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Preface

Welcome to the Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service Integration to Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud Release Notes for release 24C.

The preface includes the following:

- [Audience](#)
- [Documentation and Resources](#)
- [Documentation Accessibility](#)
- [Conventions](#)
- [Abbreviations](#)

Audience

This document is intended for anyone implementing the integration of the following products with Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud.

- Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service

Documentation and Resources

For more information regarding this integration, foundation technology and the edge applications, refer to the following documents:

Product Documentation

Resource	Location
Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service Integration to Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud documentation	https://docs.oracle.com/en/industries/energy-water/integrations-index.html
Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service documentation	https://docs.oracle.com/en/industries/energy-water/work-asset-cloud-service/index.html
Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud documentation	https://docs.oracle.com/en/cloud/saas/procurement/24d/index.html

Additional Documentation

Resource	Location
Oracle Integration Cloud Service documentation	Refer to the OIC documentation at: https://docs.oracle.com/en/cloud/paas/integration-cloud/index.html
Oracle Support	<p>Visit My Oracle Support at https://support.oracle.com regularly to stay informed about updates and patches.</p> <p>Refer to the the Certification Matrix for Oracle Utilities Products (Doc ID 1454143.1) on My Oracle Support to determine if support for newer versions of the listed products is included.</p> <p>For more information, refer to the Oracle Utilities Integrations page at http://my.oracle.com/site/tugbu/productsindustry/productinfo/utilities/integration/index.htm</p>
Oracle Technology Network (OTN) latest versions of documents	http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/index.html
Oracle University for training opportunities	http://education.oracle.com/

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Conventions

The following text conventions are used in this document:

Convention	Meaning
boldface	Boldface type indicates graphical user interface elements associated with an action, or terms defined in text or the glossary.
<i>italic</i>	Italic type indicates book titles, emphasis, or placeholder variables for which you supply particular values.
monospace	Monospace type indicates commands within a paragraph, URLs, code in examples, text that appears on the screen, or text that you enter.

Abbreviations

This document includes the following abbreviations:

Term	Expanded Form
FPRC	Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud
OIC	Oracle Integration Cloud
UCM	Universal Content Management
OUWACS/WACS	Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service
OUWAM/WAM	Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Management

Chapter 1

Release Notes

This release notes outlines the information about new and improved functionality in integrating Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service with Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud. Each section includes a brief description of the feature, the steps to enable or start using the feature, and any tips or considerations to consider.

The release notes focuses on the following:

- [Overview](#)
- [About Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud](#)
- [About Oracle ERP Financial Cloud](#)
- [About Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service](#)
- [About Oracle Integration Cloud](#)
- [Software Requirements](#)
- [New Features Summary](#)
- [Known Issues](#)

Overview

This integration is applicable to Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service (WACS).

Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service Integration to Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud helps to manage vendor and end-to-end hybrid procurement originated in Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service using Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud. This pre-built integration represents significant business value for utilities that need to manage their purchases to fulfill demand to complete work orders and activity. Vendor and Vendor Location are master in Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud and synced to Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service. Purchase request for goods and service made in Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service are sent to Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud.

Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud handles all purchases for Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service - creating purchase order within cloud and sending back the purchase order to Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service. Receipts, in turn, created in Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service are sent to Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud to close the purchase order.

After the purchase order is completed in Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud, supplier invoice and payment are recorded in Oracle ERP Cloud. Information for invoice and payments is integrated to Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service.

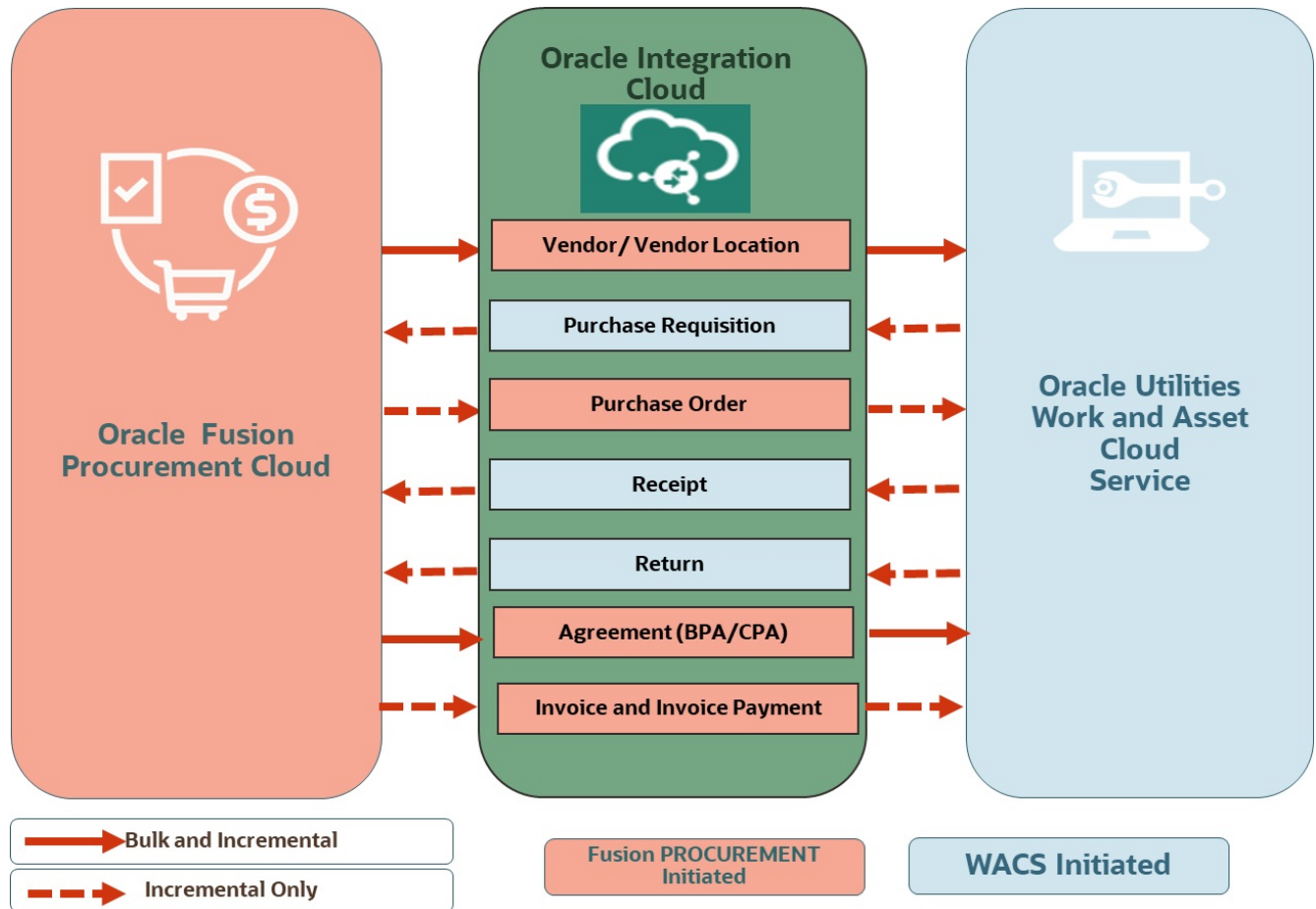
The corresponding modules in Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud for this integration are Supplier, Purchase requisition, Purchase order and Receipts. All four integration flows have filter criteria that is selected based on the business requirement.

For more information about the functionality, refer to the Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service Integration to Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud documentation available on the [Oracle Energy and Water Integrations](#) page on [Oracle Help Center](#).

This integration supports the following flows:

- Vendor and Vendor Location Synchronization Process (Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud Initiated)
- Blanket Contract Agreement Synchronization Process (Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud Initiated)
- Purchase Requisition Synchronization Process (Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service Initiated)
- Purchase Requisition Approval Process (Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service)
- Purchase Order Synchronization Process (Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud Initiated)
- Receipts Synchronization Process (Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service initiated)
- Returns Synchronization Process (Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service initiated)
- Invoice and Invoice Payment (Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service initiated)

The following diagrams illustrate the business processes supported in this integration:



About Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud

Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud modernizes procurement by standardizing, streamlining and automating the source-to-settle process through automation and social collaboration, while controlling costs and achieving higher margins.

Oracle Purchasing Cloud

A key component of Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud, Oracle Purchasing Cloud enables business to streamline and automate the procure-to-pay process while enforcing negotiated pricing and terms and ensuring policy compliance.

- It allows users to automate purchasing transactions and provides buying professionals insight into exceptions, status, and actions required. Users streamline routine tasks, such as creating purchase orders from approved requisitions without intervention, increasing productivity while enforcing compliance at every step. Users can utilize electronic communications with the suppliers to improve the timeliness and accuracy of purchase orders and changes.
- It provides the change management capabilities to help adapt to dynamic business needs. It allows changes to be initiated from requesters and suppliers

reducing off-line communication and the chance of miscommunication. Users can leverage tolerances and workflow approvals to make sure about proper review of changes. Users can also differentiate between internal administrative changes versus revisions that should be communicated to a supplier to help eliminate supplier confusion or duplicate orders. Cloud allows to review a comprehensive document history with full visibility of what changes were made, when changes occurred, and who made the changes.

- The key business benefits are:
 - Streamline procurement processes
 - Enforce procurement policies
 - Create purchase orders from requisition without manual intervention
 - Automatically leverage negotiated pricing and terms from supplier agreements
 - Efficiently manage document revisions with visual notifications and full change history
- The key features are:
 - Buyer work area
 - Robust change management
 - Center-driven procurement
 - Comprehensive lifecycle visibility
 - Support for centralized, decentralized and hybrid procurement organizations
 - Foreign currencies
 - Multiple languages
 - Global agreements
 - Streamlined order processing
 - Control approvals by amount, business unit, account segment, item, category and location

Oracle Supplier Portal Cloud

Oracle Supplier Portal Cloud is the next generation application to enable smarter supplier interactions. It is a cloud based self-service solution that brings a holistic approach to supplier management by removing communication barriers between buyer and suppliers. Suppliers gain access to a secure, integrated supplier work area that provides full visibility to transactions, offers closed loop collaboration, and enables electronic invoicing. The supplier work area provides a summary of activity and transactions that require attention. Suppliers can access agreements, purchase orders, advance shipment notifications, invoices, and negotiations allowing suppliers to respond to your business needs.

Oracle Fusion Supplier Portal makes it easy to expand self-service to almost any supplier by providing an intuitive, browser-based solution. It also increases the variety of self-service transactions by providing a solution that is integrated across the entire source-to-settle lifecycle.

The key business benefits are:

- Improve communications with suppliers
- Deliver best in class supplier collaboration
- Easy supplier setup and support
- Reduce errors and inquiries
- Faster issue resolution

The key features are:

- Web based supplier self-service
- Supplier profile self-management
- Consolidated supplier work area
- Supplier agreement collaboration
- Supplier change order management
- Electronic invoice presentment
- Embedded learning
- Information driven user experience

About Oracle ERP Financial Cloud

Oracle ERP Financial Cloud is a cloud-based, end-to-end business management solution designed for mid-sized to enterprise-level customers. It offers a suite of applications including material planning, financial accounting, analytics, and self-service reporting.

Oracle's accounting features include a Business Intelligence module to identify trends from enterprise data. Billing departments have access to a payables and assets dashboard where they can reconcile statements, track supplier invoices and payments, account for fixed assets, and manage multiple bank accounts. Expenses can be entered via mobile devices and are updated in real-time. Invoice imaging is integrated, so supplier invoices and other documents are scanned and posted automatically.

Oracle ERP Financial Cloud uses “Rapid Implementation” technology that enables quick data migration from a currently used system to cut down on implementation time and costs. Users can also integrate Oracle ERP Financial Cloud with their current solution and leverage the Oracle technologies to unite all business processes into a single view.

About Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service

Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service maintains information about assets and various features and functions around managing those assets. The solution provides a means of recording asset acquisition, maintenance, procurement, installation and removal.

Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service provides functionality to manage the receipt, installation, maintenance, tracking and removal of assets. The application also manages approval processing, tracks purchasing transactions, manages inventory and resources, and tracks costs, accounting and financial transactions.

About Oracle Integration Cloud

Oracle Integration Cloud is a unified platform to integrate the applications, automate processes, and create applications.

Using the Process Builder the business processes can be rapidly designed, automated, and managed in the cloud. Using integrations connect the applications into a continuous business flow. The integrations can be quickly developed and activated between both the applications that live in the cloud; and the applications still live on premises. The lookups help to match application specific codes between the two applications.

Integration Insights and Stream Analytics helps to simplify and extract business metrics and create custom dashboards.

Software Requirements

The following table lists the supported applications and the respective versions:

Source Application	Version
Oracle Utilities Work and Asset Cloud Service	24C or higher
Oracle Integration Cloud	V24.10 and higher
Oracle Fusion Procurement Cloud	24C or higher
Oracle Financial Cloud	24C or higher

Refer to the [Certification Matrix for Oracle Utilities Products](#) (Doc ID 1454143.1) on [My Oracle Support](#) to determine if support for newer versions of the listed products is included.

New Features Summary

As part of the 24C release, integration packages (.par) have been migrated to projects (.car).

For a list of existing features, please refer to the Release Notes for release 22C. The documentation is available on the [Oracle Energy and Water Integrations](#) page on [Oracle Help Center](#).

Known Issues

There are no known issues at the time of this integration release.