

ORACLE FUSION PURCHASING

SMARTER PROCUREMENT AUTOMATION

KEY FEATURES

- Support for centralized, decentralized and hybrid procurement organizations
- Buyer work area
- Center-driven procurement
- Multi currency, multi language support
- Global agreements
- Streamlined order processing and changed management
- Control approvals by amount, business unit, account segment, item, category and location

Streamline purchasing processes, protect business interests, and adapt to changing business needs with Oracle Fusion Purchasing. An integral part of Oracle Fusion Procurement, Oracle Fusion Purchasing provides the next generation application for smarter procurement automation.

Automate the Procurement Process

Oracle Fusion Purchasing enables you to automate purchasing transactions and provides a robust work area for buying professionals to manage exceptions. You can execute routine transactions without manual intervention, increase productivity, and enforce compliance at every step. You can leverage supplier and agreement controls to automate purchase order creation from requisitions and communicate purchase orders to suppliers. This allows you to spend less time processing paper and spend more time discovering and exploiting new savings opportunities.

KEY BENEFITS

- Streamline procurement processes
- Enforce procurement policies
- Improve supply base management
- Manage exceptions
- Improve visibility

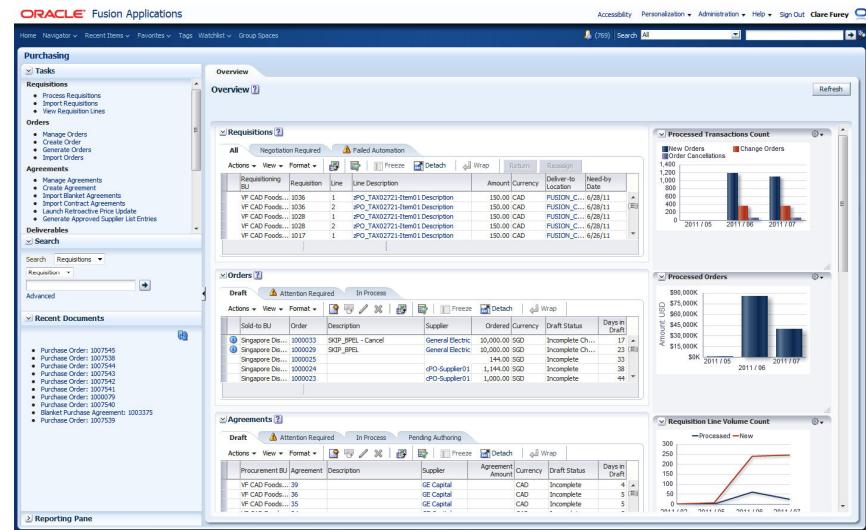


Figure 1: Buyer Work Area

Protect Business Interests

The drive to deliver more savings with fewer resources has led to increasingly complex global operating models, including reliance on centralized shared services. By enabling Center Driven Procurement, Oracle Fusion Purchasing gives you the flexibility to centralize and decentralize procurement activities based on business need. It enables you to balance the competing objectives of scale and specialization while enforcing compliance with business policies.

Oracle Fusion Purchasing also enables you to protect business interests by enforcing negotiated pricing and workflow approvals. It generates purchase orders that automatically use negotiated pricing and terms from supplier agreements. And embedded order and agreement approval rules close compliance gaps while simplifying exception management. So you can be confident that you are maximizing efficiency and getting the right price without compliance gaps.

Adapt to Change

Procurement departments don't operate in isolation. By definition they operate as part of a business and supplier ecosystem that is subject to constant change. That's why Oracle Fusion Purchasing provides a broad set of capabilities to help you adapt to change.

First, it sets the foundation for well-controlled change management by letting you define the scope and scale of acceptable change requests. This helps you to reduce off-line communication with requestors and suppliers while cutting the chances of change requests falling through the cracks.

Second, Oracle Fusion Purchasing allows you to differentiate between minor administrative changes and those major revisions that should be communicated to a supplier. This helps you to eliminate supplier confusion and the risk of duplicate orders. Finally, Oracle Fusion Purchasing maintains a comprehensive document history that gives you full visibility of what changes were made, when they occurred, and who made the changes.

Oracle Fusion Applications

Oracle Fusion Procurement is part of Oracle Fusion Applications, which are completely open, standards-based enterprise applications that can be easily integrated into a service-oriented architecture. Designed as a complete suite of modular applications, Oracle Fusion Applications help you improve performance, lower IT costs, and get better results. Whether you choose one module, a product family, or the entire suite, Oracle enables you to gain the benefits of Oracle Fusion Applications at a pace that matches your business needs.

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