11	Provides the unique identification for the Claims Notification.	
Generalization		EcomDocument		Basic information about the content of the message including version number, creation date and time.	
Association	purchaseOrder	Ecom_DocumentRefe rence	11	A unique number identifying the purchase order number to be used to synchronize / correlate to each trading partner's respective accounts receivable and accounts payable files.	



Content	Attribute / Role	Datatype /Secondary class	Multiplicity	Definition	Requirements
Association	remitTo	TransactionalParty	01	The party (account owner) that receives a payment when such party is not the same as the seller.	
Association	buyer	TransactionalParty	11	Buying agent contact information which includes address, email, phone, web address, etc.	renamed from buyingAgent, made mandatory
Attribute	claimsNotificationTypeC ode	ClaimsNotificationTy peEnumeration	11	Code specifying the type of claims notification, such as NEW or DISPUTE.	
Attribute	isManualProcessNeeded ForClaimsResolution	boolean	11	A flag to indicate if manual processes are needed to reach claims resolution.	
Attribute	isSupplementalMessag eBeingSent	boolean	11	A flag to indicate if there were any supplemental document(s), or message(s) sent with the Claims Notification. An example of a supplemental document is a Proof of Delivery.	
Attribute	supplementalMessageD escription	Description80	01	Provides which supplemental document, or message was sent with the Claims Notification. An example of a supplemental document is a Proof of Delivery.	

#### **GDD Report**

The content of the ClaimsNotificationDiscrepancyInformation class, its structure and component definitions can be accessed in the Global Data Dictionary:

http://apps.gs1.org/GDD/bms/Version3\_4/Pages/bieDetails.aspx?semanticURN=urn:gs1:gdd:bie:ClaimsNotificationDiscrepancyInformation

Content	Attribute / Role	Datatype /Secondary class	Multiplicit y	Definition	Requirements
ClaimsNotificationDi screpancyInformati on				Provides the discrepancy information in the claims notification.	
Association	actualReceived	ClaimsNotificationItem Discrepancy	01	Provides the actual received quantity or item to calculate the discrepancy.	
Association	expectedToReceive	ClaimsNotificationItem Discrepancy	01	Provides the expected quantity or item to calculate the discrepancy.	



Content	Attribute / Role	Datatype /Secondary class	Multiplicit y	Definition	Requirements
Attribute	claimReasonCode	FinancialAdjustmentRe asonCode	11	Provides the type of claim being made.	renamed from nonItemDiscrepancy type, also replaces removed attribute reasonForNonPayment
Attribute	claimAmount	Amount	01	Provides the amount, which is in discrepancy.	renamed from Amount
Attribute	discrepancyDescription	string	01	Provides the discrepancy description for the discrepancy. This is in addition to the claimReasonCode.	
Attribute	avpList	Ecom_AttributeValueP airList	01	Temporary attributes introduced between minor versions.	

#### **GDD Report**

The content of the ClaimsNotificationItemDiscrepancy class, its structure and component definitions can be accessed in the Global Data Dictionary: <a href="http://apps.gs1.org/GDD/bms/Version3\_4/Pages/bieDetails.aspx?semanticURN=urn:gs1:gdd:bie:ClaimsNotificationItemDiscrepancy">http://apps.gs1.org/GDD/bms/Version3\_4/Pages/bieDetails.aspx?semanticURN=urn:gs1:gdd:bie:ClaimsNotificationItemDiscrepancy</a>

Content	Attribute / Role	Datatype /Secondary class	Multiplicit y	Definition	Requirements
ClaimsNotificationIt emDiscrepancy				renamed from PriceQuantityItemInformation	
Association		TransactionalTradeIte m	11	Provides the trade item identification.	
Attribute	price	Amount	11	Provides the price of the item with it's associated currency.	
Attribute	quantity	Quantity	11	Provides the number of items with an optional unit of measure.	

**Note:** Reference Shared Common Library Business Message (BMS) Release 3.4 and eCom Domain Common Library Business Message (BMS) Release 3.4 for all common information.



### 4.2 Enumerations (message specific)

### 4.2.1 ClaimsNotificationTypeEnumeration

CodeValue	Description	
DISPUTE	The claims notification is a dispute.	
NEW_ORIGINAL The claims notification is new.		
REFUSED	The claims notification is refused and is the beginning of the manual resolution process.	

### 4.3 Code Lists

Class	Codelist	GDD Link
ClaimsNotificationDiscrep	FinancialAdjustment	http://apps.gs1.org/GDD/Pages/clDetails.aspx?semanticURN=urn:gs
ancyInformation	ReasonCode	1:gdd:cl:FinancialAdjustmentReasonCode



Note: Refer to the Global Data Dictionary (GDD) for the code values.



### 5 Business Message Examples

### 5.1 Example 1

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This is an example of a Claims Notification message. The message is sent on April 13<sup>th</sup> 2011 at 11 AM. The message is identified with the unique identification number CN238745.

#### **Party Information**

GS1 Global Location Number	Party Type
5412345000013	Buyer
4098765000010	Seller

The message is sent by the Buyer (GLN 5412345000013) to Seller (GLN 4098765000010.

#### Message Example

Attribute	Value
ClaimsNotification	
creationDateTime	2011-04-13 11:00
documentStatusCode	ORIGINAL
claimsNotificationTypeCode	NEW_ORIGINAL
isManualProcessNeededForClaimsResolution	False
isSupplementalMessageBeingSent	True
supplementalMessageDescription	Proof of Delivery
EntityIdentification (+claimsNotificationIdentification)	
entityIdentification	CN238745
TransactionalParty (+contentOwner)	
gln	5412345000013
DocumentReference (+purchaseOrder)	
entityIdentification	PO3352
creationDateTime	2011-03-11 11:00
DocumentReference (+despatchAdvice)	
entityIdentification	DA349875
creationDateTime	2011-04-10 10:00
TransactionalParty (+seller)	
gln	1234567890128
Contact	
personName	John Penguin
TransactionalParty (+buyer)	
gln	5412345000013
Contact	
personName	Sara Espanol
ClaimsNotificationDiscrepancyInformation	
claimReasonCode	57
ClaimsNotificationItemDiscrepancy (+expectedToReceive)	



Attribute	Value
price	480 EUR
quantity	48 EA
TransactionalTradeItem	
gtin	40987650000223
ClaimsNotificationItemDiscrepancy (+actualReceived)	
price	380 EUR
quantity	38 EA
TransactionalTradeItem	
gtin	40987650000223

### **6** Implementation Considerations

### 6.1 User Guide

The Functional User Guide contains more information about the structure and content of the Claims Notification message: <u>http://www.gs1.org/docs/ecom/xml/3/3.4/eCom-</u> <u>Trade\_messages.html#ClaimsNotification</u>

### 6.2 Message Specific Considerations

Not Applicable



### 7 Summary of Changes

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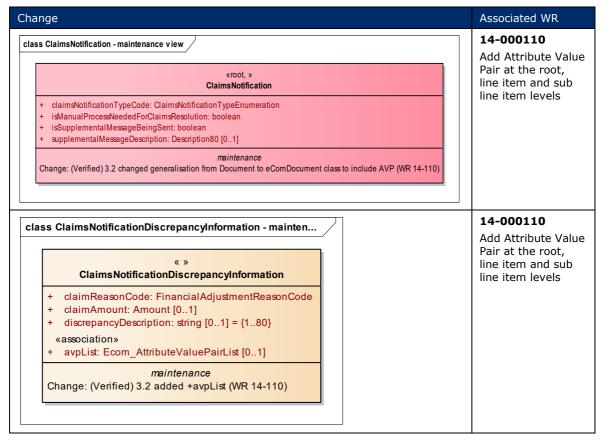
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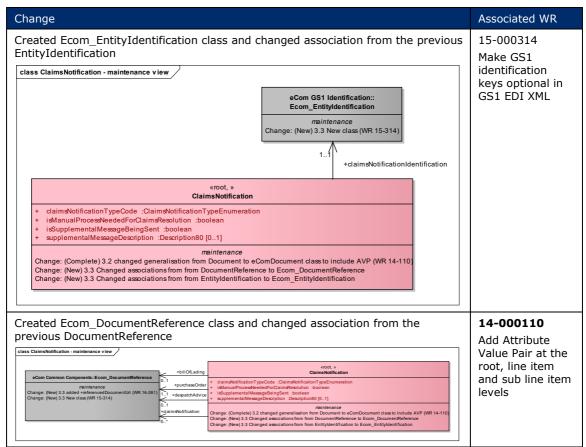
### 7.2 BMS Release 3.1

No work requests. Indirect changes due to upgrade to new Shared and eCom Common libraries.

### 7.3 BMS Release 3.2



#### 7.4 BMS Release 3.3



#### 7.5 BMS Release 3.4

No work requests. Indirect changes due to upgrade to new Shared and eCom Common libraries.

#### 7.6 BMS Release 3.4.1

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