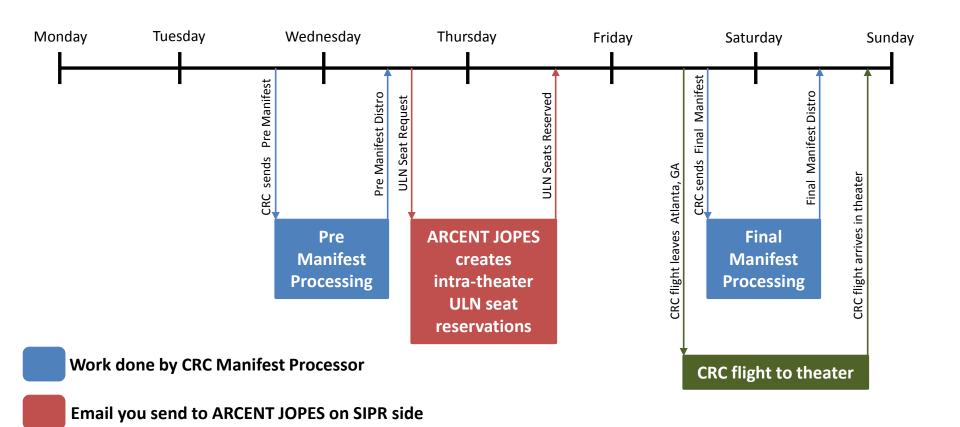
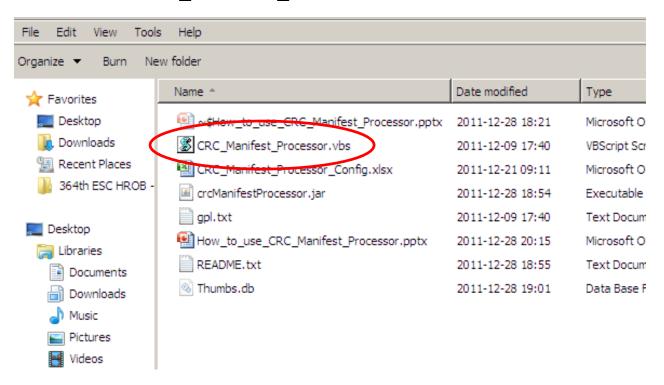
# How to use CRC Manifest Processor

### CONUS Replacement Center (CRC) Manifest Processing Timeline



#### How to start CRC Manifest Processor

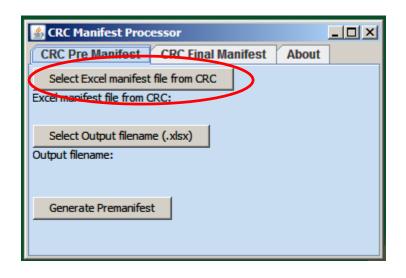
Double-click "CRC Manifest Processor.vbs"



• Your computer must have Java installed to run CRC Manifest Processor. Most computers come with Java pre-installed. If your computer does not have Java, contact your computer support team and ask them to install Java.

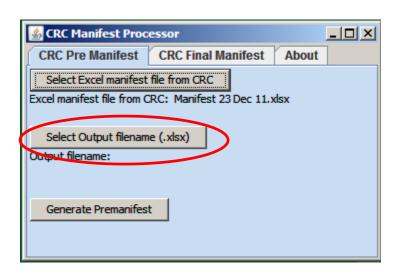
# CRC Pre Manifest Processing

# How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Pre Manifest Processing



- Ensure "CRC Pre Manifest" tab is selected.
- Click on "Select Excel manifest file from CRC"
- Select **PreManifest** Excel file that the CRC sent using the dialogue box

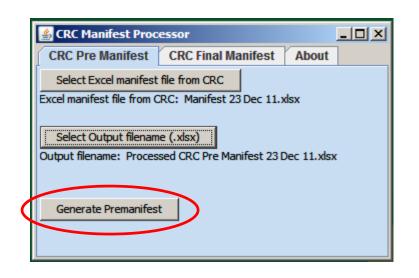
### How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Pre Manifest Processing (2)



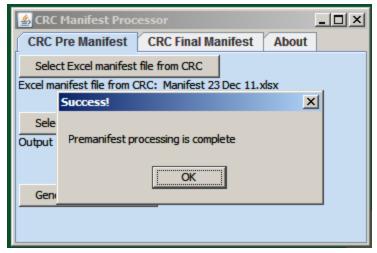
- Click on "Select Excel Output filename"
- Select desired output path and type the filename you want using the dialogue box. A suggested filename is:

Processed CRC Pre Manifest followed by today's date.

### How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Pre Manifest Processing (3)



- Click on "Generate Premanifest"
- Processing only takes a few seconds.



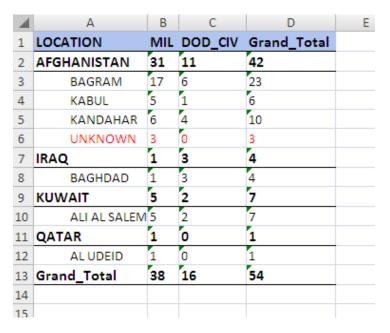
 If processing is successful, a pop-up box will let you know.
 Click OK.

### How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Pre Manifest Processing (4)

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- Open the output file and check the HUB column of the Pre\_Manifest tab.
- If you see a row with NOT\_FOUND, you will need to add a new entry to the configuration (see later slides).
- If you do not see
   NOT\_FOUND, the Pre
   Manifest is ready to send
   out to the email
   distribution list.

### How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Pre Manifest Processing (5)



- Look at the Pre Manifest Counts tab in the output file.
- Use the Grand Total for each Hub to create the Intra-theater ULN request email to ARCENT IOPES:

Please reserve ULN seats for this week's CRC flight:

BAGRAM: 23 seats KABUL: 6 seats

KANDAHAR: 10 seats
BAGHDAD: 4 seats
AL UDEID: 7 seats

Thank you!

 ARCENT JOPES will email back with the ULNs and number of seats (PAX). Keep this email from ARCENT JOPES. You will need it for Final Manifest processing.

## How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Pre Manifest Processing (6)

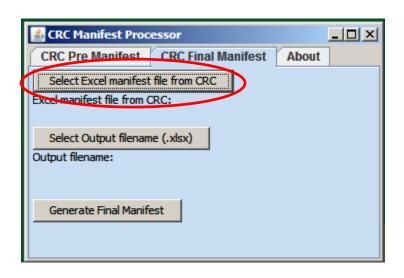
 Send an email to the CRC Pre Manifest email distribution list:

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ALCON,
The CRC Pre Manifest for this week is attached.
Please review and prepare for arrival of personnel coming from the CRC.
Thank you!
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 Do not forget to attach the Pre Manifest output file to the email!

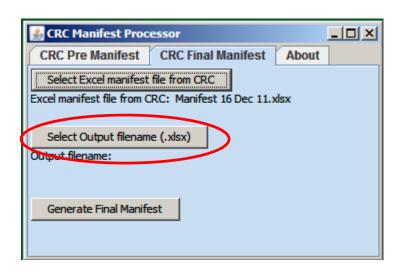
# CRC Final Manifest Processing

# How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Final Manifest Processing



- Ensure "CRC Final Manifest" tab is selected.
- Click on "Select Excel manifest file from CRC"
- Select Excel file that the CRC sent using the dialogue box

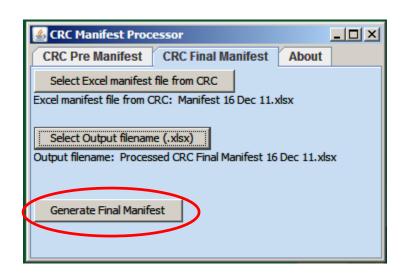
# How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Final Manifest Processing (2)



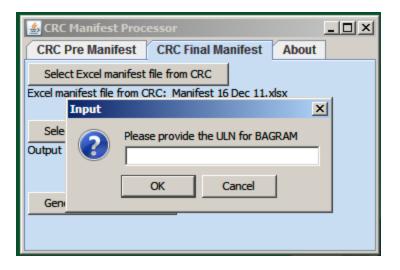
- Click on "Select Excel Output filename"
- Select desired output path and type the filename you want using the dialogue box. A suggested filename is:

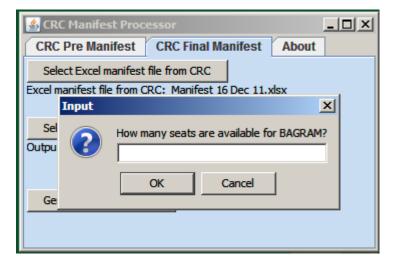
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### How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Pre Manifest Processing (3)

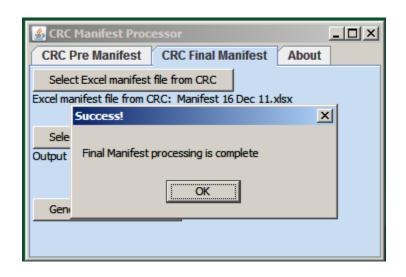


- Click on "Generate Final Manifest"
- Several pop-up dialogue boxes will ask for the ULNs and number of seats. Use the email from ARCENT JOPES to get the ULN and number of seats (PAX) reserved for the intra-theater flights.





# How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Final Manifest Processing (4)



- Processing only takes a few seconds.
- •If processing is successful, a pop-up box will let you know. Click OK.

# How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Final Manifest Processing (5)

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- Open the output file and check the HUB column of the Final\_Manifest tab.
- If you see a row with NOT\_FOUND, you will need to add a new entry to the configuration (see later slides).
- If you do not see
   NOT\_FOUND, the Final
   Manifest is ready to send
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## How to operate CRC Manifest Processor: Final Manifest Processing (6)

 Send an email to the CRC Final Manifest email distribution list:

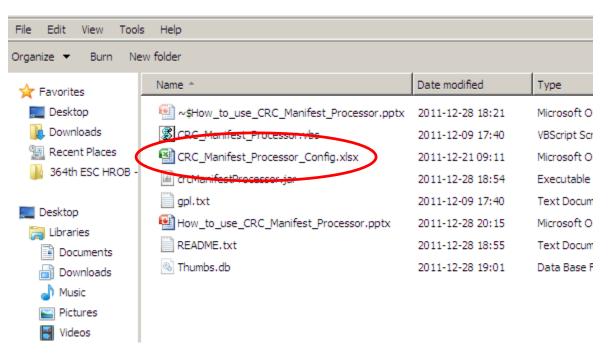
 Do not forget to attach the Final Manifest output file to the email!

# Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (How to fix NOT\_FOUND hubs)

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#### **Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration**

• Double-click "CRC\_Manifest\_Processor\_Config.xlsx" to open it in Excel.



#### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (2)

There are several tabs in the Excel workbook. The tab that is used to assign hubs based on final destination is the DestinationHubCountry Tab:

FINAL_DESTINATION_	HUB	COUNTRY
ACS	KABUL	<b>AFGHANISTAN</b>
AHMAD KHAN	KABUL	AFGHANISTAN
AIRBORNE	KABUL	AFGHANISTAN
ALAMO	KABUL	AFGHANISTAN
ALTIMUR	KABUL	AFGHANISTAN
AMIR AGHA	KANDAHAR	AFGHANISTAN
ANDAR	KANDAHAR	AFGHANISTAN
APACHE	KANDAHAR	AFGHANISTAN
AZIZ ULLAH	KANDAHAR	AFGHANISTAN
BAG-E-PUL	KANDAHAR	AFGHANISTAN
BAGRAM	BAGRAM	AFGHANISTAN
BAK DC	KABUL	AFGHANISTAN
BALA BALUK	KANDAHAR	AFGHANISTAN
BALA MAGHARB	BAGRAM	AFGHANISTAN
BANDE SARDEH	KABUL	AFGHANISTAN

### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (3)

#### **Destination Hub Country Configuration**

This sheet has the data that represents final destinations in theater and how passengers get to their destination. Description of the columns:

**FINAL\_DESTINATION**: The camp, FOB, COP, base, or office where the passenger is going. This is used to determine the major air hub that the passenger will travel through and the country where the destination is found. The final destination should be unique so that there is no confusion. Sometimes there are alternate spellings for a final destination. These are found in the LocationAlias sheet.

**HUB**: The major air hub that is used to reach the final destination. The total number of passengers going to this hub will be used to reserve seats for intra-theater flights from the Theater Gateway to the major air hub.

**COUNTRY**: The country where the final destination is located.

This sheet should be checked each month against E-Channel updates. If the major air hub to a destination changes, the HUB column should be updated. If there are new final destinations, they should be added to the bottom of the list. The major air hub for new final destinations can be found using Google. Use Google to find the approximate location of the final destination and then find the nearest major air hub.

If you get a NOT\_FOUND hub result in the generated manifest, it means that the final destination is not in this list (the Destination Hub Country Configuration) and will need to be added as a new final destination.

For example, suppose we get a new final destination in Jazah, Afghanistan. Search Google for "Jazah, Afghanistan". Many of the results show that Jazah is near Kandahar. Since no other air hubs are closer, put KANDAHAR in the HUB column. This means that the new entry would be:

FINAL\_DESTINATION: JAZAH

HUB: KANDAHAR

COUNTRY: AFGHANISTAN

If you get a UNKNOWN hub result in the generated manifest, it means that the passenger put UNKNOWN in their final destination or left their final destination blank. If the final destination is not known, we cannot determine what major air hub, so the HUB column will be UNKNOWN. Passengers with UNKNOWN hubs will not have seats reserved on intra-theater flights and must travel by standby.

The exception to this rule is medical personnel travelling to Afghanistan. Medical personnel with UNKNOWN final destinations in Afghanistan will travel to BAGRAM to get final duty locations assigned.

### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (4)

The LocationAlias tab is used to substitute alternate final destination names for the "official" final destination name that is used in the Destination Hub Country tab.

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1	ALIAS	FINAL_DESTINATION		
2	AL UDIED	AL UDEID		
3	ARIJAN	ARIFJAN		
4	BAGDAD	BAGHDAD		
5	BALAD	JOINT BASE BALAD		
6	BASRA	BASRAH		
7	BASTIAN	BASTION		
8	BASYAH	BASRAH		
9	BOSTIC	BOSTICK		
10	CAMP PATRIOT	KUWAIT NAVAL BASE		
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#### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (5)

#### **Location Alias Configuration**

This sheet has alternate names and alternate spellings for final destinations in theater. There are several reasons for this given below.

Reason #1: Names from other languages: Many of the names of final destinations in theater come from other languages (Arabic, Farsi, Pashtu, Urdu, etc.). Since these languages have non-Roman alphabets, we use the way the name sounds to create an English spelling for the name. In many cases there are multiple correct spellings for a location. For example, see the "other names" from this Wikipedia article: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Khanashin

Reason #2: Multiple names for a destination: Many of the final destinations where we work have more than one name. For example, Camp Patriot, Kuwait is also called Kuwait Naval Base.

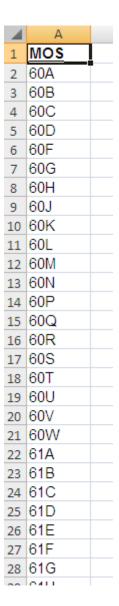
Reason #3: Spelling Errors: Sometimes passengers deploying into theater do not know the correct spelling of their destination. Some misspellings are so common that they are worth adding to this list to prevent NOT\_FOUND results.

#### !! TMPORTANT !!

All names in the FINAL\_DESTINATION column on this sheet must have corresponding entries in the Destination Hub Country sheet. The spellings in the FINAL\_DESTINATION column on this sheet must match the spellings in the FINAL DESTINATION column of the Destination Hub Country sheet.

All of the location aliases in the manifest provided by the CRC will be replaced with the final destinations in this list.

#### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (6)



The Priority MOS tab has a list of the MOS's that are considered high priority.

Passengers with high priority MOS's are given seat reservations before passengers who do not have high priority MOS's.

### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (7)

#### **Priority MOS Configuration**

This sheet has a list of MOS's that are high priority. This is usually medical MOS's, but may include other MOS's as well.

As a rule, many medical service providers (doctors, nurses, etc.) usually have short deployment orders so it is important to get them into theater as quickly as possible. For this reason, passengers with high priority MOS's will be given reserved seats before passengers who do not have a high priority MOS.

On the final manifest, if there are fewer seats available than there are passengers going to a major air hub, passengers with a high priority MOS will get the seats first.

This sheet will only need to be updated if other (non-medical) MOS's are marked as high priority or if the MOS code changes.

#### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (8)

$\blacksquare$	А	В
1	RANK	LEVEL
2	PV1	1
3	PV2	2
4	PFC	3
5	SPC	4
6	SGT	5
7	SSG	6
8	SFC	7
9	MSG	8
10	1SG	8
11	SGM	9
12	CSM	9
13	SMA	10
14	W01	21
15	CW2	22
16	CW3	23
17	CW4	24
18	CW5	25
19	2LT	31
20	1LT	32
21	CPT	33
22	MAJ	34
23	LTC	35
24	COL	36
25	BG	37
26	MG	38
27	LTG	39
28	GEN	40
29	Pvt	1
30	Pfc	2
31	LCpl	3

The Rank Comparison tab provides a way to compare ranks of service members of all military branches and civilians against one another.

This allows passengers to be prioritized by their rank / pay grade.

#### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (9)

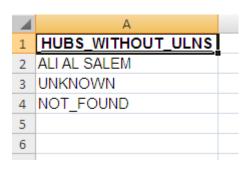
#### Rank Comparison Configuration

This sheet has a list of all of the rank abbreviations for each branch of the US Armed Forces and also DoD Civilian pay grades.

Each of the ranks / rates / pay grades is mapped to a level that corresponds to a priority for travel. Higher-ranking passengers will be given priority over lower-ranking passengers unless the lower-ranking passengers have a priority MOS. (See the Priority MOS sheet.)

This sheet should not need to be updated unless there are changes in the ranks / rates of an Armed Forces service branch.

#### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (10)



The Hubs Without ULNs tab is used to determine which hubs should \*not\* have a by-name roster tab created in the CRC Final Manifest.

All hubs not in this list will have their own roster tabs that show all passengers going to the hub and their priority for seats.

#### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (11)

#### **Hubs Without ULNs Configuration**

This sheet is a list of hubs that should not have their own tab in the generated final manifest. There are two reasons for this:

Reason #1: Hub is the Theater Gateway: Hubs that are the Theater Gateway will not need onward movement intra-theater flights. Passengers whose major air hub is the Theater Gateway will travel by ground transportation to their final destination.

Reason #2: Not really a major air hub: UNKNOWN and NOT\_FOUND are not real major air hubs. UNKNOWN is placed in the HUB column for passengers who do not know their final destination in theater, so no air hub lookup is possible. NOT\_FOUND is placed in the HUB column when the passenger has a final destination that is not in the Destination Hub Country Configuration. If any passengers have NOT\_FOUND in the HUB column, their final destination's hub will need to be found and the Destination Hub Country Configuration will need to be updated. (See the Destination Hub Country Configuration for more details.)

#### Editing CRC Manifest Processor Configuration (12)

#### !!! IMPORTANT !!!

The CRC\_Manifest\_Processor\_Config.xlsx file is only read when the program first starts up.

This means that if you edit the CRC\_Manifest\_Processor\_Config.xlsx file, you will need to close the CRC Manifest Processor program and re-launch it for your changes to take effect.

The best way to fix NOT\_FOUND hubs is to:

- 1) Close the CRC Manifest Processor program
- Open CRC\_Manifest\_Processor\_Config.xlsx for editing
- 3) Check the Destination Hub Country tab to see if the final destination is already present with a different spelling
  - a) If the final destination is present in the Destination Hub Country tab, put the alternate spelling that caused NOT FOUND in the Location Alias tab.
  - b) If the final destination is not present, use Google to determine the hub and country for the final destination that caused NOT\_FOUND. Add the final destination, hub, and country to the Destination Hub Country tab.
- 4) Save changes to the CRC\_Manifest\_Processor\_Config.xlsx file.
- 5) Run the CRC Manifest Processor program
- 6) Process the manifest again
- 7) Check the output file to ensure that there are no NOT FOUND hubs