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Accounts Payable

Total allocated time: 50 minutes, including questions

Session Objective

Provide an overview of Accounts Payable capabilities including; invoice processing, payment matching, disbursements, discounts, holds, credits, paper and electronic payments, routing & approvals, and reporting.

Items to Demonstrate

- 1. Demonstrate matching functionality on a real time or batch basis and show how the software handles mismatches in amounts or quantities.
 - a. Discuss how you can automate payments within certain criteria (if the receiving slip, matches the PO and the invoice, the payment is automatically produced without review under a certain dollar amount).
- 2. Demonstrate how to:
 - a. View payments by vendor Institution-wide.
 - b. View invoices by vendor Department.
 - c. Inquire on the status of a vendor payment/invoice.
- 3. Explain how the software prevents duplicate payments.
- 4. Demonstrate correction of an account coding error before posting, before payment and after payment. Demonstrate payments to vendors with multiple remit to addresses.
- 5. Demonstrate how to process an invoice for each of the mechanisms listed below and discuss how the software both generates and releases the corresponding encumbrance.
 - a. Purchase order.
 - b. Payment request without a purchase order.
 - c. Internal Requisition Invoice (payment to another department).
- 6. Demonstrate a correcting entry (e.g., canceling a check and reissuing a payment).
- 7. Demonstrate how to process multiple payments against a purchase order for the same item and multiple items.
- 8. Demonstrate sales tax and use tax accounting and how the software supports destination based sales/use tax, including the following:
 - a. Tax tables and rates.
 - b. Calculation of State and Local government sales and use tax.
 - c. Accrual and remittance of use tax.
- 9. Demonstrate how check runs are prepared and scheduled.
- 10. Show how a credit is entered and how a credit can be applied to a payment.
- 11. Show how the software calculates and applies discount amounts based upon vendor terms (e.g., discount if payment made within 14 days).
- 12. Demonstrate the receiving functionality and discuss how receiving ties back to matching.
- 13. discuss the following items specific to vendor management:
 - a. Payment preferences associated to a vendor.
 - b. Banking information (e.g., vendor signed up for ghost visa payment).
- 14. Demonstrate how to prepare and produce 1099 forms.



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Q&A Session