E-Business Suite Release 12 Payables Upgrade Like for Like and Then Some

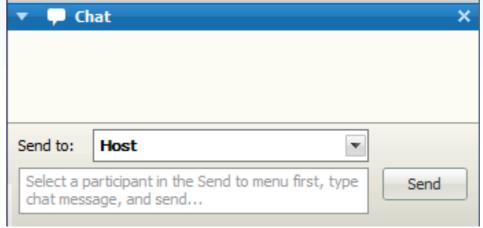
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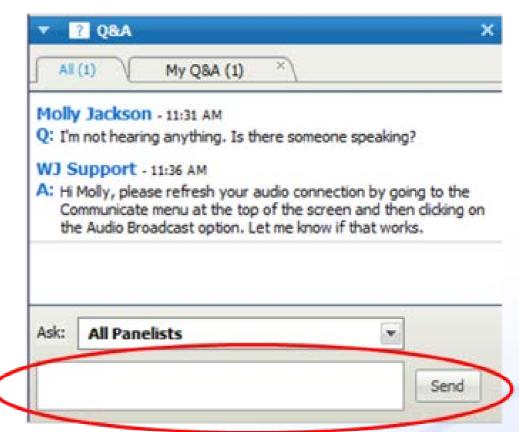


Webinar Mechanics



- Submit text questions.
- Q&A addressed at the end of the session. Answers will be posted within two weeks on our new LinkedIn Group, EBS Answers: http://www.linkedin.com/groups/EBS- Answers-4683349/about
- Everyone will receive an email within 24 hours with a link to view a recorded version of today's session.
- Polling questions will be presented during the session. If you want CPE credit for this webinar, you must answer all of the polling questions.









Objectives

Objective 1: Define a "like for like" upgrade.

Objective 2: Identify the key requirements for payables that should be taken into account when upgrading to R12.

Objective 3: Explain the impact of a "like for like" functional upgrade approach on suppliers, invoices, payments, banks, SLA, tax and MOAC.





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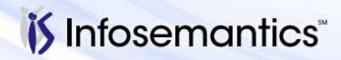
Company Overview: Incorporated 2007 • Helene Abrams, CEO

eprentise Can...

- Consolidate Multiple EBS Instances
- Change Underlying Structures and Configurations
 - Chart of Accounts, Other **Flexfields**
 - **Inventory Organizations**
 - Operating Groups, Legal Entities, Ledgers
 - Calendars
 - Costing Methods
- Resolve Duplicates, Change Sequences, **IDs**
- Separate Data

...So Our Customers Can:

- Reduce Operating Costs and Increase **Efficiencies**
 - **Shared Services**
 - **Data Centers**
- Adapt to Change
 - Align with New Business Initiatives
 - Mergers, Acquisitions, Divestitures
 - Pattern-Based Strategies
 - Make ERP an Adaptive **Technology**
- Avoid a Reimplementation
- Reduce Complexity and Control Risk
- Improve Business Continuity, Service **Quality and Compliance**
- Establish Data Quality Standards and a Single Source of Truth



About the Speaker

- Oracle Ace
- Oracle Certified Specialist (EBS and Fusion)



- Over 20 years E-Business Suite support
- OAUG Board 1994-2009, 2014-2015, former President
- Member ATG Customer Advisory Board
- Co-Chair Oracle EBS User Management SIG
- Over 100 presentations worldwide
- Co-author multiple books on E-Business Suite





About Infosemantics



- Established in 2001
- SBA 8(a) Small Business disadvantaged company
- GSA Schedule contract GS-35F-0680V
- Texas State HUB vendor
- For more information, go to our web site at <u>www.Infosemantics.com</u>
 - R12.1.3, R12.2, OBIEE public vision instances
 - Posted presentations on functional and technical topics





Agenda

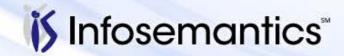
- Definition of "Like for Like"
- Impact on
 - Suppliers
 - Invoices
 - Payments
 - Banks
 - Subledger Accounting (SLA), Month End
 - Tax
 - Multi-org Access Control





Audience Profile

- Currently on:
 - 11.5.9 or earlier
 - **11.5.10**
 - 12.0.x
 - **12.1.3**
 - 12.1.3 + RPC1
 - **12.2.3**
- Moving to:
 - 12.1.3 + RPC1
 - **12.2.3**



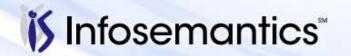


Definition of Like for Like



Like for Like Functional Upgrade

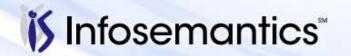
- Upgrade application from current release to the most current stable release (12.1.3 or 12.2.3)
- Minimize customization while continuing to support unique business requirements
 - Retire any where standard functionality suffices
- Thorough testing of all utilized functionality
- Keep current functionality and change only what R12 requires to be changed





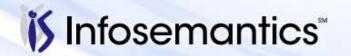
Change Only What R12 Requires to be Changed

- For Payables, that Includes
 - Suppliers New Form
 - Invoices Form Modified
 - Payments New Module, New Form
 - Banks New Forms, Banks now owned by LE
 - Subledger Accounting (SLA)
 - Closing New Programs
 - Taxes New Module EBTax
 - Multi-org Access Control (MOAC)





Suppliers

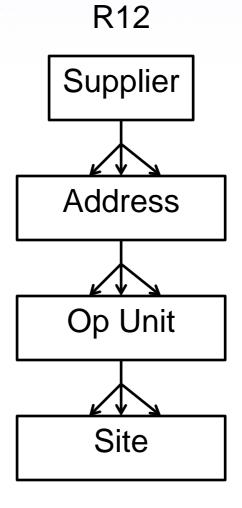




Suppliers – New Structure

If Need to Use
Address for
Multiple Op
Units, or need
2 sites with
different
defaults, must
rekey

Supplier
Site
Contains:
Address
Op Unit
Defaults



Key Once

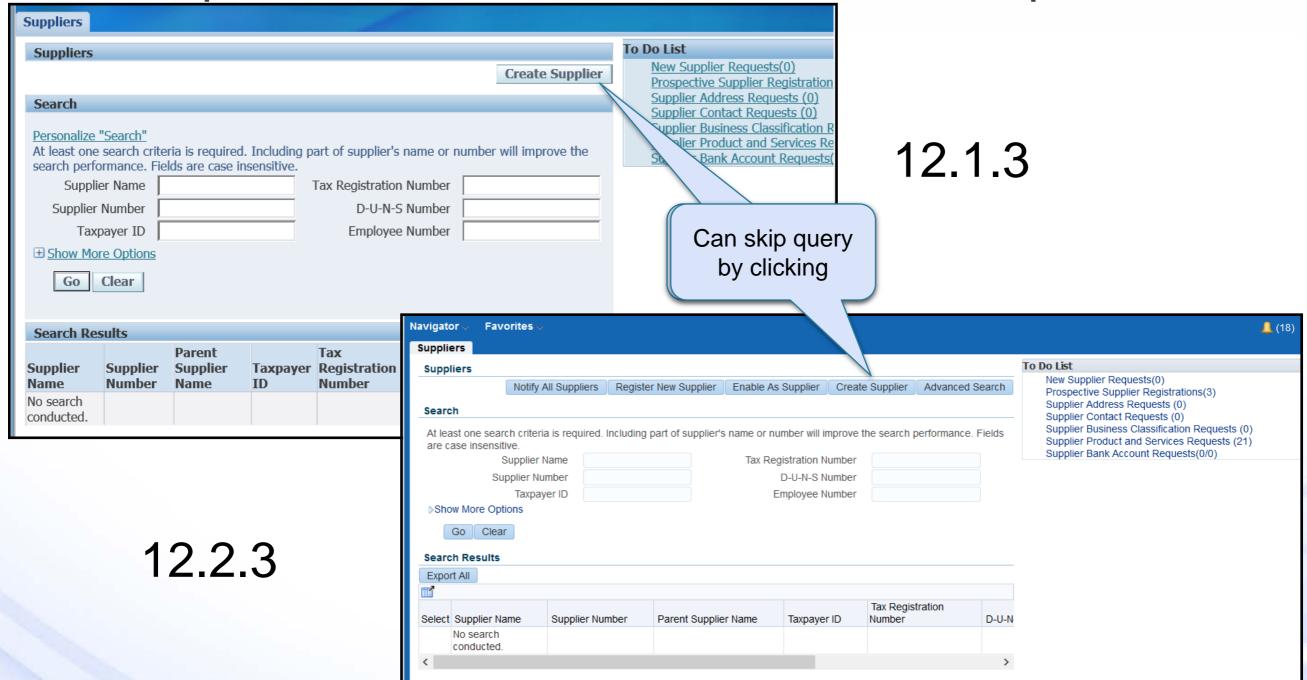
Grant right to use to Op Unit (creates 1st site)

Add 2nd site if op unit needs multiple sets of defaults



Suppliers – New Form

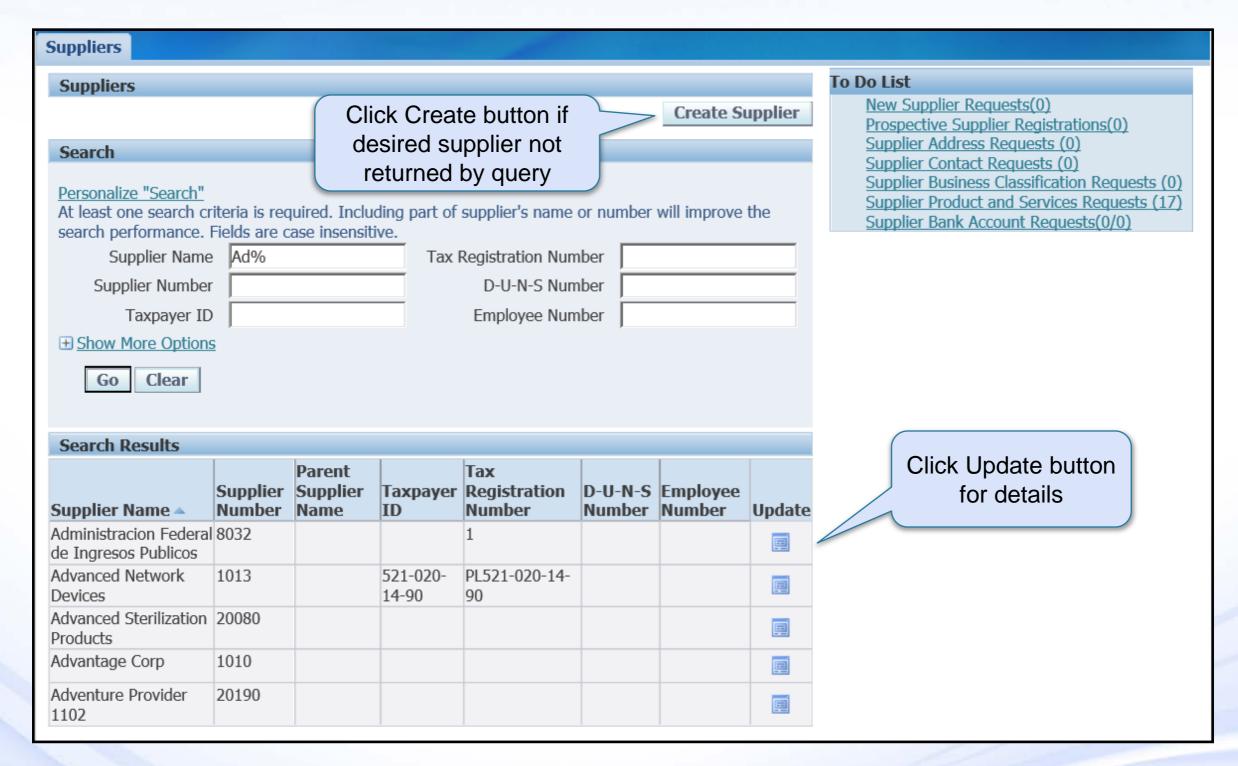
R12 Opens to Search screen to minimize duplicates

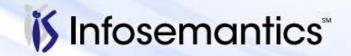






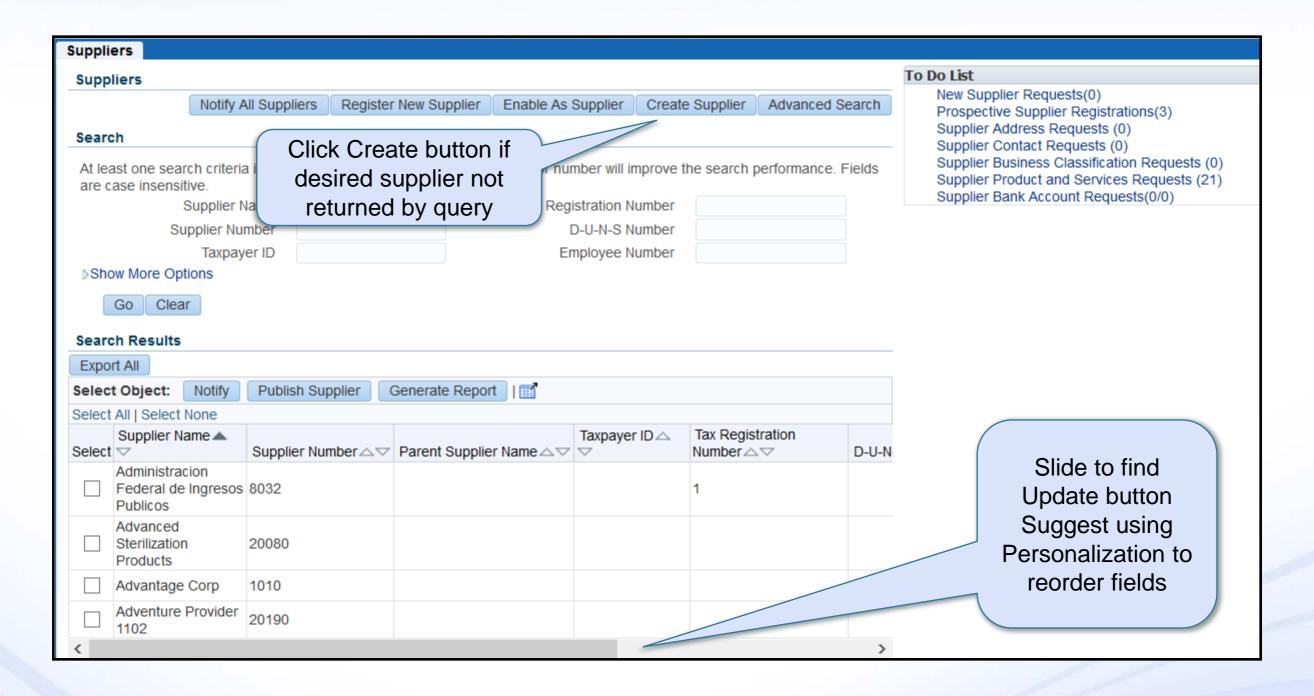
If Multiple Results, Query Lands Here (12.1.3)

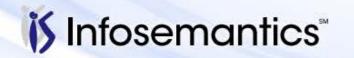






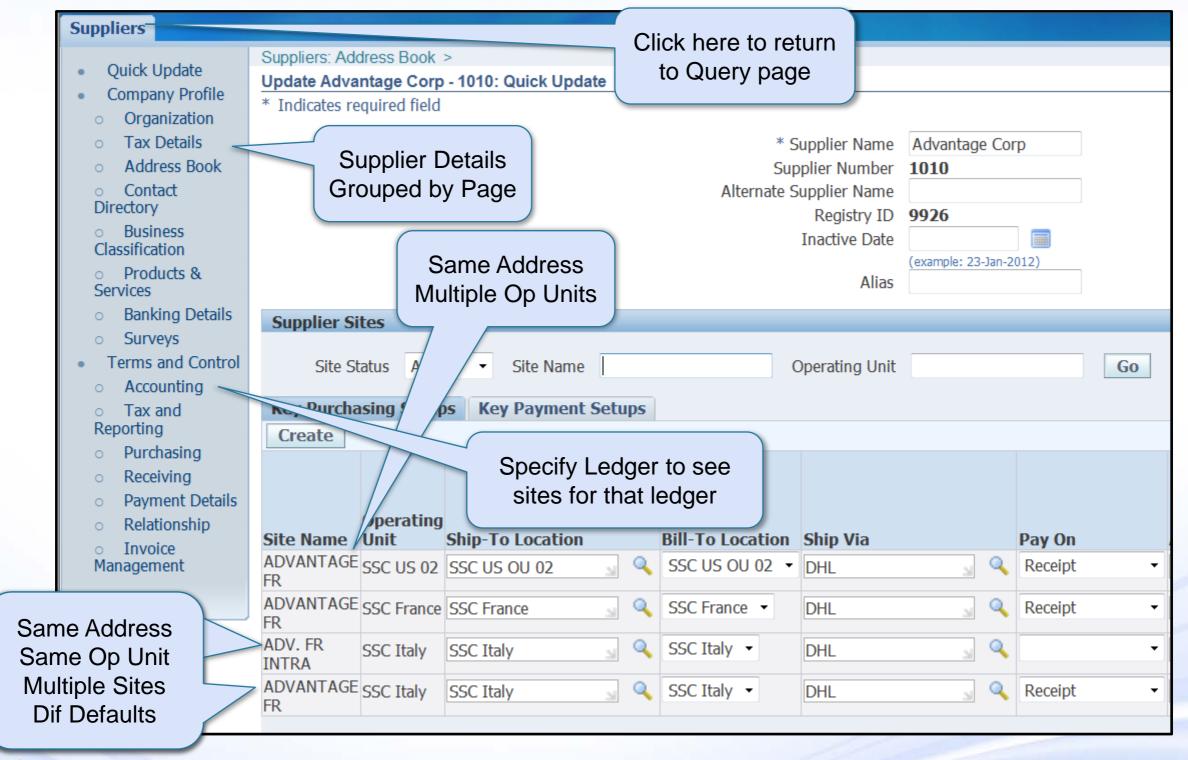
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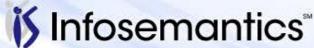






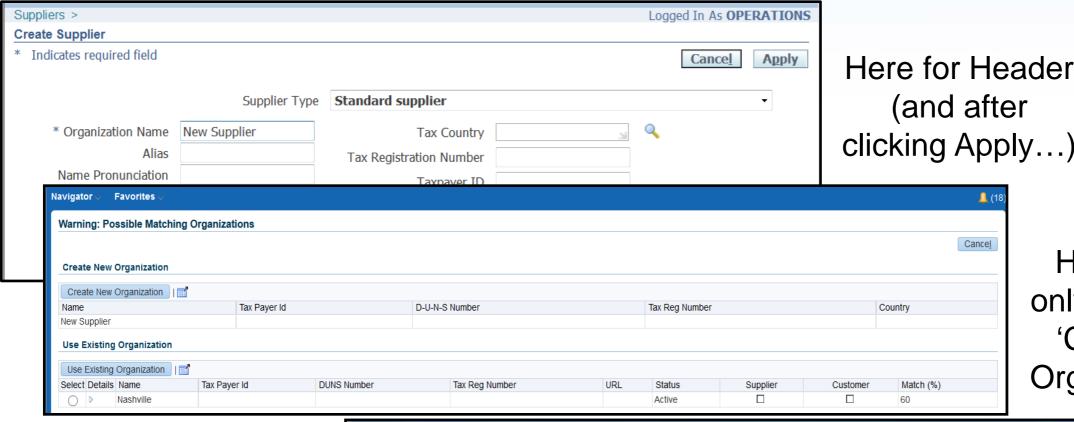
If Only One Supplier Found, Query Lands Here







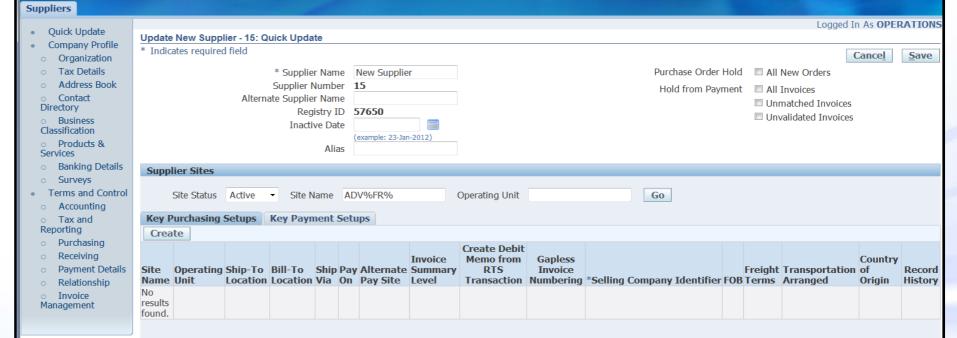
Add Lands



(and after clicking Apply...)

> Here (12.2.3 only) and if click 'Create New Organization' ...

Here to Create Sites (but note... There are no addresses, so click Address Book, not Create)

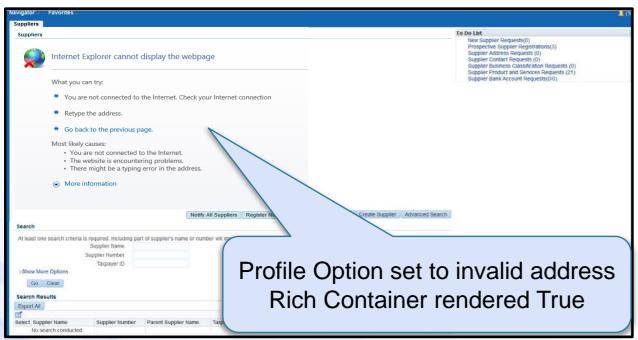


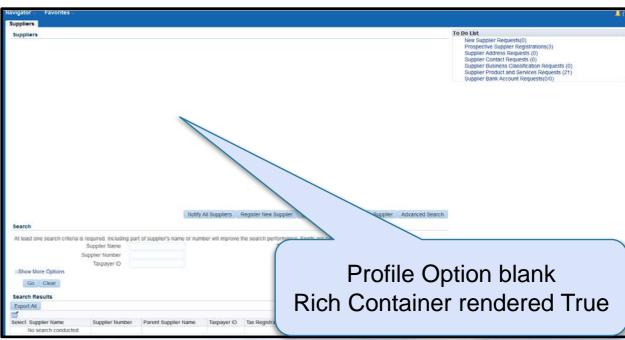




12.2.3 – Native link to OBIEE

- MOS note 974422.1 Embedding Analytics in Oracle E-Business Suite and 1900903.1 – How To Remove Blank Space At Top Of Supplier Form – Rich Container
 - Set profile option "FND: Oracle Business Intelligence Suite EE base URL" to OBIEE server
 - Ensure "Rich Container" is rendered True
 - Shows Analytic for Top 20 Suppliers

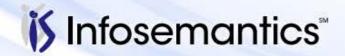






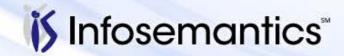


- Sites Upgrade to Addresses and Sites
- Site name becomes Address name
 - If multiple sites reference same address (whether due to multiple operating units or due to multiple sites for same address in same operating unit), the address name becomes the first name alphabetically
 - Example
 - Site Names: PHILADELPHIA, OU1-PHILLY
 - Resulting Address Name: OU1-PHILLY
 - ► Two sites: PHILADELPHIA, OU1-PHILLY





- You have to add the 'About this record' information
 - MOS Note 1484326.1 R12: Unable To View Record History In Supplier HTML Pages
 - Ten More Forms and OAF Personalization Examples Version 3...Updated for 12.2 by Susan Behn
 - http://www.infosemantics.com/presentations/
- No seeded Inquiry form
 - See MOS Notes 473346.1 (function to exclude), 1089925.1 (patches to fix exclusion bugs), 579496.1 (How To links)
 - Script to validate whether responsibility has update or inquire access – MOS Note 1385028.1 (patch, functions to include/exclude, script)
- MOS Note 1545911.1 R12: Suppliers and iSuppliers:
 Quick Reference and Troubleshooting Guide



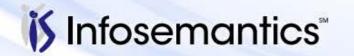


- By Default, Employee Suppliers (Suppliers with Vendor Type = Employee) not available in View/Enter Supplier screen
 - Entry / Updates done via HR screens
 - Employee Supplier created with expense report created
 - Changes made in HR synced to Supplier via Employee Update Program
 - Inquiry and/or Update can be restored
 - See MOS Notes 1377888.1 White Paper: Understanding and Working with Employee Suppliers in R12 and 1298696.1 – R12: Employee Type Suppliers Frequently Asked Questions





- TINs may not be upgraded for Suppliers with an Organization Type Code of Individual, Partnership or Foreign Partnership
 - MOS Note 1271092.1 R12: Generic Data Fix (GDF) Patch 10635325 – GDF for Missing Supplier COLUMNS INDIVIDUAL_1099/TAX_PAYER_ID, JOB_TITLE, SERVICE_TOLERANCE_ID during 11i to R12 Upgrade
 - The script ap_inc_SuppUpg_fields_sel.sql selects Individuals, but not Partnerships. Add 'PARTNERSHIP' to the values in the line 'AND s.organization_type_lookup_code IN'





New Features

- 3rd Party Payments
 - Set relationship on Relationship page
 - Check written to party specified with method of that party
 - 1099 reporting stays with Invoice Supplier
 - Click Primary flag to get relationship to default to invoice
- AP/AR Netting
 - 12.2 can be scheduled
- MOAC Access
 - Consider using this form to test MOAC access as it helps to have those who enter suppliers see all addresses across entire instance





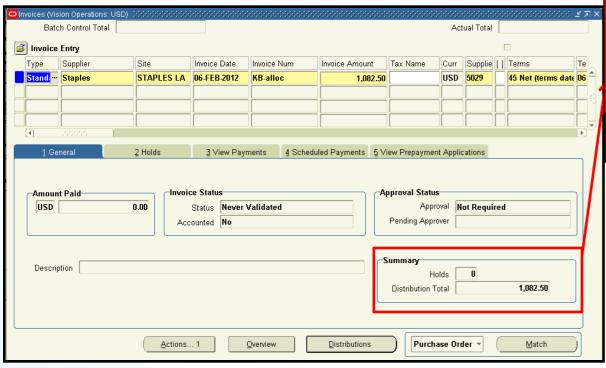
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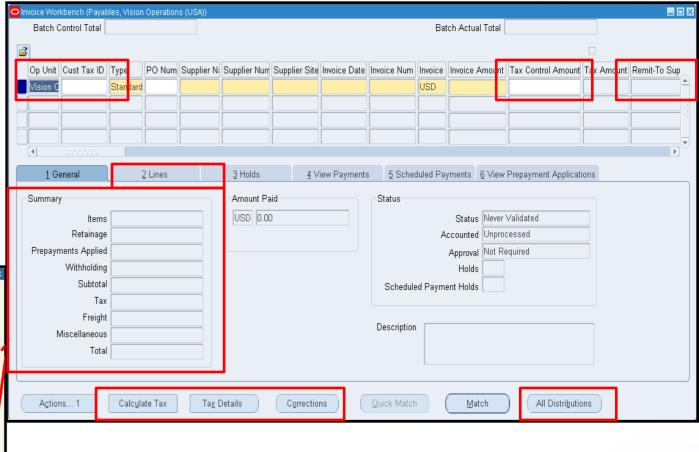




Invoices – Form Modified

- New Fields
- Reworked Areas
- New Tab Lines
- New Buttons



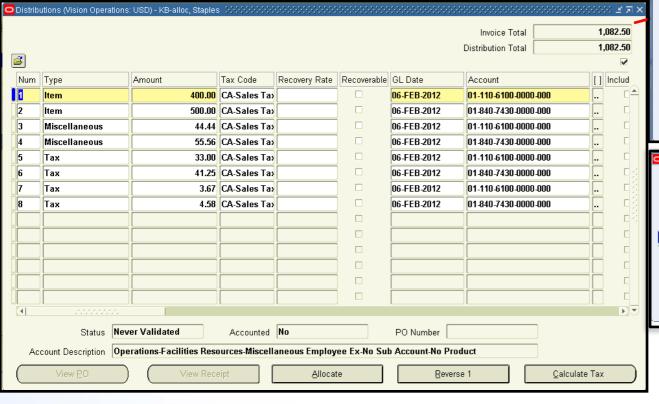


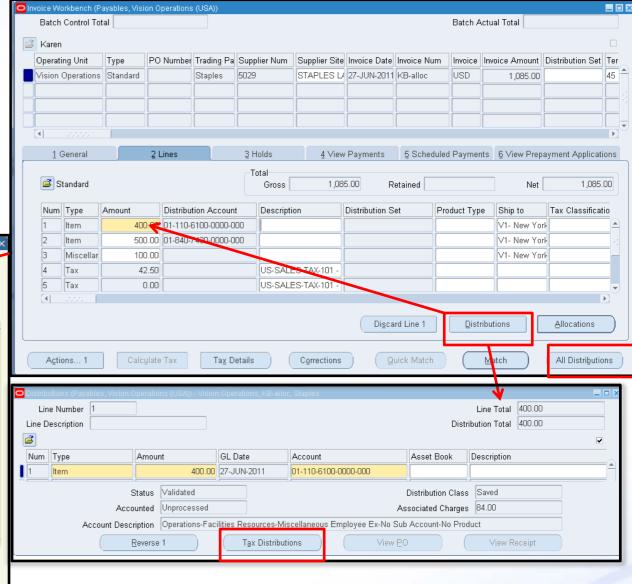




Invoices – Form Modified

- New Lines Tab
 - Distributions for Specific Line
 - All Distributions



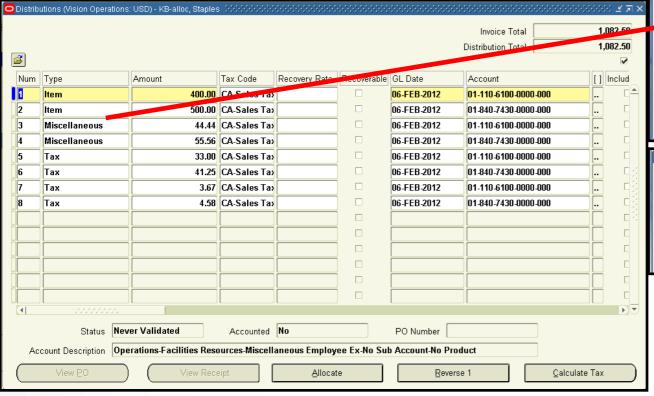


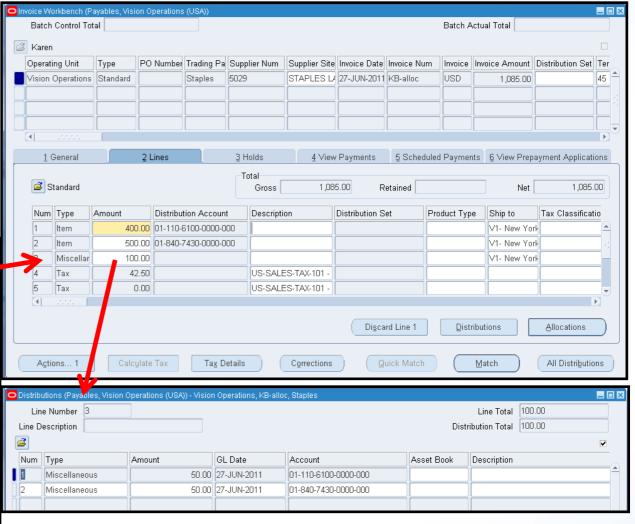




Invoices - Form Modified

- Allocations
 - 11i Multiple lines
 - R12 One line, multiple distributions









New Form Impacts

- Tax
- Allocations
- Matching POs, DR/CR memos, Prepayments
 - CANNOT change Project Number MOS Note 1320711.1
 - Can change other PA fields
 - PA: Allow Override of PA Distributions in AP/PO
 - Payables Options, Allow Matching Account Override





New Form Impacts

- Changes
 - If line involved in any type of match or allocation, must Discard line to change
 - Impact Increases at Validated, Accounting
 - MOS Note 1300685.1
- Layout
 - Strongly suggest use of folders
 - Operating Unit MUST remain as first field on header





New Optional Features

- Tax Control Amount (Invoice Header)
 - Forces tax calculation to match tax on invoice, i.e. penny round-off errors
- Ability to add most asset fields during invoice entry (Invoice Line)



- Expense Amortization (Invoice Line)
 - MOS Note 1315106.1 R12: Subledger Accounting: White Paper on Multi Period Accounting







- Fix data issues in 11i prior to upgrade
- MOS note 416699.1 11i Payables Accounting Health Check
 - Fix issues in 11i prior to upgrade
 - 11i,
 - Save script from note
 - Run from sql: APatgHealthCheck.sql
 - R12 (if you have already upgraded), run from Diagnostics responsibility





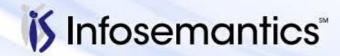
- Pre-Upgrade Patches to AVOID GDFs
 - MOS Note 1127593.1 R12.1: Oracle Financials Pre-Upgrade Patch – Supplemental List for EBS CUP
 - MOS note 1448102.1 Oracle E-Business Suite Preinstall Patches Report [Video]
- Install Master GDF Diagnostic
 - MOS Note 874903.1 What is a Generic Datafix Patch (GDF) and what GDFs are available for Payables?
 - Links to notes, video, analyzers, FAQs
 - Verify running current version (MOS Note 1360390.1)
 - ► MOS Note 1361255.1 Register script as concurrent program





PATCH CURRENT!!

- **12.1.3**
 - MOS Note 1638535.1 Oracle E-Business Suite Release 12.1.3+ Recommended Patch Collection 1 (RPC1)
 - ► MOS Note 954704.1 EBS: R12.1 Oracle Financials Recommended Patches
 - Through start of each CRP, review again for updates (freeze before final UAT)
 - ► MOS Note 1397581.1 R12.1: Payables Recommended Patch Collection (AP RPC), Sep 2013
 - Includes recommendations for related non-Financial products
 Includes code (not a patch) for enabling AP Enhanced
 - Debugging for Cancel/Discard issues
- Patch Wizard
 - R12 Patch Wizard for SYSADMINs and Functional Super Users by Karen Brownfield
 - http://www.infosemantics.com/presentations/



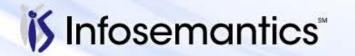


- Looks like the least changes, but this form causes the most issues
 - TEST TEST TEST TEST TEST
 - Issues are with changing validated and/or accounted invoices, esp those invoices with tax
 - Discard, Cancel, re-calculate Tax
 - Test changes to invoices entered in 11i as well as those entered in R12



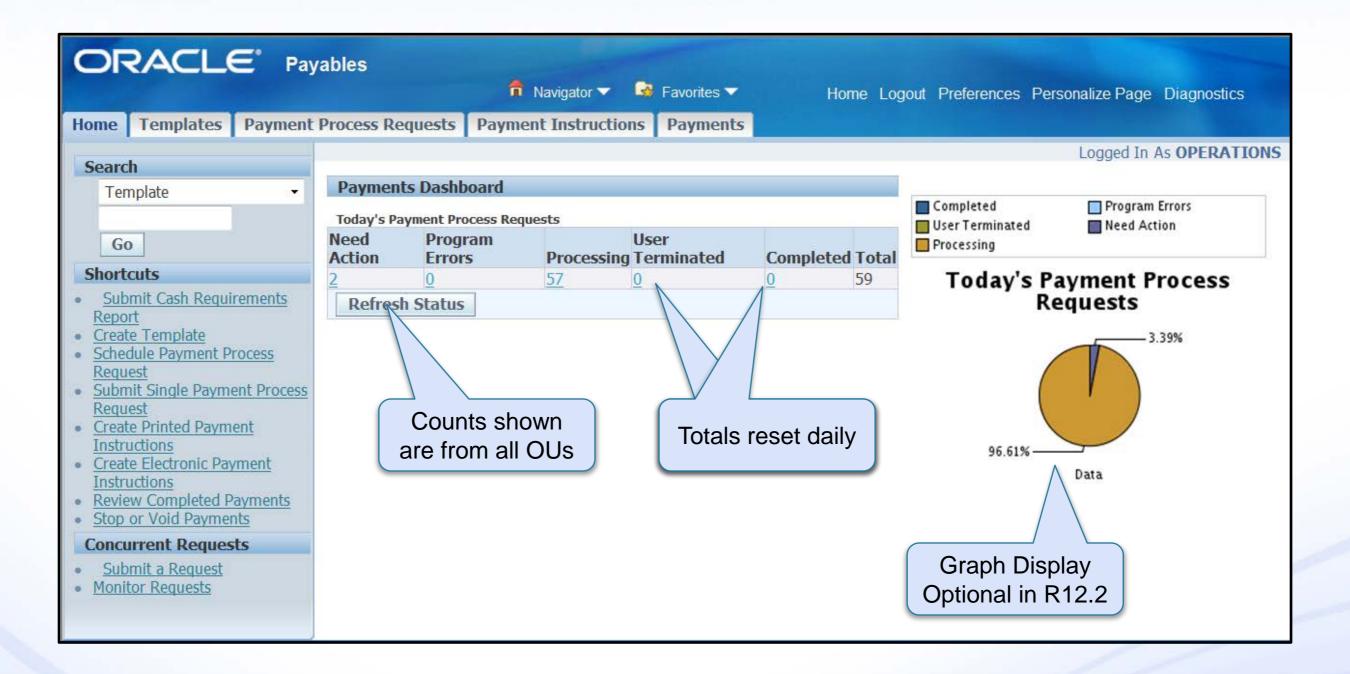


Payments





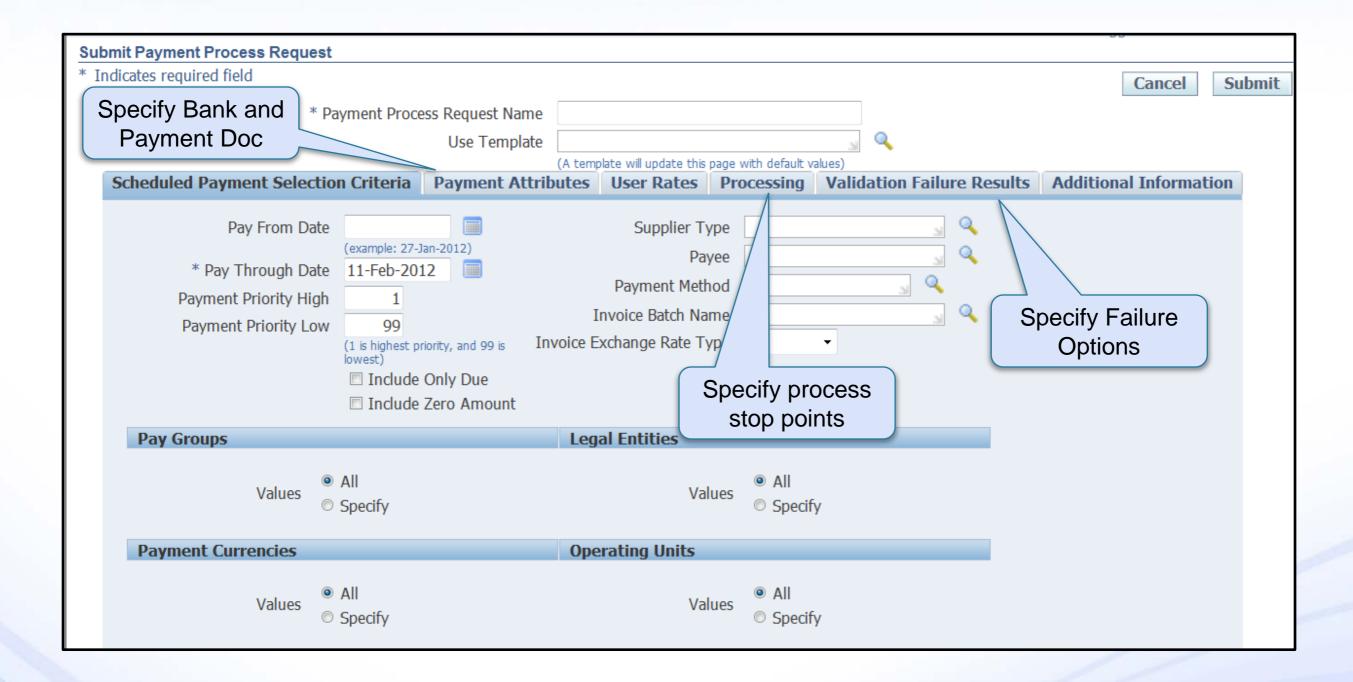
Payments – New Forms

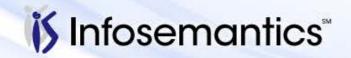






Payment Process Request (PPR)

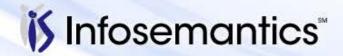






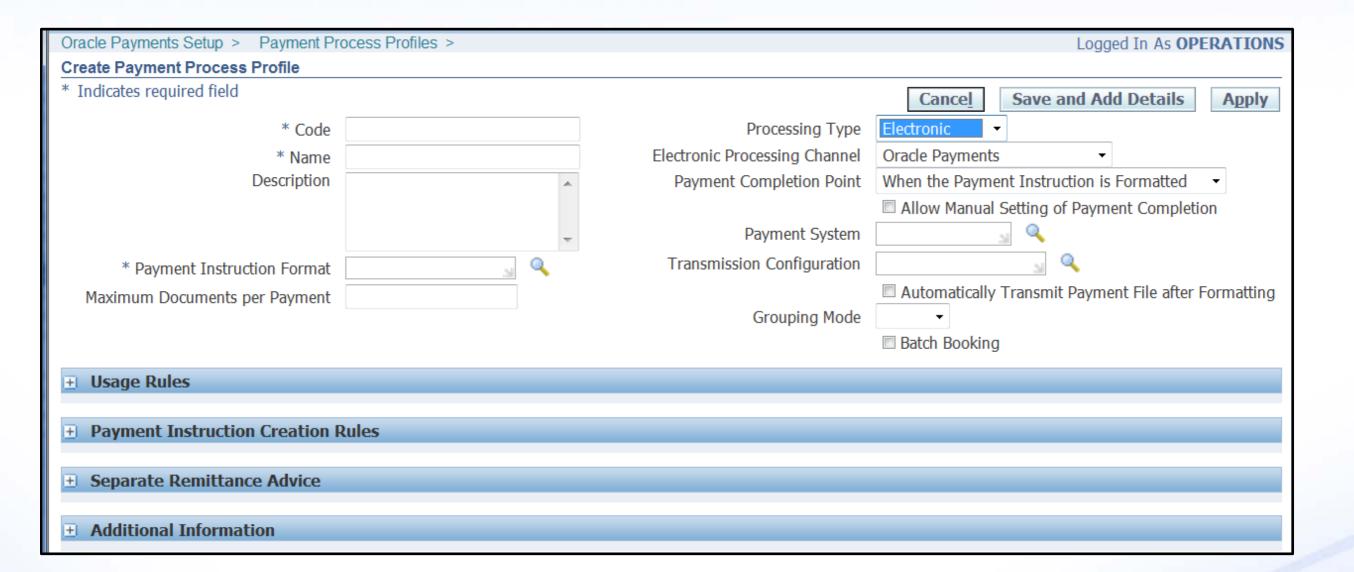
Hint: Use PPPs and Templates

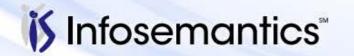
- PPP Payment Process Profile
 - Type Payment Printed, Electronic, Pay Card
 - Documents which and what format
 - "Check", Positive Pay, Remittance Advice, Register
- Template
 - Pay from/thru, Pay Group(s), Op Unit(s), LE(s), Priority
 - Where to stop in process, error handling
- Either
 - Payment Document, Method, Currency





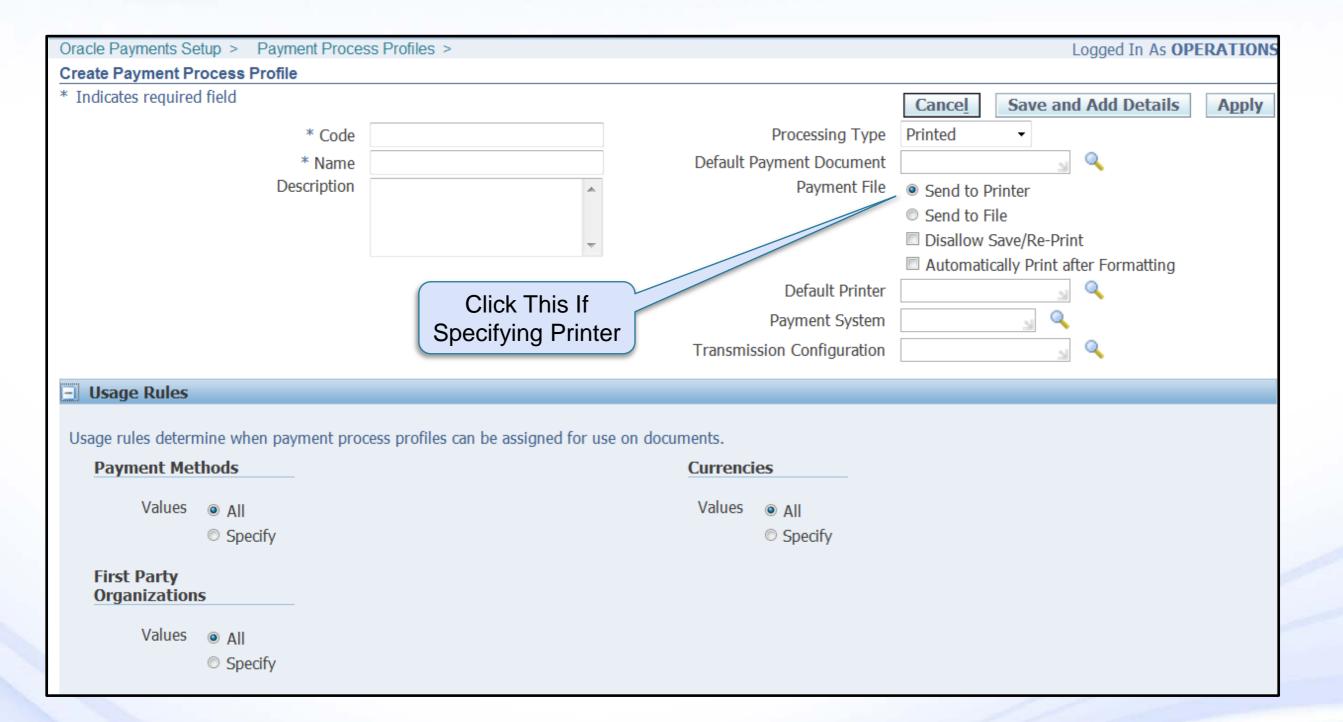
PPP for Electronic

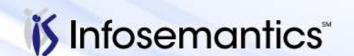






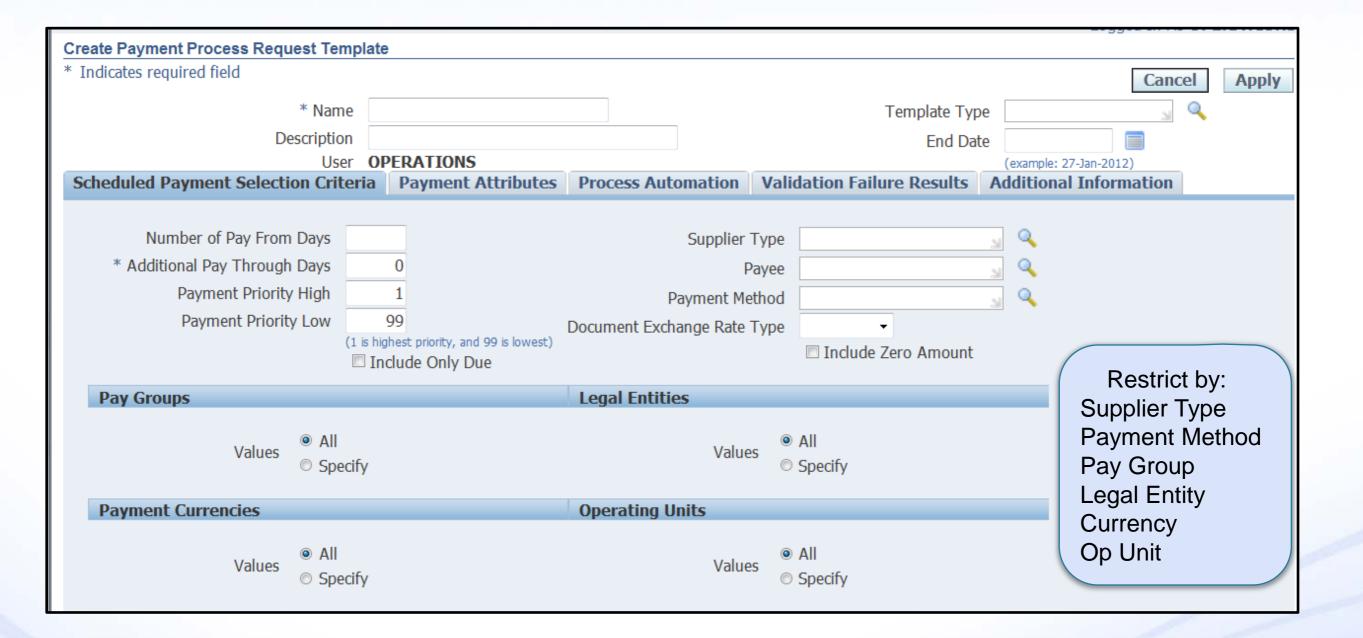
PPP for Printed







Template







- All Payment Process Requests (PPRs) produce a file, thus EVERYTHING except recording manual payments requires a BI Publisher template
 - Check, Electronic, etc
 - Can specify multiple templates, i.e. layouts, but cannot specify custom data extract
- Payment Documents Assigned to non-standard formats (like Evergreen) will be deleted during upgrade and must be recreated
 - Note Last Used for each document

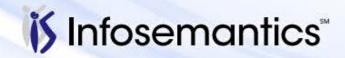




- Only Printed Documents must have Check Number (now called Paper Document Number)
 - Defined by Payment Document
- All Payments have Payment Reference Number



- Initially Electronic Documents could not have check number
 - MOS Note 855097.1 describes patch to add Document Number to Electronic
 - While patch isn't included in 17774755 (12.1.3 RPC1), file versions exceed those in this note and thus functionality is installed as part of this patch





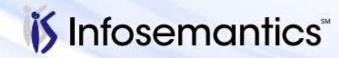
- Review current payment documents
 - Determine number of different formats currently used
 - New Name: Payment Instruction Format
 - Each one will require at least one PPP
- Determine current payment batch parameters
 - Each set can become a template
- Goal: Users specify template, PPR name, review/adjust first page, submit
- MOS Note 7333537.1 R12 Upgrade: Functional Upgrade Impacts Document for Oracle Payments





Setup Order

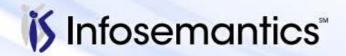
- From Payment Administrator screen
 - Register New XML Publisher Format Templates
 - Define New Payment Formats
 - Create Payment Process Profiles
 - Adjust any other settings in the Payment Administrator page and mark all steps complete
- From Bank Accounts screen (see next section)
 - Clean up Bank Account Settings, Assign the Formats to the Payment Documents
- Create Templates





Manual Payments

- Old 11i form for manual payments still exists
 - MOS Note 1320497.1 R12: Master Troubleshooting Guide for the AP Payments Workbench
 - New functionality Record Refunds
- RPC1 patch fixed following bug
 - BUG!! If using document for wire (or any non-check method) and you wish to override auto-generated number and vendor or vendor site payment method is set to check and you navigate to form from invoice (Actions | Pay in Full), form overwrites entered number when you save
 - If go to form from Navigator and then select invoice, it works





Banks





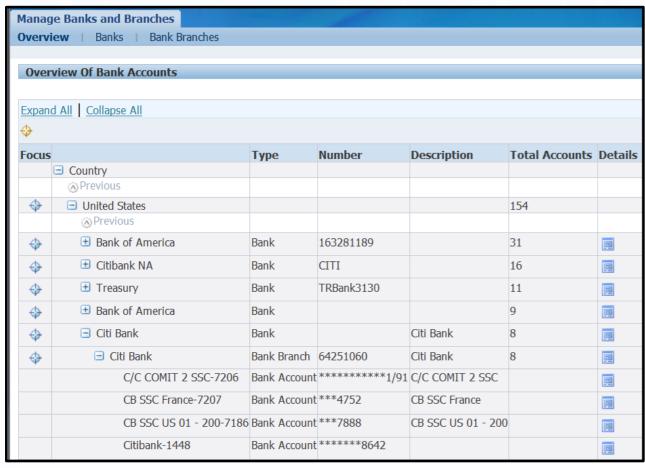
Banks

- Belong to Legal Entities
- New tables CE_
 - Old tables still exist, but are empty
- Internal Banks only
 - Supplier Banks now entered from Supplier form
- Account Number Can Be Masked
 - Profile Option: CE: Mask Internal Bank Account Numbers
- Security to View/Update controlled through User Management Security – MOS Note 1457691.1
- MOS Note 1301702.1 R12: Oracle Payments Bank Account Setups 'How To' documents
 - Links to appropriate MOS notes for various setups





Drilldown - Banks



Country, Bank, Branch, Account

- Acct Owner and UseAccount Information
- Manage Banks and Branches Overview | Banks | Bank Branches Logged In As OPERATIONS Account Owner and Use

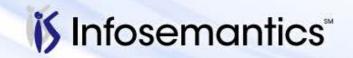
 Account Information

 Account Controls

 Account Access

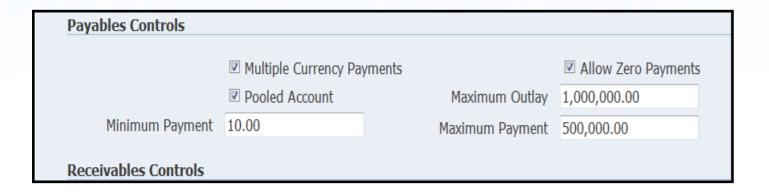
 Account Controls

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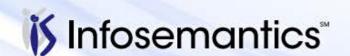
Drilldown - Banks



- Account Controls
- Set Minimum
 Payment to avoid negative checks



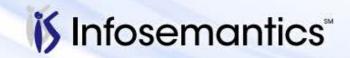
- Account Access
 - Override Accounting





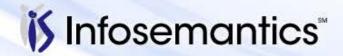
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Check GBP 204	Prenumbered Stock	Laser Check Fo	rmat	Active	е			1		Document Numbers
Check EURO 204	Prenumbered Stock	Laser Check Fo	rmat	Active	e			1		* First Available Document Number 1
Wire Recording	Blank Stock	Standard Form	Feed Check Format	Active	е			1		Last Available Document Number 8999
Check MXP 204	Prenumbered Stock	Laser Check Fo	rmat	Active	е			0		Last Issued Document Number 6398
Check Positive Pay	Blank Stock	Standard Check	Format	Active	е	EX.		1		+ Checkbooks
										Additional Information
										Context Value



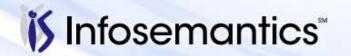


- Your banks and accounts are upgraded
 - Definitions for bank merged if name matches
- Default masking is "Masking last 4 visable"
 - CE: Mask Internal Bank Account Numbers
- Payment Documents referencing custom formats are deleted
 - Evergreen is a custom format
 - Note last numbers for all payment documents as part of pre-upgrade
- Clean up old accounts, payment documents
 - Verify Addresses, length of account numbers (esp if will be printing account number on checks or using for electronic formatting)





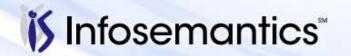
Subledger Accounting (SLA) Closing





Subledger Accounting (SLA)

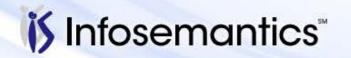
- New Module that provides single repository for accounted subledger transactions
- Allows modification of JE Header/Line description and/or attributes
- Allows accounting assigned at subledger level to be altered as transaction is accounted and passed to GL
- RECOMMENDATION: Use seeded definitions





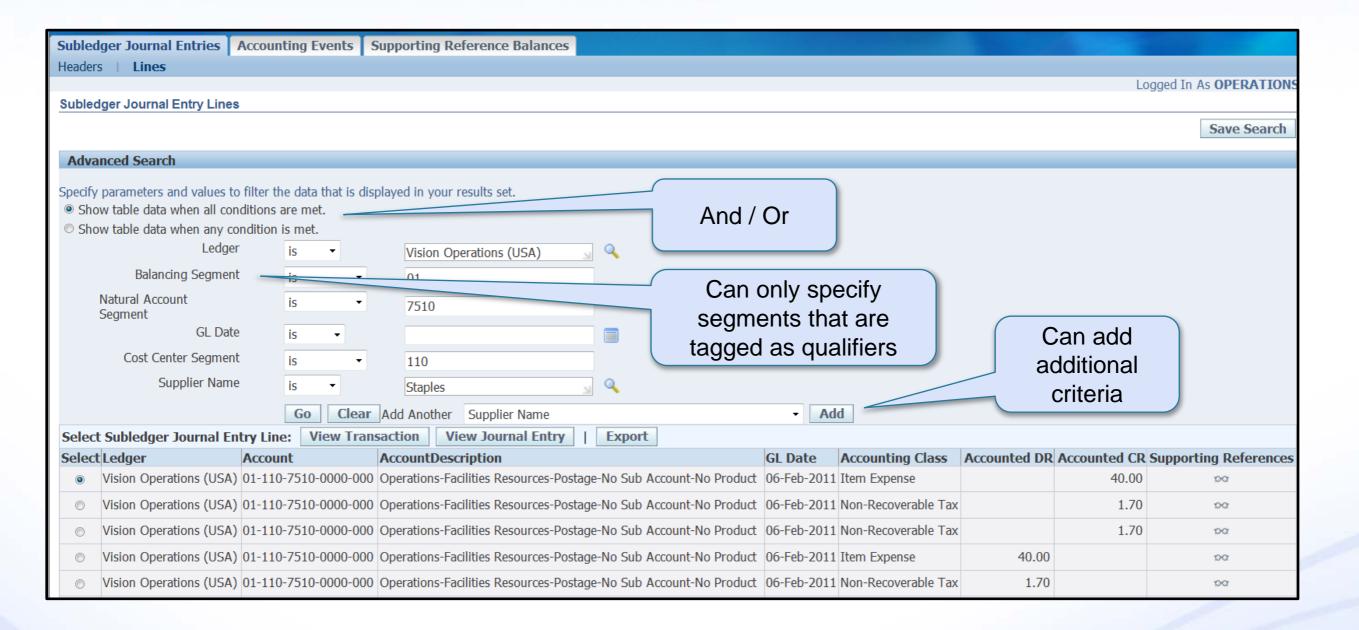
11i - View Accounting Lines

Find Accounting Lines (1999) (1999)	(x,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y,y
Document Class	
Document Numbers	-
Event Type	
Supplier Name	
Supplier Site	
Bank Account	
Journal Category	
Accounting Dates	-
Transferred to GL	All -
Line Type	
Entered Currency	
Accounts	-
Accounting Method	Accrual
Currency	USD
Set of Books	Vision Operations
	<u>Clear</u> Find





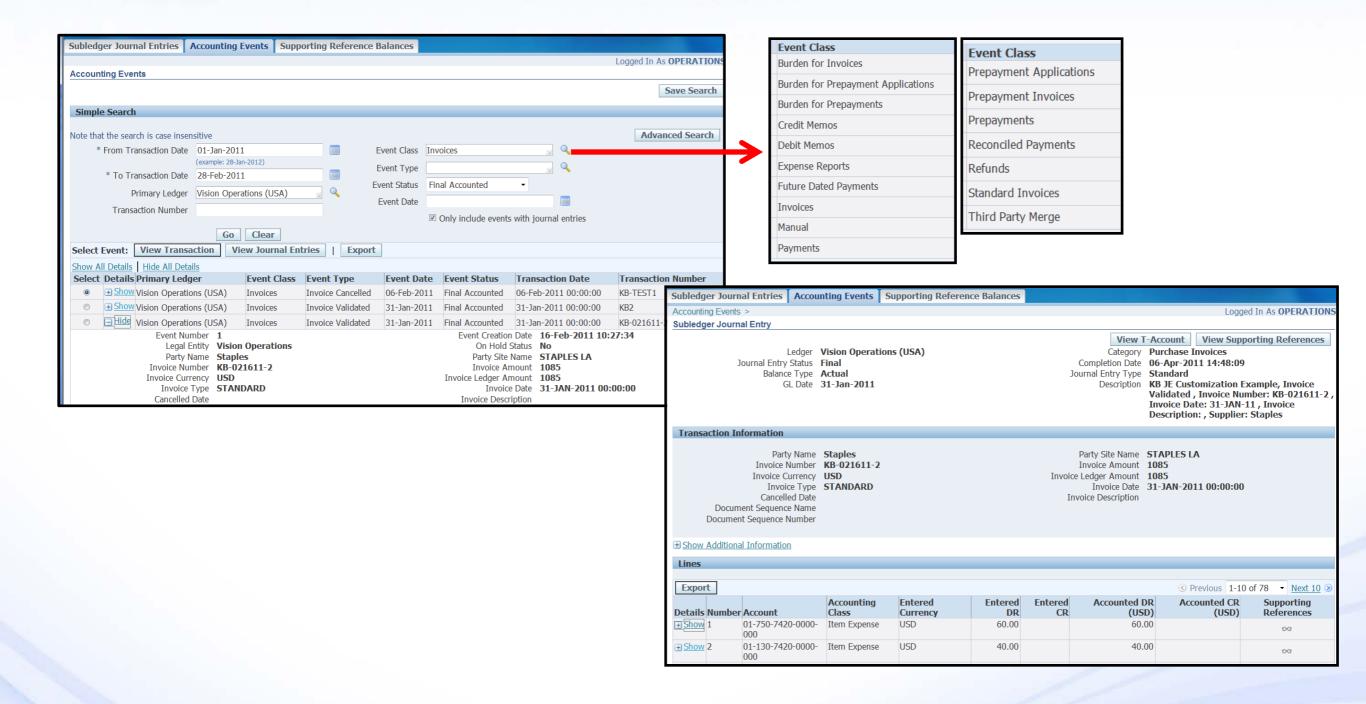
SLA Inquiry – By JE Line

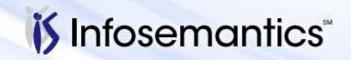






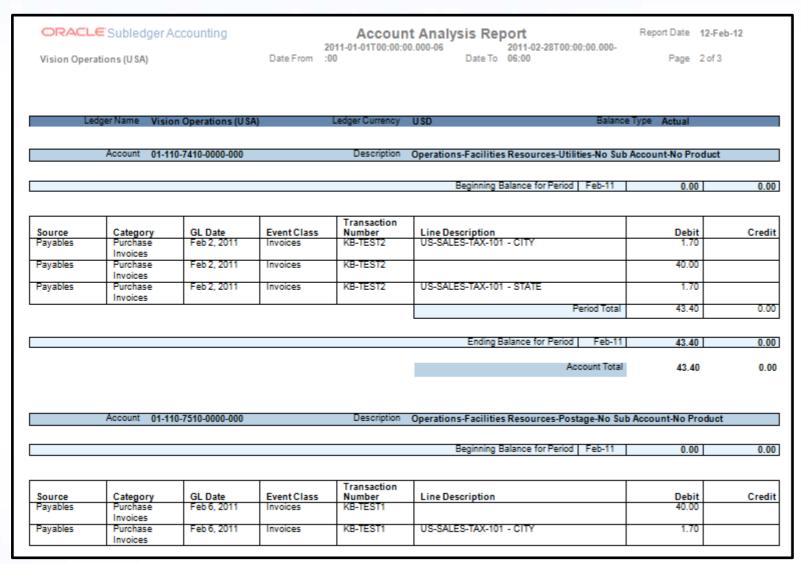
SLA Inquiry – By Event Class / Type



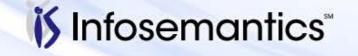




Account Analysis Report

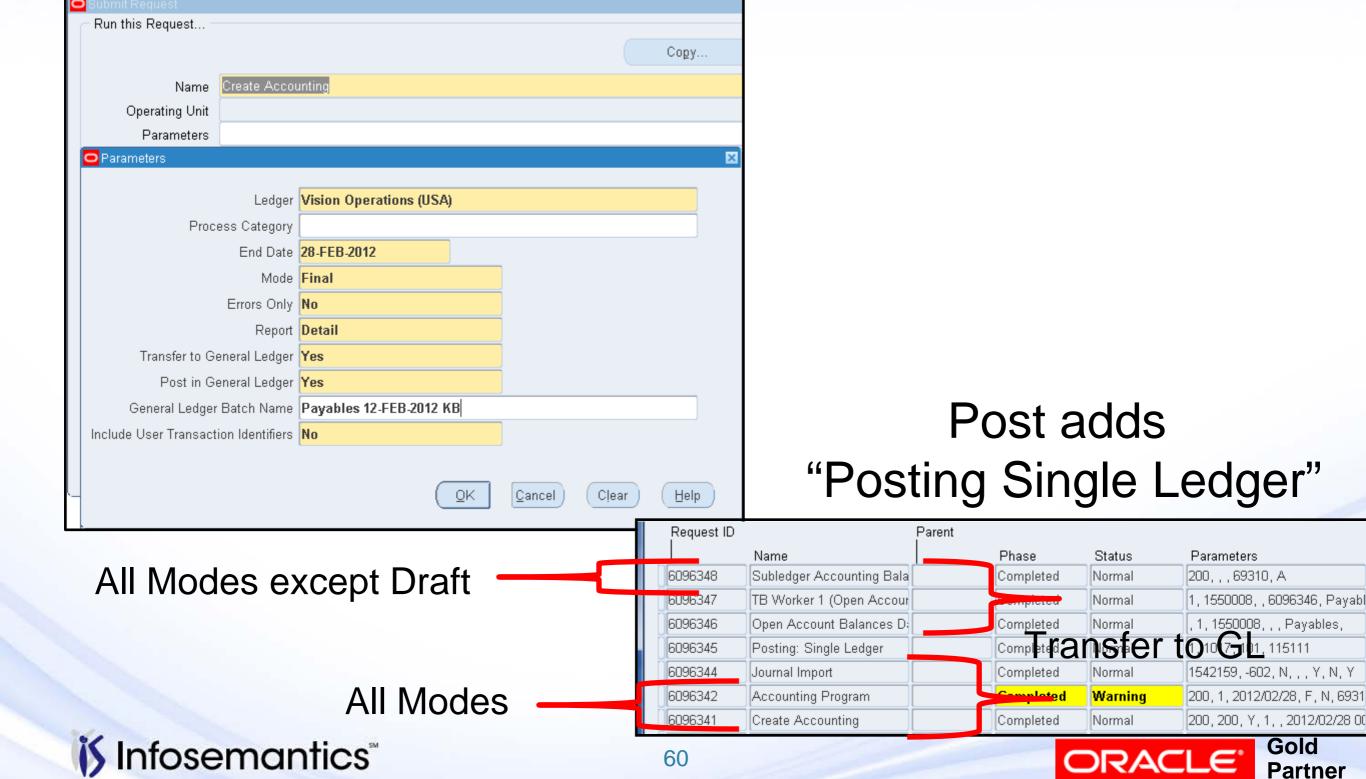


- Replaces Payables Account Analysis Report
- Internal Name
 XLAAARPT (old
 internal name
 APXAAREP)
- Supports Accounting combination ranges





New Accounting Process



New Accounting Process

ORACL€ Subledger Accounting Subledger Accounting Program Report Vision Operations (USA)

Report Date Feb 12, 2012

Report Summary

	Number of	Number	of Events		Journal	Entries
Event Class	Documents	Processed			Balance Type	Count
Invoices	12	13	0	Vision Operations (USA)	Actual	1
Payments	13	13	0	Vision Operations (USA)	Actual	1
Prepayments	1	1	0	Vision Operations (USA)	Actual	
Prepayment Applications	1	1	0	Vision Operations (USA)	Actual	
Reconciled Payments	126	125	1	Vision Operations (USA)	Actual	129

Transfer to General Ledger Summary

	Journal	ournal Entries					
Ledger	Balance Type	Transferred	NotTr				
Vision Operations (USA)	Actual	153					

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Vision Operations (USA)

Subledger Accounting Program Report

Report Date Feb 12, 2012 Page 61 of 61

Line	Error Number	Error Message
	0	The subledger journal entry does not balance in the entered currency. Please verify the entered amounts on the journal entry lines.

Ledger Vision Operations (USA)	Ledger Currency USD	Balance Type	
Application Accounting Definition	Version	GL Date	
Journal Entry Description		Journal Entry Status	

Line	Error Number	Error Message
	0	The value for the accounting attribute Entered Currency Code is missing. Please inform your system administrator or support representative
		that:
		The value for the accounting attribute Entered Currency Code is missing. Please verify that the accounting attribute assignment is valid for the journal entry line type Cash - Clearing Only, owned by Oracle.
	0	There is no entered amount for the subledger journal entry line. Please inform your system administrator or support representative that:
		The source assigned to the accounting attribute Entered Amount has no value for extract line number 3264462. Using the Accounting Attribute Assignments form, assign a source to the accounting attribute Entered Amount that provides a valid value.



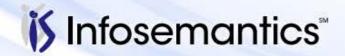


- Amount of History Moved to SLA tables
 - MOS Note 604893.1 R12.0 and R12.1: FAQ for the SLA Upgrade: SLA Pre-Upgrade, Post-Upgrade, and Hot Patch"
 - Default 6 months or current fiscal year, whichever is greater
 - ALL AP events/headers/lines migrated regardless BUT...
 - XLA_DISTRIBUTION_LINKS are created only for Default period unless follow steps to migrate more
 - Any payment or invoice w/o XLA_DISTRIBUTION_LINK that is cancelled will not account if gl_date before migration date
 - Therefore recommend choosing date of oldest unpaid invoice / oldest non-cleared check
 - Optionally, cancel really old unpaid invoices and uncleared checks in 11i and account it before starting upgrade





- Amount of History Moved to SLA tables
 - Bringing over more requires patching 11i and running a script (only method if using PA)
 - As long as patch is applied, can bring over default and rest later after upgrade
 - If not using PA, new program does not require 11i patch, and upgrades by module instead of by month
 - MOS Note 1376752.1 SLA: Upgrade Historical Subledger Transaction Accounting Program (XLAONDEUPG)
 - For information on how to use SLA, OAUG paper database, papers by Alyssa Johnson





- New / Changed / Renamed Reports/Process
 - Payables Posted Invoices Register
 - Payables Posted Payments Register
 - Subledger Period Close Exceptions Report
 - Unaccounted Transactions Sweep
 - Third Party Balances Report
 - Accounts Payable Trial Balance

Now lists amounts posted to account from non-Payables sources

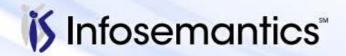
LedgerCorporate											
Account	GL Balance	Other Sources	Subledger Manuals	Original Amount	Remaining Amount						
01.3517.2320.0000.0000.00.00.00. 00	1675089.02	1348375.32		935089.02	935089.02						
	<u> </u>										

Total for Ledger Corporate

935089.02

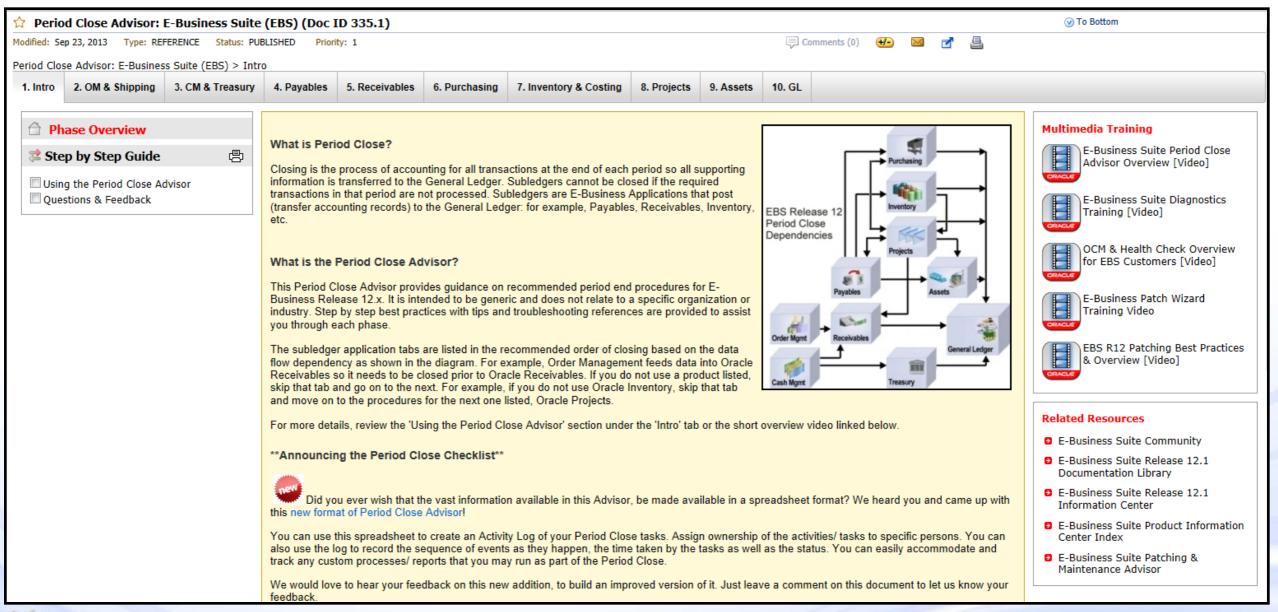
GL Balance: GL Balance displayed is YTD balance as on end date of the period in which 'As of Date' falls. Subledger Manuals: GL Balance of the manual journal entries created in Subledger. Other Sources: GL Balance of the journal entries from non Payables sources.

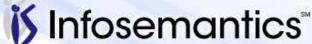
End of Report





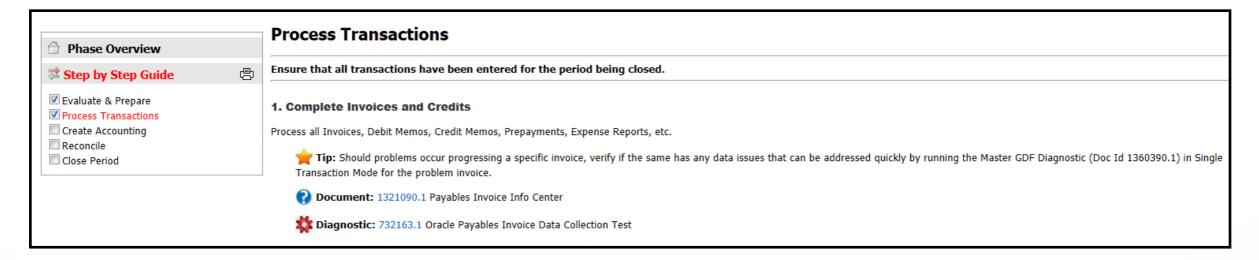
 MOS note 335.1 – Period Close Advisor: E-Business Suite



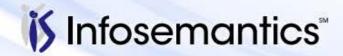




- MOS note 335.1 Period Close Advisor: E-Business Suite – Payables Tab
 - Click each link in the Step by Step Guide



- Complete applicable steps
 - For further help, read documents, run diagnostics





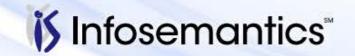
Period Close Advisor Spreadsheet

1 Check Details				Additional Check Details						Execution Plan							Execution Results: July-2013				13			
2	Product	Period Close Phase	Description	Action Item	KM Note	Chec k ID	Pre-requisite	Sever ity	n Item KM	Action Type (Concurrent Program! Manual Process!_)	Standard Oracle Custom process		Expec ted Start Time	Comp	Opera ting Unit	onsibi	User	Actio	Outco	Actua I Start	letion	Ezecu Fi		Note
		1: Evaluate and		EBS: R12.1 Oracle Financials																				
3	AP	Prepare	Apply Recommended Patches	Recommended Patches	954704	1	1	1			Oracle													
9	AP	2: Process	Complete Invoices and Credits				1	2			Oracle													
10	AP	2: Process	Complete Invoice Import			2		2			Oracle													
11	AP	2: Process	Import from external system or Internet Expenses			3		2			Oracle													
12	AP	2: Process	Run Invoice Validation			4	H	2			Oracle													
10	AP	2: Process	Review the Invoice on Hold Report			5	i	2			Oracle													
14	AP	2: Process	Complete Payments			6		2			Oracle													
15	AP	2: Process Transactions	Run a Payment Process Request at the month end (Optional)			7	,	2			Oracle													
16	AP	2: Process	Confirm all Payment Instructions			8	:	2			Oracle													
•••	AP	2: Process Transactions	Reconcile Payments to Bank Statement Activity for the Period			9		2			Oracle													
18	AP	2: Process	Run the Payments Register (Optional)			10		2			Oracle													
19	AP	2: Process Transactions	Submit the Update Matured Bills Payables Status Process			1	1	2			Oracle													
20	AP	3: Create Accountin	g Run Create Accounting				1	2			Oracle													
21	AP	4: Reconcile	Run the Accounts Payable Trial Balance	Run the Payables Posted Invoice Register for this month	553484		Keep the Last Months Accounts Payable Trial Balance handy as you would need this for Trial	1			Oracle													
23	AP	5: Close Period	Close the Current Oracle Payables Period		437422. 1; 1489381. 1			,			Oracle													





- MOS note 1357449.1 EBS R12 Period Close Advisor Overview
- MOS note 1553430.1 E-Business Suite (EBS) –
 Proactive Video Training Series Period Close Advisor
- MOS note 437422.1 R12 Troubleshooting Period Close in Payables





Tax





Tax Code Upgrade from 11i to R12

- 11i Tax codes become R12 Tax Classification Codes
- Tax classification codes are entered on the transaction lines and the tax rate associated with the tax classification code is then applied to the transaction



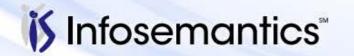
What Does This Look Like in EBTax

- A tax regime is created for each operating unit defined in 11i. Tax regimes are named as "2 digit country code (from the Operating Unit Address) TAX", (ex: US-TAX) and hold the tax setup that has been upgraded
- Regimes created for use with integration partners such as Taxware and Vertex have a slightly different naming convention and are typically upgraded as "US-Sales-Tax-101"



What Does This Look Like in EBTax

- A Tax is created for each tax code
- A Tax Status is created for each tax code
- A Tax Rate is created for each tax code
- A Tax "Rule" is then created as a "Direct rate rule". This simple rule hard-codes the relationship between the tax classification code and the tax, tax status and tax rate. When a transaction is entered and the user picks the tax classification code, the direct rate rule automatically retrieves and associates each of these items to the transaction and does the tax calculation





What is the STCC?

- After the upgrade, the system will set "Configuration Owner Tax Options" for each product and event class (e.g. Invoices, Credit Memo, etc). This will be set as "Standard Tax Classification Code" or STCC following an upgrade
- Combined with the Direct Rate Rule that are created during the 11i upgrade result in a unique branch of code to be called when calculating taxes



Restrictions on Migrated Setups

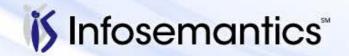
- If the configuration owner tax options are set to "STCC", users CANNOT
 - Create new tax rules
 - Modify or add to existing tax rules
 - Modify existing tax formulas
 - Newly implement partner integrations such as Vertex or Taxware
 - Set up new tax groups
 - Patch 9723745 allows users to add new tax rates to an existing tax rate (not create new rules). For example if a jurisdiction rate has changed from 5% to 6%, the old rate could be end dated and create the new rate





Pro/Cons for Upgrading or Fresh Implementation of Regimes

- Upgraded Regime
 - Faster
 - Exemptions are regime specific so a new regime means all new exemptions must be defined
 - Few changes for the end user
- Fresh Implementation
 - More flexibility to add/remove tax codes
 - 11i PL*SQL rules do not migrate
 - Able to automate many of the tax decisions through the creation of tax rules





Tax – More Information

- MOS Note 1062897.1 Case Study: How to Switch From an Upgraded Tax Regime to a New Tax Regime -Canada HST example
- MOS Note 464243.1 E-Business Tax For Oracle Purchasing



Tax Partners – More Information

- MOS Note 1335680.1 Oracle E-Business Tax Now Validated With Four Tax Partners
 - Contains Advisor webcast explaining partner integration
 - Imbedded document "Oracle E-Business Tax: Vertex Q-Series and Taxware Sales/use Tax System Implementation Guide"
- MOS Note 465260.1 What versions of Vertex, ADP/Taxware and Thomson Reuters/Sabrix are validated with E-Business Tax (EBTax)

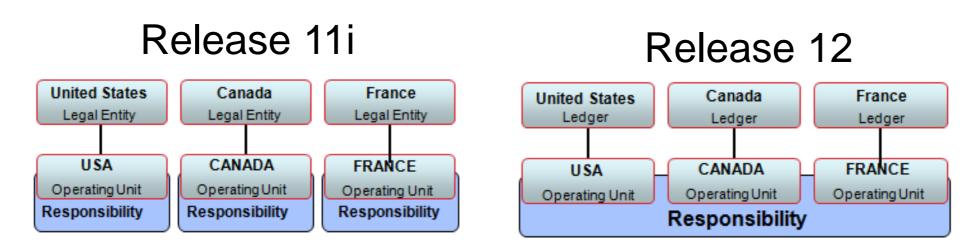


Multi-org Access Control MOAC

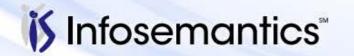


Multi-org Access Control (MOAC)

- See/Enter Data across multiple organizations without switching responsibilities
- Run reports showing data from multiple OUs



See "Implementing Multiple Organizations in Release 12" by Alyssa Johnson





Upgrade Considerations

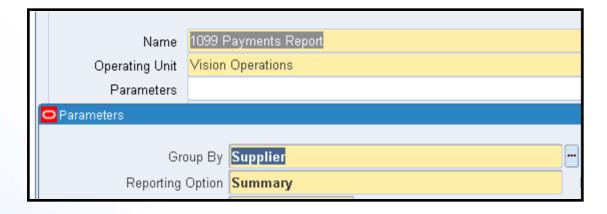
- MOAC is optional
 - Most useful for managing suppliers
- Oracle seeds single org security profiles
- If add security profiles, don't forget to run "Security List Maintenance"
- Custom Programs new calls to set Org context
 - MOS Note 436353.1 How to Setup APPS Context In Scope Of SQL/PL/SQL Session To Run API Or Code For CRM Modules
- MO: Operating Unit must be set at site level
- New Profile options
 - MO: Security Profile
 - MO: Default Operating Unit

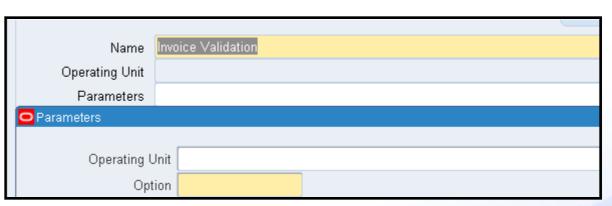




Upgrade Considerations

- Even if stick with one org per responsibility, ensure reports properly defined
 - <System Administrator> System Administration |
 Concurrent | Program; Request Tab
 - Operating Unit Mode must be Single / Multiple
 - Check MULTI_ORG_CATEGORY field in FND_CONCURRENT_PROGRAMS for null values





Single Op Unit

Multiple Op Unit





Summary





Where to Focus

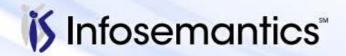
- MOAC It's an access issue, choice won't significantly impact setup or testing
- Tax Upgraded Regime
 - New Regime will add time for setup / testing
 - Install patches referenced in MOS Note 1448102.1 (12.1.3 only) to avoid corruption
- Banks impacts setup time due to unfamiliar form
- Subledger Accounting accept seeded SLAM
 - Create Accounting in Final Post mode





Where to Focus

- Closing
 - Consider Setting up Report Set to ensure parameters specified correctly
- Payments
 - Focus on Setups to gain ease of use
 - Payment Templates
- Suppliers
 - Most Confusing Form
 - Develop procedure for Adding Supplier
 - Use Personalization to Order Fields on pages to ensure most used fields show w/o scrolling

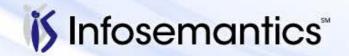




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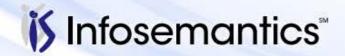
- Invoices
 - Changes Easy to See, Understand
 - Use Folders to Ease Data Entry
 - Most prone to problems
 - Test updates/changes to Transactions
 - All Types Standard, Debit, Credit, Prepayment...
 - Allocations
 - Matching, Unmatching
 - Transactions with Tax
 - Transactions Created Before Upgrade
 - Transactions Created After Upgrade
 - Various statuses Not Validated, Validated, Accounted
 - Discard / Reverse / Recalculate Tax





Potential Approach

- Prioritize Uptake of optional functionality
- CRP1
 - Patch Current
 - Learn New Forms
 - Setup Payments for ease of use
 - Test, Test, Test, Test, Test Invoices
 - Especially changes and especially if using Tax
- CRP2
 - Make sure still patched current (review notes)
 - WRICEP, CEMLI
 - Payment Templates
 - Work Prioritized Optional Functionality List
- Freeze and Finish Upgrade (UAT, Go-Live)





Where to Find Information

- Information Centers
 - Query "Payables Information Center"
- Master Troubleshooting Guides
 - Query "Payables Troubleshooting Guide"
- Search Helpers
 - Query "Payables Search Helper"
- OAUG Paper Database







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