

# Your Ovi Publish Checklist

To publish content to Ovi Store as quickly as possible, please review the following checklist. You can avoid many common issues that result in content being rejected by our Quality Assurance process. Always test your content thoroughly. Then submit your content to Ovi Publish as early as you can, to allow for any possible delays.


Nokia provides a Service Level Agreement (SLA) of five business days, from the moment you submit your content to Ovi Publish, to the moment we publish the content in Ovi Store. If your content fails Quality Assurance, however, you must make the necessary fixes and resubmit your content, which resets the SLA timer.


If you would like more detailed guidance on preparing and publishing content, see *Additional resources* on the last page. To contact your Ovi Publish Support team for assistance, email [publishtoovi.support@nokia.com](mailto:publishtoovi.support@nokia.com).


## Content items


- ☒ Adhere to the content guidelines at [https://publish.ovi.com/account/content\\_guidelines](https://publish.ovi.com/account/content_guidelines), which define what is appropriate and prohibited for Ovi Store.
- ☒ Select the correct **Content Type**. If you developed a Symbian application using the Nokia Qt SDK, select **Qt Based Application**, not Symbian application.


New content item – Choose Content Type



Flash application



Java application


Maemo


Qt Based Application


Symbian application


Theme


WRT Widget

- ☒ Have ready a valid **Support email address** and **Support website** for the content. This is mandatory, to ensure that consumers of your content can contact you and get additional support.

New content item – Metadata

Content type Qt Based Application

Content item name Ovi Maps for mobile v3.07

Internal content management name (not shown to end users), e.g. Global Weather Service

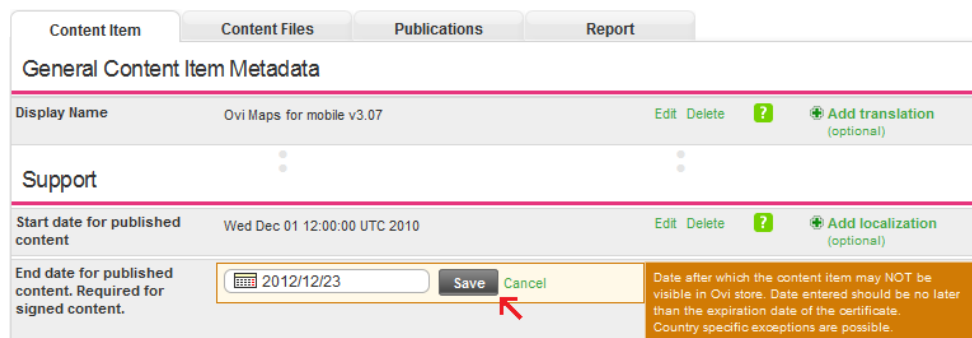
Support email address ovi.support@nokia.com

Your publisher support email will be used by consumers to provide direct feedback to you on your app.

Support website http://support.ovi.com

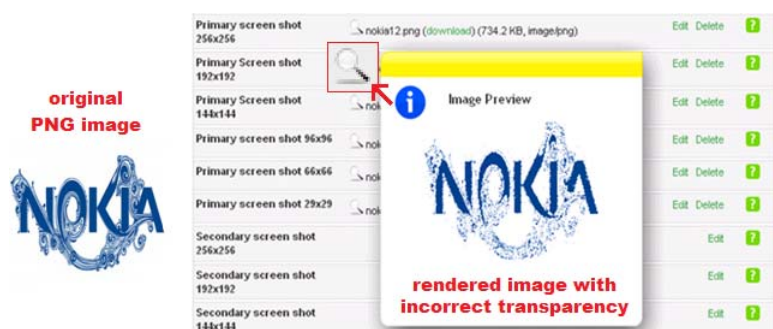
Your publisher support URL will be used by consumers to find out more about your app.

- ☑ To upload already-signed Symbian or Java applications, you must provide the **End date for published content**. The date must be on or before the certificate expiry date.



If you upload unsigned applications to use Nokia's free signing services, you may leave the field empty as we will provide an appropriate end date.

- ☑ Double check each of your **product icons** and **application screen shots**, by hovering the mouse pointer over the magnifying glass icons. PNG images may appear corrupted due to incorrect transparency rendering. To avoid these issues, convert PNG images to the JPEG format.

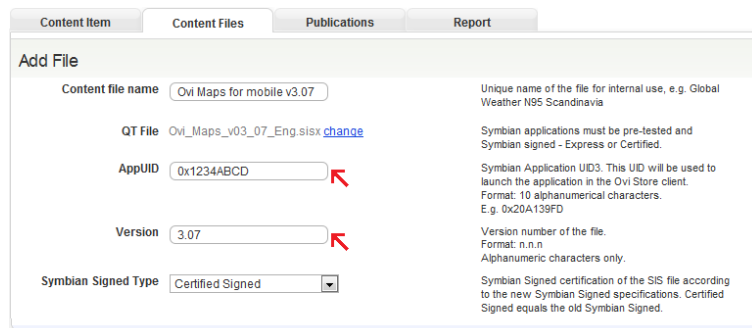


## Content files

- ☑ **Binary file names** must not have more than one period or use special characters. To separate words in file names, use underscores.

Incorrect    Ovi\_Maps.v3.07-English.sis  
Correct     Ovi\_Maps\_v3\_07\_English.sis

With .sis(x) files, the **AppUID** and **Version** you enter must exactly match the UID and Major/Minor Version that are encoded in the launch executable of the binary file.

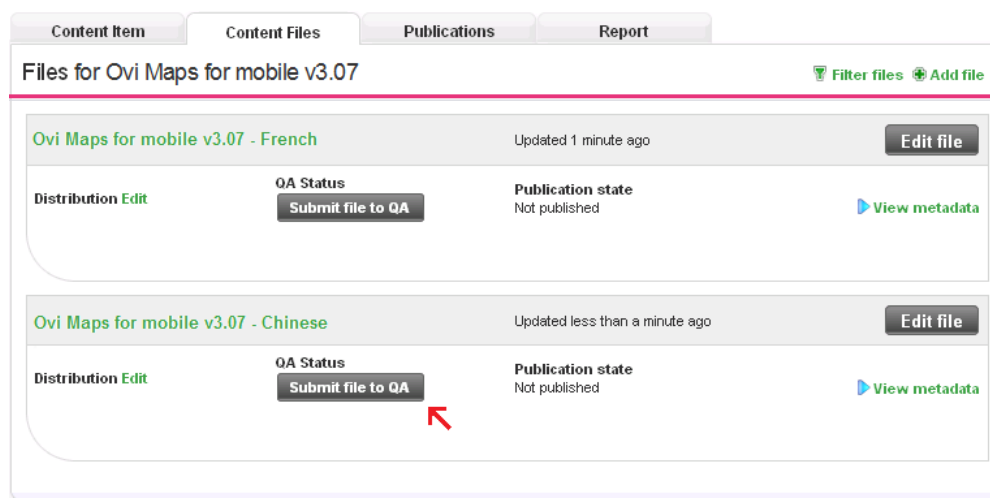


- ☑ In **Devices Distribution**, each device family must have at least one device that is Fully Tested. All other devices in the same family may have any other setting.

- ☑ In **Country Distribution**, only English language content can be published globally to all countries. All other language content must follow the country distributions outlined at this website: <http://blogs.forum.nokia.com/blog/ovi-publisher-alert/2010/01/20/ovi-store-language-country-regional-targeting-localization-planning-matrix>.
- ☑ If you modify your **binary file executable**, update the binary file in the same Content File. Do not create a new Content Item or another Content File. Also, if you increment the binary file's encoded version number, you must update the Version field as well or your content will fail testing.

- ☑ If you have **multiple binaries** of the same content, for example, a binary for different languages like French, German, or Chinese, use **Add file** to associate new Content Files with the same Content Item.

- ☑ Always remember to **Submit changes to QA** if you update any Content Item or Content File:



The screenshot shows a web interface for managing content. At the top, there are tabs: 'Content Item', 'Content Files', 'Publications', and 'Report'. Below the tabs, the title is 'Files for Ovi Maps for mobile v3.07'. There are two main sections, one for 'Ovi Maps for mobile v3.07 - French' and one for 'Ovi Maps for mobile v3.07 - Chinese'. Each section has a 'Distribution Edit' link, a 'QA Status' section with a 'Submit file to QA' button, and a 'Publication state' section with a 'View metadata' link. A red arrow points to the 'Submit file to QA' button for the Chinese item.

## Nokia signing

- ☑ Before taking advantage of the Java or Symbian Signing Service, please sign up for the service by following the steps outlined at this website: [http://www.forum.nokia.com/Distribute/Packaging\\_and\\_signing.xhtml#article0](http://www.forum.nokia.com/Distribute/Packaging_and_signing.xhtml#article0).

### Symbian signing

- ☑ You must package your Symbian content with the UID supplied to you by Nokia. No other UIDs will be accepted.
- ☑ Vendor information in your application's package file must match your publisher name and cannot contain **Nokia** or **Vendor**.
- ☑ All embedded .sis(x) files must already be signed.
- ☑ The signing service we provide is equivalent to Express Signed, which means that at this time we cannot sign content that makes use of the following capabilities: AllFiles, DRM, TCB, CommDD, DiskAdmin, NetworkControl, or MultimediaDD.
- ☑ To package Qt applications for Symbian signing, please see this website: <http://blogs.forum.nokia.com/blog/ovi-publisher-alert/2010/10/05/package-qt-and-symbian-apps>.

## Additional resources

Forum Nokia: <http://forum.nokia.com>  
 Ovi Publisher Alerts: <http://blogs.forum.nokia.com/blog/ovi-publisher-alert>  
 Ovi Publisher Guide: [https://publish.ovi.com/help/content\\_providers](https://publish.ovi.com/help/content_providers)  
 Ovi Publisher Interactive Guide: [https://publish.ovi.com/help/interactive\\_guide](https://publish.ovi.com/help/interactive_guide)  
 Unified testing Criteria (Java): [http://javaverified.com/files/unified\\_testing\\_criteria.pdf](http://javaverified.com/files/unified_testing_criteria.pdf)  
 Symbian Signed Criteria: [http://developer.symbian.org/wiki/Apps:Symbian\\_Signed\\_Test\\_Criteria\\_V4\\_Wiki\\_version](http://developer.symbian.org/wiki/Apps:Symbian_Signed_Test_Criteria_V4_Wiki_version)