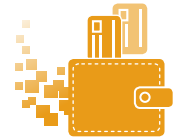


Mastercard 2-Series BIN Implementation for Service Providers & Vendors

Mastercard is rolling out an additional range of six-digit BINs (222100-272099). The 2-series BINs adhere to today's ISO industry standard and will work exactly the same way as the 5-series BINs do today.



Service providers and vendors are encouraged to conduct a thorough assessment to determine which internal systems and processes may be impacted by the Mastercard 2-series, and request their partners do the same. The list below offers some potential areas of impact that issuers may wish to evaluate, but is not intended to be exhaustive.

Service Provider and Vendor Systems & Processes – 2-series BIN Impact Evaluation Checklist



Platform/Function	Additional Notes
Acquirer considerations	Potentially, in any PSP or vendor role, you will have a subset of the same considerations as an acquirer, or, you could have the complete set. Please review the acquirer checklist to ensure readiness for 2-series BINs.
Traditional/mobile applications	These should be reviewed and pay specific attention to any libraries or other external code modules that your applications rely on. You may have to verify with the developer of the external code that updates have been made and that you have adopted/implemented the version with 2-series support integrated.

Timeline

In November 2014, Mastercard announced the required technical updates to add the 2-series BINs to its supply. The changes to support the 2-series need to be integrated into issuers, acquirers, merchants, partners, vendors, and processors' systems by October 2016.



Specific issuer milestones and requirements leading up to and following Q4 2016 have been identified in a December 2015 operations bulletin.

Additional Information and Updates: <https://www.mastercard.us/2-series/>

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