ADOA – General Accounting Office

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Overview
A payment is established in AFIS for goods received and/or services rendered which liquidates the encumbrance in the process if an encumbrance is referenced on the expense document. In general, agencies will process invoice / payment information in Arizona Procure Portal (APP), which will automatically integrate to AFIS. However, there are business scenarios where invoice / payments will be processed directly in AFIS. For instance, the payment for utilities would be paid directly out of AFIS.

Procedure with GAE Referenced
Log into AFIS and navigate to the General Accounting Encumbrance (GAE).

1. On the Secondary Navigation Panel, click Search
2. Click Document Catalog
3. In the Code field, enter GAE
4. In the Dept field, enter your department code
5. Click Browse

In the search results, click the ID that for the GAE that you will copy forward to the General Accounting Expense (GAX).


1. At the bottom of the page, click Copy Forward
2. On the Copy Forward screen, in the Doc. Department Code, enter your department code
3. Check the Auto Numbering check box
4. Verify that the Target Document Code selected is GAX
5. Click Ok. The Draft GAX document opens

Complete the Header component. At a minimum, enter the following information:
- Document Description

Complete the Vendor component. Observe the vendor information is automatically inferred when using Copy Forward.

Verify the disbursement options are correct, specifically, the schedule payment date that determines when the Warrant/EFT will be generated.

Verify the discount terms, if there aren’t any defaulting and should have them enter them here.

1. Navigate to and complete the Accounting component
2. Click on the accounting component to expand that component
3. Observe the General Information tab. The event type will default to AP01 unless another event
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Verify the Line Amount field contains the amount copied forward from the GAE document. Decrease the line amount if needed.

- Click the Reference tab
- Click the drop down menu for Ref Type, select Final, if this is the final GAX document that will be associated with this GAE
- Click the Fund Accounting tab

Verify that the Fund, Department, Unit, Appr Unit, and Object fields have been populated with information copied forward from the GAE. Change the Object if necessary.

- Validate GAX document
- Submit GAX document

Procedure without a GAE Referenced

When processing a payment that doesn’t have a reference GAE, the primary difference relates to the Vendor component and the Accounting component.

On the Vendor Component General Information tab:

- Vendor Customer field
- Address Code
- Vendor Contact ID

On the Accounting Component General Information tab:

- Fund
- Department
- Unit
- Appr Unit
- Object

On the Detail Accounting tab:

- Location
- Task
Researching Expenditures

General Accounting Expense (GAX) documents can be found by searching the Disbursement Request (DISRQ) page, providing that a disbursement (Warrant/EFT) has not already been created. Once the disbursement is generated the GAX document will no longer be on this table. By entering the appropriate search criteria results can be narrowed down significantly. The steps to find the status of an expense are shown below.

Navigate to the Disbursement Request page.

1. In the Jump to field, enter DISRQ
2. Click Go or Enter

A search window will appear.

1. Enter the applicable Vendor Code to view the status for the expenditures

For tracking the workflow status of an expense, reference the Locating a Document quick reference guide.