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ALABAMA IN HUNTSVILLE

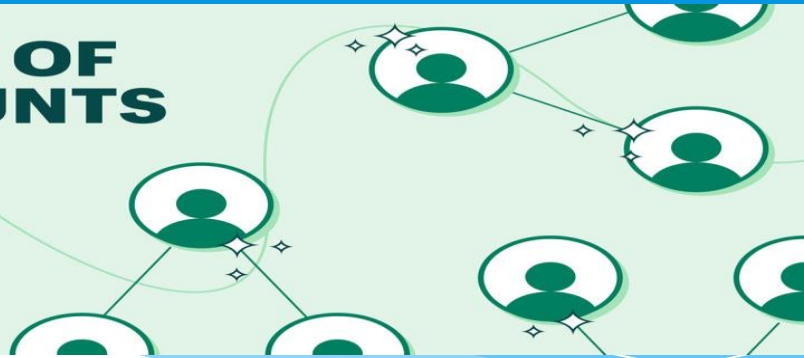
The University of Alabama in Huntsville
Office of Budgets and Management Information
Banner Finance Self-Service Training

**Introduction to Finance Self-Service:
Accounting Overview**

Objectives

- * Know the different Charts of Accounts at UAH.
- * Learn the Banner acronym used to represent the Chart of Accounts when performing a query.
- * Know the fund types that identify the sources of funds, the responsible divisions by organization code, and a detailed list of account and program codes.
- * Review general Finance Self-Service query setup

CHART OF ACCOUNTS



UAH has several Charts of Accounts depending on who the funds belong to. There are two Separate Charts of Accounts common for most Banner Users at UAH.

- * **H** – The University of Alabama in Huntsville
- * **F** – Foundation

The Foundation chart is not covered in this lesson.

Chart of Accounts Overview

- ❖ FOAPAL is the Banner term for the accounting code assigned to transactions.
- ❖ The term is an acronym derived from the names of the six primary elements of the accounting code.
- ❖ Those that are in red are the ones we use to do a budget query in Finance Self Service (FOAP).

Chart	Index	Fund	Org	Account	Program	Activity	Location
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- * **F = Fund Code**
- * **O = Organization Code**
- * **A = Account Code**
- * **P = Program Code**
- * **A = Activity** –should not be used
- * **L = Location** – should not be used

Note that two fields precede the **FOAPAL**. **Chart** is the Banner Chart of Accounts. **Index, Activity, and Location should NOT be used.**

Chart of Accounts Overview

FOAPAL

- * **Fund Code** – 5-digit code; identifies the source of money and how it must be used. (Example: 19297) - **Where did the money come from?**
- * **Organization Code** – 6-digit code; identifies department, or budget unit, within separate divisions (Example: 240001) - **Who is responsible for the money?**
- * **Account Code** – 4-digit code that identifies the nature of activity like revenues, expenditures, assets, liabilities, and fund balance that occurs (Example: 7000 = Operating Expenditure) - **What kind of activity is taking place?**
- * **Program Code** – 2-digit code that is a functional reporting classification for tracking use of funds for financial reporting purposes – **Why is the transaction occurring?** (Examples include 10-Instruction, 20-Research, 30-Public Service, etc.)
- * **Activity** – Not used; User-defined element for independent reporting
- * **Location** – Not used; identifies physical location of financial activity

Overview of UAH Funding Sources

Where did the money come from?

All Fund Codes Have a Fund Type (Funding Source)

- * 21- State/O&M General – Tuition & Fees; State Appropriations
- * 27- Cost-Share – UAH match for Sponsored Research
- * 31- Departmental – Faculty Startup; PI 5%; Student Activities
- * 41- Auxiliary – Self-supported with revenue from sales/services (i.e. Housing rents and Dining Services)
- * 51- External Contracts and Grants (Sponsored Programs or Research)
- * 6x- Restricted Funds (Scholarships/Gifts/Endowments)
- * 7x- Plant Funds – Construction/maintenance of UAH property; transferred from State-funded accounts

General Guide on How to Identify an Org's Fund Type

There are some exceptions to this, but there is a pattern to use as a guide.

Fund Type and Source	Org Examples	Org Number Examples Research- Digit 3 Non-research-Digit 4
Fund Type 21-State/O&M General State Appropriations; Tuition and Fees	Dean org; Enrollment Services, College Depts. Main accounts	Non-research 270 1 01 Research 85 0 001
Fund Type 27-Cost Share UAH Match for Sponsored Research	All cost share orgs are associated with a C or G.	Non-research 270 2 01 Research 85 2 001
Fund Type 31-Departmental Funds Usually transferred from FT 21	Faculty startup, PI 5%, Student Activities, etc.	Non-research 270 3 01 Research 85 3 001
Fund Type 41-Auxiliaries Revenue from sales/services like housing rents and dining services	Charger Card, Bookstore, Food Services, etc.	Unique
Fund Type 51-Contracts and Grants Federal, state, and other grants, commercial contracts, etc.	F/NASA/Enhancements S/ASDE/Teaching C/Westar/AMCOM EXPRESS/ O/Institute of Commerce/LTD	Non-research 270 5 13 Research 85 5 661
Fund Type 6X-Gifts and Endowments Private Donations	Scholarships, Gifts, Eminent Scholar, Misc., etc.	Non-research 270 8 01 Research 85 6 001
Fund Type 71-Plant Funds 30% of FYE balance transferred from FT 21	Physical Plant Building Reroof Campus Lake Dredging & Repairs BAB Reconfiguration & Renovation	Unique

Overview of System Organization Codes

Who is responsible for the money?

- * 1xxxxx- President & Athletics
- * 15XXXX- Strategic Communications
- * 2xxxxx- Academic Affairs/Colleges
- * 3xxxxx- Finance & Administration
- * 40xxxx- Access, Connections, & Engagement
- * 41xxxx- Student Affairs
- * 5xxxxx- University Advancement
- * 6xxxxx- Research
- * 7xxxxx- Research
- * 8xxxxx- Research

	CTRs ORG CODES (alpha)					CTRs ORG CODES (#)			CTRs ORG CODES (fb)				COLLEGES ORG CODES	
	CTR	CODE	FB	CSFB		CODE	CTR		FB	CTR	CODE		20	Provost
1	CAO	63	15025	15916	12	CSS	15025	CAO	63		201	OIPS		
	CAR	64	15075		60	VPR	15030	CCRE	84		202	ISED		
2	CCRE	84	15030		60	OTC	15065	CSS	12		203			
	CMDS	76	15195	15910	61	CMER	15070	LMASS	62		204	Enrollment Services		
3	CMER	61	15080	15922	62	LMASS	15075	CAR	64		205	Library		
	CMOST	70	15200	15911	63	CAO	15080	CMER	61		206	Grad Program		
	CMR	65	15165	15907	64	CAR	15100	CMSA	80		207	Professional & Cont Studies		
4	CMSA	80	15100	15921	65	CMR	15110	RSESC	67		209	Financial Aid		
5	CSPAR	73	15193	15915	66	OED	15130	RI	81		22	College of Business Administration		
	CSS	12	15065	15923	67	RSESC	15135	Hum Ctr	60 79		220	Dean		
6	ESSC	74	15191	15909	68	NMDC	15135	OTC	60 83		221	Acctg&Fin		
7	Hum Ctr	60	15135	15905	69	PRC	15135	VPR	60		222	Econ		
	Hum Ctr	79	15135		70	CMOST	15150	SBDC	71		223	Mgmt & Mkt		
	ISPAE	77	15400	15912	71	SBDC	15165	CMR	65		23	College of Engineering		
8	ITSC	75	15192	15920	72	LSB	15180	PRC	69		230	Dean		
	LMASS	62	15070	15903	73	CSPAR	15191	ESSC	74		231	DL		
	LSB	72	15700	15913	74	ESSC	15192	ITSC	75		232	CME		
	LSEAM	78	15230		75	ITSC	15193	CSPAR	73		233	CEE		
	NMDC	68	15600		76	CMDS	15195	CMDS	76		234	ECE		
	OED	66	15235		77	ISPAE	15200	CMOST	70		235	ISEEM		
+	OTC	83	15236	15914	78	LSEAM	15225	SMAPCTR	82		236	MAE		
9	PRC	69	15180	15919	79	Hum Ctr	15230	LSEAM	78		24	College of Arts, Humanities, & SS		
10	RI	81	15130	15904	80	CMSA	15235	OED	66		240	Dean		
11	RSESC	67	15110	15918	81	RI	15236	OTC	83		241	Art&ArtHist		
12	SBDC	71	15150	15906	82	SMAPCTR	15400	ISPAE	77		243	English		
13	SMAPCTR	82	15225	15917	83	OTC	15600	NMDC	68		244	ComArts		
	VPR	60	15135	15905	84	CCRE	15700	LSB	72		245	History		
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											247	Music		
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											249	Psy		
											24A	Soc		
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											252	Atmos Sci		
											253	Chem		
											254	CS		
											255	Math		
											256	Ph		
											257	MatSci		
											258	SpSci		
											26	College of Nursing		
											30	FINANCE and ADMIN		
											301	VP Finance		
											304	Office of Information Tech		

ROLL-UP		RESEARCH CENTERS		NON-RESEARCH CTRS	
1	Total University	xx0xxx	State & ICR	yyy0yy	State & ICR
		xx1xxx		yyy1yy	
		xx2xxx	Cost Share	yyy2yy	Cost Share
		xx3xxx	Dept'l	yyy3yy	Dept'l
		xx4xxx	4% PI	yyy4yy	4% PI
		xx5xxx	Ext Sponsored	yyy5yy	Ext Sponsored
		xx6xxx		yyy6yy	
		xx7xxx		yyy7yy	
		xx8xxx	Gifts/ESC	yyy8yy	Gifts/ESC
		xx9xxx	Plant/Other	yyy9yy	Plant/Other

FUND TYPES	
Bank Fund	2
Unrestricted	10
Education and General	21
Cost Share	27
Designated Departmental	31
Auxiliary	41
Restricted	50
Externally Sponsored Funds	51
Restricted Scholarships	61
Other Restricted	62
Eminent Scholars	63
Educational Grants	64
Plant Funds	70

Program Codes	
Instruction	10
Research	20
Public Service	30
Academic Support	40
Student Services	50
Institutional Support	60
O&M Physical Plant	70

PAF	→	EPAF
Labor	↔	ELABOR
Leave	↔	WTE
		Timesheet is WTE

ex. Dept'l: IR&D FP Residual

Org Codes are six digits

Account Codes are 4 digits - salaries, operating, equipment

Account Codes

What kind of activity is taking place?

Each org code can have up to four (4) different account types which make up the four budget categories.

- * **5xxx-** Revenues
- * **6xxx-** Salary/Fringe Benefits
- * **7xxx-** Expenditures (Operating) (F&A)
- * **8xxx-** Capital Outlay
(Equipment/Construction)

Overview of System Salary Account Code Organization

- * **61 – Salaries and Wages**
- * **62 – Leave Loaded Salary**
- * **63 – Leave Loaded Fringe Benefits**
- * **64 – Moving Expenses and Wireless Supplement**
- * **65 – Fringe Benefits (Taxes and Insurance, GTA/GRA Tuition)**
- * **66 – Department Tuition Waivers**
- * **69 – Salary Accruals (FIN Use Only)**

Overview of System Operating Account Code Organization

- * 71 – Subcontracts, Stipends, Advertising, Dues and Subscriptions, Postage, Phone, Printing, Software Expenses
- * 72 – Travel Expenses
- * 73 – Utilities Expenses
- * 74 – Supplies and Materials
- * 75 – Interdepartmental Transfers
- * 76 – Miscellaneous Expenses
- * **77 – Tuition**
- * **78 – Budgeted Transfers**
- * **79 – Indirect Cost Recovery**

Overview of System Capital Account Code Organization

Capital Expenditures (\$5,000 and over per unit)

- * 81 – Equipment (\$5,000 and over per unit)
- * 82 - Books
- * 83 – Construction
- * 84 – Artwork and Collections

Overview of System Account Code List

The full UAH Account Code List can be found on the Accounting and Financial Reporting website at the link below:

<https://www.uah.edu/finance/banner-information/account-code-list>

Overview of System **P**rogram Codes

Why is the activity taking
place?

- * 10 – Instruction
- * 20 – Research
- * 30 – Public Service
- * 40 – Academic Support
- * 41 – Libraries
- * 42 – Academic Support
- * 50 – Student Services
- * 60 – Institutional Support
- * 70 – O and M Physical Plant
- * 71 – O and M Physical Plant
- * 72 – Utilities
- * 73 – Capital Projects
- * 80 – Scholarships and Fellowships
- * 90 – Auxiliary Enterprises
- * 99 - Revenues

Chart of Accounts on Query Setup

Create New Query

Select Query Type

Budget Status by Account

Values

Chart* H The University of AL in Huntsville x▼

Index Choose Index ▼

Fund Choose Fund ▼

Organization* Choose Organization ▼

Account Choose Account ▼

Program Choose Program ▼

Activity Choose Activity ▼

Location Choose Location ▼

Fund Type Choose Fund Type ▼

Account Type Choose Account Type ▼

Chart of Accounts is Set to 'H' ('F' for Foundation Orgs)

Index and FOAPAL on Query Setup

Create New Query

Select Query Type

Budget Status by Account

Values

Chart *

H The University of AL in Huntsville

Index

Choose Index

Fund

Organization *

Enter Org Number in the Index field and click when it populates the dropdown box.

Remember, the Org Number and Index numbers are the same for the basic budget queries! The Index is your “shortcut” and, automatically populates the Fund, Organization, and Program fields, indicated by the yellow arrows.

Create New Query

Select Query Type

Budget Status by Account

Values

Chart *

H The University of AL in Huntsville

Fund

15000 O & M General

Account

Choose Account

Activity

Choose Activity

Fund Type

Choose Fund Type

Index

Organization *

Program

60 Institutional Support

Location

Choose Location

Account Type

Choose Account Type

Questions?



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