

Please begin preparing for IATS version 8.0!

IATS 8.0 contains substantial changes and will be released later this year. The highlights of IATS 8.0 are:

- Requires the use of SQL Server instead of Sybase. DFAS-IT is looking at how this will impact sites with using Active Directory
- IATS will have full CAC authentication capabilities
- Prepares DFAS for moving to MilCloud

Given the significant changes, we would like to begin the conversations now regarding the use of active directory groups and what variation of SQL Server your site will need (Standard or Enterprise). We have also been made aware that sites that have a database size of less than 8GB may use SQL Express, which is a free version.

Please email us at dfas.indianapolis-in.ztd.other.iats-help-desk@mail.mil with the information in the Travel Tech Message (items 10A through M above).

Thank you for your cooperation as we move to IATS 8.0!