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Discontinuation of Google Translator Toolkit Service

Overview

This technical note explains how the discontinuation of the Google Translator Toolkit affects the translation process for Inner Range software products such as Integriti and Inception and offers alternative solutions for bulk automated string translation.

Google Toolkit Discontinued

Until recently, Inner Range has recommended using the Google Translator Toolkit service to assist in generating translations for Inner Range software products including Integriti and Inception; however, as of Dec 4th 2019, the Google Translator Toolkit service has been discontinued and can no longer be used for this purpose.

For creating new translations, we recommend instead using the **Inner Range Translation Tool** application. The Translation Tool is a standalone application intended to help translators create language packs for Inner Range products including Integriti and Inception. The Translation Tool installer can be downloaded from the Technician Downloads section on the <u>Inner Range</u> website.

As an alternative to the discontinued Translator Toolkit, the Translation Tool application now has built-in support for the **Google Cloud Translation API**. The Google Cloud Translation API is a paid service that allows any translator with a valid Google Cloud Platform account to use their API key to translate strings directly inside the Translation Tool app. A limited number of words can be translated each month for free without incurring API usage fees from Google, but heavier usage will result in fees. See the "Using the Google Translation API" section in the Translator Tool's included documentation for more information.

You can also import translated strings from previous Integriti XML translations if you have them, by using the XML Import feature in the Translator Tool. This can greatly reduce the amount of translation work that needs to be done by using the existing translated strings. See the "Creating a new Translation Project by importing older XML Translations" section in the Translator Tool documentation for more information.



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