

### ABOUT THE JANUARY 2011 CRSP/COMPUSTAT MERGED DATABASE

The cut date for these release notes is January 8, 2011. This shipment includes the following version of the CRSP/Compustat Merged Database:

- CMZ201101 – the CCM format database using Compustat’s Xpressfeed delivery.

All CRSP/Compustat Merged Database media are shipped on DVDs.

### DATABASE CHARACTERISTICS

The following table summarizes general characteristics of the CCM database.

Attribute	CCM Format Database (new)
Source	Compustat Xpressfeed
Volume Label	CMZyyyyymm
Size	6.96 GB
Delivery Media	DVD
CRSPAccess version	3.1 and higher – ts_print ccm_print
CRSPSift Version (Windows only)	2.1 and higher – Standard, Professional, Enterprise versions
SASECRSP Engine	Coming soon
C	Yes – CA3.1 and higher
Fortran-95	Yes – CA3.1 and higher
Number of Data Items	Over 4000 quarterly & annual data items

### PROGRAMMERS

C-programming is supported with all CRSPAccess versions. New C sample programs are included beginning with the CRSPAccess 3.1 release for use with the Xpressfeed data.

FORTRAN-95 programs are now supported in the newly released CRSPAccess Version 3.14. Please review the CRSPAccess Utilities and Program Libraries Release Notes for changes and usage.

The Release Notes and Programmer’s Guide can be accessed on-line at:

<http://www.crsp.ChicagoBooth.edu/documentation>.

SASECRSP engine support for Xpressfeed data will be available in a future release by SAS.

### PARAMETERS

CMZ 201101	
Total Compustat Records	39984
Total GVKEY Companies	37786
Total GVKEYX Indexes	2198
Total GVKEY/IID Securities	45062
Total CRSP Securities Linked	25029
Total GVKEYs in Link	36711
Total Link Records	83197
Total Link Records with a Link to CRSP	29210
Database Size	7.07 GB

### CALENDARS

The CCM database utilizes the CRSP stock calendars to align properly with CRSP data. Data in the CRSP daily Stock (and Indices) file use daily and annual calendars. Data in the monthly files use monthly, quarterly and annual calendars.

Calendar	Date Range	Date Index Range
Daily trading calendar	19251231-20110107	1-22534
Monthly trading calendar	19251231-20151231	1-1081
Annual trading calendar	19251231-20111230	1-87
Quarterly trading calendar	19251231-20111230	1-345
Semi-Annual trading calendar	19251231-20111230	1-173
Weekly trading calendar	19260102-20110107	1-4436

## NEW ITEMS IN CCM

The following are new data items added this month. Note that new Compustat data items or new keyset combinations of existing items have been routinely added to the CCM version of the database.

### NEW KEYSSET COMBINATIONS FOR EXISTING DATA CODE ITEMS

Item Mnemonic	Item Name	New Keyset, Tag, Description
TXEQA_DC	Tax - Equivalent Adjustment Data Code	45, BSUMM, Bank Format, Consolidated Information, Standardized Summary Data from the Latest Annual Filing

## CCM LINK EDITS

### ABITIBIBOWATER INC (GVKEY 2337)

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19830101	19840517	0	0	00X	NR	C
19840518	20090415	66130	20325	01	LC	P
20090416	20101130	0	0	01	NR	P
20071031	20090415	66130	20325	01C	LX	N
20090416	99999999	0	0	01C	NR	N

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19830101	19840517	0	0	00X	NR	C
19840518	20090415	66130	20325	01	LC	P
20090416	20101130	0	0	01	NR	P
20071031	20090415	66130	20325	01C	LX	N
20090416	99999999	0	0	01C	NR	N
20101220	99999999	12437	20325	05	LC	P
20101220	99999999	12437	20325	05C	LX	N

### ACCURIDE CORP (GVKEY 145979)

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19990101	20050425	0	0	00X	NR	C
20050426	20081111	90643	46538	01	LC	P
20081112	20100226	0	0	01	NR	P
20100331	99999999	0	0	02	NR	P

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19990101	20050425	0	0	00X	NR	C
20050426	20081111	90643	46538	01	LC	P
20081112	20100226	0	0	01	NR	P
20100331	20101221	0	0	02	NR	P
20101222	99999999	90643	46538	02	LC	P

**ACKERLEY GROUP IN (GVKEY 1095)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19800101	19880420	0	0	00X	NU	C
19880421	20020628	10123	9754	01	LU	P

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19800101	19890906	0	0	00X	NR	C
19890907	20020614	10123	9754	01	LC	P

**ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO AG (GVKEY 174053)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20010101	20060711	0	0	00X	NR	C
20060712	99999999	0	0	01	NR	P

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20010101	20060711	0	0	00X	NR	C
20060712	99999999	91393	50966	01	LC	P

**AVALON RARE METALS INC (GVKEY 105475)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19980430	99999999	0	0	01C	NR	

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20101222	99999999	12439	53603	01	LC	P
19980430	20101221	0	0	01C	NR	C
20101222	99999999	12439	53603	01C	LX	N

**CHINA SHENGDA PACKAGING GP (GVKEY 184684)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20100430	99999999	0	0	01	NR	P

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20100101	20100429	0	0	00X	NR	C
20100430	20101209	0	0	01	NR	P
20101210	99999999	12484	53626	01	LC	P

**COINMACH SERVICE CORP (GVKEY 160202)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19990401	20041129	0	0	00X	NR	C
20041130	20060202	0	0	01	NR	P
20060203	20071120	91108	45861	01	LC	P

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19990401	20050227	0	0	00X	NR	C
20050228	20060202	0	0	01	NR	P
20060203	20071120	91108	45861	01	LC	P

**FIRST MAJESTIC SILVER CORP (GVKEY 108768)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19980430	99999999	0	0	01C	NR	P
20070831	20071231	0	0	02C	NR	J

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20101215	99999999	12447	53608	01	LC	P
19980430	20101214	0	0	01C	NR	C
20101215	99999999	12447	53608	01C	LX	N
20070831	20071231	0	0	02C	NR	J

**GAIN CAPITAL HOLDINGS-RED (GVKEY 183528)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20070101	20090630	0	0	00X	NR	C

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20090930	99999999	0	0	01	NR	P
20101231	99999999	0	0	01C	NR	J

**GENON ENERGY INC (GVKEY 140033)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19980101	20000926	0	0	00X	NR	C
20000927	20030714	88601	39144	01	LC	P
20030715	20051231	0	0	01	NR	P
20060101	20060110	0	0	01	NR	C
20060111	20060131	0	0	01	NR	N
20060111	99999999	0	0	05	NR	P

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19980101	20000928	0	0	00X	NR	C
20000929	20010121	0	0	01	NR	P
20010122	20030714	88601	39144	01	LC	P
20030715	20051231	0	0	01	NR	P
20060101	20060110	0	0	01	NR	C
20060111	20060131	0	0	01	NR	N
20060131	20101205	0	0	05	NR	P
20101206	99999999	88992	41582	05	LC	P

**PROMOTORA DE INFORMACIONES (GVKEY 239356)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20101129	99999999	0	0	90	NR	P
20101129	99999999	0	0	91	NR	J

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20090101	20101202	0	0	00X	NR	C
20101203	99999999	12382	53562	90	LC	P
20101203	99999999	12383	53562	91	LC	J

**RRI ENERGY INC (GVKEY 140977)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19990101	20010430	0	0	00X	NR	C
20010501	99999999	88992	41582	01	LC	P

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19990101	20010430	0	0	00X	NR	C
20010501	20101205	88992	41582	01	LC	P

**SUN LIFE FINANCIAL INC (GVKEY 133289)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19980101	20000323	0	0	00X	NR	C
20000324	99999999	87666	36962	01	LC	P
20000324	99999999	87666	36962	01C	LX	N

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19980101	20000323	0	0	00X	NR	C
20000324	99999999	87666	36962	01	LC	P
20000324	99999999	87666	36962	01C	LX	N
20070228	20070228	0	0	06C	NR	J

**TELKONET INC (GVKEY 125600)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19990101	20000730	0	0	00X	NR	C
20000731	20040203	0	0	01	NR	P
20040204	99999999	90054	44914	01	LC	P

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19990101	20000730	0	0	00X	NR	C
20000731	20040203	0	0	01	NR	P
20040204	20091112	90054	44914	01	LC	P
20091113	99999999	0	0	01	NR	P

**WILLIAMS COAL SEAM RYL TRUST (GVKEY 28168)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19920101	19930113	0	0	00X	NU	C
19930114	20101130	78858	29745	01	LU	P

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
19920101	19930113	0	0	00X	NR	C
19930114	20101115	78858	29745	01	LC	P
20101116	99999999	0	0	01	NR	

**YOUKU.COM INC -ADR (GVKEY 185912)**

OLD:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20080101	20100930	0	0	00X	NR	C

NEW:

LINKDT	LINKENDDT	LPERMNO	LPERMCO	LIID	LINKTYPE	LINKPRIM
20080101	20101207	0	0	00X	NR	C
20101208	99999999	12478	53623	90	LC	P