

KK.020.013 - TRANSFERRING OVERALL PROJECT EXPENSE BUDGETS

Purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To enter an Overall Project Expense Budget transfer. • To identify required information on the Budget Header page. • To identify required ChartField information on the Budget Lines page. • To post an Overall Project Expense budget transfer
Description	<p>Projects are defined as internal initiatives funded out of regular operating budgets. These projects have overall budgets established when the project is set up and may span over one or multiple years. Yearly budgets are maintained in the PROJ_GRT Ledger group and overall/cumulative budgets are stored in the PRMST_EXP Ledger Group. Cumulative budgets for grants do not update or interface from the Budget Prep module.</p> <p>The control option (Control/Track) is defined by the ChartField definition at the individual project level. Therefore, users must refer back to the project definition to determine type of budget.</p> <p>The PRMST_REV Ledger Group is used mainly to track revenues recognized and cash collected for reporting and inquiry purposes. Budget Transfer Journals must be entered into the PRMST_EXP Ledger Group and must include the Project ChartField and an overall expense Amount.</p> <p>Transfers for one or many project budgets may occur in one transfer budget journal. Transfer Budget journals must be balanced. Transfers for one or many project budgets may occur in one transfer budget journal.</p> <p>For the project to be valid for budgeting, the Project Sync process must run. Please refer to GL.010.007 - Running the Project Sync business process for further details.</p>
Security Role	BOR_KK_BUDGET_ENTRY

Dependencies/ Constraints	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds are available to transfer between projects. System validation is performed as users create transactions. The system confirms the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The “From” budget exists and is valid. The “From” budget is not frozen. Users allowed transfers for this budget. Remaining spending authority is not exceeded by the transfer amount.
Additional Information	<p>The differences between the Budget Header page in the Enter Budget Journals and Enter Budget Transfer components are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Enter Budget Transfer page has different budget entry type options, namely, Transfer Original and Transfer Adjustment. Users can transfer amounts only between budgets within a single Commitment Control Ledger Group and Business Unit combination.

Procedure

Below are step by step instructions on how to use the Enter Budget Transfers component of Commitment Control in order to transfer Overall Project Expense budgets.

Step	Action
1.	Click the NavBar icon.
2.	Click the Navigator icon.
3.	Click the Commitment Control link.
4.	Click the Budget Journals link.
5.	Click the Enter Budget Transfer link.
6.	<p>Verify the system defaults to the Business Unit based on the user preferences. The Journal Date defaults to the current date and should be within the current fiscal year. In most instances, users let the system assign the next available Journal ID.</p> <p><i>Note: Users can modify Journal ID and Journal Date fields, if needed.</i></p>
7.	Click the Add button. The system navigates to the Enter Budget Journals and defaults to the Budget Header tab. The Budget Header tab is used to enter budget header information, such as the business unit, journal ID, journal date, Commitment Control ledger group, budget entry type and currency.
8.	Enter or search for a Ledger Group in the Ledger Group field.
9.	Click the Budget Entry Type drop-down menu. The system defaults to Transfer Adjustment.
10.	<p>Users can choose from three Budget Entry Types:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transfer Original - Select Transfer Original if this is a transfer of an original budget amount. • Transfer Adjustment - Select Transfer Adjustment if this is if this is a subsequent transfer of an adjustment to an original budget amount. • Transfer Permanent Adjustment - Select Transfer Permanent Adjustment if this is a subsequent transfer of an adjustment to an original budget amount and needs to be carried forward. <p><i>Note: Only Transfer Original and Transfer Permanent Adjustment budget journals are included in the next appropriation year's budget within the Budget Prep module.</i></p>
11.	Enter a Description in the Long Description field.

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12.	Click the Budget Lines tab. The system navigates to the Enter Budget Journals page to enter PROJ and Amount.
13.	Enter a Project in the Project field.
14.	Click the horizontal scrollbar to view the Amount field.
15.	<p>Enter a value into the Amount field: To increase the budget, enter a positive amount; to decrease the budget, enter a negative amount.</p> <p>The system stores budget amounts in the budget ledger in the opposite sign of an amount in an actuals ledger for that entry type. For example, the normal balance for an expense account is a debit. Budget amounts are stored as credits. If users budget 1000 for an expense, then they enter it as a positive amount, but the system stores the budget amount as a credit (negative amount in Commitment Control). If at a later date users wish to reduce the budgeted amount to 900, then they create a journal line with -100 in the amount field. This is true for both revenue and expenditure type budgets.</p>
16.	Insert additional budget journal lines by selecting the plus (+) sign button. When lines are inserted, values copy from the previous line based on the Journal Line Copy Down options.
17.	Enter a Project in the Project field.
18.	<p>Enter transfer amount into the Amount field.</p> <p>Note: When transferring funds between Negative Appropriations, the amount to be transferred must be entered as a negative amount.</p>
19.	Click the Save button.
20.	Click the Process button.
21.	Click the Yes button to post the budget journal to the Commitment Control ledgers.
22.	Verify the Budget Journal Header Status is <i>Posted</i> . If errors exist, click the Budget Errors tab, and determine actions required to correct the journal.