

# WHITE PAPER USER MANUAL FOR – INVOICE BATCH

## Module – Account Payables

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A batch invoice is a collection of invoices that are processed together as one.

- **What is a standard Invoice?**

This is a digital document generated by the ERP system that details transactions between a company and its customers or vendors. It includes essential information like item descriptions, quantities, prices, taxes, and total amounts due. ERP systems automate invoice creation, processing, and tracking to streamline financial operations.

- **When does it occur?**

In an ERP system, invoices are typically generated after goods or services are delivered or upon completion of a project. The system can automatically generate invoices based on sales orders, purchase orders, or service records. The timing can be configured according to business processes and payment terms.

- **Where is it used?**

Invoices within an ERP system are created, stored, and managed within the ERP platform. They can be accessed through various modules such as Accounts Receivable, Accounts Payable, or Sales and Distribution. The system ensures that invoices are centrally located and integrated with other business processes.

- **Who is involved?**

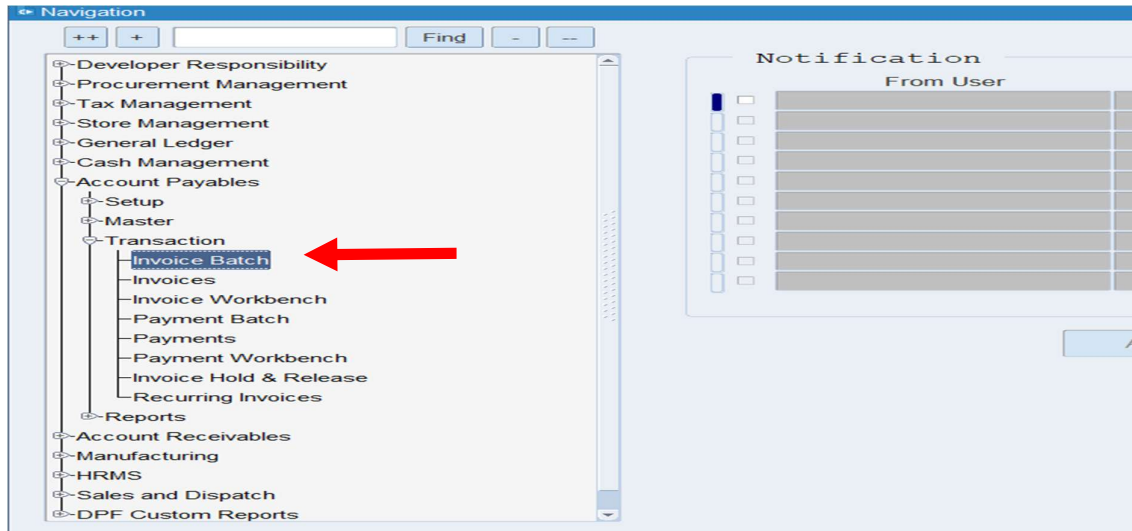
The standard invoice is typically managed by accounting personnel, financial managers, or procurement staff within an organization. It may also involve other roles such as sales representatives or inventory managers, depending on the ERP system's setup and the organization's workflow.

- **Why use Standard Invoices?**

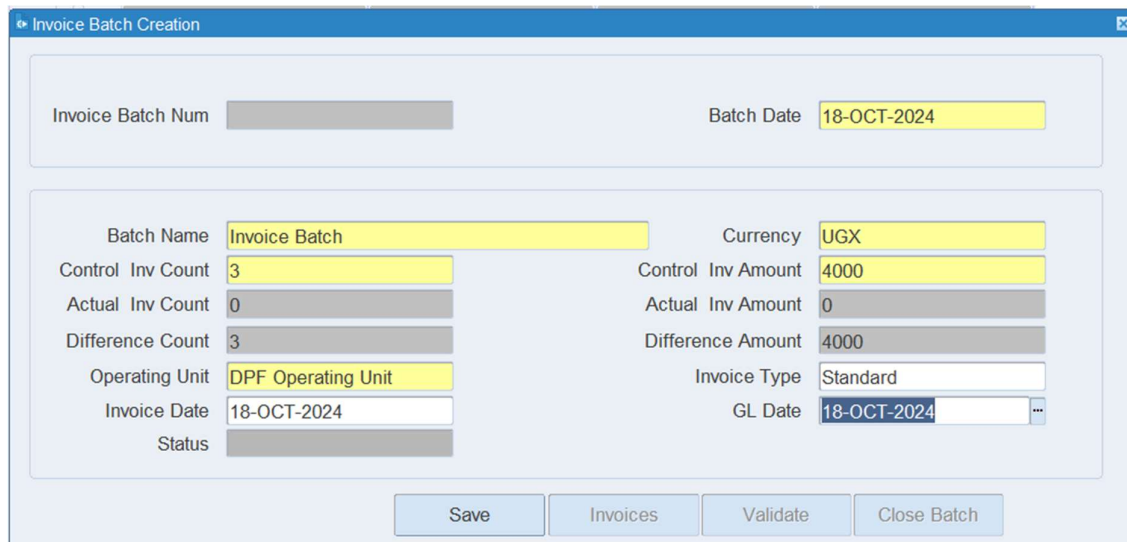
The standard invoice in an ERP system ensures accurate and efficient billing and payment processing. It helps maintain financial records, manage cash flow, and reconcile accounts. Automating invoice management reduces errors, speeds up the billing cycle, and improves overall financial control within the organization.

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Navigation – Accounts Payables > Invoice Batch



Click on Invoice Batch Menu and fill the all details  
Total Invoice count is 3 and Total Invoice Amount is 4000

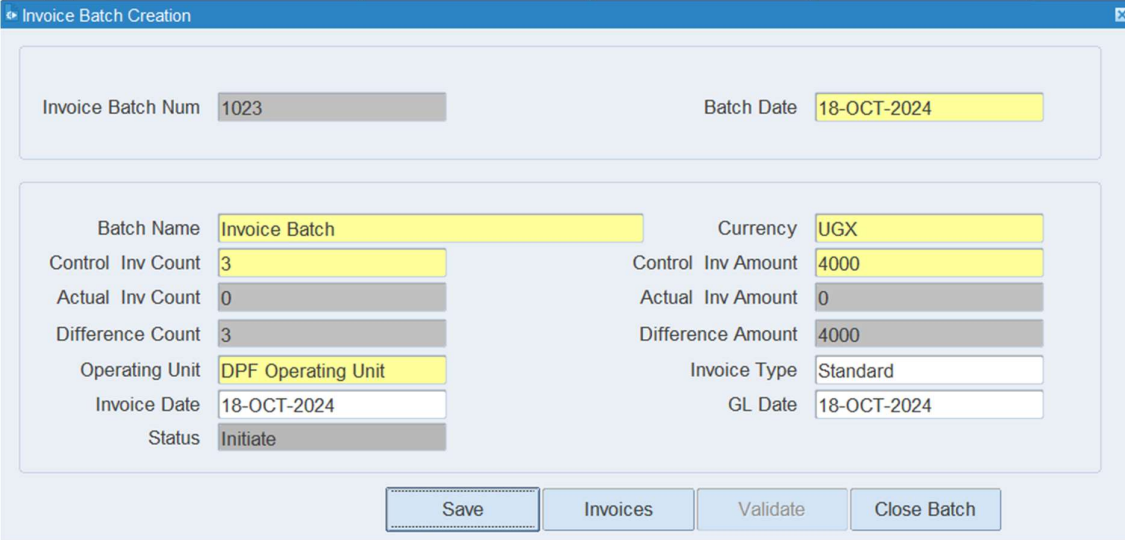


Invoice Batch Num		Batch Date	18-OCT-2024
Batch Name	Invoice Batch	Currency	UGX
Control Inv Count	3	Control Inv Amount	4000
Actual Inv Count	0	Actual Inv Amount	0
Difference Count	3	Difference Amount	4000
Operating Unit	DPF Operating Unit	Invoice Type	Standard
Invoice Date	18-OCT-2024	GL Date	18-OCT-2024
Status			

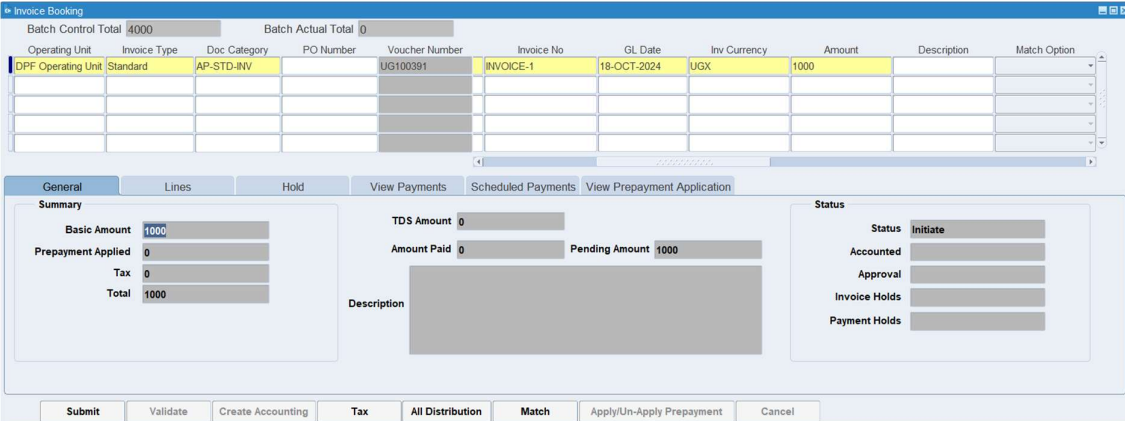
Save Invoices Validate Close Batch

Click Save

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System will generate invoice batch number  
Click on Invoices Button and create the invoices under this batch



In the Doc Category select the Manual Invoice option.

### What is Document Category?

This is a classification assigned to an invoice to indicate its type or purpose. It helps the ERP system to apply specific rules, workflows, and processing steps based on the category. Examples might include "Sales Invoice," "Purchase Invoice," "Credit Note," or "Debit Note."

### What is Supplier's name?

It identifies the party that has supplied the goods or services, ensuring that there is clarity on who the invoice is coming from. This helps in maintaining accurate records and resolving any discrepancies related to the supplier.

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### What is a supplier site?

The supplier site provides detailed information about where a supplier operates, ships from, or where services are delivered. This helps in managing logistics, shipping, and procurement processes efficiently.

### What is the Invoice Number?

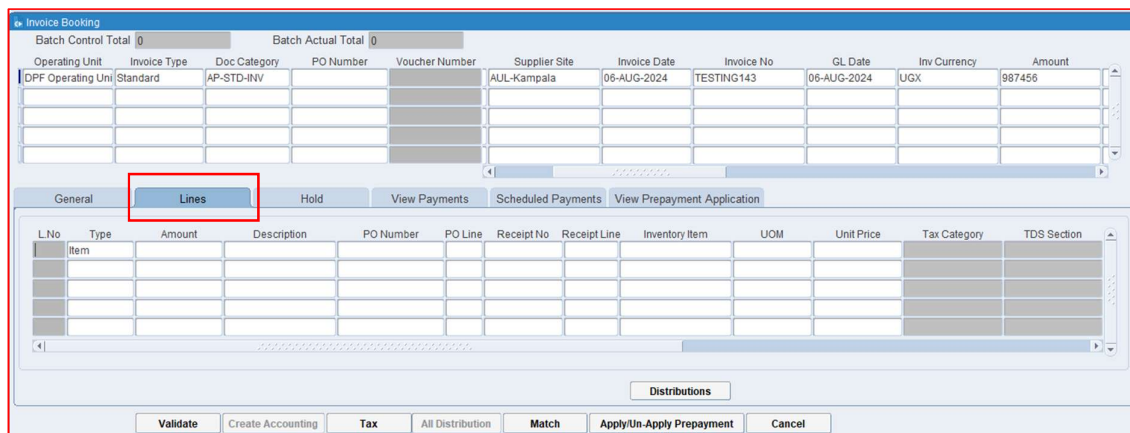
The invoice number uniquely identifies each invoice, making it easy to reference and track. It helps in distinguishing one invoice from another, which is essential for organization and clarity in financial records.

### What is GL Date?

The GL date indicates the specific date on which a transaction is recorded in the General Ledger. This date determines the accounting period in which the transaction will be included for financial reporting and analysis.

### What is Invoice Currency?

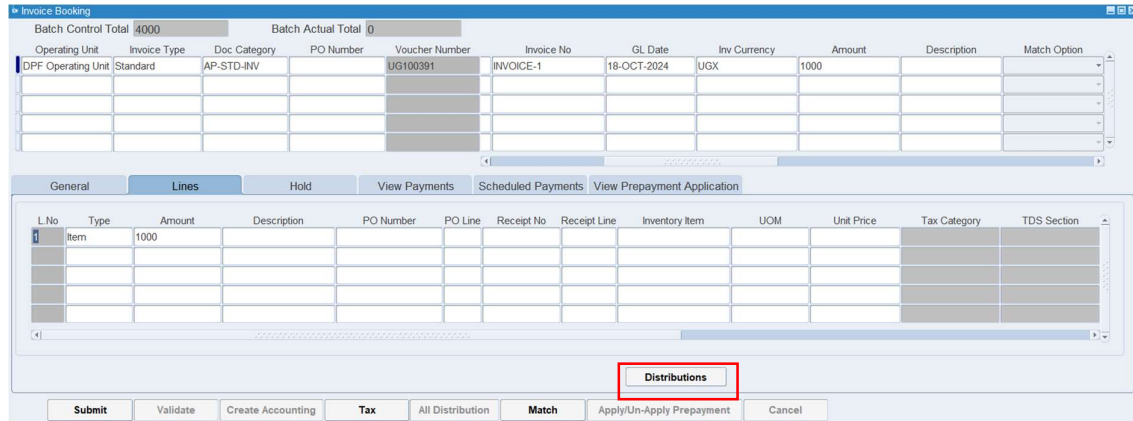
Invoice currency specifies the type of currency used to calculate and display the amounts due on an invoice. This could be the currency of the supplier, the customer, or a mutually agreed-upon currency.



### What is Lines?

In the context of an invoice, lines refer to the individual entries or rows on the invoice that detail each specific item or service being billed. Each line typically includes a description, quantity, unit price, and total amount for the particular item or service.

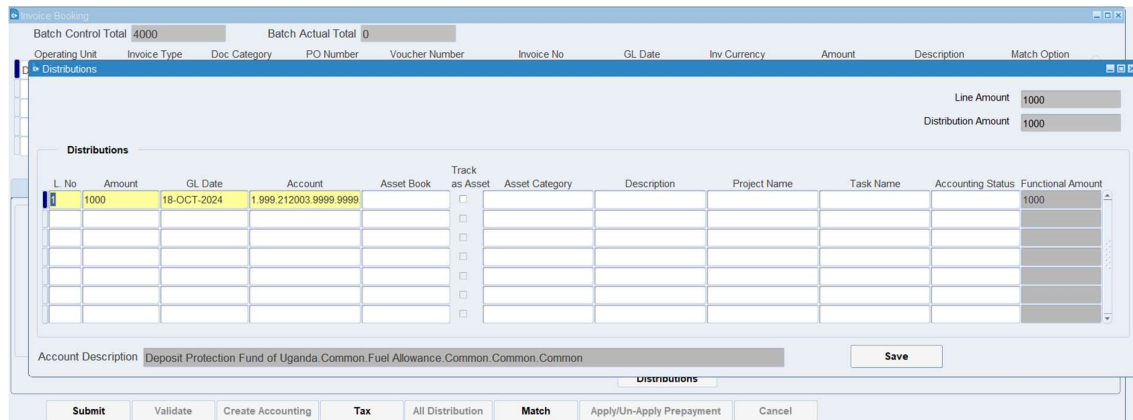
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Click on Distributions

### What is Distributions?

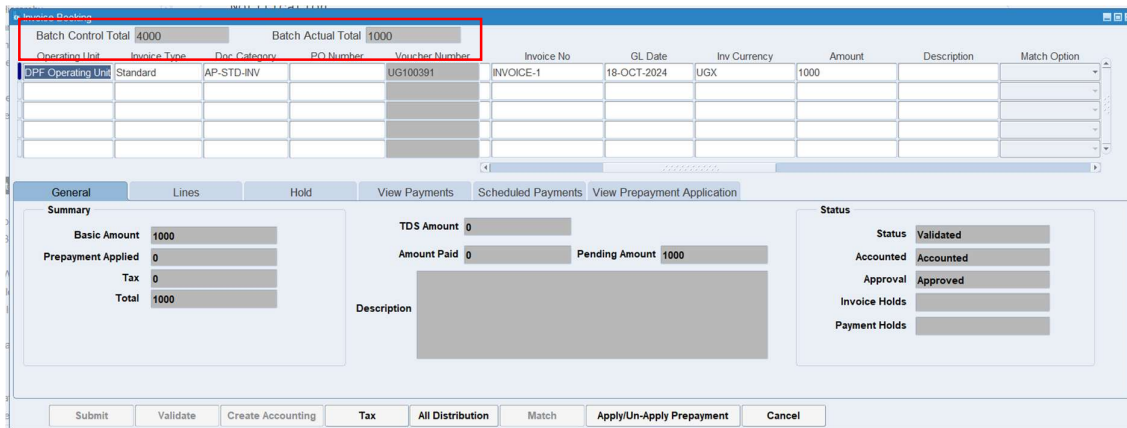
In the context of invoicing and accounting, distributions refer to the process of allocating the costs of an invoice to different accounts, cost center, or departments within an organization. This ensures that expenses are recorded accurately in the financial records and helps in proper budgeting and financial analysis.



Put the required information then click on ok.

Click on Save

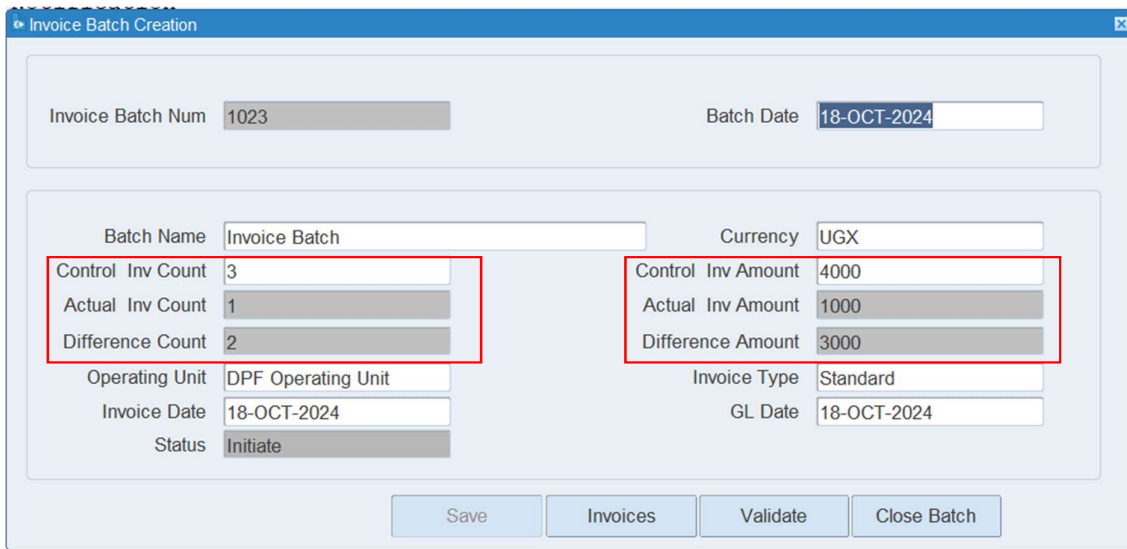
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The screenshot shows the 'Invoice Batch Creation' form. At the top, there are two fields: 'Batch Control Total' with a value of 4000 and 'Batch Actual Total' with a value of 1000. Below these, there is a table with columns: Operating Unit, Invoice Type, Doc Category, PO Number, Voucher Number, Invoice No, GL Date, Inv Currency, Amount, Description, and Match Option. The first row shows 'DPF Operating Unit', 'Standard', 'AP-STD-INV', an empty PO Number, 'UG100391', 'INVOICE-1', '18-OCT-2024', 'UGX', '1000', an empty Description, and an empty Match Option. Below the table, there are tabs for 'General', 'Lines', 'Hold', 'View Payments', 'Scheduled Payments', and 'View Prepayment Application'. The 'General' tab is active, showing a 'Summary' section with 'Basic Amount' 1000, 'Prepayment Applied' 0, 'Tax' 0, and 'Total' 1000. There is also a 'TDS Amount' 0 and 'Amount Paid' 0. A 'Status' section on the right shows 'Status' as 'Validated', 'Accounted' as 'Accounted', 'Approval' as 'Approved', 'Invoice Holds' as an empty field, and 'Payment Holds' as an empty field. At the bottom, there are buttons: 'Submit', 'Validate', 'Create Accounting', 'Tax', 'All Distribution', 'Match', 'Apply/Un-Apply Prepayment', and 'Cancel'.

In Header you can see the Batch Control Total is 4000 and Batch Actual Total is 1000

Close the Invoice Form and Check the Status in Invoice Batch Form



The screenshot shows the 'Invoice Batch Creation' form. At the top, there are two fields: 'Invoice Batch Num' with a value of 1023 and 'Batch Date' with a value of 18-OCT-2024. Below these, there is a section for 'Batch Name' (Invoice Batch) and 'Currency' (UGX). There are two red boxes highlighting specific data. The first red box highlights the 'Control Inv Count' (3), 'Actual Inv Count' (1), and 'Difference Count' (2). The second red box highlights the 'Control Inv Amount' (4000), 'Actual Inv Amount' (1000), and 'Difference Amount' (3000). Below these, there are fields for 'Operating Unit' (DPF Operating Unit), 'Invoice Date' (18-OCT-2024), 'Status' (Initiate), 'Invoice Type' (Standard), and 'GL Date' (18-OCT-2024). At the bottom, there are buttons: 'Save', 'Invoices', 'Validate', and 'Close Batch'.

Total Invoice Count is 3  
Invoice Created 1 under this batch  
Pending Invoice 2

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