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Purchase Order Overview

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Purpose of this document

A Purchase Order in Ceres allows you to create the initial order, receive product, and finish by posting an invoice.

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Purchase Orders

Purpose

Purchase Orders are used to process orders from Vendors that involve a dollar value. A Purchase Order in Ceres allows you to create the initial Purchase Order, receive product against the order, and finish by posting an invoice. They are most commonly used for tracking Purchased Inventory.

Ceres Object release 4.00.00 & 4.50.45 are required for some of the functionality in this Procedure.

Creating Purchase Orders

- 1. Access the Purchase Orders screen.
 - a. Under Departments on the left side of the screen, select Purchase and then Order Processing. The Order Processing options display on the right.



- b. Under Lists, select Purchase Orders.
- 2. If you are using batches, select your batch from the batch list; otherwise click Cancel.

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3. You will see the listing of open Purchase Orders that exist within the system. Select one from the list to edit it or click New to create a new Order.

Purchase Order Header

1. Create a new Purchase Order by clicking New from the Actions menu.

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Purchase Order						
General						** ^
No.:				Posting Date:	•	
Buy-from Vendor No.:			•	Order Date:	•	
Buy-from Vendor Name:				Document Date:	•	
Buy-from Vendor Name 2:				Vendor Order No.:		
Buy-from Address:				Vendor Shipment No.:		
Buy-from Address 2:				Vendor Invoice No.:		
Buy-from City:			•	Order Address Code:		
Buy-from State:				Confirm To:		
Buy-from ZIP Code:			•	Responsible Person Code:	•	
Buy-from Contact:				Fund No.:		•
Phone No.:				FBC Product Source:	•	
Extension:				UNC Product Source:		
No. of Archived Versions:		0		FBC Product Category:		
Posting Description:				Assigned User ID:		•
Grant No.:			•	Status:	Open	•
				Last Modified By:		

- 2. Press the Enter key to have Ceres automatically assign the next document number in the No. field. This will also fill in the Posting Date, Order Date, and Document Date by using the Work Date.
- 3. In the Buy-from Vendor No. field, enter the Vendor No. or use the lookup to select the Vendor from the list. The Vendor's name, address, and Fund No. will flow from the Vendor card. If the Vendor has any invoicing information set up, it will flow to the Invoicing tab of the Purchase Order.

General	
No.:	PO-00141
Buy-from Vendor No.:	V000052 ~
Buy-from Vendor Name:	Superior Foods Co
Buy-from Vendor Name 2:	
Buy-from Address:	Vendor Mailing Address
Buy-from Address 2:	
Buy-from City:	Grand Rapids 👻
Buy-from State:	MI
Buy-from ZIP Code:	49588-8359 👻
Buy-from Contact:	Mailing Contact
Phone No.:	555-MAIL
Extension:	ML

- 4. Lookup on the FBC Product Source field to select a product source. This mandatory field provides information to the Quarterly Poundage Report. The UNC Product Source field will update based on the FBC Product Source selected.
- 5. Lookup on the FBC Product Category field. This mandatory field provides information to the Quarterly Poundage Report.
- 6. Fill in the Responsible Person field. This is the person who placed the order.

Purchase Order Lines

1. Move to the lines of the Purchase Order. Here you specify which items you would like to buy, along with the quantity and any costing information.

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Туре	No.	Description	Locati Code	on Quantity	Unit of Measur	Bin Code	Pallet No.	Lot 🔺
Item	25007C	Onions	KAN	10	BAG	31-101-A	1301-00014	L-13
Item	25006C	Okra	KAN	10	BAG	31-101-B	1301-00015	L-13

- 2. In the Type field, select Item.
- 3. In the No. field, type in the item number or use the lookup to select the Item from the list. The Item's Description, Unit of Measure, and Direct Unit Cost will flow forward to the line.
- 4. In the Location Code field, select the Location where the Item will be received.
- 5. If the Location you specified is set up to require Bins, select a Bin on the Bin Code field

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Item	25007C	Onions	KAN	10 BAG	31-101-A	1301-00014	L-13
Item	25006C	Okra	KAN	10 BAG	31-101-B	1301-00015	L-13

6. If applicable, fill in the Lot Expiration Date and Lot Consume By date fields.

Note: these fields may have already been pre-generated by the calculation formulas set on the Item Card. In this case, you may review and adjust these dates on the order as necessary.

7. Select the dimension values that apply to the item for this order. If you require a Department, you will need to specify the Department Code on the lines and on the Invoicing tab

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Туре	No.	Description	pected ceipt Date	Department Pr Code	oject Code Fund No.	Cubic Feet	Allocat Code
Item	25007C	Onions	25/2013	1000	UR	17	
Item	25006C	Okra	25/2013	1000	UR	1	
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Pay-to Vend	or No.:	V000052	-	Project Code:			•
Name:		Superior Foods Co.		Payment Terms (Code: 14	-	
City:		Grand Rapids	-	Payment Method	Code: CHECK	•	
State:		MI		Due Date:	2/24/2013	•	
IRS 1099 Cod	e:	MISC-07	<i>E</i>	Payment Discour	nt %:		(
On Hold:				Payment Referen	ce:		
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8. In the Quantity field, specify the amount of quantity ordered. The quantity is in reference to the Unit of Measure field

Quantity Unit of Measur	Bin Code
10 BAG	31-101-A
10 BAG	31-101-B

Note: If Lot Nos. has been specified on the Item Card, a Lot No. will be generated at this time. If the item is purchased on more than one lot, you will need to create an additional line.

9. Repeat the steps above for each additional item that will be ordered

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Item	25007C	Onions	KAN	10 BAG	31-101-A	1301-00014	L-13 =
Item	25006C	Okra	KAN	10 BAG	31-101-B	1301-00015	L-13
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Releasing the Document to the Vendor

1. When the data entry is complete and the order is ready to be sent to the vendor, from the Actions menu, click Release. This locks the form from users being able to enter more items or change quantities.

Note: That the order can be reopened: from the Actions menu, click Reopen.

Note: With Ceres 4.50.45, if a zero cost line with Type = "G/L Account" or "Charge (Item)" is present when the Purchase Order is Released the following confirmation will be displayed:



The user can click YES to proceed with releasing the Purchase Order, or select NO to cancel the order release so the cost can be added to the affected lines.

- 2. You may print the order.
 - a. From the Actions menu click Actions -> Order Print.

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	Get Std. Vend. Purchase Codes	-	Approval •	* Create Pallets	Test Report	. ,
Release	Functions		Approval	Warehouse	Posting	Print
						Pallet Tag

b. On the Options tab, you can choose how many copies to print and choose if your company's address should show.

Options	•
Number of Copies:	
Print Company Address:	
Archive Document:	
Log Interaction:	

- c. Click Print.
- 3. The system will now prompt to print the pallet tag. Click the cancel button; this report will be run later once the pallets are generated.
- 4. You may now close the Purchase Order form.

Receiving

Purchase Orders can be received through the Purchase Order or via warehouse processes. In this document, we will receive from the Purchase Order. If you would like to receive via Receipts and Put-Aways, see Related Information for additional Procedures.

- 1. When the items you ordered arrive, access the Purchase Orders screen.
 - a. Under Departments on the left side of the screen, select Purchase and then Order Processing. The Order Processing options display on the right.



- 2. Select the Purchase Order from the list and then click Edit from the Actions menu.
- 3. Enter today's date in the Posting Date field.
- 4. On the Assigned User ID field, use the lookup to select the user in charge of receiving the products.

PO-00076 · Superior Foods Co

General				** ^
No.:	PO-00076		Posting Date:	2/10/2013 👻
Buy-from Vendor No.:	V000052	•	Order Date:	1/17/2013 🗸
Buy-from Vendor Name:	Superior Foods Co		Document Date:	2/10/2013 👻
Buy-from Vendor Name 2:			Vendor Order No.:	
Buy-from Address:	Vendor Mailing Address		Vendor Shipment No.:	
Buy-from Address 2:			Vendor Invoice No.:	
Buy-from City:	Grand Rapids	•	Order Address Code:	
Buy-from State:	MI		Confirm To:	Your Reference
Buy-from ZIP Code:	49588-8359	•	Responsible Person Code:	KJK 🗸
Buy-from Contact:	Mailing Contact		Fund No.:	UR 👻
Phone No.:	555-MAIL		FBC Product Source:	СООР 🗸
Extension:	ML		UNC Product Source:	AFF PURCH
No. of Archived Versions:	18		FBC Product Category:	COOP 👻
Posting Description:	Order PO-00076		Assigned User ID:	•
Grant No.:		•	Status:	Open 👻
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- 5. Move to the Lines tab.
- 6. Update the Qty. to Receive field with the actual quantity that is being received into inventory.

Note: If the Qty. to Receive is lower than the Quantity field, you will be completing a partial receipt. You can return to the Order later to post more receiving.

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Туре	No.	Order		Location Code	Quantity	Qty. to Receive	Unit of Measur	Bin Code
Item	25007C	Onions		KAN	10	10	BAG	31-101-A
Item	25006C	Okra		KAN	10	10	BAG	31-101-B

- 7. Verify the Lot No. field shows the correct Lot number. To assign a different lot, type in a different number.
- If the items are palletized, fill in the Tiers and Height fields. Tiers are the number of units per level; Height is the number of levels. In the example below, we will receive 2 pallets that are 4 levels high and 5 deep.

Tier	Height	I
5	2	
5	2	
0	0	

- 9. From the Actions menu, click Functions and then Create Pallets.
- 10. Select Receive and click OK



Ceres will assign pallet numbers to the palletized items and split the lines according to the tiers and height.

Туре	No.	Description	Bin Code	Pallet No. Lot	:No.
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00376 L-13	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	• 1305-00377 L-1	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00378 L-1	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00379 L-13	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00380 L-1	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00381 L-13	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00382 L-13	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00383 L-13	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00384 L-13	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00385 L-13	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00386 L-13	301-002
Item	25006C	Okra	01-107-C	1305-00387 L-1	301-002

11. Once you have verified the data, print a receiving document.

Note: The receipt can be reprinted from a Posted Purchase Receipt

a. From the Actions menu, click Functions and then Post or Post & Print.

b. Select Receive and click OK.

Note: You can post receiving and invoicing in one step by choosing Receive and Invoice.

Invoicing the Purchase Order

- 1. When the vendor's invoice arrives, access the Purchase Orders screen.
 - a. Under Departments on the left side of the screen, select Purchase and then Order Processing. The Order Processing options display on the right.



- 2. Select the Purchase Order from the list and then click Edit from the Actions menu.
- 3. Enter today's date in the Posting Date field.
- 4. In the Document Date field, enter the invoice date from the vendor's document. The system will calculate the Due Date for this invoice by using this date in combination with the payment terms that are set on the Invoicing tab.
- 5. In the Vendor Invoice No. field, enter the invoice number from the vendor's document. This number will print on the check stub when the vendor payment is made.
- 6. Go to the Purchase Order's Lines tab.
- 7. Verify the Direct Unit Cost for each item. If the vendor charged you a different price, make the adjustments here.

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Туре	No.	Description		Qty. to Invoice	Quantity Invoiced	Expected Receipt Date	Department Code	Project Code	^
Item	25006C	Okra		10		1/25/2013	1000		
Item	25006C	Okra		10		1/25/2013	1000		
Item	25006C	Okra		10		1/25/2013	1000		
Item	25006C	Okra		10		1/25/2013	1000		
Item	25006C	Okra		10		1/25/2013	1000		
Item	25006C	Okra		10		1/25/2013	1000		
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Item	25006C	Okra		10		1/25/2013	1000		
Item	25006C	Okra		10		1/25/2013	1000		

- 8. If the vendor has given you a partial invoice, adjust the Qty. to Invoice field
- 9. Once you have verified the data, print an invoice confirmation.

Note: The invoice can be reprinted from a Posted Purchase Invoice.

- a. From the Actions menu, click Functions and then Post or Post & Print.
- b. Select Invoice and click OK.

Note: You can post receiving and invoicing in one step by choosing Receive and Invoice.

10. If you have invoiced the Purchase Order in full, the Order will be deleted. Historical data can be obtained from the Posted Purchase Receipt(s) and Posted Purchase Invoice(s).

Related Topics

- 1. Item Overview
- 2. Purchase Replenishment and Planning
- 3. Warehouse Receipting
- 4. Warehouse Put-Aways
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- 9. Purchase Return Order
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