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Accounts Receivable (AR) Finance Feeder Front-End User Guide

For the new AR Feeder process, there is one format used for Banner AR (Student and General).

Naming Specifications for the Feeder File

Files submitted for processing need to follow this naming convention:

fi_ar_feeder.sssssss.yyyymmddhhmmss.xxx

NOTE:

- ssssssss is the OBFS assigned System ID,
- yyyymmdd is the submission date,
- hhmmsss is the submission time (24 hour military time with seconds), and
- .xxx is the file type (.csv and .xls/.xlsx accepted).

The entire file name must be in lower case letters. All periods (.) are required. The interface will not process files that fail to meet this naming standard.

Term Codes

The Banner Term Code is a 6-digit alphanumeric field.

All SAR transactions must be submitted with Banner formatted term codes.

All GAR transactions must be submitted with the term code **ARTERM**.

For SAR transactions, use the format **CYYYYT**. The first character is a single character Campus Indicator, followed by a 4-character year and a single character term month code.

Campus Code

| Campus | Code | | |
|-------------|------|--|--|
| Urbana | 1 | | |
| Chicago | 2 | | |
| Springfield | 4 | | |

Term Month Code

| Campus | Code | | |
|--------|------|--|--|
| Spring | 1 | | |
| Summer | 5 | | |
| Fall | 8 | | |

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Examples

| Receivable | Campus | Year | Term | Banner Term Code |
|------------|-------------|------|--------|------------------|
| SAR | Chicago | 2016 | Fall | 220168 |
| SAR | Springfield | 2017 | Summer | 420175 |
| SAR | Urbana | 2015 | Spring | 120151 |
| GAR | Chicago | 2006 | Fall | ARTERM |
| GAR | Urbana | 2002 | Summer | ARTERM |
| SAR | Chicago | 2016 | Fall | 220168 |

Feeder File Record Layouts

The same format is used for both SAR and GAR transactions. They may be mixed within a single file submission (in other words, there is no longer a need to separate the SAR and GAR transactions into separate files.)

| Input Field Name | Field Description | Data Type | Width | Required | Value/Source |
|--|---|--------------|-------|----------|---|
| UIN | University Identification Number/Vendor ID | CHAR | 9 | YES | @ sign is permissible |
| Detail_Code | Detail Code - This field identifies the detail code associated with the transaction. | CHAR | 4 | YES | Must be all capital letters |
| Notes/Description | Transaction Description - If a transaction description is supplied it will replace the default detail code description. | CHAR | 100 | NO | Data entered here will override Detail Code description. Only the first 30 characters will be written to Banner. |
| Invoice_Number Invoice Number (GAR) | | CHAR | 8 | NO | Banner may require Invoice # for all General Charges and Credits |

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| Input Field Name | Field Description | Data Type | Width | Required | Value/Source |
|-------------------|---|--------------|-------|----------|---|
| Term | Term Code – The Term to which the charge or credit should be applied | CHAR | 6 | YES | "ARTERM" or valid 6-digit numeric Term Code Value. |
| *TRAN_NUMBER_PAID | Transaction Number Paid - The transaction number of an existing Banner transaction that this charge/credit should be applied to. | CHAR | 8 | NO | |
| *Document_Number | Document Number – Optional field for departmental use | CHAR | 8 | NO | pass through, no validation |
| *Effective_Date | Will drive posting date for Super Users. They can input past and/or future dates. | DATE | 10 | NO | Format: MM/DD/YYYY |
| Amount | Amount - Amount of transaction | NUMBER | 12 | YES | Format: XXXXXXXXXXXX or -XXXXXXXXXXXX Cannot be -0 |
| *Super User only | | | | | |