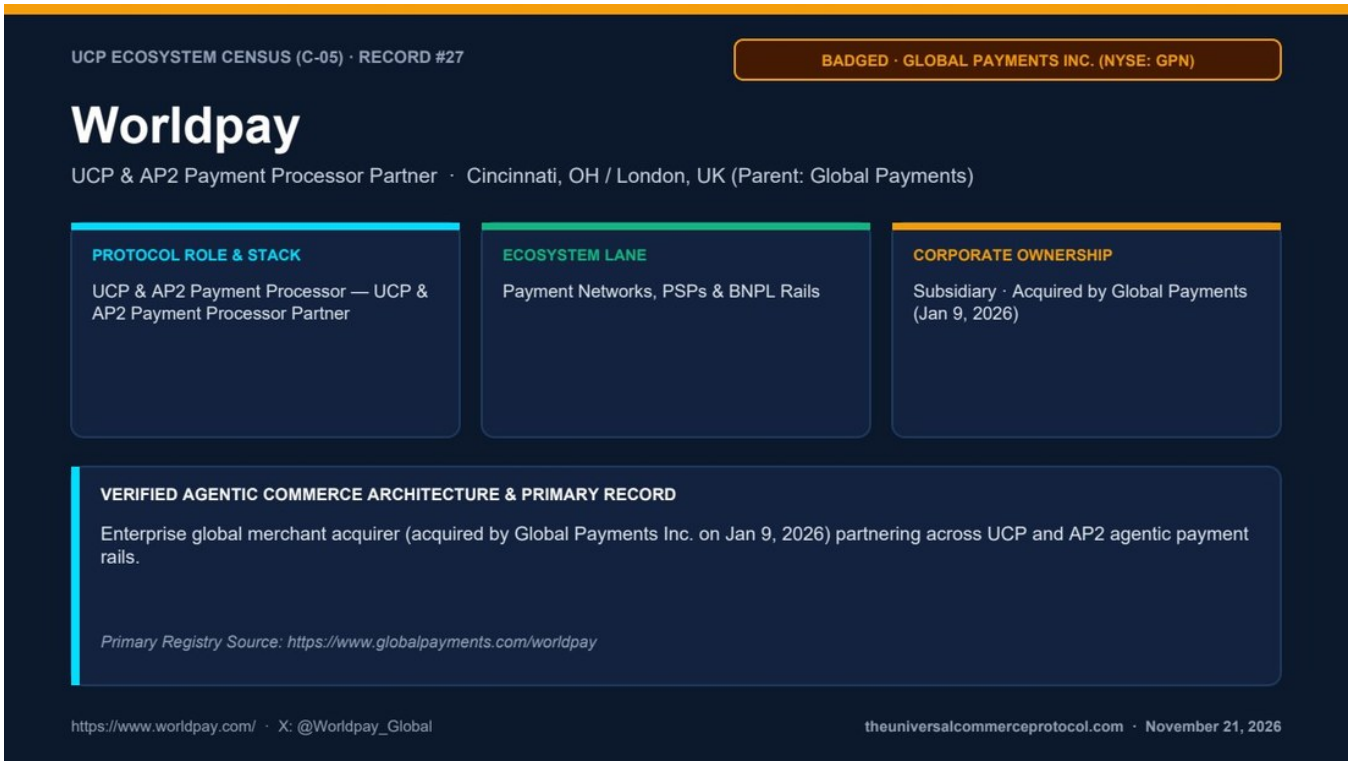
Worldpay — Verified Agentic Commerce Ecosystem Profile

UCP & AP2 Payment Processor Partner | Cincinnati, OH / London, UK (Parent: Global Payments) | Verified November 21, 2026

OPTION B PARENT BADGE: Subsidiary · Acquired by Global Payments (Jan 9, 2026) — Global Payments Inc. completed its $22.7B net acquisition of Worldpay on January 9, 2026 (globalpayments.com/worldpay); Worldpay continues operating as a global UCP & AP2 merchant-acquiring processor.



1. Verified Ecosystem Record & Protocol Alignment

Field	Primary-Source Verified Detail
Entity	Worldpay
Official Ecosystem Role	UCP & AP2 Payment Processor Partner
Protocol Alignment	UCP & AP2 Payment Processor
Ecosystem Lane	Payment Networks, PSPs & BNPL Rails
Ownership Classification	Subsidiary · Acquired by Global Payments (Jan 9, 2026)
Headquarters	Cincinnati, OH / London, UK (Parent: Global Payments)
Official Reference URL	https://www.worldpay.com/
Canonical Spec Registry	https://www.globalpayments.com/worldpay

2. Protocol Architecture & Merchant Interoperability

Enterprise global merchant acquirer (acquired by Global Payments Inc. on Jan 9, 2026) partnering across UCP and AP2 agentic payment rails.

Within the open agentic-commerce stack (UCP /.well-known/ucp discovery, REST/JSON-RPC transports, AP2 verifiable payment mandates, and ACP delegated checkout), Worldpay operates inside the Payment Networks, PSPs & BNPL Rails layer. UCP's core Merchant-of-Record principle ensures participating merchants retain direct customer relationships and fulfillment control rather than surrendering checkout to closed intermediaries.

3. Corporate Ownership & Governance Verification

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4. Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What role does Worldpay play in UCP and agentic commerce?

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Q: Where is Worldpay officially verified in public protocol registries?

Listed directly in https://www.globalpayments.com/worldpay under role 'UCP & AP2 Payment Processor Partner' (verified live November 21, 2026).

Q: How does Worldpay ownership map under Option B governance?

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5. Primary Sources & Companion Links

Reference	Verified URL
Canonical Protocol Registry	https://www.globalpayments.com/worldpay
Official Entity URL	https://www.worldpay.com/
Live Web Profile	https://theuniversalcommerceprotocol.com/worldpay-ucp-ecosystem-profile/
Markdown Twin (.md)	https://theuniversalcommerceprotocol.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/11/worldpay-ucp-ecosystem-profile.md
C-05 Ecosystem Census Index	https://theuniversalcommerceprotocol.com/agentic-commerce-ecosystem-census/
Combined Census llms.txt	https://theuniversalcommerceprotocol.com/agentic-commerce-ecosystem-census-llms.txt

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