Data Update Release Notes - August 2015





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General Information

PC*MILER|Tolls* is driven by the same technology and map dataset as ALK's industry-standard PC*MILER routing, mileage and mapping software. When generating routes, truck-specific toll costs are included in route calculations. Accessing the PC*MILER toll database allows users to calculate and refine a route's reported toll costs, factoring in:

- Vehicle weight (for less than 9,000 lbs. and up to 132,000 lbs.)
- Vehicle axle count (for 2-14 axles)
- Vehicle type (heavy vehicle, medium duty vehicle, light vehicle, and automobile, based on the selected vehicle dimensions)
- Trailer count (single or multiple trailer)
- Transaction type (cash or discount program)
- Time of day travel (specify a current or future date and/or time of day)
- Currency (specify either USD or CAD, a convenient current converter is also provided)

Depending on the dimensions and toll reporting options selected, the toll cost reported by PC*MILER will adjust accordingly.

*Applicable license required.

Downloading and Installing Updates and Patches

PC*MILER is equipped with a web-based update tool to facilitate the download and installation of software patches and data updates. To access this feature, open PC*MILER and select the Help tab > Check for Updates and follow the instructions on the screen. This feature requires an Internet connection. The updates available depend on your license type*.

*If a PC*MILER product was purchased along with ALK's Annual Support & Update Program (an AUP license purchase), customers are entitled to use PC*MILER during the term of their agreement as well as to receive data updates when and if available. Otherwise, PC*MILER is purchased as a Perpetual license. For more information on upgrading a Perpetual license to an AUP license, please contact a PC*MILER Account Executive at 800-377-6453 ext. 1 or email sales@alk.com.

Provided you have an Internet connection, follow the steps below to install the available updates:

- Close all open instances of PC*MILER and its connectivity products. If a third-party program that accesses any PC*MILER component is running, (for example, PC*MILER|Connect or PC*MILER|Mapping) it must be closed before updating.
- Open PC*MILER and select the Help tab > Windows group > Check for Updates. The PC*MILER Updater dialog will open. The Updater first checks for valid license information and then begins checking for available updates.

- When the search for updates is complete you will see all available updates listed. In the Download & Install drop-down menu next to each available update, select either *Download & Install* to download and install right away, or *Download* to download now and install at a later time.
- **4.** Note the version number of the updates you will be downloading so you can check if the update installed properly (see Step 7 below).
- 5. Selecting either option will begin the download process. You will see the progress of the download reflected in a progress bar. If any PC*MILER-related application is open, you will be prompted to close it. After closing the application(s), click OK to continue with the download.
- 6. If you chose *Download and Install*, the InstallShield Wizard will open when the download is finished. Follow the instructions to complete the installation. After installing, you will see the update listed under "Installed Updates" in the Updater window.

If you chose *Download*, when the download is finished the button to the right will now say "Install". You can complete the installation as described above at any time in the future by opening the Updater window and clicking **Install**.

 As a last step, check to make sure the update installed properly. Select the Help tab > About group > About... and look for the Software Version number under "This Product is Licensed To". It should match what you downloaded.



General Information:

Product:	PC*MILER Tolls 28
Release:	August 2015 Toll Data Release
Date Released:	August 5, 2015

Release Details:

Updates to ALK's North American Toll Data ensure that the most recent toll costs published by tolling authorities are reported in route calculations. This toll data release includes the toll rate changes listed in the table below.

Please note it is suggested to update to the most recent version of PC*MILER|Tolls (Version 29) to have access to all the latest toll updates, as some newer toll roads/rates are only included in the newer highway network. Please contact a PC*MILER Account Executive at 800-377-6453 ext. 1 or email sales@alk.com to upgrade.

NOTE: The information listed in the table below identifies the rate changes included in the cited releases and indicates when each rate change goes/went into effect. When generating routes, if a specific departure/arrival date/time is chosen, the toll rate that is in effect during that specified time period will be reported. If no departure or arrival date is specified, the time period will be chosen based on the date of the system clock and the most recent rates available for the version.

Jurisdiction	Road Name	Change/Update
BRITISH COLUMBIA	Golden Ears Bridge	Rates increased 7/15/2015
	Foothills-Eastern Toll Road	Rates increased 7/1/2015
CALIFORNIA	Golden Gate Bridge	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	San Joaquin Hills Corridor	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Alligator Alley	Rates increased 7/1/2015
FLORIDA	Beachline Expressway (FDOT Portion)	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Florida's Turnpike	Rates increased 7/1/2015

	Homestead Extension of Florida's	
	Turnpike	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Pinellas Bayway	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Polk Parkway	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Sawgrass Expressway	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Selmon Expressway	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Seminole Expressway	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Southern Connector Extension	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Suncoast Parkway	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Sunshine Skyway Bridge	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Veterans Expressway	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Western Expressway FL 429	Rates increased 7/1/2015
INDIANA	Indiana Toll Road	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Baltimore Harbor Tunnel	EZPass rates decreased 7/1/2015 for only 2-axles
	Fort McHenry Tunnel	EZPass rates decreased 7/1/2015 for only 2-axles
	Francis Scott Key Bridge	EZPass rates decreased 7/1/2015 for only 2-axles
MARYLAND	Harry W. Nice Memorial Bridge	EZPass rates decreased 7/1/2015 for only 2-axles
	Intercounty Connector	EZPass rates decreased 7/1/2015 for all axles
	JFK Memorial Highway	EZPass rates decreased 7/1/2015 for only 2-axles
	Thomas J. Hatem Memorial Bridge	EZPass rates decreased 7/1/2015 for only 2-axles, 3-axles, and 4-axles
	William Preston Lane Jr., Memorial Bridge	Rates decreased 7/1/2015 for all axles
MICHIGAN	Ambassador Bridge	Rates increased 5/1/2015 from Windsor to Detroit
QUEBEC	A25	Rates increased 6/1/2015
	Addison Airport Tunnel	Rates increased 7/1/2015
TEXAS	Dallas North Tollway	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Del Rio-Ciudad Acuna Bridge	Rates increased 7/1/2015
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	Hardy Toll Road	Rates increased 4/12/2015 at Central Greens Rd, Rankin Rd, Tidwell Rd
	Lewisville Lake Toll Bridge	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Mountain Creek Lake Bridge	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	President George Bush Turnpike	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	President George Bush Turnpike - Western Extension SH/ 161	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	Sam Houston Tollway	Converted to EZTag only and rates increased 4/12/2015; changed: Cullen, Monroe, Red Bluff; Converted to EZTag only and no rate change: Clay, Wayside
	Sam Rayburn Tollway	Rates increased 7/1/2015
	State Route 520 Bridge	Rates increased 7/1/2015
WASHINGTON	Tacoma Narrows Bridge	Rates increased 7/1/2015



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