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# 1 Get Help

# **Topics:**

- Get Help in the Applications
- Learn About Accessibility
- Get Support
- Get Training
- Join Our Community
- Share Your Feedback
- Before You Begin

# 1.1 Get Help in the Applications

Use Help icons to access help in the application.

Note that not all pages have Help icons. You can also access the Oracle Help Center to find guides and videos.

# **Additional Resources**

- Community: Use Oracle Cloud Customer Connect to get information from experts at Oracle, the Partner Community, and other users.
- Training: Take courses on Oracle Cloud from Oracle University.

# 1.2 Learn About Accessibility

For information about Oracle's commitment to accessibility, visit the Oracle Accessibility Program. Videos included in this guide are provided as a media alternative for text-based topics also available in this guide.

# 1.3 Get Support

You can get support at My Oracle Support.

For accessible support, visit Oracle Accessibility Learning and Support.

# 1.4 Get Training

Increase your knowledge of Oracle Cloud by taking courses at Oracle University.



# 1.5 Join Our Community

Use Cloud Customer Connect to get information from industry experts at Oracle and in the Partner Community. You can join forums to connect with other customers, post questions, and watch events.

# 1.6 Share Your Feedback

We welcome your feedback about Oracle Applications User Assistance. If you need clarification, find an error, or just want to tell us what you found helpful, we did like to hear from you.

You can email your feedback to My Oracle Support.

Thanks for helping us improve our User Assistance!

# 1.7 Abbreviations

The following table lists the abbreviations used in this document.

Abbreviations	Description
ALM	Asset Liability Management
AMHM	Attributes Members Hierarchies Module
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
API	Application Programming Interface
ASCII	American Standard Code for Information Interchange
AW	Analytical Workspace
BA	Business Analysts
BI	Business Intelligence
BMM	Business Metadata Management
BP	Business Processor
CF	Cash Flow
CFE	Cash Flow Engine
CSV	Comma Separated Values
DBA	Database Administrator
DQ	Data Quality
DSN	Data Source Name
ELT	Extract Load Transform
EPM	Enterprise Performance Management
ES	External Scheduler
ESIC	External Scheduler Interface Component
ETL	Extract Transform Load
FTP	File Transfer Protocol
GMV	General Market Variable
HTML	Hyper Text Markup Language

# Table 1-1 Abbreviations



Abbreviations	Description	
НТТР	Hypertext Transfer Protocol	
Infodom	Information Domain	
IP	Internet Protocol	
JDBC	Java Database Connectivity	
JSON	JavaScript Object Notation	
JVM	Java Virtual Machine	
LDAP	Lightweight Directory Access Protocol	
LHS menu	Left hand side menu	
MDB	Microsoft Access Database	
MOLAP	Multidimensional Online Analytical Processing	
OBIEE	Oracle Business Intelligence Enterprise Edition	
ODBC	Open Database Connectivity	
OFSAAI	Oracle Financial Services Analytical Applications Infrastructure	
OLAP	Online Analytical Processing	
PBSM	Profitability and Balance Sheet Management	
PDF	Portable Data Format	
PFT	Profitability Management	
RDBMS	Relational Database Management System	
RHS	Right Hand Side	
SA	System Administrator	
SFTP	Secret File Transfer Protocol	
SID	System ID	
SMS	Security Management System	
SQL	Structured Query Language	
T2T	Table to Table	
TFM	Technical File Maintenance	
TNS Name	Transparent Network Substrate Name	
TP	Transfer Pricing	
UMM	Unified Metadata Manager	
URL	Uniform Resource Locator	
VaR	Value at Risk	
XML	Extensible Markup Language	

Table 1-1 (Cont.) Abbreviations

# 1.8 Before You Begin

Refer to following Documents:

• See What's New

# Introduction to Oracle Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service

Cash Flow Calculation is an integral part of finance and risk solutions. Cash Flow Engine (CFE) of Profitability and Balance Sheet Management Cloud Service is designed to help institutions to take a fresh and granular look at their cash inflows and outflows. It allows you to calculate Cash Flows of their Assets, Liabilities, and Off-Balance Sheet Products at instrument level. The service measures and models every loan, deposit, and off-balance sheet instrument individually, using Deterministic Methods. This helps gain a better insight into the granularity of cash inflows and outflows to be utilized for multiple non-regulatory and Regulatory purposes. Due to its generic nature CFE is suitable for both financial and non-financial institutions with exposure to financial securities/instruments.

# 2.1 Key Features

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The Key Features are as follows:

- Generate account level Cash Flows using Unique Payment and Repricing Characteristics
- Support for principal and interest payments on different dates and at a different frequency
- Daily Rate Forecasting Unique Rate for a given day on Repricing
- Fully auditable Cash Flow Output
- Calculate Cash Flows for multiple time horizons
- Multiple accrual basis and Compounding Methods
- Inbuilt Data Validation Rules
- Cash Flow Edits to perform comprehensive quality check on input data
- Model-specific characteristics using patterns and schedules
- Amortize one account using multiple methods
- Incorporate Prepayment and Early Redemption Assumptions
- Amortize premiums and discounts
- Calculate Market Value using multiple Discount Methods
- Apply Business Calendar
- · Fresh looking application user interfaces with Oracle Redwood Theme

For more information, see the Cash Flow Engine Reference GuideCash Flow Engine Reference Guide.



# 2.2 User Groups

Table 2-1	User	Groups
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User Group	Description
CFE Administrator	Performs all functional and technical activities. Given to experts who need to create and administer applications and service components.
CFE Analyst	Can create and administer service components, such as assumptions, rules, analysis, dashboards, and reports.
	Enters data and runs analysis for dimension members to which they have access, also designs reports and other analytical outputs.
CFE Auditor	View and analyze data using various analytical features
For Reports	View and analyze reports
CFE BI Data Steward	
CFE BI Analyst	
CFE BI Auditor	
CFE BI LOB Head	

For more information, see the Getting Started with CFECS Oracle Cloud.

# 2.3 Guidelines for Working with a Cash Flow Engine

This topic describes an approach to designing and building applications based on your Security Role and the tasks it enables you to perform.

# For CFE Administrators

CFE Administrators can perform the following steps to set up Cash Flow Engine:

- Define the folders before creating the assumptions, rules, and processes.
- Extend the Data Model, if required, by registering placeholder columns and tables.

# For CFE Analysts

CFE Administrators and Analyst Users of Cash Flow Engine can perform the following steps to set up an application:

- Activate one or multiple Currency
- Define dimensions (such as business dimensions, and so on) using Dimension Management to build the main objects within the application.
- Define Global, User, and Application Preferences
- Define the Interest Rates and Economic Indicators
- Create assumptions and rules.
- Define Cash Flow Process and Cash Flow Edits Processes



- Load the data.
- Create and execute the batches
- Validate the Cash Flow Engine Application Structure to ensure that the application structure confirms to Validation Rules.
- Set up analysis views and other analytic tools so those with User and Viewer Roles can use them.
- Analysis the results.

# For CFE Auditor

All users, including CFE Auditor, can do most of the following:

- View rules and assumptions setup in Cash Flow Engine.
- Analyze the Calculated Result Reports.
- Use the analytics features to track and report on Cash Flows.

# 2.4 Launching Cash Flow Engine

You can launch Cash Flow Engine from the Web Browser.

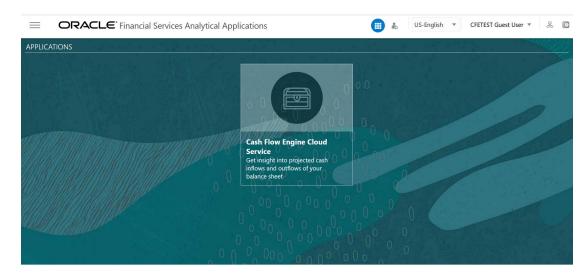
To open Cash Flow Engine, perform the steps as follows:

- 1. In the **Web browser**, click the link provided by Oracle.
- 2. Enter your user name and password. If requested, select an application.

The password is case-sensitive.

3. Click Sign In. The Cash Flow Engine Home Page is displayed.

# Figure 2-1 Cash Flow Engine Home Page





# 2.4.1 Cash Flow Engine Home Page

When you log in, you see the Cash Flow Engine Home page.

The Home page contains these main areas:

• Figure 2-2 Navigator Screen



Navigator Screen to access menu items.

• Figure 2-3 Admin Console



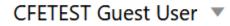
to Navigate to Admin Console.

• Figure 2-4 Language of service



Displays the language of service.

• Figure 2-5 User Name



The User Name menu with your user name in the header.

Figure 2-6 View Setup Information



Click it to view setup information.



• Figure 2-7 Last Login Date and Time



Shows the details of Last Login Date and Time.

Click

# Figure 2-8 Navigation Screen



to display the Navigator Screen. This screen serves as a sitemap of the application features and displays links to all of the pages you can access. Use the Navigator Screen to navigate among the rules and processes required to define, review, and analyze the application, and to report results.

Figure 2: Navigation Path



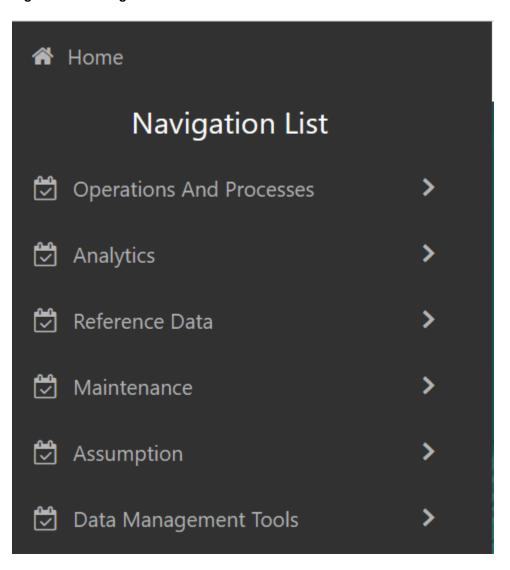


Figure 2-9 Navigation Path

PBSM Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service Navigation Paths are displayed in the List of Navigation Paths. Access all these pages through the CFE Administrator, CFE Auditor, or CFE Analyst Responsibility.

Table 2-2	List of Navigation Paths for	Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service
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Page	Navigation Path
Cash Flow Process	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Operations and Processes, and then select Cash Flow Process
Cash Flow Edits Process	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Operations and Processes, and then select Cash Flow Edits Process



Page	Navigation Path
Scheduler	Select <b>Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service</b> menu, select <b>Operations and Processes</b> , and then select <b>Scheduler</b> . Following sub-menus are available under Scheduler:
	Dashboard
	Define Batch
	Define Task
	Schedule Batch
	Monitor Batch
Report Home Page	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Analytics, and then select Home Page
SQL Query Browser	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Analytics, and then select SQL Query Browser
My Dashboard	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Analytics, and then select My Dashboard
Cash Flow Report	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu select Analytics, and then select Cash Flow Report
Economic Indicator	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Reference Data, and then select Economic Indicators
Interest Rates	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Reference Data, and then select Interest Rates.
Currency	Select <b>Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service</b> menu, select <b>Reference Data</b> , and then select <b>Currency</b> .
Currency Rates	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Reference Data, and then select Currency Rates
Dimension Management	Select <b>Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service</b> menu, select <b>Reference Data</b> , and then select <b>Business Management</b> . Following sub- menus are available under Business Management:
	Attribute
	Member
	Hierarchy
Holiday Calendar	Select <b>Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service</b> menu, select <b>Reference Data</b> , and then select Holiday Calendar
Preferences	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu and select Application Preferences
Payment Pattern	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu select Maintenance, and then select Payment Pattern.

Table 2-2 (Cont.) List of Navigation Paths for Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service



Page	Navigation Path
Behavior Pattern	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Maintenance, and then select Behavior Pattern.
Repricing Pattern	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Maintenance, and then select Repricing Patterns.
Configuration	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Maintenance, and then select Configuration
Cash Flow Edits	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Maintenance, and then select Cash Flow Edits .
Filter	Select <b>Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service</b> menu, select <b>Maintenance</b> , and then select <b>Filter</b> .
Prepayment Rule	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Assumption, and then select Prepayment Rule
Prepayment Models	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Assumption, and then select Prepayment Models
Forecast Rates	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Assumption, and then select Forecast Rates
Discount Methods	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Assumption, and then select Discount Methods
Behavior Pattern Rule	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu select Assumption, and then select Behavior Pattern Rule
Data Model Extension	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Data Management Tools, and then select Data Model Extension
Data Masking	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu select Data Management Tools, and then select Data Masking
Data File Administration	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Data Management Tools, and then select Data File Administration.
	Following sub-menus are available under Data File Administration:
	Data File Specification
	File Upload and Download
	Data File History

 Table 2-2
 (Cont.) List of Navigation Paths for Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service



Page	Navigation Path
Data Management Interface	Select Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service menu, select Data Management Tools, and then select Data Management Interface.
	Following sub-menus are available under Data Management Interface:
	Data View
	Designer View

# Table 2-2 (Cont.) List of Navigation Paths for Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service

# 2.4.2 Common Icons

Use the icons to view and analyze data and related information for each features.

Icon Name	Icon		Uses
Add			Click Add icon to build a new rule.
	Figure 2-10	Add icon	
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Refresh			Click to refresh the Summary Page.
	Figure 2-11	Refresh icon	
	G		
Help			Click to view the Holiday
	Figure 2-12	Help icon	Calendar Rule Help.
	?		

Table 2-3 Common Icons



Icon Name	Icon	Uses
Multiple Delete	Figure 2-13 Multiple Delete icon	Select one or more rules in the table and then click the (-) icon at the top right of the Summary Page to delete more than one rule at the same time.
Search	Figure 2-14 Search io	To Search the rule(s)
List View	Figure 2-15 List View	To view the Rule Summary Page items in List View.
Table View	Figure 2-16 Table Vie	To view the Rule Summary Page items in Table View.

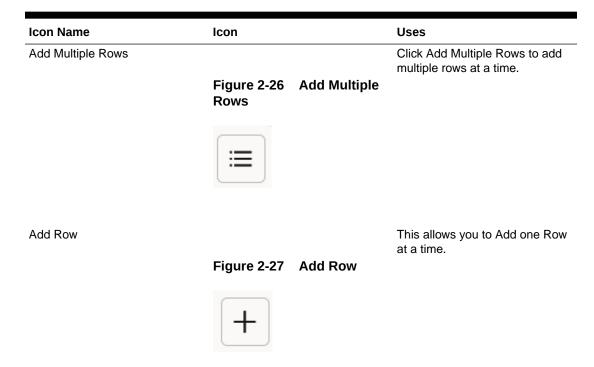


Icon Name	Icon		Uses
Ascending and Descending	Figure 2-17 icon	Ascending	To sort the rules on Rule Summary Page.
	and Figure 2-18 icon	Descending	
	Ļ		
Action	Figure 2-19	Action icon	Click to perform view various action options.
View/Edit	Figure 2-20	Edit icon	Click in the Action column and select View/Edit to view or edit the contents of a rule in Read/ Write format. Depending on User Privileges, the rule will open in either View or Edit mode.
Copy or Save As	Figure 2-21	Save As icon	Click in the Action column and select Save As to create a copy of an existing rule.
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# 2.4.3 Common Feature Controls

Many feature screens in Cash Flow Engine include the controls discussed in this topic.

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# Figure 2-28 Audit Info

# Audit

The Audit Trail container is a standard footer container for every PBSM rule type. It displays Created By, Creation Date, Last Modified By, Modification Date, Authorized By, and Authorized Date on the Audit tab.

# **User Comments**



The User Comments tab may be used to add comments to any rule, subject to a maximum of 4000 characters.

# Tags

The Tags tab allows you to add a tag to the selected Rule ID.

# 2.5 Quick Tour

The following table provides a bird's eye view of the tasks and the order to execute these tasks using the application. Click the links to read details of each task. You can use the links on this page to help you immediately begin using Cash Flow Engine Cloud Service.

Order	Task	Who Does This?	Action
1	CPQ Order Placement	Tenant Admin	Subscribe to the application. You will receive a Welcome e- mail with the URL and temporary password.
2	Provision Users	Sys Admin	Configure the Security Management System (SMS) to create users, assign roles, and implement user authorization and authentication. For more information, see Getting Started.
			Review Standard User Groups and Roles
			Create Groups and Roles
			Create/Import Users
			Assign applications and groups to users
			Send notification to users.
3	Set up Application	Business User (CFE Admin)	Performs following tasks:
			Setup Folder
			Extend Data Model (if required)
			Turn on seeded fields
			Register table-column from UI
			Placeholder Dimension and Column Registration.

# Table 2-4 Quick Tour



Order	Task	Who Does This?	Action
4	Configure Rules	Business User (CFE Analyst)	Configure following CFE Rules:
			Activate Currency
			Configure or load Dimension Members and Attribute
			Configure or Load Hierarchy
			Set global application and user preferences
			Configure Economic Indicator
			Configure Interest Rate Curve
			Configure Holiday Calendar
			Configure Repricing Pattern
			Configure Behavior Pattern
			Configure Prepaymer Model
			Configure Prepaymer Rule
			Configure Forecast Rates
			Configure Discount Methods
			Configure Filter
			Configure new Cash Flow Edit Rules
			Configure Cash Flow Edits Process
			Configure Cash Flow Process
5	Create and Execute Jobs and Batches	Operator	Setup Technical Configuration for CFE
			Configure Batches for Data Loaders
			Configure Batches fo Cash Flow Edits Process
			Configure Batches for Cash Flow Process
			For more information, see Scheduler Service.

Table 2-4	(Cont.) Quick Tour
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Order	Task	Who Does This?	Action
6	Load Data	Data Admin	Configure Data File Specifications
			Load Historical Interest Rate Curve Data from UI
			Load Historical Currency Exchange Rate Data from UI
			Load Historical Economic Indicator Data from UI
			Upload Dimension Data files to object store
			Run Dimension Data Loader
			Update Dimension Data from UI
			Upload Instrument Data files to object store
			Run Stage Instrumen Data Loader
			For more information see Data Loading.

# Table 2-4 (Cont.) Quick Tour

Order	Task	Who Does This?	Action
7	Run Process Rules, generate and analyze	Analyst	Review raw Data Analysis Report
	Reports		Correct/reload data files and rerun Stage Loader, if required
			Run Processing Instrument Data Loader
			Review Instrument Data Report
			Run Cash Flow Edits Process from process UI and/or Batch
			Review Cash Flow edi log and modify data, if required
			Run Cash Flow Process from process UI and/or Batch
			Review Cash Flow Process Log
			Review Cash Flow Report
			Export Cash Flow Output
			Delete Cash Flow Output

# Table 2-4 (Cont.) Quick Tour



# 3 Glossary

# As of Date

Date at which the data is current.

## **At-Risk Period**

The time horizon for Value-at-Risk, such as the difference between the time in the future when we evaluate a portfolio loss and the As of Date.

## **Balance Sheet Planning**

Balance Sheet Planning performs distributed budgeting of all balance sheet and income statement accounts.

#### **Base Rates**

Section in Oracle Cash Flow Engine Service that stores the interest rates associated with the data As-of-Date.

# **Basis Points**

1/100th of a percent (abbreviated as "bps")

## **Cash Flow Instrument Table**

An instrument table that contains all of the OFSAA Cash Flow Columns required by the cash flow engine.

## **Cash Flow Column**

Column in an instrument table used by the OFSAA Cash Flow Engine to perform Cash Flow analysis on a record.

## CPR

Constant Prepayment Rate (CPR) is a measure of an Annualized Prepayment Rate.

## **Credit Risk**

The risk that a loan holder will be unable to repay any portion of the loan. Current Rate Risk Profit Component of funding Center Rate Risk Results attributed to current mismatches of assets and liabilities.

## **Data Filter Rule**

Data Filters are used to define which data should go into a Processing Run.

## **De-annualize**

To compute the monthly equivalent rate of an Annual Rate.

## Duration



Duration is the rate of market value change with respect to discount rate changes. It is a measure of market value sensitivity: the lower the value, the less sensitive the market value to changes in interest rates.

## **Funding Center**

Area in a financial institution that receives the transfer pricing charge and credit for funds.

## **Funds Transfer Pricing**

A method for valuing all sources and uses of funds for a balance sheet.

## **General Ledger**

The main data source that defines an institution's financial reality. The General Ledger reflects all accounting entries.

## Grid

A logical grouping of cells often surrounded by scroll bars.

## Hierarchy

Hierarchical structure for dimension members in OFS Applications (Examples: organizational and product type)

## **Historical Rates Table**

PBSM repository for all historical actual interest rates.

## Instrument

Synonymous with an account record or an individual contract.

## **Instrument Table**

A type of table contained in the OFSAA database used to store account level information. Instrument Records Rows in the OFSAA database that carry transaction account level information (Example: deposit account by deposit account)

# **Interest Rate Code**

User defined code to reference a yield curve or single rate index for historical analysis, transfer pricing, and interest rate forecasting purposes.

# Last Repricing Date

Date the rate last changed for an adjustable rate instrument and the origination date for a fixed rate instrument.

# **Liquidity Premiums**

A charge levied on a long-term instrument to compensate for illiquidity of the funds.

# Log in

To access the programs and database of any OFSAA Application by providing a valid user name and password.

## Market Price of Risk

In financial economics theory the Market Price of risk is a measure of inter-temporal risk-aversion of the aggregate investor; for example, a high market price of risk during



some future period means that investors will be more risk-averse, and that rates for that term should be higher to compensate for this risk; in practical terms, the market price of risk is the "plug" that makes the risk-neutral rates price risk-free bonds correctly.

# **Market Value**

In Monte Carlo, average of the (scenario specific) present values. In deterministic processing, it is the present value of the cash flows of the specific scenario.

## **Next Repricing Term**

Repricing frequency for an adjustable rate instrument and the original term to maturity for a fixed rate instrument.

### **Profitability Management**

Profitability Management assists customers in developing multiple levels of profitability (Example: organizational, product, customer, account profitability).

#### Prepayment

A reduction in the principal balance of a transaction record prior to the contracted schedule date.

#### **Present Value**

In Monte Carlo, sum of cash flows paid by a security along a particular rate scenario, discounted by the stochastic discount factor. In deterministic processing, the sum of the cash flows discounted by the deterministic discount factor.

# PSA

A prepayment specification method established by the Public Securities Association, which relates the CPR to the age of that instrument.

## Reconciliation

The process of comparing information from one data source to another

# **Reporting Currency**

An active currency to which balances in other currencies are consolidated, often used for reporting.

## Single Rate

An interest rate code with only one point defined (Examples: prime rate and 11th District Cost of Funds Index).

