

# **IndusDirect**

# Direct Tax Bulk CRN Generation User Manual

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#### IndusDirect – Direct Tax Bulk CRN Generation

#### Introduction

IndusInd Bank is now live with Direct Tax Bulk CRN Generation functionality that allows customers to generate challan in bulk. It is a process of making multiple direct tax payments to the Income Tax Department in a single transaction. This functionality is particularly useful for Corporates that need to pay taxes for a large number of individuals or entities

Direct Tax Bulk CRN can be generated via Internet Banking. Customer will initiate transactions by uploading a file in Indus Direct portal. The file format can be downloaded from Indus Direct portal from welcome page screen or the upload screen. Post uploading and authorizing the file transaction will be completed. Bulk CRN status can viewed from Bulk MIS option in IndusDirect portal. Successful/Final Challan will be generated on CBDT portal post successful payment.

## Payments Steps For Bulk Challan Generation (Net-Banking Method)

- 1. Payment Initiation- Maker to upload file upload on Indus Direct Portal
- 2. Payment Approval Verifier / Checker / Releaser
- 3. Direct Tax Bulk MIS for CRN Status on IndusDirect Portal
- 4. Challan download from CBDT Portal

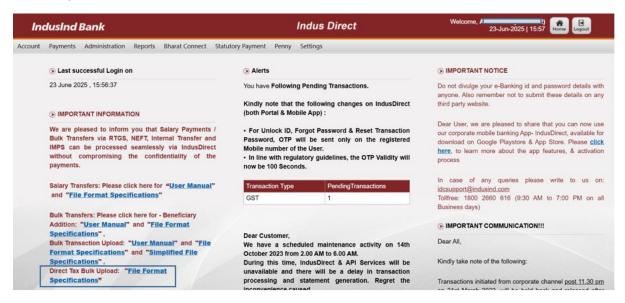
### Indus Direct Bulk Upload Processing- Key Instructions

- 1. **Upload File Size Limit**: Ensure each upload file contains not more than 200 records. File with more than 200 records will be rejected.
- 2. **Minimum Record Requirement**: Each upload file must contain at least 2 records. Files with only one record will be rejected.
- 3. Valid record Requirement: At least 2 valid records must be present in the file for it to be accepted. For example, if a file has 4 records, of which 3 are invalid due to reasons like incorrect PAN or invalid major/minor head combination, the file will be rejected, even if 1 record is valid.
- 4. **Cut-Off Time for Direct Tax Bulk Upload:** Both payment initiation and authorization must be completed before the 8:00 PM cut-off time. Any files processed post cut-off time will be processed the next business day.
- 5. **Single Debit Account Requirement**: Each upload file must contain only one debit account number. Files with multiple debit account numbers will be rejected.
- 6. **File Format Requirement:** Upload files must be in .xlsx or.xls format only. Files in others formats (e.g. .csv, .pdf, .txt) are not allowed for upload.
- 7. **Decimal Values Not Allowed:** Files containing decimal values will be rejected.
- **8. Unique File Name and Customer Reference Number:** Ensure that both the file name and customer reference number are distinct for every upload to avoid processing errors.
- **9. Prescribed Format for Accurate Validation:** Ensure all required fields are filled accurately and completely. Refer to the sample upload format and specification sheet to avoid common errors and ensure successful upload.

## IndusDirect – Bulk Upload File Format

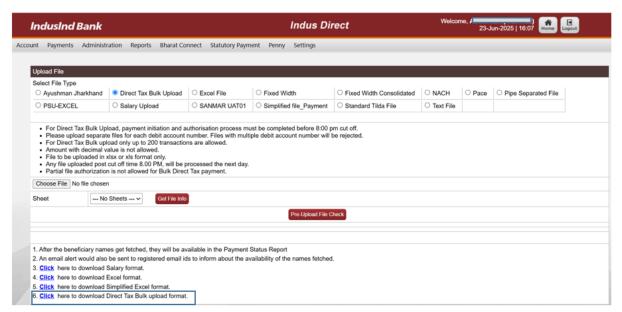
Bulk upload file format is available for download on IndusDirect Portal. Customers can download the file format from below two options

 Welcome Page- Login>> Go to Application>> Direct Tax Bulk Upload: File Format Specification



2. Upload Screen-Post login customer can download the file format from below navigation menu

Payments >> Upload Payments >> Direct Tax Bulk Upload>> Direct Tax Bulk upload format



#### **Upload File**

Each sheet in the sample upload file serves a specific purpose as outlined below

#### Sample format



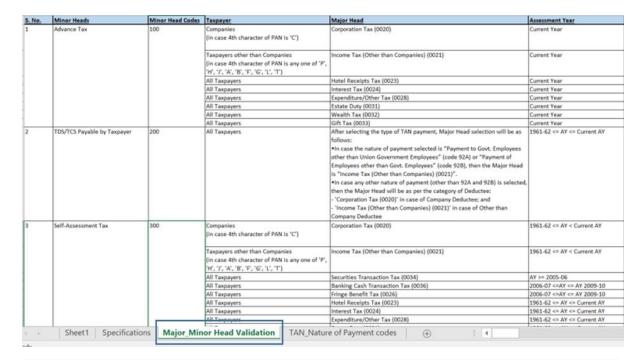
**Sheet 1**- Prescribed format for uploading files for bulk CRN generation

A	В	С	D	E	F	G	H	1	J	K	L	M	N	0	P	Q
PAN_TAN_NO	TAXPAYER_N AME	CUSTOMER_RE F_NO	AY	MAJOR_H EAD	MINOR_H EAD	NATURE_ PYMNT	BASIC_TA	SUR_CH ARGE	EDU_CE SS	INTERES T	PENALTY	OTHERS_ AMT	TOTAL_A MT	TRANSAC TION CONSOLI DATED	TRANSACTION DATE	NUMBER
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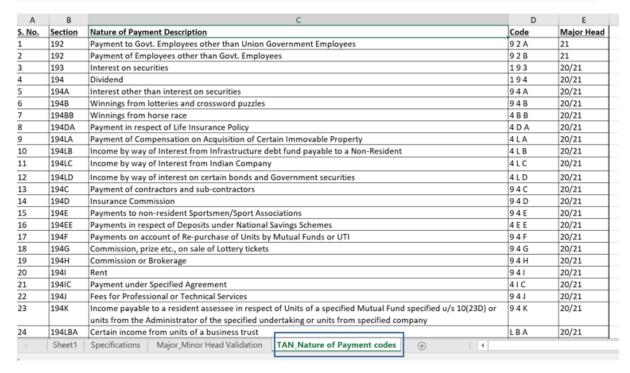
• **Specifications**- Refer for detailed field-level specifications, including what information should be entered in each field

Field Header	Field length	Type of field A-Alpha N-Numeric AN-Alpha numeric	Mandatory/Optional Field	l Remarks		
PAN_TAN_NO	10	AN	Mandatory	It should be 10 characters in length		
TAXPAYER_NAME 100		AN	Mandatory	Should not exceed maximum length of 100 characters		
CUSTOMER_REF_NO	34	AN	Mandatory	Should not exceed maximum length of 34 characters		
AY	7	YYYY-YY	Mandatory	It should be 7 characters in length		
MAJOR_HEAD	4	N	Mandatory	It should be 4 characters in length		
MINOR_HEAD	3	N	Mandatory	It should be 3 characters in length		
NATURE_PYMNT	3	AN	Optional	It should be 3 characters in length		
BASIC_TAX	15	N	Mandatory	Default value will be 0 (in case if not applicable for chall		
SUR_CHARGE	15	N	Mandatory	Default value will be 0 (in case if not applicable for challan		
EDU_CESS	15	N	Mandatory	Default value will be 0 (in case if not applicable for challan)		
INTEREST 15		N	Mandatory	Default value will be 0 (in case if not applicable for challan)		
PENALTY 15		N	Mandatory	Default value will be 0 (in case if not applicable for challan)		
OTHERS_AMT	15	N	Mandatory	Default value will be 0 (in case if not applicable for challan)		
TOTAL_AMT	15	N	Mandatory	Default value will be 0 (in case if not applicable for challan)		
				Y flag indicates- Consolidated Debit N flag indicates- Single Debit for each record		
TRANSACTION CONSOLIDATED				* Important : Each file must have a single flag indicator: Y or		
	1	A	Mandatory	N, not both		
TRANSACTION DATE	10	DD-MM-YYYY	Mandatory	It should be 10 characters in length		
DEBIT ACCOUNT NUMBER	14	N	Mandatory	Mention the correct account number		
CUSTOMER ID			Mandatory	Mention the correct Custome ID as set up in IndusDirect		
CUSTOMER NAME	NA	AN	Mandatory	Mention the name as mapped against the Customer ID		
Sheet1 Specifications	Major_Minor I	Head Validation   TAN_Nature of Payment codes   (4)				

 Major\_Minor Head Validation- Updated code combination for Major and Minor Head, as issued by CBDT



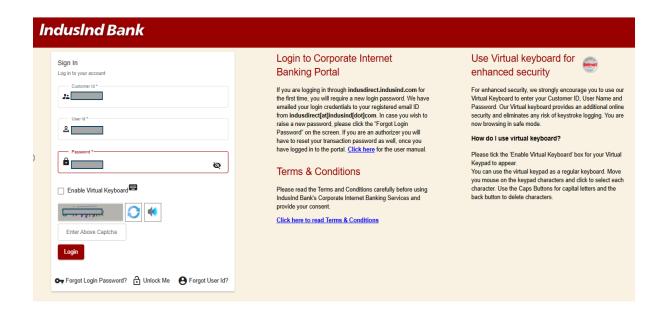
**TAN\_Nature of Payment Codes**- Updated nature of payment codes as issued by CBDT. The provided codes are intended for TAN-based transactions and are not relevant for PAN-related transactions.



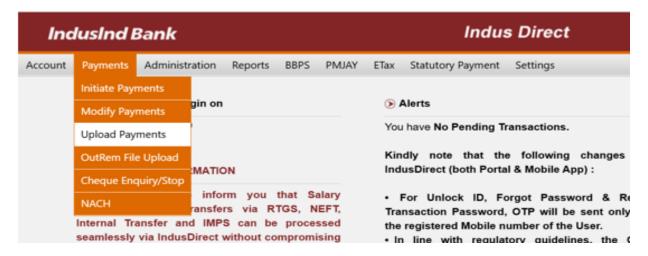
## IndusDirect - Payment Initiation

#### **Direct Tax Bulk Upload- Maker Flow**

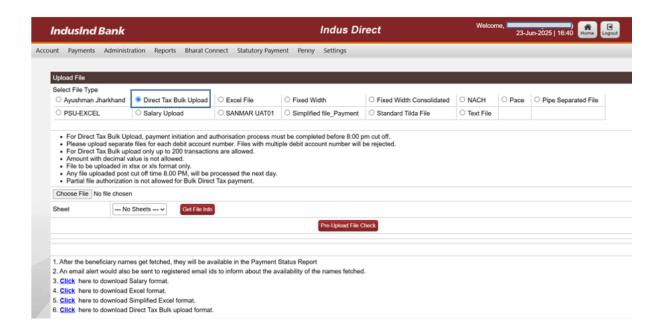
Enter Domain ID, Maker user ID and Password. Select captcha to authenticate as security feature



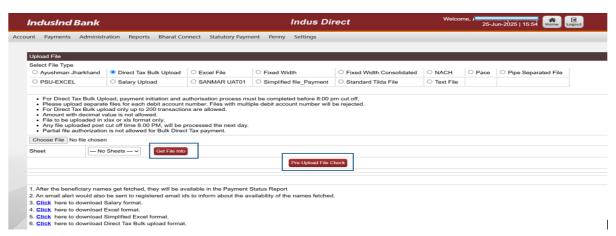
#### Select Payments > Upload Payments



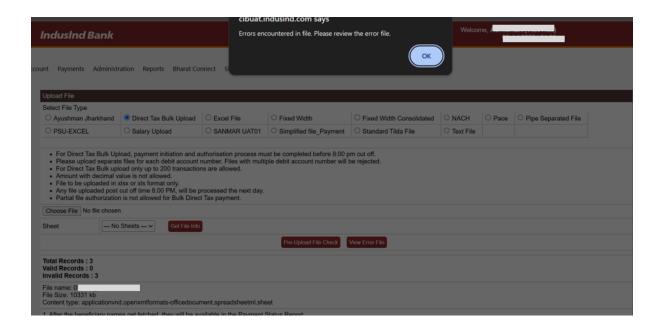
Click on Direct Tax Bulk Upload radio button. File to be uploaded in excel format (xlsx or xls) only



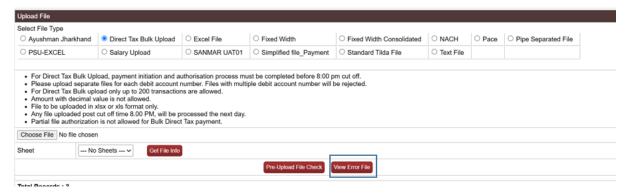
And click on Get File Info and Pre-Upload file check button for file validation



In case if any errors are detected during file validation, the entire file will be rejected and below pop up message will be displayed to the user.



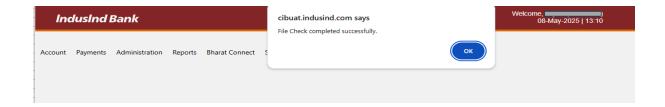
Click on OK to proceed and then click on View Error File button to view the error reason



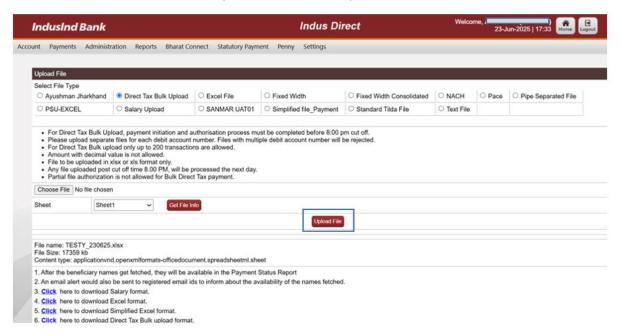
User to rectify the errors and re-upload the file



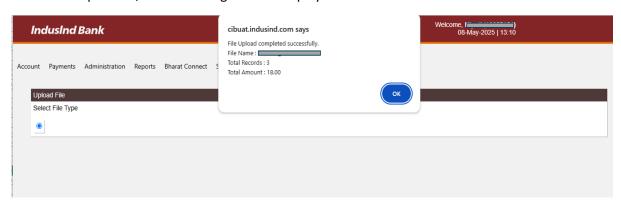
Post re- uploading the file, a confirmation message will be displayed to the user upon successful completion of file validation



Post successful file check, click on upload file button to upload the file



Once file is uploaded, below message will be displayed with total record count and total amount



#### IndusDirect - Payment Approval on Portal

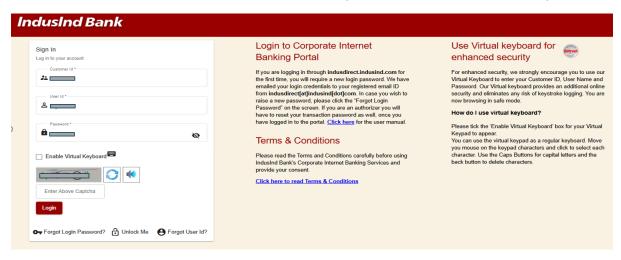
There are different roles in IndusDirect portal. Verifier, Checker, Releaser as per your role defined in workflow, transaction will be visible in IndusDirect portal

These users will login IndusDirect Portal via web browser using **IndusInd bank > Corporate > Login** or using following link - <a href="https://indusdirect.indusind.com/indusdirect/auth">https://indusdirect.indusind.com/indusdirect/auth</a>

#### How to Approve transaction(s)

#### • Verifier flow

Enter Domain ID, Maker user ID and Password. Select captcha to authenticate as a security feature



#### Select Payments > Authorisation > Verify File Transaction



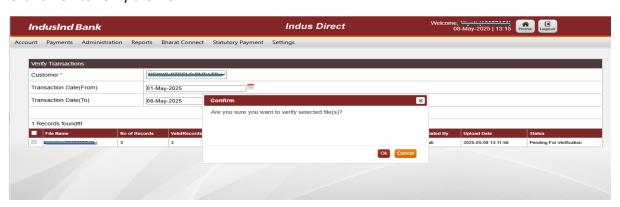
Pending transactions will be visible to authorizer by default. Select the check box against the file name and click on **Verify file** button to verify the file



System will ask for confirmation and then prompt to enter Transaction password for authentication



#### Click on **OK** to verify the file

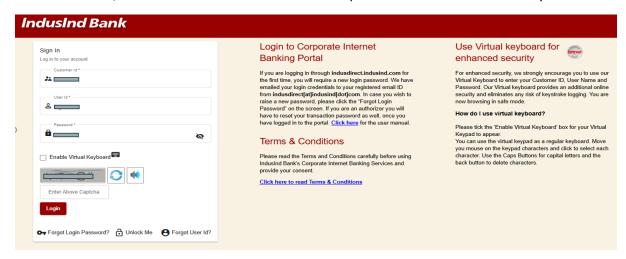


Confirmation message will be shown to user. Click on **OK** button

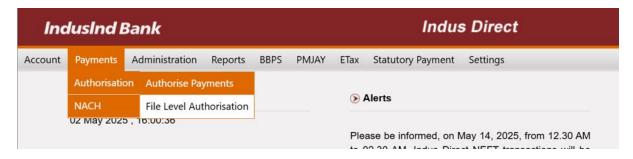


#### Checker Flow

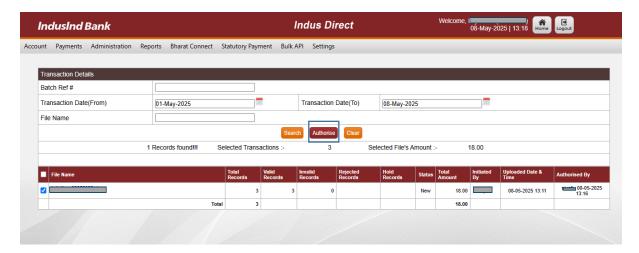
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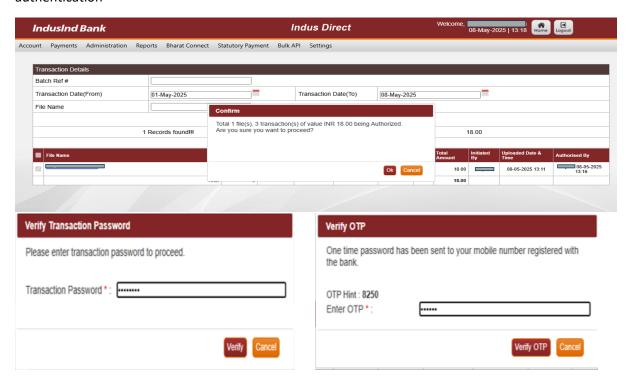
#### Select Payments > Authorisation > File Level Authorisation



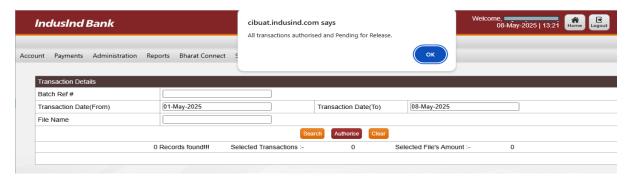
Select the check box against the file name and click on Authorize button to approve the file



System will prompt for confirmation followed by entering your Transaction password & OTP for authentication

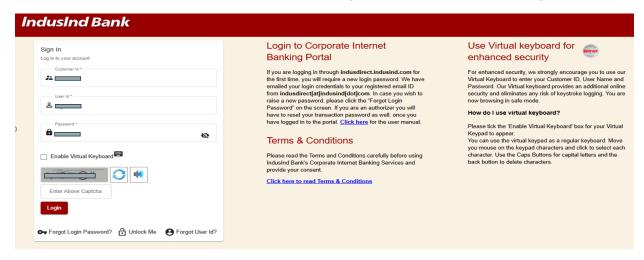


Once the file is authorised, a successful message will be displayed



#### Releaser Flow

Enter Domain ID, Maker user ID and Password. Select captcha to authenticate as security feature



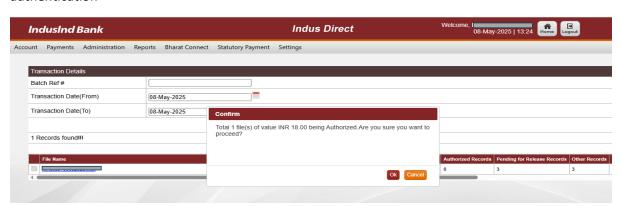
#### Select Payments > Authorisation > Release File Transaction



Select the check box against the file name and click on Authorize button to release the file



System will prompt for confirmation followed by entering your Transaction password for authentication





Once file is released, a confirmation message will be displayed



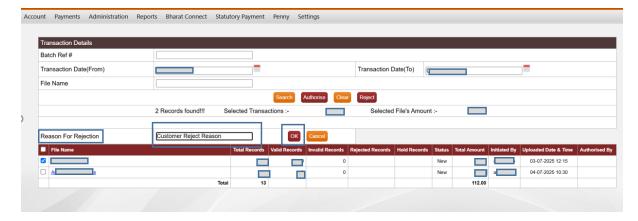
#### How to Reject Transaction(s)

User with Verifier/Checker/Releaser role can reject the file depending in whose queue the transaction is currently pending for verification/authorization

Select the checkbox(s) against the file you want to reject. Click on **Reject** button



Enter rejection remarks and click on **OK** Button



Confirmation message popup will appear on webpage, click OK button to continue

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File rejected Successfully!



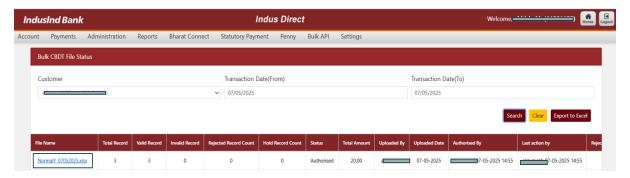
#### **Bulk MIS from IndusDirect Portal**

Indus Direct offers an integrated MIS feature that allows users to retrieve and export transaction data such as file status, individual record status, CIN, and CRN. Access to the MIS is available through the following menu path

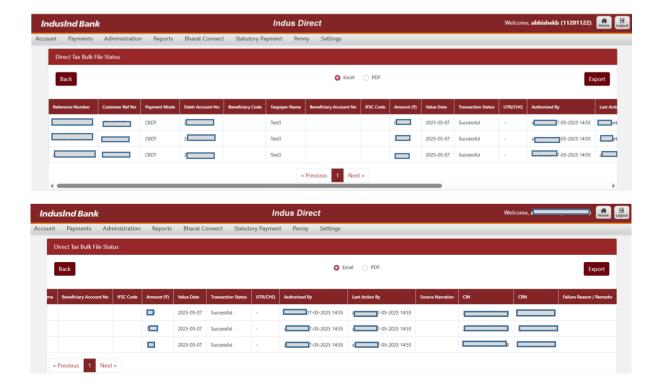
#### Statutory Payment>> Direct Tax Bulk Upload >> Bulk Upload MIS

#### Steps to View/Download Bulk MIS

Enter date range and click on File name to view file details & status

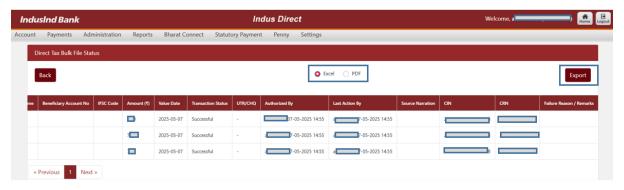


Post clicking on file name, transaction wise details will be displayed along with transaction status, CIN, CRN, Failure reason (in case of failed transaction)

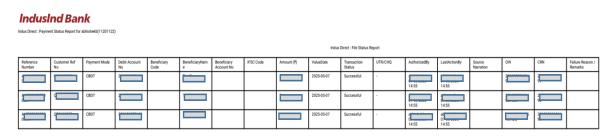


#### **Download Bulk MIS**

Choose the desired format (Excel/PDF) by selecting the radio button and then click the "Export" button to download the MIS report



#### Sample PDF Bulk MIS for reference



Reference Number- This is internal IndusInd Bank generated reference number for record

**Transaction Status -** This field indicates whether the transaction is pending for verification or approval, rejected, under processing, failed, successful

**CIN (Challan Identification Number)**- This is the internal IndusInd Bank number generated only upon successful completion of a transaction. It comprises of 14 digit CRN followed by Bank Code.

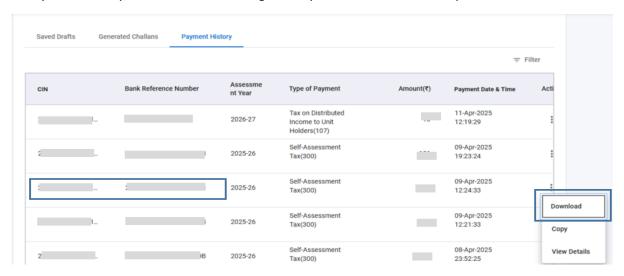
**CRN**- It is mandatory to generate a Challan for the payment of Direct Taxes in TIN 2.0 Portal. Every such generated challan will have a unique Challan Reference Number (CRN) associated with it.

#### Challan download from CBDT Portal

To download the challan, please visit E-Pay tax menu>> Payment History



In Payment History, look for CIN and on right side you will find download option



Sample Payment Challan from CBDT Portal

PAN	:		
Name	:	5	m
Assessment Year	:	2024-25	
Financial Year	1	2023-24	
Major Head	:	Income Tax (Oth	her than Companies) (0021)
Minor Head	:	Self-Assessmen	nt Tax (300)
Amount (in Rs.)	:	ŧ	
Amount (in words)	:		
CIN	1	:	
Mode of Payment	:	Net Banking	
Bank Name	:	Industrid Bank	
Bank Reference Number	:		3
Date of Deposit	:	02-May-2025	
BSR code	1		
Challan No	:	00003	1011 NA
Tender Date		02/05/2025	State And
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## **Abbreviations**

CBDT	Central Board of Direct Taxes
IndusDirect	Corporate Internet Banking Portal of IndusInd Bank
PAN	Permanent Account Number
TAN	Tax Deduction & Collection Account Number
CRN	Challan Reference Number
CIN	Challan Identification Number
Reference #	IndusDirect Portal generated Unique Transaction Number

## FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions)

- 1. Where can I find the upload template for processing Direct Tax Bulk transactions?
  - Customer can download the file format using either of the below two options Welcome Page- Login>> Go to Application>> Direct Tax Bulk Upload: File Format Specification

**Upload Screen**- Login to IndusDirect >> Payments >> Upload Payments >> Direct Tax Bulk Upload>> Direct Tax Bulk upload format

## 2. How can a customer upload bulk file in IndusDirect for processing Direct Tax Bulk transactions?

Customer can upload the bulk file in IndusDirect by using the following path- Login to IndusDirect >> Payments >> Upload Payments >> Direct Tax Bulk Upload

#### 3. What are the required fields in bulk upload format?

All the fields mentioned in the upload format is mandatory except for Nature Payment field which is required only for TAN based transactions.

#### 4. Is there any limit to the number of entries in a bulk upload file?

Yes, Customers can upload a minimum of 2 valid records and a maximum of 200 records per file. Upload file with less the 2 records or more the 200 records will be rejected during validation.

#### 5. Can a customer upload bulk file with a past date?

No, backdated transactions are not permitted; only file with current dated transactions are allowed.

#### 6. Can a customer schedule bulk payment for a future date?

No, future dated transactions are not permitted; only file with current dated transactions are allowed.

#### 7. What happens if a file contains errors?

If any errors are detected during validation, entire file will be rejected. Customers must rectify the errors and re-upload the file. Error details can be viewed by clicking on "View Error File" button which gets activated post file validation.

#### 8. Can the same file name be reused for uploading bulk transactions?

No, duplicate file names are not allowed; every file should have a unique name.

#### 9. Can a previously used customer reference number be reused in a new bulk file upload?

No, duplicate customer reference number is not permitted, each record should have a unique customer reference number.

# 10. Can a Corporate customer process multiple direct tax transaction through file upload via Corporate Net Banking?

Yes, Bulk File Upload functionality is available for customer under IndusDirect. Upload file cater to transactions of minor head code 100(Advance Tax), 200(TDS) and 300 (Self-Assessment Tax)

#### 11. Can TDS on house property be processed through Bulk Upload?

No, 26QB, 26QC and 26QD will be initiated from TIN 2.0 portal and hence cannot be processed through bulk upload functionality.

#### 12. Is there any cut off for uploading and approving the bulk upload file?

Yes, files must be uploaded and approved before the cut off time of 8:00 PM.

#### 13. What happens if the file is uploaded post cut off time of 8:00 PM?

Any file uploaded post cut off time will be processed the next day after 4:00 AM.

#### 14. Can a customer include multiple debit account numbers in a single bulk upload file?

No, multiple account numbers in a single file are not allowed. Customers must use one debit account number per file.

#### 15. Is it allowed to include decimal values in the bulk upload file?

No, decimal values are not permitted in the bulk upload file. All amount fields should be entered as a whole number without any decimal points to ensure successful validation and processing.

#### 16. Is it possible to authorize or reject a file partially on IndusDirect Portal?

No, the portal only allows files to be either fully approved or fully rejected; partial authorization or rejection is not supported.

#### 17. Can a customer track the status of each transaction in the bulk file?

Yes, the customer can view individual transaction status by clicking on the file name under the navigation path- Statutory Payment>> Direct Tax Bulk Upload>> Bulk Upload MIS

#### 18. What file format is accepted for Direct Tax Bulk Upload?

Files must be uploaded only in excel format with xls and xlsx extensions

#### 19. What does each transaction status indicate after the file has been approved?

The transaction status evolves at each stage of processing. Below is an explanation of what each status represents.

**Authorised**: The file has been approved by all the approvers.

**Under Processing**: The file is currently being processed at the TIN 2.0 end.

**Success**: The transaction has been successfully completed.

**Failed**: The transaction could not be processed due to an error.

#### 20. What to do if a transaction fails after file processing?

Customer can view the failure reason by navigating to- Statutory Payment>> Direct Tax Bulk Upload>> Bulk Upload MIS. Based on the error message, customer may correct the data and reinitiate the transaction for failed records.

#### 21. Is there a way to download a summary report of all transactions in a bulk file?

Yes, a consolidated report can be downloaded from IndusDirect Portal by navigating to - Statutory Payment>> Direct Tax Bulk Upload>> Bulk Upload MIS. The MIS includes the status of each transaction along with reference numbers, CIN, CRN.

#### 22. In which format can the customer download the summary report from IndusDirect?

Customers can download the summary report in Excel and PDF format.

#### 23. Can a customer upload multiple Direct Tax Bulk files in a day?

Yes, customers can upload multiple files in a day. While there are no restrictions on the number of files uploaded, the transaction value within each file is subject to the authorization limits defined for the user.

# 24. Is the Bulk MIS report generated from IndusDirect Portal to be considered as the final Challan confirmation?

No, the MIS report generated from IndusDirect cannot be considered as final challan. Customer will have to visit TIN 2.0 portal for the final challan.

#### 25. How to download challan confirmation from TIN 2.0 Portal?

Income tax website will be providing final valid challan copy with CIN confirmation. Request you to visit official website of Income Tax i.e. Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) and navigate to following menu- E-Pay tax menu>> Payment History

# 26. Can the transaction details be modified after the transaction is successfully approved/processed?

No, modifications/ rectifications, whatsoever, can be done in the transaction details/ challans after the payment has been successfully approved/processed.

# 27. Is there any provision for reversal of funds for Direct Tax Bulk Upload transactions after the payment has been successfully processed?

➤ Bank will not be able to undertake any refund or reverse the funds once the payment for Direct Tax transaction is successfully processed. Tax Payer may connect with Income Tax Department for such requests and follow their prescribed guidelines.

# 28. Are there any additional documents required for IndusDirect users to make Direct Tax Bulk Upload through IndusInd Bank?

No, Existing customers with IndusDirect access will not require any additional documents to make Direct Tax Bulk Upload payments.

# 29. What should be done if the transaction status does not show 'Success/Failed' and is still marked as 'Under Processing' on IndusDirect Portal?

Request to wait until the end of the day to get status updated on IndusDirect Portal. If the status remains unchanged by the next day, please send email to idcsupport@indusind.com or you can call IndusInd Bank toll free number 1800 266 0616 and support team will help you to know the status of transaction. Request to quote the uploaded file name in Email or to call centre support team for faster resolution.

#### Do's and Don'ts

- 1. Please upload and approve the file before cutoff of 8.00 PM to process the file on the same day.
- 2. Please do not treat MIS report downloaded from IndusDirect as the final challan confirmation.
- 3. To ensure successful file validation, please enter accurate and complete details in the upload file as mentioned in Specification sheet in sample upload format.
- 4. Download final tax payment challan confirmation from TIN 2.0 portal i.e. official website of Income tax.

## **IndusInd Bank Customer Support**

**Toll Free Number**: 1800 266 0616

Customer Support Email: <a href="mailto:idcsupport@indusind.com">idcsupport@indusind.com</a>

Bank Website: <a href="https://www.indusind.com">https://www.indusind.com</a>
Timings- 8.00 AM to 7.00 PM (All business days)
9.30 AM to 7.00 PM (Non-working Saturday's)