

# Verizon Business Purchasing, LLC 856 Guide

## 856 Ship Notice/Manifest

Functional Group ID=**SH**

### Introduction:

This Standard for Use contains the format and establishes the data contents of the Ship Notice/Manifest Transaction Set (856) for use within the context of Verizon Business Purchasing's Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) environment. Verizon Business Purchasing uses the Ship Notice to communicate the contents of a shipment of goods as well as additional information relating to the shipment, such as order information, product description, physical characteristics, type of packaging, marking, carrier information, and configuration of goods within the transportation equipment. Verizon Business Purchasing uses three fields to match the ship notice to the original purchase order - the purchase order number, the line item number, and the buyer's part number. The sender of this transaction is the organization responsible for detailing and communicating the contents of a shipment, or shipments, to one or more receivers of the transaction set.

### Heading:

<u>Pos. No.</u>	<u>Seg. ID</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Guide</u>	<u>User Status</u>	<u>Max.Use</u>	<u>Loop Repeat</u>	<u>Notes and Comments</u>
010	ST	Transaction Set Header	M	M	1		
020	BSN	Beginning Segment for Ship Notice	M	M	1		

### Detail:

<u>Pos. No.</u>	<u>Seg. ID</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Guide</u>	<u>User Status</u>	<u>Max.Use</u>	<u>Loop Repeat</u>	<u>Notes and Comments</u>
						200000	
010	HL	Hierarchical Level	M	M	1		c1
110	TD1	Carrier Details (Quantity and Weight)	O		20		
120	TD5	Carrier Details (Routing Sequence/Transit Time)	O		12		
140	TD4	Carrier Details (Special Handling, or Hazardous Materials, or Both)	O		5		
150	REF	Reference Identification	M	M	>1		
200	DTM	Date/Time Reference	M	M	10		
						200	
220	N1	Name	O		1		
240	N3	Address Information	O		2		
250	N4	Geographic Location	O		1		
010	HL	Hierarchical Level	M	M	1		
050	PRF	Purchase Order Reference	M	M	1		
010	HL	Hierarchical Level	M	M	1		
020	LIN	Item Identification	M	M	1		
030	SN1	Item Detail (Shipment)	O		1		
150	REF	Reference Identification	O		>1		

### Summary:

<u>Pos. No.</u>	<u>Seg. ID</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Guide</u>	<u>User Status</u>	<u>Max.Use</u>	<u>Loop Repeat</u>	<u>Notes and Comments</u>
010	CTT	Transaction Totals	O		1		
020	SE	Transaction Set Trailer	M	M	1		

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## Transaction Set Comments

1. The HL segment is the only mandatory segment within the HL loop, and by itself, the HL segment has no meaning.

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**Segment:** **ST** Transaction Set Header  
**Position:** 010  
**Loop:**  
**Level:** Heading  
**Usage:** Mandatory  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To indicate the start of a transaction set and to assign a control number  
**Syntax Notes:**  
**Semantic Notes:** 1 The transaction set identifier (ST01) is used by the translation routines of the interchange partners to select the appropriate transaction set definition (e.g., 810 selects the Invoice Transaction Set).  
**Comments:**  
**Notes:** Example: ST\*856\*0008!

### Data Element Summary

<u>Ref.</u> <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base</u> <u>Attributes</u>	<u>User</u> <u>Attributes</u>
ST01	143	Transaction Set Identifier Code Code uniquely identifying a Transaction Set 856 Ship Notice/Manifest	M ID 3/3	M
ST02	329	Transaction Set Control Number Identifying control number that must be unique within the transaction set functional group assigned by the originator for a transaction set	M AN 4/9	M

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**Segment:** **BSN** Beginning Segment for Ship Notice  
**Position:** 020  
**Loop:**  
**Level:** Heading  
**Usage:** Mandatory  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To transmit identifying numbers, dates, and other basic data relating to the transaction set  
**Syntax Notes:** 1 If BSN07 is present, then BSN06 is required.  
**Semantic Notes:** 1 BSN03 is the date the shipment transaction set is created.  
 2 BSN04 is the time the shipment transaction set is created.  
**Comments:**  
**Notes:** Example: BSN\*00\*SHIP02931092\*20120712\*1615!

## Data Element Summary

Ref. Des.	Data Element	Name	Base Attributes	User Attributes
BSN01	353	<b>Transaction Set Purpose Code</b> Code identifying purpose of transaction set 00 Original	M ID 2/2	M
BSN02	396	<b>Shipment Identification</b> A unique control number assigned by the original shipper to identify a specific shipment Carrier/Tracking Number	M AN 2/30	M
BSN03	373	<b>Date</b> Date expressed as CCYYMMDD	M DT 8/8	M
BSN04	337	<b>Time</b> Time expressed in 24-hour clock time as follows: HHMM, or HHMMSS, or HHMMSSD, or HHMMSSDD, where H = hours (00-23), M = minutes (00-59), S = integer seconds (00-59) and DD = decimal seconds; decimal seconds are expressed as follows: D = tenths (0-9) and DD = hundredths (00-99)	M TM 4/8	M

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**Segment:** **HL** Hierarchical Level  
**Position:** 010  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Mandatory  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To identify dependencies among and the content of hierarchically related groups of data segments

**Syntax Notes:**

**Semantic Notes:**

- Comments:**
- 1 The HL segment is used to identify levels of detail information using a hierarchical structure, such as relating line-item data to shipment data, and packaging data to line-item data.  
The HL segment defines a top-down/left-right ordered structure.
  - 2 HL01 shall contain a unique alphanumeric number for each occurrence of the HL segment in the transaction set. For example, HL01 could be used to indicate the number of occurrences of the HL segment, in which case the value of HL01 would be "1" for the initial HL segment and would be incremented by one in each subsequent HL segment within the transaction.
  - 3 HL02 identifies the hierarchical ID number of the HL segment to which the current HL segment is subordinate.
  - 4 HL03 indicates the context of the series of segments following the current HL segment up to the next occurrence of an HL segment in the transaction. For example, HL03 is used to indicate that subsequent segments in the HL loop form a logical grouping of data referring to shipment, order, or item-level information.
  - 5 HL04 indicates whether or not there are subordinate (or child) HL segments related to the current HL segment.

**Notes:** Example: HL\*1\*\*S!

### Data Element Summary

<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Attributes</u>	<u>User Attributes</u>
HL01	628	<b>Hierarchical ID Number</b> A unique number assigned by the sender to identify a particular data segment in a hierarchical structure	M AN 1/12	M
HL03	735	<b>Hierarchical Level Code</b> Code defining the characteristic of a level in a hierarchical structure	M ID 1/2	M
		S Shipment		

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**Segment:** **TD1** Carrier Details (Quantity and Weight)  
**Position:** 110  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Optional  
**Max Use:** 20  
**Purpose:** To specify the transportation details relative to commodity, weight, and quantity  
**Syntax Notes:**

- 1 If TD106 is present, then TD107 is required.
- 2 If either TD107 or TD108 is present, then the other is required.

**Semantic Notes:**  
**Comments:**  
**Notes:** Example: TD1\*\*\*\*\*N\*500\*LB!

## Data Element Summary

<u>Ref.</u> <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base</u> <u>Attributes</u>	<u>User</u> <u>Attributes</u>
TD106	187	<b>Weight Qualifier</b> Code defining the type of weight N Actual Net Weight	O ID 1/2	
TD107	81	<b>Weight</b> Numeric value of weight	X R 1/10	
TD108	355	<b>Unit or Basis for Measurement Code</b> Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in which a measurement has been taken LB Pound	X ID 2/2	

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**Segment:** **TD5** Carrier Details (Routing Sequence/Transit Time)

**Position:** 120

**Loop:** HL Mandatory

**Level:** Detail

**Usage:** Optional

**Max Use:** 12

**Purpose:** To specify the carrier and sequence of routing and provide transit time information

**Syntax Notes:**

- 1 At least one of TD502 TD504 TD505 TD506 or TD512 is required.
- 2 If TD502 is present, then TD503 is required.

**Semantic Notes:**

- 1 TD515 is the country where the service is to be performed.

**Comments:**

- 1 When specifying a routing sequence to be used for the shipment movement in lieu of specifying each carrier within the movement, use TD502 to identify the party responsible for defining the routing sequence, and use TD503 to identify the actual routing sequence, specified by the party identified in TD502.

**Notes:**

Example:

```
TD5**2*UPSN*****G2
TD5*****ROUTING INFORMATION*****3D|
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## Data Element Summary

Ref. <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Attributes</u>	<u>User Attributes</u>
TD502	66	<b>Identification Code Qualifier</b> Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code (67) NOTE: Do not send TD502/TD503 if sending TD505	X ID 1/2	
		2 Standard Carrier Alpha Code (SCAC)		
TD503	67	<b>Identification Code</b> Code identifying a party or other code Note: Do not send TD502/TD503 if sending TD505	X AN 2/80	
TD505	387	<b>Routing</b> Free-form description of the routing or requested routing for shipment, or the originating carrier's identity Note: Do not send TD505 if sending TD502/TD503	X AN 1/35	
TD512	284	<b>Service Level Code</b> Code indicating the level of transportation service or the billing service offered by the transportation carrier	X ID 2/2	
		3D Three Day Service		
		G2 Standard Service		
		ON Overnight		
		SC Second Day Air Delivery during business day hours no later than second business day		

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**Segment:** **TD4** Carrier Details (Special Handling, or Hazardous Materials, or Both)  
**Position:** 140  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Optional  
**Max Use:** 5  
**Purpose:** To specify transportation special handling requirements, or hazardous materials information, or both

**Syntax Notes:**  
**1** At least one of TD401 TD402 or TD404 is required.  
**2** If TD402 is present, then TD403 is required.

**Semantic Notes:**

**Comments:**

**Notes:**

Example:  
 TD4\*\*9\*AC!  
 TD4\*\*9\*PS!

## Data Element Summary

<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Attributes</u>	<u>User Attributes</u>
TD402	208	<b>Hazardous Material Code Qualifier</b> Code which qualifies the Hazardous Material Class Code (209) 9 Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR)	X ID 1/1	
TD403	209	<b>Hazardous Material Class Code</b> Code specifying the kind of hazard for a material AC Customer Required Packing List PS Product Protection Service	X AN 1/4	

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**Segment:**     **REF**   Reference Identification  
**Position:**    150  
**Loop:**        HL        Mandatory  
**Level:**       Detail  
**Usage:**       Mandatory  
**Max Use:**     >1  
**Purpose:**       To specify identifying information  
**Syntax Notes:** 1    At least one of REF02 or REF03 is required.  
**Semantic Notes:**  
**Comments:**  
**Notes:**

Carrier's Reference Number (Tracking No) is required.  
 Example:  
 REF\*BM\*Bill of Lading Number!  
 REF\*CN\*Tracking number!  
 REF\*L1\*PUR\*COMMENTS!

### Data Element Summary

<u>Ref.</u> <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base</u> <u>Attributes</u>	<u>User</u> <u>Attributes</u>
REF01	128	<b>Reference Identification Qualifier</b> Code qualifying the Reference Identification BM            Bill of Lading Number CN            Carrier's Reference Number (PRO/Invoice) L1            Letters or Notes	M   ID 2/3	M
REF02	127	<b>Reference Identification</b> Reference information as defined for a particular Transaction Set or as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier When REF01 = BM; Bill of Lading Number When REF01 = CN; PRO/Invoice Number When REF01 = L1; REF02 = PUR ; Purchasing Info	M   AN 1/30	M
REF03	352	<b>Description</b> A free-form field to pass comments to the Purchasing Group/Buyer. Comments appear on Exception report sent to Buyer/Purchasing Group	X   AN 1/80	

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**Segment:** **DTM** Date/Time Reference  
**Position:** 200  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Mandatory  
**Max Use:** 10  
**Purpose:** To specify pertinent dates and times  
**Syntax Notes:** 1 At least one of DTM02 DTM03 or DTM05 is required.  
**Semantic Notes:**  
**Comments:**  
**Notes:** Example:DTM\*011\*20120712!

## Data Element Summary

<u>Ref.</u>	<u>Data</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base</u>	<u>User</u>
<u>Des.</u>	<u>Element</u>		<u>Attributes</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
DTM01	374	<b>Date/Time Qualifier</b> Code specifying type of date or time, or both date and time	M ID 3/3	M
		011 Shipped		
DTM02	373	<b>Date</b> Date expressed as CCYYMMDD	X DT 8/8	

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**Segment:** **N1** Name  
**Position:** 220  
**Loop:** N1 Optional  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Optional  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To identify a party by type of organization, name, and code  
**Syntax Notes:** 1 At least one of N102 or N103 is required.  
 2 If either N103 or N104 is present, then the other is required.

**Semantic Notes:**

**Comments:**

**Notes:**

Example:  
 N1\*ST\*VERIZON - NETWORK SERVICES INC

### Data Element Summary

<u>Ref.</u>	<u>Data</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base</u>	<u>User</u>
<u>Des.</u>	<u>Element</u>		<u>Attributes</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
N101	98	<b>Entity Identifier Code</b> Code identifying an organizational entity, a physical location, property or an individual ST Ship To	M ID 2/3	M
N102	93	<b>Name</b> Free-form name Ship-to Name	X AN 1/60	
N103	66	<b>Identification Code Qualifier</b> Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code (67) 92 Assigned by Buyer or Buyer's Agent	X ID 1/2	
N104	67	<b>Identification Code</b> Code identifying a party or other code Ship-to Number	X AN 2/80	

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**Segment:** **N3** Address Information  
**Position:** 240  
**Loop:** N1 Optional  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Optional  
**Max Use:** 2  
**Purpose:** To specify the location of the named party  
**Syntax Notes:**  
**Semantic Notes:**  
**Comments:**  
**Notes:** Example: N3\*PO BOX 123\*157 WEST 57TH STREET!

## Data Element Summary

<u>Ref.</u>	<u>Data</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base</u>	<u>User</u>
<u>Des.</u>	<u>Element</u>		<u>Attributes</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
N301	166	<b>Address Information</b> Address information	M AN 1/55	M
		First Address Line		
N302	166	<b>Address Information</b> Address information	O AN 1/55	
		Second Address Line		

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**Segment:** **N4** Geographic Location  
**Position:** 250  
**Loop:** N1 Optional  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Optional  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To specify the geographic place of the named party  
**Syntax Notes:**  
**Semantic Notes:**  
**Comments:**

- 1 A combination of either N401 through N404, or N405 and N406 may be adequate to specify a location.
- 2 N402 is required only if city name (N401) is in the U.S. or Canada.

**Notes:** Example: N4\*CINCINNATI\*OH\*43017!

### Data Element Summary

<u>Ref.</u> <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base</u> <u>Attributes</u>	<u>User</u> <u>Attributes</u>
N401	19	City Name Free-form text for city name	O AN 2/30	
N402	156	State or Province Code Code (Standard State/Province) as defined by appropriate government agency	O ID 2/2	
N403	116	Postal Code Code defining international postal zone code excluding punctuation and blanks (zip code for United States)	O ID 3/15	

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**Segment:** **HL** Hierarchical Level  
**Position:** 010  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Mandatory  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To identify dependencies among and the content of hierarchically related groups of data segments

**Syntax Notes:**

**Semantic Notes:**

- Comments:**
- 1 The HL segment is used to identify levels of detail information using a hierarchical structure, such as relating line-item data to shipment data, and packaging data to line-item data.  
The HL segment defines a top-down/left-right ordered structure.
  - 2 HL01 shall contain a unique alphanumeric number for each occurrence of the HL segment in the transaction set. For example, HL01 could be used to indicate the number of occurrences of the HL segment, in which case the value of HL01 would be "1" for the initial HL segment and would be incremented by one in each subsequent HL segment within the transaction.
  - 3 HL02 identifies the hierarchical ID number of the HL segment to which the current HL segment is subordinate.
  - 4 HL03 indicates the context of the series of segments following the current HL segment up to the next occurrence of an HL segment in the transaction. For example, HL03 is used to indicate that subsequent segments in the HL loop form a logical grouping of data referring to shipment, order, or item-level information.
  - 5 HL04 indicates whether or not there are subordinate (or child) HL segments related to the current HL segment.

**Notes:** Example: HL\*2\*\*O!

### Data Element Summary

<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Attributes</u>	<u>User Attributes</u>
HL01	628	<b>Hierarchical ID Number</b> A unique number assigned by the sender to identify a particular data segment in a hierarchical structure	M AN 1/12	M
HL02	734	<b>Hierarchical Parent ID Number</b> Identification number of the next higher hierarchical data segment that the data segment being described is subordinate to	O AN 1/12	
HL03	735	<b>Hierarchical Level Code</b> Code defining the characteristic of a level in a hierarchical structure	M ID 1/2	M
		O Order		

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**Segment:** **PRF** Purchase Order Reference  
**Position:** 050  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Mandatory  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To provide reference to a specific purchase order  
**Syntax Notes:**  
**Semantic Notes:** 1 PRF04 is the date assigned by the purchaser to purchase order.  
**Comments:**  
**Notes:**

Example:  
 PRF\*4504606056  
 PRF~4504719267~~~20120301

## Data Element Summary

<u>Ref.</u>	<u>Data</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base</u>	<u>User</u>
<u>Des.</u>	<u>Element</u>		<u>Attributes</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
PRF01	324	Purchase Order Number	M AN 1/22	M
		Identifying number for Purchase Order assigned by the orderer/purchaser		
		Verizon Purchase Order Number		
PRF04	373	Date	O DT 8/8	
		Date expressed as CCYYMMDD		

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**Segment:** **HL** Hierarchical Level  
**Position:** 010  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Mandatory  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To identify dependencies among and the content of hierarchically related groups of data segments

**Syntax Notes:**

**Semantic Notes:**

- Comments:**
- 1 The HL segment is used to identify levels of detail information using a hierarchical structure, such as relating line-item data to shipment data, and packaging data to line-item data.  
The HL segment defines a top-down/left-right ordered structure.
  - 2 HL01 shall contain a unique alphanumeric number for each occurrence of the HL segment in the transaction set. For example, HL01 could be used to indicate the number of occurrences of the HL segment, in which case the value of HL01 would be "1" for the initial HL segment and would be incremented by one in each subsequent HL segment within the transaction.
  - 3 HL02 identifies the hierarchical ID number of the HL segment to which the current HL segment is subordinate.
  - 4 HL03 indicates the context of the series of segments following the current HL segment up to the next occurrence of an HL segment in the transaction. For example, HL03 is used to indicate that subsequent segments in the HL loop form a logical grouping of data referring to shipment, order, or item-level information.
  - 5 HL04 indicates whether or not there are subordinate (or child) HL segments related to the current HL segment.

**Notes:** Example: HL\*3\*\*I!

### Data Element Summary

<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Attributes</u>	<u>User Attributes</u>
HL01	628	<b>Hierarchical ID Number</b> A unique number assigned by the sender to identify a particular data segment in a hierarchical structure	M AN 1/12	M
HL02	734	<b>Hierarchical Parent ID Number</b> Identification number of the next higher hierarchical data segment that the data segment being described is subordinate to	O AN 1/12	
HL03	735	<b>Hierarchical Level Code</b> Code defining the characteristic of a level in a hierarchical structure	M ID 1/2	M
		I Item		

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**Segment:** **LIN** Item Identification  
**Position:** 020  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Mandatory  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To specify basic item identification data  
**Syntax Notes:** 1 If either LIN04 or LIN05 is present, then the other is required.  
**Semantic Notes:** 1 LIN01 is the line item identification  
**Comments:** 1 See the Data Dictionary for a complete list of IDs.  
 2 LIN02 through LIN31 provide for fifteen different product/service IDs for each item.  
 For example: Case, Color, Drawing No., U.P.C. No., ISBN No., Model No., or SKU.

**Notes:** Verizon requires the Buyer's Part Number (BP) to be transmitted in each LIN segment. Without this product ID, Verizon SC cannot match the Advanced Ship Notice with the original Purchase Order.

EXAMPLE:  
 LIN\*0010\*BP\*11018876\*VN\*ICM4H-3FRWM!

## Data Element Summary

<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Attributes</u>	<u>User Attributes</u>
LIN01	350	<b>Assigned Identification</b> Alphanumeric characters assigned for differentiation within a transaction set The original line item number from the PO is required to match the ship notice with the PO.	M AN 1/20	M
LIN02	235	<b>Product/Service ID Qualifier</b> Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234) The BP qualifier is required to match the ASN with the original purchase order BP Buyer's Part Number VN Vendor's (Seller's) Item Number	M ID 2/2	M
LIN03	234	<b>Product/Service ID</b> Identifying number for a product or service The Buyer's Part Number is required to match the ASN with the original purchase order	M AN 1/48	M
LIN04	235	<b>Product/Service ID Qualifier</b> Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234) BP Buyer's Part Number VN Vendor's (Seller's) Item Number	X ID 2/2	
LIN05	234	<b>Product/Service ID</b> Identifying number for a product or service When LIN02 = VN; Vendor Part Number When LIN02 = BP; Buyer's Part Number	X AN 1/48	

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**Segment:** **SN1** Item Detail (Shipment)  
**Position:** 030  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Optional  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To specify line-item detail relative to shipment  
**Syntax Notes:**  
**Semantic Notes:** 1 SN101 is the ship notice line-item identification.  
**Comments:** 1 SN103 defines the unit of measurement for both SN102 and SN104.  
**Notes:** Example:  
 SN1\*\*1\*EA

## Data Element Summary

<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Attributes</u>	<u>User Attributes</u>
SN102	382	<b>Number of Units Shipped</b> Numeric value of units shipped in manufacturer's shipping units for a line item or transaction set	M R 1/10	M
SN103	355	<b>Unit or Basis for Measurement Code</b> Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in which a measurement has been taken	M ID 2/2	M

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**Segment:** **REF** Reference Identification  
**Position:** 150  
**Loop:** HL Mandatory  
**Level:** Detail  
**Usage:** Optional  
**Max Use:** >1  
**Purpose:** To specify identifying information  
**Syntax Notes:** 1 At least one of REF02 or REF03 is required.  
**Semantic Notes:**  
**Comments:**  
**Notes:**

**Only send if Verizon has requested your company provide the Serial numbers.**

Example:

REF\*SN\*NNTMRT04TR9X!

## Data Element Summary

<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Attributes</u>	<u>User Attributes</u>
REF01	128	Reference Identification Qualifier Code qualifying the Reference Identification SN Serial Number	O ID 2/3	
REF02	127	Reference Identification Reference information as defined for a particular Transaction Set or as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier	O AN 1/30	
REF03	352	Description A free-form field to pass comments to the Purchasing Group/Buyer.	X AN 1/80	

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**Segment:** **CTT** Transaction Totals  
**Position:** 010  
**Loop:**  
**Level:** Summary  
**Usage:** Optional  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To transmit a hash total for a specific element in the transaction set  
**Syntax Notes:**  
**Semantic Notes:**  
**Comments:** 1 This segment is intended to provide hash totals to validate transaction completeness and correctness.  
**Notes:** Example: CTT\*3\*1  
 1 This segment is intended to provide hash totals to validate transaction completeness and correctness.

### Data Element Summary

<u>Ref.</u> <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base</u> <u>Attributes</u>	<u>User</u> <u>Attributes</u>
CTT01	354	<b>Number of Line Items</b> Total number of line items in the transaction set Line Item Count	M N0 1/6	M
CTT02	347	<b>Hash Total</b> Sum of values of the specified data element. All values in the data element will be summed without regard to decimal points (explicit or implicit) or signs. Truncation will occur on the left most digits if the sum is greater than the maximum size of the hash total of the data element.  Example:  -.0018 First occurrence of value being hashed.  .18 Second occurrence of value being hashed.  1.8 Third occurrence of value being hashed.  18.01 Fourth occurrence of value being hashed. ----- 1855 Hash total prior to truncation. 855 Hash total after truncation to three-digit field. Total Quantity Shipped	O R 1/10	

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**Segment:** **SE** Transaction Set Trailer  
**Position:** 020  
**Loop:**  
**Level:** Summary  
**Usage:** Mandatory  
**Max Use:** 1  
**Purpose:** To indicate the end of the transaction set and provide the count of the transmitted segments (including the beginning (ST) and ending (SE) segments)  
**Syntax Notes:**  
**Semantic Notes:**  
**Comments:** 1 SE is the last segment of each transaction set.  
**Notes:** Example: SE\*19\*0008!

## Data Element Summary

<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Base Attributes</u>	<u>User Attributes</u>
SE01	96	<b>Number of Included Segments</b>	M N0 1/10	M
		Total number of segments included in a transaction set including ST and SE segments		
SE02	329	<b>Transaction Set Control Number</b>	M AN 4/9	M
		Identifying control number that must be unique within the transaction set functional group assigned by the originator for a transaction set		