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Plan Switches



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Overview

Within the CloudBlue Offers section is **Plan Switches** (also known as **Switches**), which is located as an individual tab within a CloudBlue Offer details page. Switches allow Vendors to configure transition paths customers that are looking to upgrade, downgrade, or otherwise change their subscription from one plan to another.

Plan Switches

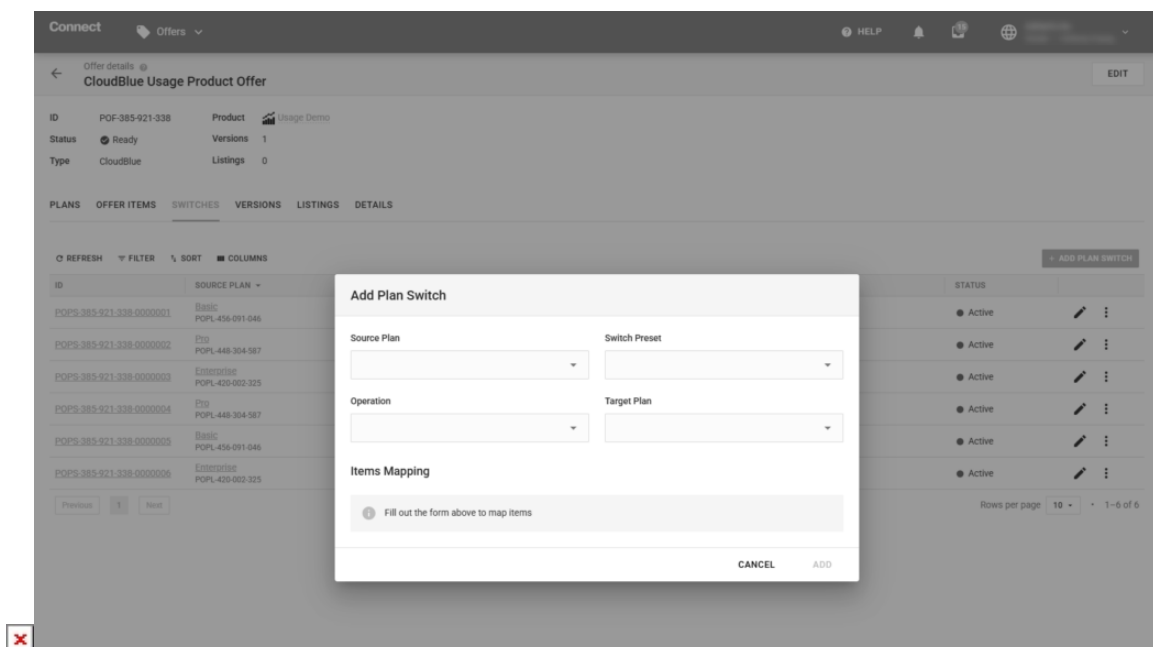
Within the Switches tab of the CloudBlue Offer details page, users can add and manage plan switches that are configured for that specific CloudBlue Offer.



Information

A **Switch Preset** in the Presets section, CloudBlue Offer Plans, and CloudBlue Offer Items should be configured prior to configuring any Plan Switches.

When click the **Add Plan Switch** button, users will be able to set up different configurations in order to map out the subscription plan change paths.



A **Plan Switch** is a vendor-defined, one-way path that specifies:

- **Source Plan:** The current plan the customer is subscribed to.
- **Target Plan:** The new plan the customer is moving to.



- **Switch Preset:** The pre-defined business rules that dictate how the change is executed, particularly concerning **billing, prorating, and resource adjustments** in the distributor's CloudBlue Commerce system
- **Operation:** The type of change that can describe the switch from source plan to the target plan.



Notice

Individual Plan Switches are **one-directional** and **not defined bi-directionally**. This means that if a Plan Switch was configured for an **upgrade** path for Plan A to Plan B, a **separate** Plan Switch must be configured for a **downgrade** path for Plan B to Plan A

Items Mapping with Plan Switches

Once the source plan, target plan, switch preset, and operation is selected for a Plan Switch, the **Items Mapping** section will be presented to the user. The Items Mapping section displays **all of the items** configured within the **Source Plan** and all of the items configured within the **Target Plan**.

The screenshot displays the 'Add Plan Switch' modal window. It contains the following fields:

- Source Plan:** Basic (POPL-456-091-046)
- Switch Preset:** Usage Product Switch (PIP-396-084-022)
- Operation:** Upgrade
- Target Plan:** Pro (POPL-448-304-587)

The **Items Mapping** section is highlighted with a red border. It shows a table with two columns: 'BASIC' and 'PRO'. Under 'BASIC', there is 'Item 1' with ID 'PRO-772-755-108-0001'. Under 'PRO', there is 'Item 2' with ID 'PRO-772-755-108-0002'. A 'Carry forward' button is located to the right of the 'Item 2' row. At the bottom of the modal are 'CANCEL' and 'ADD' buttons.

Within this area, users can select the individual items in the source plan that corresponds with the related item in the target plan – creating the logical mapping at the item level. If there is no related item in the target plan, users can select 'No Item' in the mapping section.

Once the Item-to-Item mapping is configured, the customer's subscriptions can logically carry forward the item quantities within their existing (source) plan over to the appropriate items within the new (target) plan.