

The other fields in Files #3.7 and #4.3, which previously referred to message numbers, now refer to date, as shown below:

MAILBOX File (#3.7):

| Field Number | Field Before Patch 50 | Field After Patch 50 |
|--------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| 3.7,1.2 | MESSAGE @ REINSTATEMENT | DATE @ REINSTATEMENT |

MAILMAN SITE PARAMETERS File (#4.3):

| Field Number | Field Before Patch 50 | Field After Patch 50 |
|--------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 4.3,4.301 | NO-PURGE MESSAGES BUFFER | NO-PURGE DAYS BUFFER |
| 4.302,3 | FIRST MESSAGE TO PROCESS | START PURGE DATE |
| 4.302,4 | LAST MESSAGE TO PROCESS | STOP PURGE DATE |
| 4.302,8 | LAST MESSAGE PROCESSED | LAST DATE PROCESSED |
| 4.3,4.304 | WEEKDAY MESSAGES TO PURGE | WEEKDAY DAYS TO PURGE |

Combined Surrogate Options—XMSHARE Option

MailMan Patch 50 combined the Assume the Identity of SHARED,MAIL option and the Assume another identity as a surrogate option into the new Become a Surrogate (SHARED,MAIL or Other) option [synonym AML].

Even though these two options have been combined, this is to notify IRM that the XMSHARE option still exists. However, it is not attached to any menu. IRM can still place that option on the XUCOMMAND menu so users don't have to go into MailMan to go into SHARED,MAIL.

Broadcast Messages to a Subset of Users—LIMITED BROADCAST Multiple Field

MailMan Patch XM*7.1*107 provided the capability that allows an authorized user to send a Limited Broadcast message to a *subset* of local users as opposed to *all* users. A subset of local users might include all users who have a certain primary menu, or who belong to a certain division, or any other way that users in the NEW PERSON file (#200) might be categorized.

Users authorized to send Limited Broadcast messages are the Postmaster, any holder of the XMSTAR security key, and any holder of the XMSTAR LIMITED security key.

A new field, LIMITED BROADCAST multiple (#50), was added to the MAILMAN SITE PARAMETERS file (#4.3) that allows IRM to set the number and type of limited broadcasts allowed at a site. The multiple consists of the following fields:

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LIMITED BROADCAST (Multiple-4.32), [5;0]
.01 LIMITED BROADCAST (MF), [0;1]
1   POINTED TO FILE (RNJ9,3), [0;2]
2   NEW PERSON FILE XREF (RF), [0;3]
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The multiple is initially loaded with the following four limited broadcast categories:

| <u>Limited Broadcast</u> | <u>Pointed to File</u> | <u>NEW PERSON File Cross-reference</u> |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| DIVISION | INSTITUTION file (#4) | "AH" |
| KEY | SECURITY KEY file (#19.1) | "AB" |
| PRIMARY MENU | OPTION file (#19) | "AP" |
| SERVICE/SECTION | SERVICE/SECTION file (#49) | "E" |

IRM has the capability of adding additional Limited Broadcast categories to the LIMITED BROADCAST multiple based on alternative categorizations available with users in the NEW PERSON file (#200).



For more information about and an example of sending a broadcast message, please refer to the "Broadcast Messages" topic in the in Chapter 4 in the "MailMan V. 7.1 & Patch 50 User Manual."