

Best Practices for keying in PO Number in Tungsten Network Invoice

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Objectives:

- To **highlight the importance** of entering the correct information in the data file provided to Tungsten Network and Web Form invoice template.
- To **explain** invoice fallouts at ES caused by incorrect information in the Purchase Order field. To **avoid delay** in processing and payment of your invoices.

Importance of Correct PO Number Information:

Tungsten Network invoices are **routed to Accounts Payable** teams based on Purchase Order numbers.

Wrong information or unnecessary details increase the time it takes to process invoices.

- Can delay invoice payment.
- Can result in your invoices being rejected by ES

Types of invalid information	Examples	
Invoice number; Cost location, “NON PO” explanation	1	AAA24569087523
etc	2	Disb. Voucher
	3	00C7369—00601
	4	EA#083304
	5	Mail 150896
	6	NON PO REQUEST ACCOUNT
	7	NON-PO
	8	NON PO PROCESS
	9	N/A
Text and Special characters prefixed or suffixed to the Purchase Order Number.	1	P.O. SBA76549
Please indicate the purchase order number, without prefix or suffix of additional data or special characters	2	P.O.# SBE786540
1. SBY34567	3	P.O.SBY24987—V3
2. SBE87234	4	PSA SBY78542
3. SBA09834	5	Purchase Order No SB

	6	RS. PONB
	7	PO NO SBY45687-V3
	8	PO# SBY4576—V4
	9	SB29360
	10	SBY 498765
ES Contact or Requestor Name in the Purchase Order field.	1	MANNY LAPORTE
	2	McBride
	3	MIKE MAGEE
	4	MIKE MAGEE
<p>If the Invoice is a NON PO invoice, Please leave the PO Field blank. The ES Invoice Requestor's name and email address should be provided in the „Invoice To Contacts“ fields in the Tungsten Network Web Form invoice template. For Tungsten Network Integrated Solution suppliers, please include the ES contact details in your invoice file and request Tungsten Network to map to the “Invoice To Contact” fields so they will be shown in the invoice image.</p>		
Purchase Requisition (PR) number	1	PR7653098
	2	PR397120
	3	PR71309-V2
	4	PR0451960

Typo errors, such as reversing or omitting characters, will also cause invoice fallout.

Points to be noted while providing Purchase Order Numbers in Tungsten Network invoices:

DO's

- Please **check for typo errors** before submitting the invoice on Tungsten Network.
- Please enter the purchase order number as is **without altering** the sequence of the characters in the PO number. Example of correct PO number is sequence is SBY12345.
- In case of a **NON PO invoice**, please mention the **ES requestor/ES Contact information** in the free text field or customer contact field available on Tungsten Network invoice.
- One invoice for one single PO number You only need to provide the PO number at the header level. If you provide the PO number at the line item level, please ensure the PO number at the line item level is the same as the PO number at the header.

DONT's

- Include special characters such as "#", ".", " ", "-", " / " etc
- Prefix/Suffix the PO number with any other data
- Input invalid/irrelevant numbers in the purchase order field.
- Input requestor/ES contact information in the Purchase Order number field.
- Input Purchase Requisition Number instead of the PO number