



Communicate quickly and accurately with vendors. Build an impeccable audit trail for every purchase.



INFOR PURCHASE ORDER MANAGEMENT FOR SYSTEM i

TAKE THE PAIN OUT OF PURCHASE ORDER MANAGEMENT.

Your manufacturing company strives daily to cut costs and make processes more efficient. Without the right tools, the purchase order (PO) process can be expensive and resource-laden, full of inefficiencies such as hard-to-read handwritten revisions, data entry errors, and audit issues.

These inefficiencies add costs for you and your suppliers. They create an environment where orders can be delayed or lost—not a good thing in a globally competitive marketplace where the stakes get higher every day. You need a solution that lets you fully automate PO management and seamlessly integrate PO processes with your IBM® System i®-based ERP system.

ACCELERATE PURCHASE ORDER PROCESSES.

Infor™ Purchase Order Management for System i (POMi) is the perfect fit for companies running ERP applications on IBM's System i. You get user-friendly tools that break the bottlenecks in PO processes, so your supply chain works smarter and faster.

A key advantage of POMi is that it is based on the Infor Development Framework (IDF). By accessing the advanced IDF client architecture, you get increased flexibility and security. You also can customize for individual users with multiple templates, maintenance history, and improved user interfaces using compound cards and logical field tip text.

SYNCHRONIZE YOUR ERP.

POMi integrates tightly with your System i ERP solution. POMi draws master data from the ERP system and keeps it synchronized. By the same token, when you update data in POMi, your ERP system automatically updates too, so it is easy for you to manage ERP as your system of record.

COMMUNICATE FASTER, MORE ACCURATELY.

Because every step in the PO process is automated, you build a crystal-clear audit trail for every quote that is generated and every item that is purchased. You can view quotes, contracts, requisitions, and POs by item, vendor, or status. And your users can define their own layouts, selects, and sequences to fit the way they want to work without altering the application's data framework.

CREATE CONSISTENT QUOTES QUICKLY.

By automating your quote processes, you can respond to Requests for Information (RFIs) more quickly, communicate your requirements clearly, compare your responses, and make wise selections.

ENSURE CONTRACTS ARE COMPREHENSIVE.

You can manage tiered pricing contracts more effectively and be sure items, quantities, prices, and dates are clearly specified. Rely on POMi to maintain running totals, notify you of effective dates, and call off POs by contract.

MANAGE REQUISITIONS MORE ACCURATELY.

You can closely track orders for multiple items with multiple delivery dates and ensure nothing gets lost or delayed. You can also group purchase requests by vendor for smooth communication with your suppliers.

GET PURCHASE ORDERS UNDER CONTROL.

With a few keystrokes, you can create, maintain, and print POs, or let your ERP system automatically request a PO by releasing a planned order. You can also rely on POMi to close and purge POs based on vendor performance, and to constantly keep purchase histories updated.

OPTIMIZE PURCHASING PERFORMANCE.

With Infor Purchase Order Management for System i (POMi), your organization has a foundation for consistent, fast, and accurate communications among your purchasing staff, your warehouses, and your vendors.

You'll get:

- ▶ Clear visibility of quotes, contracts, requisitions, and purchase orders, including the power to group inquiries by buyer and vendor
- ▶ Two-way information exchange between POMi and ERP
- ▶ Tools for personalizing your system for users and IT staff through the Infor Development Framework (IDF) without having to create custom code
- ▶ A choice of user interface via rich client or web browser
- ▶ An available seamless workflow system to keep your supply chain running smoothly, efficiently, and competitively

Infor Corporate Headquarters
13560 Morris Road
Suite 4100
Alpharetta, Georgia 30004
USA
Phone: +1 (800) 260 2640

www.infor.com

The Infor logo consists of the word "INFOR" in a bold, sans-serif font. The letters are black, with the "O" being a white circle with a black outline. A small trademark symbol (TM) is located to the upper right of the "R".