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## 840 Request for Quotation

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## Introduction:

This Draft Standard for Trial Use contains the format and establishes the data contents of the Request for Quotation Transaction Set (840) for use within the context of an Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) environment. The transaction set can be used to provide potential buyers with the ability to solicit price, delivery schedule, and other items from potential sellers of goods and services.

## Notes:

1. Use this transaction set to solicit quotations for federal government small purchases, or to amend, cancel or reissue a solicitation.
2. In this convention, the terms solicit and quote are used generically and can encompass such other terms as IFB and bid; RFP and proposal.
3. Use, if available, segments in table 1, when the solicitation contains one line item or multiple line items and the data applies to all line items. Use the corresponding segment in table 2 when the solicitation contains multiple line items and the data varies among the line items.

## Heading:

|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Pos. } \\ & \frac{\text { No. }}{010} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Seg. } \\ & \frac{\mathrm{ID}}{\mathrm{ST}} \end{aligned}$ | Name <br> Transaction Set Header | Req. $\frac{\text { Des. }}{\mathrm{M}}$ | $\frac{\text { Max.Use }}{1}$ | Loop <br> Repeat | Notes and Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 020 | BQT | Beginning Segment for Request For Quotation | M | 1 |  |  |
|  | 030 | NTE | Note/Special Instruction | F | 100 |  |  |
|  | 040 | CUR | Currency | 0 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 050 | REF | Reference Numbers | O | 12 |  |  |
|  | 060 | PER | Administrative Communications Contact | 0 | 3 |  |  |
| N/U | 070 | TAX | Tax Reference | 0 | 3 |  |  |
|  | 080 | FOB | F.O.B. Related Instructions | 0 | >1 |  |  |
| $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{U}$ | 090 | CTP | Pricing Information | 0 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 110 | CSH | Header Sale Condition | - | 1 |  |  |
|  | 120 | SAC | Service, Promotion, Allowance, or Charge Information | O | 25 |  |  |
| N/U | 130 | ITD | Terms of Sale/Deferred Terms of Sale | o | 5 |  |  |
| N/U | 140 | DIS | Discount Detail | 0 | 20 |  |  |
|  | 150 | DTM | Date/Time Reference | - | 10 |  |  |
|  | 160 | LDT | Lead Time | - | 12 |  |  |
| $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{U}$ | 180 | LIN | Item Identification | - | 5 |  | n1 |
|  | 190 | PID | ProductItem Description | 0 | 200 |  |  |
|  | 200 | MEA | Measurements | - | 40 |  |  |
|  | 210 | PWK | Paperwork | 0 | 25 |  |  |
|  | 220 | PKG | Marking, Packaging, Loading | O | 200 |  |  |
| N/U | 230 | TD1 | Carrier Details (Quantity and Weight) | 0 | 2 |  |  |
|  | 240 | TD5 | Carrier Details (Routing Sequence/Transit Time) | 0 | 12 |  |  |
| $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{U}$ | 250 | TD3 | Carrier Details (Equipment) | 0 | 12 |  |  |
|  | 260 | TD4 | Carrier Details (Special Handling or Hazardous Materials or Both) | O | 5 |  |  |


| 840 - Request for Quotation |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 270 | MAN | Marks and Numbers | 0 | 10 |
|  | 280 | RRA | Required Response | 0 | 25 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 290 | N9 | Reference Number | O | 1 |
|  | 300 | MSG | Message Text | O | 1000 |
|  |  |  |  <br> TyM |  |  |
|  | 310 | N1 |  | O | 1 |
|  | 320 | N2 | Additional Name Information | 0 | 2 |
|  | 330 | N3 | Address Information | 0 | 2 |
|  | 340 | N4 | Geographic Location | 0 | 1 |
|  | 350 | REF | Reference Numbers | 0 | 12 |
|  | 360 | PER | Administrative Communications Contact | 0 | 3 |
| N/U | 370 | FOB | F.O.B. Related Instructions | 0 | 1 |
| N/U | 380 | TD1 | Carrier Details (Quantity and Weight) | 0 | 2 |
|  | 390 | TD5 | Carrier Details (Routing Sequence/Transit Time) | 0 | 12 |
| N/U | 400 | TD3 | Carrier Details (Equipment) | 0 | 12 |
| N/U | 410 | TD4 | Carrier Details (Special Handling, or Hazardous Materials, or Both) | 0 | 5 |
| N/U | 420 | PKG | Marking, Packaging, Loading | 0 | 200 |
| N/U | 430 | RRA | Required Response | 0 | 25 |

## Detail:

|  | Pos. <br> No. | Seg. <br> ID | Name | Req. <br> Des. | Max.Use | Loop Repeat | Notes and Comments |
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|  |  |  | WoIIf y |  |  | $3$ |  |
|  | 010 | PO1 | Baseline Item Data | M | 1 |  |  |
| N/U | 020 | CUR | Currency | 0 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 030 | PO3 | Additional Item Detail | O | 25 |  |  |
|  | 040 | CTP | Pricing Information | 0 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 049 | MEA | Measurements | O | 40 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | ${ }^{5}$ |  |
|  | 050 | P1D | Product/Item Description | 0 | 1 |  |  |
| N/U | 060 | MEA | Measurements | 0 | 10 |  |  |
|  | 070 | PWK | Paperwork | 0 | 25 |  |  |
|  | 080 | PKG | Marking, Packaging, Loading | 0 | 200 |  |  |
|  | 090 | PO4 | Item Physical Details | 0 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 100 | REF | Reference Numbers | 0 | 12 |  |  |
|  | 110 | PER | Administrative Communications Contact | 0 | 3 |  |  |
|  | 130 | SAC | Service, Promotion, Allowance, or Charge Information | 0 | 25 |  |  |
|  | 140 | IT8 | Conditions of Sale | 0 | 1 |  |  |
| N/U | 150 | ITD | Terms of Sale/Deferred Terms of Sale | O | 2 |  |  |
| N/U | 160 | DIS | Discount Detail | O | 20 |  |  |
| N/U | 170 | TAX | Tax Reference | O | 3 |  |  |
|  | 180 | FOB | F.O.B. Related Instructions | 0 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 190 | SDQ | Destination Quantity | 0 | 50 |  |  |
|  | 200 | DTM | Date/Time Reference | O | 10 |  |  |
|  | 220 | SCH | Line Item Schedule | O | 104 | n2 |  |
| N/U | 230 | FST | Forecast Schedule | O | $>1$ |  |  |
| N/U | 240 | TD1 | Carrier Details (Quantity and Weight) | O | 1 |  |  |

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| N/U | 300 | SLN |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| N/U | 310 | PID |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Subline Item Detail | O | 1 |
| Product/lem Description | O | 1000 |


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| 320 | N9 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 330 | MSG |


| Reference Number | 0 | 1 |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Message Text | 0 | 1000 |



## Summary:

| Pos. <br> No. | Seg. <br> ID | Name | Req. Des. | Max.Use | Loop Repeat | Notes and Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 010 | CTT | Transaction Totals | M | 1 |  | n3 |
| 020 | SE | Transaction Set Trailer | M | 1 |  |  |

## Transaction Set Notes

1. If segment LIN is used, do not use LIN01.
2. The SCH segment is used to specify various quantities of items ordered that are to be scheduled. When this segment is used the unit of measurement code (SCH02) should always be identical to the unit of measurement code in the associated PO1 segment (PO103) and the sum of values of quantity ( SCH 01 ) should always equal the quantity ordered ( PO 102 ) in the POl segment.

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3. The number of line items (CTT01) is the accumulation of the number of POl segments. If used, hash total (CTT02) is the sum of the value of quantities ordered (PO102) for each POl segment.
Segment: $\quad \mathbf{S T}$ Transaction Set Header
sition:
Loop:
Level: Heading
Usage: Mandatory
Max Use: $\quad 1$
Purpose: To indicate the start of a transaction set and to assign a control number
Syntax Notes:

## Semantic Notes:

1 The transaction set identifier (ST01) used by the translation routines of the interchange partners to select the appropriate transaction set definition (e.g., 810 selects the Invoice Transaction Set).
Comments:

| Data Element Summary |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Must Use | Ref. | Data |  |  |
|  | Des. | Element | Name | Attributes |
|  | ST01 | 143 | Transaction Set Identifier Code | M ID 3/3 |
|  |  |  | Code uniquely identifying a Transaction Set |  |
|  |  |  | Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for | de values. |
| Must Use | ST02 | 329 | Transaction Set Control Number <br> $\begin{array}{lll}\text { M } & \text { AN } & 4 / 9\end{array}$ <br> Identifying control number that must be unique within the transaction set functional group assigned by the originator for a transaction set |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Segment: BQT Beginning Segment for Request For Quotation

Position: 020
Loop:
Level:
Usage:
Heading Mandatory
Max Use: 1
Purpose: To indicate the beginning of a Request for Quotation Transaction Set and transmit identifying numbers and dates
Syntax Notes: Semantic Notes: Comments: Notes:

## Data Element Summary

## Des. $\frac{\text { Element }}{353} \frac{\text { Name }}{\text { Trans }}$ <br> Attributes <br> Transaction Set Purpose Code Code identifying purpose of transaction set <br> 1. Use code 00 to indicate an original solicitation. <br> 2. Use code 01 to indicate the cancellation of a previously transmitted solicitation. Do not use when the solicitation is to be reissued. In that case,

 use code 17.3. Use code 02 to indicate an amended solicitation, (BQT07 is code 06), that contains only additions to a previously transmitted solicitation.
4. Use code 03 to indicate an amended solicitation, (BQT07 is code 06), that contains only deletions to a previously transmitted solicitation.
5. Use code 04 to indicate an amended solicitation, (BQT07 is code 06), that contains a combination of additions and deletions to a previously transmitted solicitation. This code is also used to indicate data in a previously transmitted solicitation has changed, e.g., the closing date for receipt of quotes has changed. In effect, the old date is deleted and the new date is added.
6. Use code 07 to indicate the re-transmission of a previously transmitted solicitation.
7. Use code 14 to indicate the transmission of complete or partial data regarding a potential solicitation such as a pre-invitation notice. This code will be used when requesting comments on a proposed solicitation from potential bidders. Do not use when sending a CBD announcement. In that case, use code ZZ.
8. Use code 17 to cancel a previously transmitted solicitation only when the solicitation is to be reissued. Otherwise use code 01 to cancel a previously transmitted solicitation.
9. Use code 18 to indicate the reissue of a previously cancelled solicitation. Do not use when there was no original solicitation or when the original solicitation was cancelled using code 01.
10. Use code ZZ to indicate a Commerce Business Daily Announcement.

| 00 | Original |
| :--- | :--- |
| 01 | Cancellation |
| 02 | Add |
| 03 | Delete |
| 04 | Change |
| 07 | Duplicate |
| 14 | Advance Notification |
| 17 | Cancel, to be Reissued |
| 18 | Reissue |
| ZZ | Mutually Defined |

Must Use BQT02

BQT06

Request for Quote Reference Number
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { M } & \text { AN } & 1 / 45\end{array}$ Number assigned by the purchaser to identify his request for quote Use to identify the unique number assigned to the solicitation, regardless of the type of solicitation. If this is an amendment to a solicitation (e.g., BQT01 is code 05 and BQT07 is code 06), the solicitation number and amendment number will be concatenated.
Request Quotation Control Date $\quad$ M $\quad$ DT $\quad$ 6/6 Date to be used for reference purposes in an RFQ and a response to RFQ. Use to specify either the date of the solicitation, (e.g., when BQTO1 is one of codes 00,07 or 18); the date of the advanced notification or CBD announcement (e.g., when BQT01 is code 14 or code ZZ); or the date of the amendment (e.g., when BQT01 is code 02, 03, 04 or 17).
Purchase Order Type Code 0 ID $2 / 2$ Code specifying the type of Purchase Order Use in original and reissued solicitations to indicate the type of procurement instrument represented by this transaction set.

1. Use code NE to indicate a purchase order.
2. Use code RL to indicate releases, calls or delivery orders against existing procurement instruments, e.g., if soliciting quotes on a Federal Supply Schedule item.
3. Use code RT to indicate a rental order.
4. Use code ZZ to indicate that a type of procurement instrument other than a lease, purchase order or delivery order is contemplated. When used, use the following NTE segment to explain the type of contractual instrument contemplated. A request has been submitted to ASC X12 for the following types of procurement instruments: Agreement, Blanket Purchase Agreement, Contract, Basic Agreement, Basic Ordering Agreement, Grant, Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ), Labor Hours, Purchase Order, Indefinite Delivery Definite Quantity (IDDQ), Requirements, Task Order, and Letter Contract. We expect these codes to be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. A code for unpriced order will be asked for and if approved, will be available in a later version of the ASC X12 standards.

| LS | Lease |
| :--- | :--- |
| NE | New Order |

RL Release or Delivery Order
RT Rental
ZZ Mutually Defined
BQT07 960

0 ID $2 / 2$

Code specifying the type of request for quote 1. Use to identify the type of solicitation.
2. A request for the following additional codes has been submitted to ASC X12; Request for Technical Proposal, Request For Priced Proposal, Request For Information and Broad Announcement. We expect those codes to be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.
3. Do not use when BQT01 is code ZZ, indicating a CBD Announcement. ASC X12 has been requested to add a code indicating a CBD Announcement. We expect that code to be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3060. Use of the new code will be authorized in a subsequent edition of the federal implementation convention.
4. Use of code 01 is required when BQT01 is either code 00, 01, 07, 14, or 18.
5. Use of code 06 is required when BQT01 is either code 02, 03, 04 or 17.

Request For Quote
Invitation for Bid
04 Request for Proposal
06 Amendment to Solicitation

Segment: $\quad$ NTE Note/Special Instruction
Position: 030
Loop:
Level:
Heading
Usage: Floating
Max Use: 100
Purpose: To transmit information in a free-form format, if necessary, for comment or special instruction
Syntax Notes: Semantic Notes: Comments: Notes:
Ref. Data

| Des. | Element |
| :---: | :---: |
| NTE01 | $\frac{\text { Name }}{\text { Note Reference Code }} \quad \frac{\text { Attributes }}{\text { O ID }} 3 / 3$ | Code identifying the functional area or purpose for which the note applies Use any code. Use to identify the nature of the text carried in NTE02. Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.

Must Use NTE02
3 Free Form Message
M AN $1 / 60$
Free-form text
Must use when BQT06 is code ZZ to identify the type of contractual instrument contemplated.

| Segment: | CUR currency |
| :---: | :---: |
| Position: <br> Loop: | 040 |
| Level: | Heading |
| Usage: | Optional |
| Max Use: | 1 |
| Purpose: | To specify the currency (dollars, pounds, francs, etc.) used in a transaction |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 If CUR08 is present, then CUR07 is required. |
|  | 2 If CUR09 is present, then CUR07 is required. |
|  | 3 If CUR11 is present, then CUR10 is required. |
|  | 4 If CUR12 is present, then CUR10 is required. |
|  | 5 If CUR14 is present, then CUR13 is required. |
|  | 6 If CUR15 is present, then CUR13 is required. |
|  | 7 If CUR17 is present, then CUR16 is required. |
|  | 8 If CUR18 is present, then CUR16 is required. |
|  | 9 If CUR20 is present, then CUR19 is required. |
|  | 10 If CUR21 is present, then CUR19 is required. |
| Semantic Notes: |  |
| Comments: | 1 See Figures Appendix for examples detailing the use of the CUR segment. |
| Notes: | Use to indicate that quotes may be received in a currency other than U.S. dollars. Do not use when quotes are to be received only in U.S. dollars. When used, one currency other than U.S. dollars must cited in CUR02. CUR05 may be used to cite a second, acceptable, currency. |

Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element <br> Must Use <br> CUR01 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | | 98 |
| :--- | | Entity Identifier Code |
| :--- |

Code identifying an organizational entity, a physical location, or an individual Use to indicate that a quoting party may quote in either U.S. dollars or a currency cited in CUR02, CUR05, or both.

C5 Party Submitting Quote
Must Use CUR02 100 Currency Code $\quad$ M ID $3 / 3$
Code (Standard ISO) for country in whose currency the charges are specified Use any code except the code for U.S. dollars.
$\begin{array}{llll}\text { CUR05 } 100 \text { Currency Code } 0 \text { ID } & 3 / 3\end{array}$
Code (Standard ISO) for country in whose currency the charges are specified Use, if needed, to cite any code, except the code for U.S. dollars.
Segment: REF Reference Numbers
Position: 050
Loop:
Level:
Usage: Optional
Max Use: $\quad 12$
Purpose: To specify identifying numbers.
Syntax Notes: 1 At least one of REF02 or REF03 is required.

## Semantic Notes:

Comments:

2. Use code 73 to indicate the statement of work (SOW) number or a number within a statement of work where additional information can be found. If the SOW is a part of the solicitation, the PWK segment can be used to indicate how it is being transmitted to the quoting party if not otherwise included in the solicitation. If it is included in the solicitation, use the following MSG segment, if applicable.
3. Use code AU, as applicable, to cite the statutory authority for using other than full and open competition.
4. Use code BB to indicate the statutory authority under which the resultant order is to be negotiated.
5. Use code CH to indicate the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance where the funding source for a research effort can be found. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12 for a code for the generic term Catalog. If approved, that code will be available for use in ASC XI2 Version/Release 3050. In the meantime, use this code.
6. Use code CT, if applicable, to indicate a pre-established contract number pertaining to this solicitation.
7. Use code IJ to indicate the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Code applicable to this solicitation.
8. Use code IL to indicate the requisition number (e.g., the MILSTRIP/FEDSTRIP document number).
9. Use code IX to indicate a Federal Supply Classification (FSC) special item number.
10. Use code K4, if applicable, to indicate the surveillance criticality
designator that will be applicable to any purchase action resulting from this solicitation.
11. Use code P4 to indicate the project number applicable to this solicitation.
12. Use code PH to indicate the MILSTRIP/FEDSTRIP priority.
13. Use code RQ, as appropriate, to indicate an internal number such as a purchase request or purchase request order number. When citing a purchase request number, concatenate its line item number with the purchase request number if it is necessary to transmit both numbers.
14. Use code TN to indicate the unique reference number of a related transaction set (e.g., an 841 transaction set carrying a related technical specification or drawing). Each transaction has a unique number. In the case of the 841 transaction set, that number is carried in SPI02.
15. Use code ZZ to indicate another type of reference number. When used, indicate the nature of the number in REF03.

| 16 | Military Interdepartmental Purchase Request (MIPR) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2E | Number |
| 73 | Foreign Military Sales Case Number |
| 97 | Statement of Work (SOW) |
| AU | Package Number |
| BB | Authorization to Meet Competition No. |
| BV | Authorization Number |
| C7 | Purchase Order Line Item Identifier (Buyer) |
| CH | Customer catalog number |
| CT | Contract Number |
| DG | Drawing Number |
| DS | Defense Priorities Allocation System (DPAS) Priority |
|  | Rating |
| IJ | Standard Industry Classification (SIC) Code |
| IL | Internal Order Number |
| LX | Item Number |
| K4 | Criticality Designator |
| K6 | Purchase Description |
| K7 | Paragraph Number |
| P4 | Project Code |
| PH | Priority Rating |
| QC | Product Specification Document Number |
| RQ | Purchase Requisition No. |
| RS | Returnable Container Serial Number |
| S2 | Military Specification Number (MILSPEC) |
| S3 | Specification Number |
| TN | Transaction Reference Number |
| TP | Test Specification Number |
| W2 | Weapon System Number |
| W6 | Federal Supply Schedule Number |
|  |  |

Reference number or identification number as defined for a particular Transaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier. If a document number has an associated revision number, concatenate the document and revision numbers and carry the resultant number in this data element.
REF03 352 Description C AN 1/80 A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content Use to identify additional information related to the number cited in REF02. Use of free-form text is discouraged.

| Segment: <br> Position: <br> Loop: <br> Level: | Heading |
| ---: | :--- |
| Usage: |  |
| Max Use: |  |
| Purpose: |  | | Optional |
| :--- |
| To identify a person or office to whom administrative communications should be |
| directed |
| 1 If either PER03 or PER04 is present, then the other is required. |

International Telephone
TE
Telephone
PER04 364 Communication Number $\quad$ C AN 1/80

Complete communications number including country or area code when applicable
When PER03 is code TE, be sure to include the area code.
PER05 365 Communication Number Qualifier ID 2/2
Code identifying the type of communication number
Use to identify a second communication number for the party cited in PER02.
For example, if PER03/04 identifies the commercial telephone number, then PER05/06 can be used to identify an electronic mail number.

1. Do not use code EX unless there is one iteration of PER03/04 using either code AU, TE or IT.
2. For code IT, include the country code.
3. Use code TE to indicate the commercial telephone number of the party identified in PER02.

| AU | Defense Switched Network |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| EM | Electronic Mail |  |  |
| EX | Telephone Extension |  |  |
| FX | Facsimile |  |  |
| IT | International Telephone |  |  |
| TE | Telephone | C | AN |
| mmunication Number | $1 / 80$ |  |  |

Complete communications number including country or area code when applicable
When PER05 is code TE, be sure to include the area code.

```
    Segment: FOB F.O.B. Related Instructions
    Position: 080
        Loop:
        Level: Heading
        Usage: Optional
    Max Use: >1
    Purpose: To specify transportation instructions relating to shipment
    Syntax Notes: 1 If FOB03 is present, then FOB02 is required.
    2 If FOB04 is present, then FOB05 is required.
    3 If FOB07 is present, then FOB06 is required.
    4. If FOB08 is present, then FOB09 is required.
Semantic Notes: 1 FOB01 indicates which party will pay the carrier.
    2 FOB02 is the code specifying transportation responsibility location.
    3 FOB06 is the code specifying the title passage location.
    4 FOB08 is the code specifying the point at which the risk of loss transfers. This may
        be different than the location specified in FOB02/FOB03 and FOB06/FOB07.
    Comments:
    Notes: 1. Use the 1/FOB/080 segment if the FOB point and the acceptance location apply to
        all of the line items. When the FOB point or acceptance locations vary by line item, use
        the 2/FOB/180 segment.
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2. This segment is not necessary when the item being solicited is a service.

## Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element <br> $\mathbf{F O B 0 1}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | | Must Use |
| :--- |

3. Use code PP to indicate when the $F O B$ point is destination.
BP Paid by Buyer
PE Prepaid and Summary Bill
PP Prepaid (by Seller)
$\begin{array}{llll}\text { FOB02 } 309 & \text { Location Qualifier } & \text { C ID } 1 / 2\end{array}$
Code identifying type of location
Use to identify the FOB point.
4. Use code IT to indicate a Freight Forwarder.
5. Use code $Z Z$ to indicate that the $F O B$ point is neither origin nor destination. When used, cite the actual $F O B$ point in $F O B 03$. If the actual FOB point is an address or geographical location, use in conjunction with one iteration of the appropriate N1 loop, using code KX in N101.

DE Destination (Shipping)
FV Free Alongside Vessel (Free On Board [F.O.B.] Point)
IT Intermediate FOB Point
OR Origin (Shipping Point)
ZZ Mutually Defined
FOB03 352 Description O AN 1/80
A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content

Use to identify the FOB point only when FOB02 is code ZZ. Ifnecessary, use one iteration of the N1 loop, using code KX in N101, to specify the address of the FOB point. Use of this data element is discouraged.

Code identifying type of location
Use to identify the acceptance point.

1. Use code $Z Z$ to identify that the acceptance point is neither at origin nor at destination. When used, cite the actual acceptance point in FOB07. If the actual $F O B$ point is an address or geographical location, use in conjunction with one iteration of the N1 loop, using code ZZ in N101.

| DE | Destination (Shipping) |
| :--- | :--- |
| OR | Origin (Shipping Point) |
| ZZ | Mutually Defined |

FOB07 $352 \begin{aligned} & \text { Description } \\ & \text { A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content }\end{aligned}$ Use to identify the acceptance point when FOBO6 is code ZZ. If necessary, use one iteration of the $1 / N 1 / 310$ loop, using code ZZ in N101, to identify the address of the acceptance point. Use of this data element is discouraged.
Segment: CSH Header Sale Condition
Position: ..... 110
Loop:
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: ..... 1
Purpose: To specify general conditions or requirements of the sale
Syntax Notes: 1 If CSH02 is present, then CSH03 is required.
2 If either CSH06 or CSH07 is present, then the other is required.
Semantic Notes: 1 CSH04 is the account number to which the purchase amount is to be charged.
2 CSH06 identifies the source of the code value in CSH07.
3 CSH09 is the percent of the Set-Aside.
Comments:Notes: 1. Use the $1 / C S H / 110$ segment to identify conditions of sale that apply to all of the lineitems in the solicitation. When the conditions of sale vary by line item, use the2/IT8/140 segment.
2. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12 to increase the maximum use of the CSH segment to 25. If approved, this use will be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.

## Data Element Summary

| Ref. |
| ---: |
| Des. |
| CSH01 |

Data
Element

## Name

Sales Requirement Code
Code to identify a specific requirement or agreement of sale Data maintenance has been sent to ASC X12 asking for the following codes: Section (8a) Set-Aside, Restricted to Historically Black College or University or Minority Institution, Restricted to Educational Institutions, Restricted to Industrial Preparedness Program Participants, Labor Surplus Area Set-Aside, Restricted to Qualified Bidders List, Restricted to Qualified Manufacturers List, Restricted to Qualified Products List (QPL) Products, Restricted to U.S. and Canadian Sources, Other Unlisted Sales Condition, Unrestricted Procurement, and Restricted to Young Investigator Program. Additional data maintenance will be requested, asking for the addition of qualifier codes for a Buy Indian Act set-aside and for a purchase set-aside for an emerging small business. If approved, those codes will be available for use in a subsequent issue of the ASC X12 standards.

1. Use code P to indicate a contract set-aside for a small business.
2. Use code SC to indicate that a partial shipment will not be acceptable.
3. Use code SV to indicate that the solicited item(s) are to be shipped in place.
4. Use code $Z$ to indicate a warranty is required.

IS Substitute Item Allowed
K Small Purchase Set Aside for Small Businesses
P Large Purchase, Set-Aside for Small Business
P2 Ship As Soon As Possible
P4 Do Not Preship
Q Small, Disadvantaged Business Set-Aside
R Combined Small, Disadvantaged Business and Labor Surplus Area Set-Aside

| S | Partial Labor Surplus Area Set Aside |
| :--- | :--- |
| SC | Ship Complete |
| SV | Ship Per Release |
| T | Small Business with Small, Disadvantaged Business <br> Consideration Set-Aside <br> Z |
| Mutually Defined |  |


| CSH06 | 559 | Agency Qualifier Code <br> Code identifying the agency assigning the code values <br> Use code $A X$ to comply with the syntax of the CSH segment. | IID | $2 / 2$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

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| CSH07 | 560 | Special Services Code | C ID 2/10 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Code identifying the special service |  |  |  |
|  |  | Use to identify the inspection point as either at origin or at destination. Data element 560 does not appear in Table 2 of this transaction set. Therefore, if the inspection location varies by line item, code L1 in N101 of the 2/N1/340 loop must be used for this purpose. |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\mathrm{IM} \quad$ Inspect at Destination |  |  |  |
|  |  | IO Inspect at Origin |  |  |  |
| CSH08 | 566 | Product/Service Substitution Code | 0 | IID | 1/2 |
|  |  | Code indicating product or service substitution conditions |  |  |  |
|  |  | Use only one of codes A, X, or Y when CSH01 is code IS to conditions applicable to offering a substitute product. |  |  |  |

1. Use code BO only when CSH01 cites a code other than code IS.

A No Quantity or Unit of Measure Change Allowed
B0 No Substitution Allowed
$\mathrm{X} \quad$ Equivalent Item Substitution
Y Alternate Item Substitution Allowed

| CSH09 | 954 | Percent | O | $\mathbf{R}$ | $\mathbf{1} / 10$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Percentage expressed as a decimal
When CSHO1 is one of codes $K, P, Q, R, S$, or T, use to identify the percent of the set-aside in this data element.

| Segment: |
| :--- |
| Position: |
| Loop: |
| Level: | Heading

Usage: Optional | Max Use: |  |
| ---: | :--- |
| Purpose: | To request or identify a service, promotion, allowance, or charge; to specify the amount |
| or percentage for the service, promotion, allowance, or charge |  |

2. If services vary by line item, use the $2 / S A C / 130$ segment.

## Data Element Summary



Monetary amount
Use to enter an actual dollar amount of an allowance or a charge, or enter '0' when SAC01 is used to comply with the syntax necessary to use a code value in SAC02.

## Segment: DTM Date/Time Reference

Position: 150
Loop:
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 10
Purpose: To specify pertinent dates and times
1 At least one of DTM02 DTM03 or DTM06 is required.
2 If either DTM06 or DTM07 is present, then the other is required.

## Semantic Notes:

Comments:
Notes:


1. Use this 1/DTM// 150 segment to specify a required delivery date when it is expressed as an actual date. If the delivery schedule is expressed as a set time period after the occurrence of some event, use the LDT segment. If the LDT segment is used, do not use this segment.
2. Use to specify the date by which the quotation must be received or to specify a date of a referenced transaction set.
3. Use the 1/DTM/50 segment to specify the required delivery date if it applies to all the line items. When the date varies by line item, use the 2/DTM/200 segment.

## Data Element Summary

Data

Element 374

Name Date/Time Qualifier

Code specifying type of date or time, or both date and time A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add a code for Meeting. This code will be used to specify the date of a pre-proposal conference. We expect this code will be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.

1. Use code 077 to specify the beginning date of the week.
2. Use code 106 to indicate delivery is due exactly on the specified date. Use code 996 for due on or before a specified date.
3. Use code 150 to indicate the performance commencement date when soliciting a service.
4. Use code 151 to indicate the performance completion date when soliciting a service.
5. When code 174 is used, cite the last day of the month.
6. When the 1/REF/050 segment contains code TN in REF01, use code 368 to specify the date of the reference transaction set, e.g., an 841, 805, 251 transaction set.
7. Use code 996 to indicate the required delivery date when delivery can be made on or before the specified date.
8. Use code 997 to specify the date and time by which the quotation must be received.
037 Ship Not Before

Do Not Deliver After

| 065 | 1st Schedule Delivery |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 066 | 1st Schedule Ship |  |  |
| 077 | Requested for Delivery (Week of) |  |  |
| 106 | Required By |  |  |
| 150 | Service Period Start |  |  |
| 151 | Service Period End |  |  |
| 174 | Month Ending |  |  |
| 276 | Contract Start | Contract Completion |  |
| 279 | Submittal |  |  |
| 368 | Order Start |  |  |
| 373 | Order End |  |  |
| 374 | Required Delivery | Quote to be Recieved By | DT |
| 996 | $\mathbf{6 / 6}$ |  |  |
| 997 |  | C | TM |
| P | $\mathbf{4 / 8}$ |  |  |

Time expressed in 24-hour clock time as follows: HHMM, or HHMMSS, or HHMMSSD, or HHMMSSDD, where $\mathrm{H}=$ hours $(00-23), \mathrm{M}=$ minutes $(00-$ 59), $\mathrm{S}=$ integer seconds (00-59) and $\mathrm{DD}=$ decimal seconds; decimal seconds are expressed as follows: $\mathrm{D}=$ tenths ( $0-9$ ) and $\mathrm{DD}=$ hundredths ( $00-99$ ) Specify time only in the HHMM format.

Code identifying the time. In accordance with International Standards Organization standard 8601, time can be specified by a + or - and an indication in hours in relation to Universal Time Coordinate (UTC) time; since + is a restricted character, + and - are substituted by P and M in the codes that follow
Use only when DTM03 is used to express a time.

| CD | Central Daylight Time |
| :--- | :--- |
| CS | Central Standard Time |
| CT | Central Time |
| ED | Eastern Daylight Time |
| ES | Eastern Standard Time |
| ET | Eastern Time |
| GM | Greenwich Mean Time |
| LT | Local Time |
| MD | Mountain Daylight Time |
| MS | Mountain Standard Time |
| MT | Mountain Time |
| PD | Pacific Daylight Time |
| PS | Pacific Standard Time |
| PT | Pacific Time |

Code indicating the date format, time format, or date and time format Use only when the date or time cannot be expressed in YYMMDD or $H H M M$ format. In that case, use any code and specify the date andlor time in DTM07.
Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.
Date Time Period
C AN 1/35
Expression of a date, a time, or range of dates, times or dates and times

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When delivery is specified as a range of time for a given date, e.g., use code RTM in DTM06 to qualify a range of times for a delivery on March 30, 1994 between 1:00 PM and 4:00 PM local time. Use DTM01/02 to convey the March 30, 1994 date.


| LDT04 | 373 | Date | O | DT |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Date (YYMMDD) | $\mathbf{6 / 6}$ |  |  |



| Segment: MEA Measurements |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Position: | 200 |  |
| Level: | Heading |  |
| Usage: | Optional |  |
| Max Use: | 40 |  |
| Purpose: | To specify physical measurements or counts, including dimensions, tolerances, variances, and weights (See Figures Appendix for example of use of C001) |  |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 At least one of MEA03 MEA05 MEA06 or MEA08 is required. |  |
|  | 2 If MEA03 is present, then MEA04 is required. |  |
|  | 3 If MEA05 is present, then MEA04 is required. |  |
|  | 4 If MEA06 is present, then MEA04 is required. |  |
|  | 5 If MEA07 is present, then at least one of MEA03 MEA05 or MEA06 is required |  |
|  | 6 Only one of MEA08 or MEA03 may be present. |  |
| Semantic Notes: Comments: | 1 MEA04 defines the unit of measure for MEA03, MEA05, and MEA06. |  |
|  | 1 When citing dimensional tolerances, any measurement requiring a sign (+ or - ), or any measurement where a positive $(+)$ value cannot be assumed, use MEA05 as the negative (-) value and MEA06 as the positive ( + ) value. |  |
| Notes: | 1. Use the 1/MEA/200 segment to identify measurements that apply to all the line items. When the measurements vary by line item, use the 2/MEA/049 segment. |  |
|  | 2. This segment can be used to identify any measurement applicable to the solicitation including the maximum size standard for the SIC code applicable to the solicitation, variations in quantity, and the length of a warranty required from the bidder. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12 to allow for identifying the percents or rank order of the evaluation factors. If the submitted data maintenance is approved by ASC X12, the codes for evaluation factors will be available in the ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. |  |
| Data Element Summary |  |  |
| Ref. | Data |  |
|  | Element | Name Attributes |
| MEA01 | 737 | $\begin{array}{llll}\text { Measurement Reference ID Code } & 0 & \text { ID } & 2 / 2\end{array}$ |
|  |  | Code identifying the broad category to which a measurement applies |
|  |  | 1. Use code CS when REFO1 is code $I J$, to indicate the size standard of the cited SIC code. |
|  |  | 2. Use code CT to indicate variation in quantity when expressed as a discrete quantity. Use MEA 05/06 to indicate the quantity over and under. |
|  | 3. Use code DE to indicate a warranty period. |  |
|  | 4. Use code PM to indicate that measurement values are applicable to the minimum and maximum quantity or dollar value permitted per order against an indefinite instrument. Use MEA 05/06 to indicate the minimum and maximum. |  |
|  | CS Core Size |  |
|  | CT Counts |  |
|  | DE Defects |  |
|  | PM Permitted |  |
| MEA02 | 738 | Measurement Qualifier 0 O ID $1 / 3$ |
|  |  | Code identifying a specific product or process characteristic to which a measurement applies <br> Listed codes are preferred. |

740 Range Minimum
$\begin{array}{lll}C & \mathrm{R} & \mathbf{1} / 10\end{array}$
The value specifying the minimum of the measurement range 1. When MEAO1 is code CT or MEA02 is code PO, use to identify the variation under.
2. When MEAO1 is code PM, use to identify the minimum quantity or dollar value for an order that can be placed against a requirements or indefinite quantity instrument.
Range Maximum
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { C } & \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{1} 1 \mathbf{1 0}\end{array}$

The value specifying the maximum of the measurement range

1. When MEA01 is code CT or MEA02 is code PO, use to identify the variation over.
2. When MEA01 is code PM, use to identify the maximum quantity or dollar value for an order that can be placed against a requirements or indefinite quantity instrument.

## Segment: PWK Paperwork

Position: 210
Loop:
Level:
Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 25
Purpose: To identify the type and transmission of paperwork or supporting information

Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes:

Notes:

1 If either PWK05 or PWK06 is present, then the other is required.
1 PWK05 and PWK06 may be used to identify the addressee by a code number.
2 PWK07 may be used to indicate special information to be shown on the specified report.
3 PWK08 may be used to indicate action pertaining to a report.

1. Use, as applicable, to indicate how technical documentation, drawings or specifications are being provided by the buying party or required to be provided by the quoting party.
2. Use also, if applicable, to specify either paperwork required to complete a response to the RFQ, or paperwork required by a resultant order, and how that paperwork is to be provided.
3. Use the 1/PWK/210 segment when the information applies to all the line items. When the information varies by line item, use the 2/PWK/070 segment.

## Data Element Summary

Must Use \begin{tabular}{lll}

| Ref. |
| :--- |
| Des. |
| PWK01 | \& | Data |
| :---: |
| Element |
| 755 | \& | Name |
| :--- |
| Report Type Code |
| Code indicating the title or contents of a document, report or supporting item | <br>

\& \& | A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add codes for: Certifled Cost and |
| :--- |
| Price Data, Wage Determination, Union Agreement, and Attachment. We |
| expect these codes to be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. | <br>

\& \& <br>
\& \&
\end{tabular}

1. Use code 25 to indicate a make or buy plan is required.
2. Use code 35 to indicate a subcontracting plan is required.
3. Use code Cl to indicate cost and price data is required.
4. Use code CP to indicate a Certificate of Conformance.
5. Use code SD to indicate that supporting technical documentation, statement of work or other information is either being provided by the soliciting party or required of the selling party in the quote.

| 25 | Purchase Plan |
| :--- | :--- |
| 35 | Subcontractor Plan |
| C1 | Cost Data Summary |
| CP | Certificate of Compliance (Material Certification) |
| CX | Cost/Schedule Status Report (C/SSR) |
| CY | Contract Funds Status Report (CFSR) |
| DW | Drawing(s) |
| F1 | Cost Performance Report (CPR) Format 1 |
| F2 | Cost Performance Report (CPR) Format 2 |
| F3 | Cost Performance Report (CPR) Format 3 |



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3. Use code 5 to indicate that the specified paperwork must be provided in a timely manner in the response to the solicitation (e.g., possibly in a different medium, but to be included as a part of the quote).

2
Report to be Filed
3
Complete
5
Generate


Use code 65 to indicate MIL-STD 2073-2C packaging codes. Cite the code string in PKG05.

65 Core Characteristics
$\begin{array}{llll}\text { PKG03 } 559 & \text { Agency Qualifier Code ID } & \text { 2/2 }\end{array}$
Code identifying the agency assigning the code values
Use code ZZ to indicate an activity other than DoD or GSA. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12. If approved, a code for Federal Government will be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3060.

| DD | Department of Defense |
| :--- | :--- |
| GS | General Services Administration (GSA) |
| ZZ | Mutually Defined |

ZZ Mutually Defined
PKG05 352 Description C AN 1/80

A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content Use to identify a string of MIL-STD 2073-2C packaging codes or to identify packaging information in free-form text. The MIL-STD 2073-2C code string uses a positional and sequential system. Coded data must appear in the sequence and number of positions specified in Appendix F of MIL-STD 20731. Zeros shall be inserted in the code string for data that is not being provided. A comma (,) will be used as a delimiter between data in the code string. Use of this data element is discouraged if other methods of transmitting the data exist within this transaction set.

| Segment: | TD5 Carrier Details (Routing Sequence/Transit Time) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Position: | 240 |  |
| Loop: |  |  |
| Level: | Heading |  |
| Usage: | Optional |  |
| Max Use: | 12 |  |
| Purpose: | To specify the carrier and sequence of routing and provide transit time information |  |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 At least one of TD502 TD504 TD505 TD506 or TD512 is required. |  |
|  | 2 If TD502 is present, then TD503 is required. |  |
|  | 3 If TD507 is present, then TD508 is required. |  |
|  | 4 If TD510 is present, then TD511 is required. |  |
| Semantic Notes: |  |  |
| Comments: |  | n specifying a routing sequence to be used for the shipment movement in lieu pecifying each carrier within the movement, use TD502 to identify the party onsible for defining the routing sequence, and use TD503 to identify the actual ing sequence, specified by the party identified in TD502. |
| Notes: | 1. Use the I/TD5/240 segment to identify the transportation method that is applicable to all the line items. When the transportation methods vary by line item, use the 2/TD5/250 segment. |  |
|  | 2. Use the 1/TD5/390 segment when the transportation method code is the same for all line items but is dependent upon the citing of a named entity. |  |
| Data Element Summary |  |  |
| Ref. | Data |  |
| Des. | Element | Name Attributes |
| TD502 | 66 | Identification Code Qualifier $\quad$ C ID $1 / 2$ |
|  |  | Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code (67) |
|  |  | When TD504 is code PL, use code 10 to indicate the number in TD503 is the DoDAAC of the pipeline. |
|  |  | 1010 Department of Defense Activity Address Code <br> (DODAAC) |
| TD503 | 67 | Identification Code $\quad$ C AN 2/17 |
|  |  | Code identifying a party or other code |
| TD504 | 91 | Transportation Method/Type Code C ID 1/2 |
|  |  | Code specifying the method or type of transportation for the shipment |
|  |  | Use any code. When code D is used, it is to be defined as the class of service provided only by the United States Postal Service, and not a private carrier. A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes to the codes used by ASC X12. |
|  |  | Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values. |


| Segment: | TD4 Carrier Details (Special Handling or Hazardous Materials or Both) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Position: <br> Loop: | 260 |  |
| Level: | Heading |  |
| Usage: | Optional |  |
| Max Use: | 5 |  |
| Purpose: | To specify transportation special handling requirements, or hazardous materials information, or both |  |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 At least one of TD401 TD402 or TD404 is required. |  |
|  | 2 If TD402 is present, then TD403 is required. |  |
| Semantic Notes: |  |  |
| Comments: |  |  |
|  | all of the the 2/TD4 | line items. When the hazardous material information varies by line item, use 4/270 segment. |
| Data Element Summary |  |  |
| Ref. | Data |  |
| $\underline{\text { Des. }}$ | Element | Name Attributes |
|  | 152 | Special Handling Code C ID 2/3 |
|  | Code specifying special transportation handling instructions |  |
|  | HM Endorsed as Hazardous Material |  |
|  | NC Notify Consignee Before Delivery |  |
| TD402 | 208 | Hazardous Material Code Qualifier $\quad$ C ID $1 / \mathbf{1}$ |
|  |  | Code which qualifies the Hazardous Material Class Code (209) |
|  |  | A request for the following codes has been submitted to ASC X12; Storage Compatibility Group and Hazard Class or Division. We expect these codes to be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. |
|  |  | D Hazardous Materials ID, DOT |
| TD403 | 209 | Hazardous Material Class Code $\quad$ C AN $\mathbf{2 / 4}$ |
|  |  | Code specifying the kind of hazard for a material |
| TD404 | 352 | Description C AN 1/80 |
|  |  | A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content |
|  |  | Use is discouraged. |

## Segment: MAN Marks and Numbers

## Position: 270

Loop:
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 10
Purpose: To indicate identifying marks and numbers for shipping containers
1 When both MAN02 and MAN03 are used, MAN02 is the starting number of a sequential range and MAN03 is the ending number of that range.
2 When both MAN05 and MAN06 are used, MAN05 is the starting number of a sequential range, and MAN06 is the ending number of that range.
Comments:
Notes: 1. Use the 1/MAN/270 segment when marks and numbers apply to all the line items in the solicitation. When the marks and numbers vary by line item, use the 2/MAN/280 segment.

## 2. Use to identify such data as MILSTRIP/FEDSTRIP number, Transportation Control number, Project Priority, and consignee related codes.

## Data Element Summary



Loop:
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 25
Purpose: To indicate information that is required to be included in the response


Reference number or identification number as defined for a particular Transaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier.

| Segment: | N9 Reference Number |
| ---: | :--- |
| Position: | 290 |
| Loop: | N9 |
| Level: | Heading |
| Usage: | Optional |
| Max Use: | 1 |
| Purpose: | To transmit identifying numbers and descriptive information as specified by the |
| reference number qualifier |  |$\quad$| Syntax Notes: | 1 At least one of N902 or N903 is required. |
| ---: | :--- |
| Semantic Notes: | 2 If N906 is present, then N905 is required. |
| Comments: | N906 reflects the time zone which the time reflects. |
| Notes: | 1. Use the l/N9/290 segment to identify clauses, special instructions or other references <br> which are applicable to all of the line items in the solicitation. When the reference <br> numbers vary by line item use the $2 / \mathrm{Ng} 9 / 320$ segment. |
|  | 2. When an alternate section is relevant for a cited clause, concatenate the <br> alpha/numeric alternate designation with the clause number in N902. |

## Data Element Summary



1. Use code CJ to indicate a purchasing activity generated clause or special provision not found in the FAR, DFARS, Agency acquisition regulation supplement, or FIRMR. Identify the source of the clause in N903.
2. Use code DD to identify a Department of Labor wage determination number.
3. Use code DF to indicate a clause found in the DFARS.
4. Use code DX to indicate an agency clause contained in an agency supplement to the Federal Acquisition Regulation. When used, indicate the agency in $N 903$.
5. Use code $K 7$ to indicate information for prospective bidders, e.g., labeling or packaging information, quotation instructions, etc. Cite an applicable number in N902 and provide the information in the following MSG segment. The numbering system can be based on the uniform contract format, e.g., H-1 for special requirements, or any other numbering system the originator desires. The $2 / R E F / 100$ segment can then be used to identify the reference when it is applicable to a line item.
6. Use code KT to indicate another type of reference number applicable to the solicitation. This number is not the RFQ number (which is found in BQT02). Indicate the source of the reference in N903 and provide, if necessary, the text of the item in the following MSG segment. For example, this code could be used as a way of getting to the following MSG segment when the full text must be transmitted. In that case, a reference number that follows the
uniform contract format could be used.
7. Use code KZ, if applicable, to indicate the master solicitation that applies to the solicitation.

73 Statement of Work (SOW)
CJ Clause Number
DD Document Identification Code
DF Defense Federal Acquisition Regulations (DFAR)
DX Department/Agency Number
FA Federal Acquisition Regulations (FAR)
GS General Services Administration Regulations (GSAR)
K7 Paragraph Number
KT Request for Quotation Reference
KY Site Specific Procedures, Terms, and Conditions
KZ Master Solicitation Procedures, Terms, and Conditions
VB Department of Veterans Affairs Acquisition Regulations (VAAR)

| N902 | 127 | Reference Number | C | AN | 1/30 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Reference number or identification number as defined for a particular Transaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier. |  |  |  |
| N903 | 369 | Free-form Description | C | AN | 1/45 |
|  |  | Free-form descriptive text |  |  |  |
|  |  | Use is discouraged. |  |  |  |
| N904 | 373 | Date | 0 | DT | 6/6 |
|  |  | Date (YYMMDD) |  |  |  |
|  |  | Use to specify the date of When the date is used it w always end with the numer rule is necessary to compl |  | er rej date nth. | rence. ould his |

Segment: MSG Message Text
Position: 300
Loop: N9
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 1000
Purpose:
Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes:
Comments:
1 MSG02 is not related to the specific characteristics of a printer, but identifies top of page, advance a line, etc.

Data Element Summary
Ref. Data
Des. Element Name Attributes
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { Must Use MSG01 } 933 \text { Free-Form Message Text } & \text { M AN } & \mathbf{1 / 2 6 4}\end{array}$ Free-form message text

## Segment: <br> Loop: <br> Max Use: <br> Semantic Notes: <br> Comments:

 N1 Name Position: 310 N1Level: Heading
Usage: Optional 1

Purpose: To identify a party by type of organization, name, and code Syntax Notes: 1 At least one of N102 or N103 is required.

2 If either N 103 or N104 is present, then the other is required.

Ref.
Des.
Must Use N101

Notes: 1. Whenever possible, address information should be transmitted using code values contained in a combination of the N101, N103/04 data elements. Use N102 and the N2$N 4$ segments only when it is necessary to transmit the full address. For example, if a vendor can be identified by a DUNs number, it is not necessary to transmit the vendor's full address since the relationship between the DUNs number and the vendor's address can be established by accessing a data base in which the information is stored, having been put there at the time the vendor electronically registered as a federal government trading partner.
2. Use this $1 / N 1 / 310$ loop to identify organizations or people that apply to all of the line items in the solicitation, or are not applicable at the line item level (e.g., soliciting party, etc.). When the addresses vary be line item, use the $2 / \mathrm{Nl} / 340$ loop.
3. There must be at least 1 iteration of the N1 segment code BY and as many iterations as necessary using code PK to identify the solicited party(ies).
4. While the Federal EDI system uses the DUNS number, other government users may use other or additional number for a transition period in order to be able to crossreference data bases to new procurement actions.

## Data Element Summary

Data
1 This segment, used alone, provides the most efficient method of providing organizational identification. To obtain this efficiency the "ID Code" (N104) must provide a key to the table maintained by the transaction processing party.
2 N105 and N106 further define the type of entity in N101. opror

Element Name
98 Entity Identifier Code

## Attributes

M ID $\quad 2 / 2$
Code identifying an organizational entity, a physical location, or an individual 1. A data maintenance request has been submitted to ASC X12 asking for the following codes: Meeting Location and Party to Receive Proposal. The meeting location code would be used to identify a place where a prequoting conference is to be held. Since neither code is particularly applicable to small purchases, no effort was made to use a surrogate code for the purpose. If approved, the code will be applicable in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.
2. Use code 31 only when an actual mailing address is required, and is different from the address provided for any other qualifier code. Do not use if another qualifier code can be used to pass this address. When used, indicate the name of the party in N102 and N2 segment.
3. Use code BY to indicate the purchasing or soliciting office or activity.
4. Use code CP to indicate the address to send the Certificate of Conformance when it is different from the purchasing or soliciting office or activity.
5. Use code IC to indicate a freight forwarder.
6. Use code $K W$ to indicate the location of a public opening, if applicable, when the address is different than the address of the soliciting activity.
7. Use code $K X$ to indicate the FOB point when it must be described by a specific address rather than as a code value indicating either origin or destination.
8. Use code KY to indicate the technical office that has cognizance over the technical portion of the solicitation, if different than the office originating the solicitation. Do not use unless it is intended for the recipient of the solicitation to deal directly with the cited party on technical matters related for the solicitation.
9. Use code L1 to indicate the inspection location when it must be described as a specific address rather than a location such as origin or destination.
10. Use code OH to indicate the Hazardous Materials Office. A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add a code for this location. If approved it will be available for use in ASC X12 VersionRelease 3050. Until that time, use this code.
11. Use code PK to indicate the party receiving an original solicitation when a named party is to be solicited. A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add a code for this purpose. We expect to to be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. Until that time, use this code.
12. Use code PZ to indicate the requesting agency/activity. Data maintenance has been submitted to add code 96 - Requestor. Use this code until that code is approved.
13. Use code $R C$ to indicate a location where the material will be both inspected and accepted. A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add a code for Inspection and Acceptance. We expect this code to be available for use in ASC X12 VersionRelease 3050. Until that time, use this code.
14. Use code ST to indicate the address to which an item must be shipped. For purposes of a solicitation, it may suffice to simply transmit the ZIP code of the location rather than the full address which can be added in the resultant purchase order.
15. Use code SV to indicate a location where a service, e.g., grass cutting, will be performed and accepted after performance is complete.
16. Use code Z7, when applicable, only when the inclusion of this address is necessary to prepare a quote. Otherwise, when applicable, include in the resulting purchase order.
17. Use $Z Z$ to indicate the acceptance location when it cannot be described using a point such as origin or destination. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12 asking for a code for Acceptance Point. If approved, the code will be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.

Postal Mailing Address
Buying Party (Purchaser)
Party to Receive Cert. of Compliance Intermediate Consignee
Bid Opening Location
Free on Board Point
Technical Office
Inspection Location
Other Departments
Party to Receive Copy
Party to Receive Equipment

| RC | Receiving Location |
| :--- | :--- |
| ST | Ship To |
| SV | Service Performance Site |
| Z7 | Mark-for Party |
| ZZ | Mutually Defined |

Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code (67)

1. Use, when applicable, to identify the named party.
2. A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add a code for Contractor Establishment Code. We expect this code to be available for use in the ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.
3. While the Federal EDI program uses the DUNS number, other government users of this implementation convention may require the use of other and additional numbers for a transition period in order to cross-reference existing data bases with new procurement actions.
4. Use of the DUNs number (code I) is preferred over any other coded number to identify a named party.
5. Use code 10 to indicate either a Department of Defense or a Civilian Agency Activity Address Code.
6. When N101 is code ST, use code 16 to indicate the ZIP code as a general location for quoting purposes. The full address of the ship to party can be provided later, in the purchase order. If the ZIP code is an FPO or APO, indicate the FPO/APO in the N4 segment.
7. Use code 33 to indicate vendors with CAGE codes.
8. Use code 42 to indicate a MAPAC address.
9. Use code FA to indicate a vendor facility that cannot be identified by a CAGE code.

1 D-U-N-S Number, Dun \& Bradstreet
10 Department of Defense Activity Address Code (DODAAC) ZIP Code
16
33 Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE)
A2 Military Assistance Program Address Code (MAPAC)
FA Facility Identification
67 Identification Code
C AN $2 / 17$
Code identifying a party or other code

## Segment: N2 Additional Name Information

Position: 320
Loop: N1
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 2
Purpose: To specify additional names or those longer than 35 characters in length

## Syntax Notes:

Semantic Notes:
Comments:
Notes: $\quad$ Do not use when the cited party can be identified by a code value in N101/03/04.

## Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element | Name |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| Must Use |  |  |  |
| $\mathbf{N 2 0 1}$ |  |  |  |

840 - Request for Quotation

| Segment: | N3 Address Information |
| ---: | :--- |
| Position: | 330 |
| Loop: | N1 |
| Level: | Heading |
| Usage: | Optional |
| Max Use: | 2 |
| Purpose: | To specify the location of the named party |
| Comtax Notes: |  |
| Notes: | This segment is not necessary when the cited party can be identified by a code value in |
|  | Nlol/03/04. |

## Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element | Name | Attributes |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Must Use | N301 | 166 | Address Information Address information | M | AN | 1/35 |
|  | N302 | 166 | Address Information Address information | 0 | AN | 1/35 |

Segment: ..... N4
Geographic Location
Position: ..... 340
Loop: ..... N1
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: ..... 1Purpose: To specify the geographic place of the named party
Syntax Notes: 1 If N406 is present, then N405 is required.Semantic Notes:Comments: 1 A combination of either N401 through N404, or N405 and N406 may be adequateto specify a location.
2 N402 is required only if city name ( N 401 ) is in the USA or Canada.Notes: 1. This segment is not necessary when the cited party can be identified by a code valuein N101/03/04.
2. A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to increase the maximum use of thissegment to greater than 1 to accommodate specifying multiple states or countries in adelivery zone. We expect this maximum use to be available in ASC X12Version/Release 3050.
Data Element Summary

| Ref. | Data |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Des. | Element | Name | Attribute |  |
| N401 | 19 | City Name | 0 AN | 2/30 |
|  |  | Free-form text for city name |  |  |
| N402 | 156 | State or Province Code | 0 ID | 2/2 |
|  |  | Code (Standard State/Provin | overnment | agency |
| N403 | 116 | Postal Code | 0 ID | 3/9 |Code defining international postal zone code excluding punctuation andblanks (zip code for United States)26 Country Code0 ID $2 / 3$Code identifying the country

A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes to the codes usedby ASC X12.
N405 309 Location QualifierCode identifying type of location
Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.
N406 310 Location Identifier 0 AN $1 / 30$Code which identifies a specific location

| Segment: | RE Reference Numbers |
| ---: | :--- |
| Position: | 350 |
| Loop: | N1 |
| Level: | Heading |
| Usage: | Optional |
| Max Use: | 12 |
| Purpose: | To specify identifying numbers. |
| Syntax Notes: | $1 \quad$ At least one of REF02 or REF03 is required. |
| Semantic Notes: |  |
| Comments: | This segment can be used to establish distribution lists for parties when applicable. Use |
| Notes: | of distribution lists reduces the need to repeat addresses in table 2. |

## Data Element Summary

Ref. Data
Des. Element Nam
Attributes
Must Use REF01 128 Reference Number Qualifier M ID $2 / 2$ Code qualifying the Reference Number.

1. Use code KC to indicate a CDRL distribution list. Cite the distribution list number in REF02.
2. Use code KK to indicate a delivery (e.g., a shipment) distribution list when there are multiple ship to addresses but the list is the same for multiple line items. Indicate the distribution list number in REF02.
$\begin{array}{lllll}\text { KC } & \text { Exhibit Distribution List } & & \\ \text { KK } & \text { Delivery Reference } & & & \\ \text { Kerence Number } & \text { C } & \text { AN } & \mathbf{1 / 3 0}\end{array}$
Reference number or identification number as defined for a particular Transaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier.


Complete communications number including country or area code when applicable

| Segment: TD5 Carrier Details (Routing Sequence/Transit Time) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Position: | 390 |  |
| Loop: | N1 |  |
| Level: | Heading |  |
| Usage: | Optional |  |
| Max Use: | 12 |  |
| Purpose: | To specify the carrier and sequence of routing and provide transit time information |  |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 At least one of TD502 TD504 TD505 TD506 or TD512 is required. |  |
|  | 2 If TD502 is present, then TD503 is requ |  |
|  | 3 If TD507 is present, then TD508 is required. |  |
|  | 4 If TD510 is present, then TD511 is required. |  |
| Semantic Notes: |  |  |
| Comments: | 1 When of spe respo routin | n specifying a routing sequence to be used for the shipment movement in lieu ecifying each carrier within the movement, use TD502 to identify the party onsible for defining the routing sequence, and use TD503 to identify the actual ng sequence, specified by the party identified in TD502. |
| Notes: | Use the 1 the same methods f | TD5/390 segment when the shipment is applicable to a named entity and is for all the items that will be shipped to that named entity. When the shipment for the named entity vary by line item, use the 2/TD5/420 segment. |
| Data Element Summary |  |  |
| Ref. | Data |  |
| Des. | Element | Name Attributes |
| TD502 | 66 | Identification Code Qualifier $\quad$ C ID $1 / 2$ |
|  |  | Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code (67) |
|  |  | When TD504 is code PL, use code 10 to indicate the number in TD503 is the DoDAAC of the pipeline. |
|  |  | $10 \quad \begin{aligned} & \text { Department of Defense Activity Address Code } \\ & \text { (DODAAC) } \end{aligned}$ |
| TD503 | 67 | Identification Code $\quad$ C AN 2/17 |
|  |  | Code identifying a party or other code |
| TD504 | 91 | Transportation Method/Type Code C ID $1 / 2$ |
|  |  | Code specifying the method or type of transportation for the shipment |
|  |  | 1. Use any code. |
|  |  | 2. A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes to the codes used by ASC X12. |
|  |  | 3. When code $D$ is used, it is to be read as the class of service provided by the United States Postal Service and not a private carrier. |
|  |  | Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values. |


| Segment: | PO1 Baseline Item Data |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Position: | 010 |  |  |  |  |
| Loop: | POl |  |  |  |  |
| Level: | Detail |  |  |  |  |
| Usage: | Mandatory |  |  |  |  |
| Max Use: | 1 |  |  |  |  |
| Purpose: | To specify basic and most frequently used line item data |  |  |  |  |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 If PO103 is present, then PO102 is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2 If PO105 is present, then PO 104 is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 3 If PO106 is present, then PO107 is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 4 If PO 108 is present, then PO 109 is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 5 If $\mathrm{POl10}$ is present, then PO 111 is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 6 If PO 112 is present, then PO 113 is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 7 If $\mathrm{POl14}$ is present, then $\mathrm{PO1} 15$ is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 8 If PO 116 is present, then PO 117 is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9 If $\mathrm{PO118}$ is present, then $\mathrm{PO1} 19$ is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 10 If PO120 is present, then PO121 is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 11 If PO 22 is present, then PO 123 is required. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 12 If PO | 124 is present, then PO125 is required. |  |  |  |
| Semantic Notes: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Comments: | 1 See the Data Dictionary for a complete list of ID's. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2 PO 101 is the line item identification. |  |  |  |  |
|  | 3 POl <br> item SKU | 06 through PO125 provide for ten (10) different product/servic For example: Case, Color, Drawing No., UPC No., ISBN N |  |  | each No., |
| Notes: | Use the 2/PO1/010 loop to specify all information related to a CLIN, SUBCLIN or ELIN. Each iteration of the POI loop will identify all the information related to the CLIN, SUBCLIN or ELIN cited in PO101. |  |  |  |  |
|  | Data Element Summary |  |  |  |  |
| Ref. | Data |  |  |  |  |
| Des. | Element | Name |  | ibut |  |
| P0101 | 350 | Assigned Identification | 0 | AN | 1/11 |
|  |  | Alphanumeric characters assigned for differentiation within a transaction set |  |  |  |
| PO102 | 330 | Quantity Ordered | C | $\mathbf{R}$ | 1/9 |
|  |  | Quantity ordered |  |  |  |
|  |  | 1. Use to identify the quantity of the item being solicited. |  |  |  |
|  |  | 2. Do not use this data element when quantities are specified level. |  |  | $J B C L I N$ |
| PO103 | 355 | Unit or Basis for Measurement Code | 0 | ID |  |
|  |  | Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in which a measurement has been taken <br> 1. Use any code. |  |  |  |
|  |  | 2. A conversion table may be required to convert agency co by ASC X12. |  |  | s used |
|  |  | Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable cod |  |  |  |
| P0104 | 212 | Unit Price | C | R | 1/14 |
|  |  | Price per unit of product, service, commodity, etc. |  |  |  |
|  |  | Use only when PO105 is code TB and enter the number 0. |  |  |  |
| PO105 | 639 | Basis of Unit Price Code | 0 | ID | $2 / 2$ |
|  |  | Code identifying the type of unit price for an item |  |  |  |

Use to indicate that bidders are not to provide a separate price for the item cited in PO101. The cost of the item may be included in the cost of another, related item. For example, if this line item is for data or documentation, it might be "not separately priced." The cost of the data or documentation in that case could be included in the cost of the item itself. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12 asking for a code value indicating Not Separately Priced. If approved, that code will be available for use in ASC X12 VersionRelease 3050. Until a new code is approved, use this code. TB To be negotiated.
235 Product/Service ID Qualifier 0 ID $2 / 2$
Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234)
Listed codes are preferred.

1. PO106 through PO125 are used in pairs. For example, PO106 will contain a qualifier code and PO107 will contain the data related to the qualifying code. If PO106 is code FS then PO107 would carry the National Stock Number.
2. Use as many codes as necessary to describe the solicited item. There is no need to use all the codes or even all of the appliable codes. Select from the code list the minimum set of codes and code values necessary to describe the item being solicited.
3. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12 for the following additional codes: Exhibit Identifier, Data Category Code, Replacement National Stock Number, Item Type Number, Time Compliant Technical Order, Cognizance symbol, Material Control code, Special Material Identification code, Item Management Code, Shelf-Life Code, and Shelf-Life Action Code. If approved, these codes wil be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.
4. Use code F7 to indicate the end item, if applicable, to which the solicited item applies.
5. Use code F8 to indicate, if applicable, the next higher assembly to which the solicited item applies.
6. The National Stock Number, code FS, shall be transmitted as a continuous set of numbers, and without the dashes.
7. See Code Source 27 for the Federal Stock Classifications associated with code FT.
8. Use code KA, if applicable, to indicate the list that contains the technical information related to the line item cited in PO101.
9. When POIO1 is a CLIN or a SUBCLIN related to an exhibit, use code $K B$ to indicate the data category of a CDRL.
10. Use code MF to indicate a manufacturer (by name) who does not have a CAGE code. Use code ZB when the manufacturer has a CAGE code.
11. Use code MG to indicate the manufacturer's part number assigned to the solicited item.
12. Use code PD to indicate a text description of an item.
13. Use code PU to indicate a part number assigned by an industry not tied to a specific manufacturer. Do not use for National Drug Codes.
14. Use code RC to indicate an NSN, manufacturer's part number or other identifying number (except a serial number) of a returnable container. The serial number of a returnable container will be carried in a REF segment using qualifier code RS.
15. Use code SH to indicate in text, the service being solicited.
16. Use code SN to indicate, if applicable, the serial number of the item cited in PO101. For example, if the solicitation is for the repair of a serial numbered aircraft engineer.
17. Use code SW to indicate a local stock number.
18. Use code $S Z$ to indicate the size of the item being solicited.
19. Use code VP to indicate a part number assigned by a selling party other than the manufacturer.
20. Use code $Z B$ to indicate the manufacturer of an item.

A8 Exhibit Line Item Number
AK Refined Product Code
CG Commodity Grouping
CL Color
CN Commodity Name
F7 End-Item Description
F8 Next Higher Used Assembly
FS National Stock Number
FT Federal Supply Classification
KA Engineering Data List
KB Data Category Code
LT Lot Number
MF Manufacturer
MG Manufacturer's Part Number
MN Model Number
MS Military Specification (MILSPEC) Number
N1 National Drug Code in 4-4-2 Format
N2 National Drug Code in 5-3-2 Format
N3 National Drug Code in 5-4-1 Format
N4 National Drug Code in 5-4-2 Format
ND National Drug Code (NDC)
PD Part Number Description
PU Part Reference Number
RC Returnable Container No.
SH Service Requested
SN Serial Number
SW Stock Number
SZ Vendor Alphanumeric Size Code (NRMA)
UK U.P.C./EAN Shipping Container Code (1-2-5-5-1)


| 20124 | 235 | Product/Service ID Qualifier <br> Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in <br> Product/Service ID (234) | $2 / 2$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

## Segment: PO3 Additional Item Detail <br> Position: 030 <br> Loop: PO1 <br> Level: Detail <br> Usage: Optional <br> Max Use: 25

Purpose: To specify additional item-related data involving variations in normal price/quantity structure

Syntax Notes: Semantic Notes:

Comments:

1 If PO 304 is present, then at least one of PO 303 or PO 305 is required.
1 Some examples of price/quantity variations are: price in different units from the PO1 segment, price changes by date, or price changes by quantity (break and level).
2 PO 307 defines the unit of measure for PO306.
Notes: Use to identify additional information relative to the item indicated in PO101.

## Data Element Summary



Code specifying the reason for price or quantity change

1. Use code AQ to indicate that an item has an alternate quantity and unit of measurement with both being applicable to the solicited item. For example, the requirement might be for 10 sheets of steel of a certain dimension. Another way of describing the item could be in terms of its weight, such as 10,000 pounds of steel. This issue is related to the difference in order and billing units of measurement.
2. Use code EV to indicate the estimated quantity for a requirements or indefinite quantity instrument.
AQ $\quad$ Alternate Quantity and Unit of Measure

EV Estimated Quantity

| Must Use | PO306 | $\mathbf{3 8 0}$ | Quantity <br> Must Use | PO307 | $\mathbf{3 5 5}$ | Numeric value of quantity <br> Unit or Basis for Measurement Code <br> Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in <br> which a measurement has been taken <br> A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes to codes used by |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ASCX12. <br> Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Segment:040
Loop: ..... PO1Level: DetailUsage: Optional
Max Use: 1
Purpose: To specify pricing information
Syntax Notes: 1 If CTP04 is present, then CTP05 is required.
2 If CTP06 is present, then CTP07 is required.
3 If CTP09 is present, then CTP02 is required.
Semantic Notes: 1 CTP07 is a multiplier factor to arrive at a final discounted price. A multiplier of 90
would be the factor if a $10 \%$ discount is given.
2 CTP08 is the rebate amount.
Comments: 1 See Figures Appendix for an example detailing the use of CTP03 and CTP04. See Figures Appendix for an example detailing the use of CTP03, CTP04 and CTP07.
Notes: 1. This segment will eventually be used to signal to prospective quoting parties that a variety of prices are being solicited, e.g., step-ladder pricing (prices based on a solicited range of quantities), zone prices (prices based on deliveries to various geographic locations), prices based on different packaging requirements for the same item, or labor rates for categories of labor that a quoting party may offer for a time and materials or labor hours type instrument. It can be used to request the vendor to specify quantities at which price breaks are offered, or to indicate a catalog price along with an offered price is required.
2. If step-ladder price quantities are required from the bidder, the need must be conveyed in text in the MSG segment in the N9 loop using code KT in N901. The quoting party will be able to respond with the step-ladder prices for any given line or subline item number because the CTP segment is available for up to 25 iterations in the 843 transaction.
3. A request has been sent to ASC X12 asking that the maximum use of this segment be increased from 1 to greater than 1. If approved, this will facilitate soliciting the various prices identified in note 1 . We expect the requested increase in this segment will be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.
4. A request has been submitted to ASC X12 asking for the addition of data element 499 Condition Code as an optional data element as CTP10. This data element would be used to identify the packaging level, protection level or delivery zone, when CTP02 cites a related code.

## Data Element Summary

Ref. $\left.\begin{array}{r}\text { Data } \\ \text { Des. }\end{array}\right]=$ Elemen
Name

| Price Identifier Code |
| :--- |
| Code identifying pricing specification |
| 1. Use to identify the type of prices a bidder is required to submit in the |
| quote. |

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2. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12 asking for the addition of codes for: Hourly labor rates for categories of labor, prices for different packaging protection levels and different packing levels. If approved, these codes will be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.
3. Use code ALT to indicate a lease-to-purchase price. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12.
4. Use code CAT to indicate that the quoting party, in addition to the quoted price, is to provide a catalog price for the item cited in PO1.
5. Use code GOV to indicate the sale price to the government.
6. Use code PAQ to indicate that quoting party is to provide a replacement price for an item if it is less costly than to repair the item.
7. Use code PUR to indicate the quoting party price for an item if it is less costly than to repair the item.
8. Use code SPC to indicate a lease price. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12.

| ALT | Alternate Price |
| :--- | :--- |
| CAT | Catalog Price |
| GOV | Government Price |
| PAQ | Price Break Quantity(s) |
| PUR | Purchase |
| SPC | Special Price |

CTP04

CTP05

380 Quantity
$0 \quad R$
1/15
Numeric value of quantity
355
Unit or Basis for Measurement Code
C ID $\quad 2 / 2$
Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in which a measurement has been taken
Use any code. A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes to the codes used by ASC XI2.
Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.

| Segment: MEA Measurements |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Position: | 049 |  |
| Loop: | POl |  |
| Level: | Detail |  |
| Usage: | Optional |  |
| Max Use: | 40 |  |
| Purpose: | To specify physical measurements or counts, including dimensions, tolerances, variances, and weights (See Figures Appendix for example of use of C001) |  |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 At least one of MEA03 MEA05 MEA06 or MEA08 is required. |  |
|  | 2 If MEA03 is present, then MEA04 is required. |  |
|  | 3 If MEA05 is present, then MEA04 is required. |  |
|  | 4 If MEA06 is present, then MEA04 is required. |  |
|  | 5 If MEA07 is present, then at least one of MEA03 MEA05 or MEA06 is requ |  |
|  | 6 Only one of MEA08 or MEA03 may be present. |  |
| Semantic Notes: Comments: | 1 MEA04 defines the unit of measure for MEA03, MEA05, and MEA06. |  |
|  | 1 When any $m$ negat | n citing dimensional tolerances, any measurement requiring a sign (+ or -), or measurement where a positive $\left(^{+}\right)$value cannot be assumed, use MEA05 as the tive (-) value and MEA06 as the positive ( + ) value. |
| Notes: | 1. Use the 2/MEA/049 segment when measurements vary by line item. When measurements apply to all the line items, use the $1 / M E A / 200$ segment. |  |
|  | 2. Use to identify any measurements applicable to a specific line item including: the maximum size standard for the SIC code applicable to the line item, the length of a warranty required to be provided by the bidder, the variations in quantity permitted for the line item, and the minimum/maximum quantity per order for a specified line item under an indefinite type of instrument. |  |
|  | Data Element Summary |  |
| Ref.Des.MEA01 | Data |  |
|  | Element | Name Attributes |
|  | 737 | Measurement Reference ID Code O ID $2 / 2$ |
| MEA01 |  | Code identifying the broad category to which a measurement applies |
|  |  | 1. Use any code. |
|  |  | 2. Listed codes are preferred and shall be used for the purpose described in their accompanying notes. |
|  |  | 3. When REF01 is code IJ, use code CS to indicate the size standard for the specified SIC code. |
|  |  | 4. Use code CT to indicate variation in quantity when expressed as a discrete quantity. Use MEA05/06 to indicate the quantityover and under. |
| 5. Use code DE to indicate a warranty period. |  |  |
|  |  | 6. Use code PM to indicate that measurement values are applicable to the minimum and maximum quantity or dollar value permitted per order against an indefinite instrument. Use MEA05/06 to indicate the minimum and maximum. <br> Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values. |
|  |  |  |
| MEA02 | 738 | Measurement Qualifier $\quad$ O ID $1 / 3$ |
|  |  | Code identifying a specific product or process characteristic to which a measurement applies |
|  |  | 1. Use any code. Listed codes are to be used in accordance with their accompanying notes. |

    Segment: MHA Measurements
    Position: 049
        Loop: PO
        Level: Detail
        Usage: Optional
        Max Use: 40
        Purpose: To specify physical measurements or counts, including dimensions, tolerances,
        variances, and weights (See Figures Appendix for example of use of C001)
        2 If MEA03 is present, then MEA04 is required.
        3 If MEA05 is present, then MEA04 is required.
        4 If MEA06 is present, then MEA04 is required.
        5 If MEA07 is present, then at least one of MEA03 MEA05 or MEA06 is required.
        6 Only one of MEA08 or MEA03 may be present.
        1 MEA04 defines the unit of measure for MEA03, MEA05, and MEA06.
        1 When citing dimensional tolerances, any measurement requiring a sign (+ or -), or
        any measurement where a positive ( + ) value cannot be assumed, use MEA05 as the
        negative (-) value and MEA06 as the positive (+) value.
        measurements apply to all the line items, use the \(1 / M E A / 200\) segment.
    2. Use to identify any measurements applicable to a specific line item including: the
    maximum size standard for the SIC code applicable to the line item, the length of a
    warranty required to be provided by the bidder, the variations in quantity permitted for
    the line item, and the minimum/maximum quantity per order for a specified line item
    under an indefinite type of instrument.
    
## Data Element Summary

 1. Use any code.2. Listed codes are preferred and shall be used for the purpose described in their accompanying notes.
3. When REF01 is code IJ, use code CS to indicate the size standard for the specified SIC code.
4. Use code CT to indicate variation in quantity when expressed as a discrete quantity. Use MEA05/06 to indicate the quantity over and under.
5. Use code $D E$ to indicate a warranty period.
6. Use code PM to indicate that measurement values are applicable to the minimum and maximum quantity or dollar value permitted per order against an indefinite instrument. Use MEA05/06 to indicate the minimum and maximum.
Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.

Code identifying a specific product or process characteristic to which a measurement applies

1. Use any code. Listed codes are to be used in accordance with their accompanying notes.
2. When MEAO1 is code CS, use code MX to indicate the maximum size standard of the SIC code applicable to the line item.
3. Use code PO to indicate the percent variation in quantity permitted for the line items. Use MEA05/06 to indicate the percent over and under.
4. Use code TT to indicate the length of a warranty period. Specify the length of time in MEA03 and the time period in MEA04-1.
Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.

739 Measurement Value
$\begin{array}{lll}\mathrm{C} & \mathbf{R} \quad 1 / 10\end{array}$ The value of the measurement

C001 Composite Unit of Measure
To identify a composite unit of measure (See Figures Appendix for examples of use)
A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes used by ASC XI2.
355 Unit or Basis for Measurement Code M ID $\quad$ 2/2
Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in which a measurement has been taken

1. Use any code. Listed codes are required for the purpose indicated in their accompanying notes.
2. A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes to codes used by ASC X12.
3. Use code IE to indicate the SIC size standard in terms of numbers of employees.
4. Use code R5 to indicate the SIC size standard in terms of dollar amount of sales.
Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.
Range Minimum
C $\quad \mathbf{R}$
$1 / 10$
The value specifying the minimum of the measurement range 1. When MEAO1 is code CT or MEAO2 is code PO, use to identify the variation under.
5. When MEA01 is code PM, use to identify the minimum quantity or dollar value of each order that can be placed against an indefinite delivery instrument.
741 Range Maximum $\quad \mathbf{C} \quad \mathbf{R} \quad \mathbf{1 / 1 0}$
The value specifying the maximum of the measurement range 1. When MEA01 is code CT or MEA02 is code PO, use to identify the variation over.
6. When MEAO1 is code PM, use to identify the maximum quantity or dollar value of each order that can be placed against an indefinite instrument.
Segment: P【D Product/Item Description
Position: ..... 050
Loop: ..... PID
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: ..... 1
Purpose: To describe a product or process in coded or free-form format
Symtax Notes: 1 If PID04 is present, then PID03 is required.
2 At least one of PID04 or PID05 is required.
3 If PID07 is present, then PID03 is required.
4 If PID08 is present, then PID03 is required.
Semantic Notes: 1 Use PID03 to indicate the organization that publishes the code list being referred to.
2 PID04 should be used for industry-specific product description codes.
3 PID08 describes the physical characteristics of the product identified in PID04. A" Y " indicates that the specified attribute applies to this item. A " N " indicates itdoes not apply. Any other value is indeterminate.
Comments: 1 If PID01 = "F", then PID05 is used. If PID01 = " $\mathrm{S}^{\prime}$, then PID04 is used. If PID01$={ }^{\prime} \mathrm{X}$ ", then both PID04 and PID05 are used.
2 Use PID06 when necessary to refer to the product surface or layer being described inthe segment.3 PID07 specifies the individual code list of the agency specified in PID03.Notes: Use is discouraged. Use the 2/PID/050 segment when the information applies to aspecific line item. Use the 1/PID/190 segment when the information applies to all theline items.
Data Element Summary

| Must Use | Ref. | Data Element | Name | Attributes |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Des. |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | PIID01 | 349 | Item Description Type | M | ID | 1/1 |
|  | Code indicating the format of a description |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | PID05 | 352 | $F \quad$ Free-form |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Description | C | AN | 1/80 |
|  |  |  | A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Use, if necessary, to identify a brief description of the line item being solicited. Use is discouraged. |  |  |  |

Purpose: To identify the type and transmission of paperwork or supporting information
1 If either PWK05 or PWK06 is present, then the other is required.
1 PWK05 and PWK06 may be used to identify the addressee by a code number.
2 PWK07 may be used to indicate special information to be shown on the specified report.
3 PWK08 may be used to indicate action pertaining to a report.
Notes: 1. Use to indicate how technical documentation, specifications or drawings, etc., applicable to a line item, are being provided by the buying party or required to be provided by the selling party.
2. Use also, as applicable, to identify either paperwork required to complete a response to this solicitation, or paperwork required by the resultant contract and how that paperwork is to be provided.
3. Use the 2/PWK/070 segment to provide paperwork that applies to a line item. If the paperwork applies to all the line items, use the $1 / P W K / 210$ segment.

## Data Element Summary

| Must Use | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element | Name Attributes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | PWK01 | 755 | Report Type Code $\quad$ M ID $2 / 2$ |
|  |  |  | Code indicating the title or contents of a document, report or supporting item |
|  |  |  | A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add codes for: Certified Cost and Price Data, Wage Determination, Union Agreement, and Attachment. We expect these codes to be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. |

2. Use code 35 to indicate that a subcontracting plan is required.
3. Use code C1 to indicate that cost and price data is required.
4. Use code CP to indicate a Certificate of Conformance.
5. Use code KA to indicate that additional information will be provided relative to a $C D R L$ being transmitted in this solicitation.
6. Use code SD to indicate that supporting technical documentation, statement of work or other information is either being provided by the soliciting party or required of the selling party in the quote.

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C
CP Certificate of Compliance (Material Certification)
CX Cost/Schedule Status Report (C/SSR)
CY Contract Funds Status Report (CFSR)
F1 Cost Performance Report (CPR) Format 1
F2 Cost Performance Report (CPR) Format 2


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> 3. Use code 5 to indicate the specified paperwork must be provided in the response to this solicitation. $\begin{array}{ll}2 & \text { Report to be Filed } \\ 3 & \text { Complete } \\ 5 & \text { Generate }\end{array}$


1. Use code 65 to indicate MIL-STD 2073-2C packaging codes. Cite the code string in PKG05.

65 Core Characteristics

Agency Qualifier Code
C IID $\quad 2 / 2$
Code identifying the agency assigning the code values
Use to indicate an activity other than DoD or GSA. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12. If approved, a code for Federal Government will be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3060.

ZZ Mutually Defined
Description
C AN 1/80
A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content Use to identify a string of MIL-STD 2073-2C packaging codes or to identify packaging information in free-form text. The MIL-STD 2073-2C code string uses a positional and sequential system. Coded data must appear in the sequence and number of positions specified in Appendix F of MIL-STD 20731. Zeros shall be inserted in the code string for data that is not being provided. A comma (,) will be used as a delimiter between data in the code string. Use of this data element is discouraged if other methods of transmitting the data exist within this transaction set.


Segment:
osition:
090
POl
Level: Detail
Optional
1
To specify the physical qualities, packaging, weights, and dimensions relating to the item
1 If PO 402 is present, then PO 403 is required.
2 If PO405 is present, then PO406 is required.
3 PO 08 or

5 If PO 410 is present, then PO 413 is required.
6 If PO 411 is present, then PO 413 is required.
8 If PO 12 is prescn, then PO 13 is required.
8 If PO 413 is present, then at least one of PO 410 PO 411 or PO 412 is required.
Semantic Notes:
Comments:

Notes:

Ref. Data
Des. Element
103 Packaging Code
Code identifying the type of packaging; Part 1: Packaging Form, Part 2: Packaging Material submitted to ASC X12 to add a code for Intermediate container. If approved this code will be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. In the meantime, use this code.

| Cloth Top |
| :---: |
| Cloth or Fabric |
| Compressed |
| Corrugated or Solid |
| Double-wall Paper |
| Fibre |
| Fibre (Paperboard) |
| Fiberboard |
| Fiberboard Metal |
| Glass |
| In Inner Containers |
| Wire/Cord |
| Insulated |
| Steel - Vinyl Coated |
| Wire Mesh |
| Iron or Steel |
| Jumbo |
| Special Jumbo |
| Lead |
| Metal |
| Metal Cans |
| Moisture Resistant |
| Molded Plastic |
| Multiple-wall Paper (2 or more walls) |
| Multiple-wall Paper (3 or more walls) |
| Not Otherwise Specified |
| Paper - VCI |
| Other than Glass |
| Other than Metal or Plastic Tubes, or Glass |
| Plastic - Vacuum Formed |
| Paper |
| Plastic - Structural Foam |
| Plastic - Injection Molded |
| Plastic |
| Polyethylene Lined |
| Plastic - Virgin |
| Pulpboard |
| Plastic - Regrind |
| Polystryrene |
| Rubber |
| Foam |
| Rubber and Fabric |
| Special |
| Standard |
| Stainless Steel |
| Tubes, Metal or Plastic |
| Wood |
| Single Wall Corrugated Board |
| Double Wall Corrugated Board |



## Segment: <br> REF Reference Numbers

Position: 100
Loop: PO1
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 12
Purpose: To specify identifying numbers.
Syntax Notes: 1 At least one of REF02 or REF03 is required. Semantic Notes: Comments:

Notes:

Ref.
Des.
Must Use REF01

Use the 2/REF/100 segment to identify reference numbers that vary by line item. When the reference number applies to all the line items, use the $1 / R E F / 050$ segment.

## Data Element Summary

Must Use \begin{tabular}{r}

| Ref. |
| ---: |
| Des. | <br>

REF01
\end{tabular}

## Data

## Element Name

128 Reference Number Qualifier

## Attributes

 M ID $2 / 2$ Code qualifying the Reference Number.1. Use code $2 E$ to indicate that the item is being solicited as a part of a foreign military sale.
2. Use code 73 to indicate the statement of work (SOW) number or a number within a statement of work where additional information can be found. If the SOW is a part of the solicitation, the PWK segment can be used to indicate how it is being transmitted to the quoting party if not otherwise included in the solicitation. If it is included in the solicitation, use the following MSG segment, if applicable.
3. Use code EV to indicate the office or other symbol of the requiring office responsible for ensuring the adequacy of the technical data.
4. Use code IJ to indicate the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Code of the cited line item.
5. Use code IL to indicate the requisition number (e.g., the MILSTRIP/FEDSTRIP document number).
6. Use code K0 to indicate the approval code on a CDRL. Codes associated with code K0 are found in code source 329.
7. Use code K4, if applicable, to indicate the surveillance criticality designator that will be applicable to the line item.
8. Use code $K 7$ to indicate a particular paragraph or section in a solicitation that contains information relative to the line item.
9. Use code KC to indicate an exhibit distribution list to which data items on the $C D R L$ are to be delivered.
10. Use code KK to indicate a Ship-To address list.
11. Use code KV to qualify a cited CDRL distribution list.
12. Use code PH to indicate the MILSTRIP/FEDSTRIP priority.
13. Use code RQ, as appropriate, to indicate an internal number such as a
purchase request or purchase request order number. When citing a purchase request number, concatenate its line item number with the purchase request number if it is necessary to transmit both numbers.
14. Use code S3 to indicate a specification other than a MILSPEC.
15. Use code $Z Z$ to indicate another type of reference number. When used, indicate the nature of the number in REF03.

2E $\quad$ Foreign Military Sales Case Number

C7 Contract Line Item Number
$\mathrm{CH} \quad$ Customer catalog number
CT Contract Number
DG Drawing Number
EV Receiver Identification Number
IJ Standard Industry Classification (SIC) Code
IL Internal Order Number
K0 Approval Code
K4 Criticality Designator
K6 Purchase Description
K7 Paragraph Number
KC Exhibit Distribution List
KK Delivery Reference
KV Distribution Statement Code
LT Lot Number
P4 Project Code
PH Priority Rating
QC Product Specification Document Number
RQ Purchase Requisition No.
RS Returnable Container Serial Number
S2 Military Specification Number (MILSPEC)
S3 Specification Number
TN Transaction Reference Number
TP Test Specification Number
W2 Weapon System Number
W6 Federal Supply Schedule Number
XE Transportation Priority Number
ZF Contractor Establishment Code (CEC)
ZZ Mutually Defined
REF02 127 Reference Number $\begin{array}{llll}\text { C } & \text { AN } & 1 / 30\end{array}$
Reference number or identification number as defined for a particular Transaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier. If a reference number has an associated revision number, suffix, or extension,
concatenate the reference number and the revision/suffix/extension number and carry the resultant number in this data element.
REF03 352 Description $\quad$ AN 1/80 A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content Use to identify additional information related to the cited reference number. Use is discouraged.

Segment: $\mathbf{P E}$ Administrative Communications Contact
Position: 110
Loop: PO1
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 3
Purpose: To identify a person or office to whom administrative communications should be directed
Syntax Notes: 1 If either PER03 or PER04 is present, then the other is required.
2 If either PER05 or PER06 is present, then the other is required.
Semantic Notes:
Comments:
Notes: 1. Use to identify the names and communication numbers for the administrative points of contact and other named parties.
2. A request has been submitted to $A$ SC X12 to add data element 443, Contact Inquiry Reference, at PER07. This data element will permit citing the title of the party identified in PER02. If approved, this data element will be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.
3. Use only for CRDL information.

## Data Element Summary



Free-form name
Cite the last name first, followed by the first name. Do not truncate the last name if whole name is longer than 35 characters. Instead, truncate the first name or use the initial of the first name.
$\begin{array}{llllll}\text { PER03 } 365 & \text { Communication Number Qualifier } & \text { ID } & 2 / 2\end{array}$
Code identifying the type of communication number

1. Include the country code with code IT.
2. Use code TE to indicate the commercial telephone number of the named party.

| AU | Defense Switched Network |
| :--- | :--- |
| EM | Electronic Mail |
| FX | Facsimile |
| IT | International Telephone |
| TE | Telephone |

$\begin{array}{lllllll}\text { PER04 } 364 & \text { Communication Number } & \text { C } & \text { AN } & \mathbf{1 / 8 0}\end{array}$
Complete communications number including country or area code when applicable
Communication Number Qualifier C ID $2 / 2$

Code identifying the type of communication number
Use to identify a second communications network for the party cited in PER02. For example, if PER03/04 cites a commercial telephone number, PER05/06 can be used to cite an Electronic Mail address.

1. Do not use code EX unless there is one iteration of PER03/04 using either code AU or code TE.
2. Include the country code with code IT.
3. Use code TE to indicate the commercial telephone number of the named party.

| AU | Defense Switched Network |
| :--- | :--- |
| EM | Electronic Mail |
| EX | Telephone Extension |
| FX | Facsimile |
| IT | International Telephone |
| TE | Telephone |

$\begin{array}{llll}\text { PER06 } 364 \text { Communication Number } & \text { C AN 1/80 }\end{array}$
Complete communications number including country or area code when applicable

| Segment: | SA C Service, Promotion, Allowance, or Charge Information |
| :---: | :---: |
| Position: | 130 |
| Loop: | PO1 |
| Level: | Detail |
| Usage: | Optional |
| Max Use: | 25 |
| Purpose: | To request or identify a service, promotion, allowance, or charge; to specify the amount or percentage for the service, promotion, allowance, or charge |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 At least one of SAC02 or SAC03 is required. |
|  | 2 If either SAC03 or SAC04 is present, then the other is required. |
|  | 3 If either SAC06 or SAC07 is present, then the other is required. |
|  | 4 If either SAC09 or SACl0 is present, then the other is required. |
|  | 5 If SACl1 is present, then SAC10 is required. |
|  | 6 If $\mathrm{SAC1} 3$ is present, then at least one of SAC 22 or SAC 04 is required. |
|  | 7 If SAC14 is present, then SAC13 is required. |
| Semantic Notes: | 1 If SAC01 is "A" or "C", then at least one of SAC05, SAC07, or SAC08 is required. |
|  | 2 SAC05 is the total amount for the service, promotion, allowance, or charge. If SAC05 is present with SAC07 or SAC08, then SAC05 takes precedence. |
|  | 3 SAC10 alone is used to indicate a specific quantity which could be a dollar amount, that is applicable to service, promotion, allowance or charge. SAC10 and SAC11 used together indicate a quantity range, which could be a dollar amount, that is applicable to service, promotion, allowance, or charge. |
|  | 4 SAC13 is used in conjunction with SAC02 or SAC04 to provide a specific reference number as identified by the code used. |
|  | 5 SAC14 is used in conjunction with SAC13 to identify an option when there is more than one option of the promotion. |
| Comments: | 1 SAC04 may be used to uniquely identify the service, promotion, allowance, or charge. In addition, it may be used in conjunction to further the code in SAC02. |
|  | 2 In some business applications, it is necessary to advise the trading partner of the actual dollar amount that a particular allowance, charge, or promotion was based on to reduce ambiguity. This amount is commonly referred to a "Dollar Basis Amount". It is represented in the SAC segment in SAC10 using the qualifier "DO" - Dollars in SAC09. |
| Notes: | Use this 2/SAC/130 segment to identify services that vary by line item. If the requested services are applicable to all of the line items, use the $1 / S A C / 120$ segment. |

Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element | Name |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Must Use |  |  |  |
| SAC01 |  |  |  |

Code which indicates an allowance or charge for the service specified

1. Use code C to indicate an actual charge, when used, enter the dollar amount of the charge in SAC05.
2. Use code $R$ to comply with the mandatory nature of this data element when transmitting only a service, promotion, allowance, or charge code in SAC02. When used in that manner, enter the value " 0 " in SAC05 to comply with semantic note governing the use of that data element.

| C | Charge |
| :--- | :--- |
| R | Allowance Request |

SAC02 1300 Service, Promotion, Allowance, or Charge Code $\quad$ C ID $\quad 4 / 4$
Code identifying the service, promotion, allowance, or charge
Use any code.
Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.


| Segment: | 1T8 Conditions of Salle |
| :---: | :---: |
| Position: | 140 |
| Loop: | PO1 |
| Level: | Detail |
| Usage: | Optional |
| Max Use: | 1 |
| Purpose: | To specify general conditions or requirements and to detail conditions for substitution of alternate products |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 At least one of IT801 IT802 IT803 IT805 or IT807 is required. |
|  | 2 If IT808 is present, then IT809 is required. |
|  | 3 If IT810 is present, then IT811 is required. |
|  | 4 If IT812 is present, then IT813 is required. |
|  | 5 If IT814 is present, then IT815 is required. |
|  | 6 If IT816 is present, then IT817 is required. |
|  | 7 If IT818 is present, then IT819 is required. |
|  | 8 If IT820 is present, then IT821 is required. |
|  | 9 If IT822 is present, then IT823 is required. |
|  | 10 If IT824 is present, then IT825 is required. |
|  | 11 If IT826 is present, then IT827 is required. |
| Semantic Notes: Comments: | 1 IT804 is the account number to which the purchase amount is to be charged. |
|  | 1 Element 235/234 combinations should be interpreted to include products and/or services. See the Data Dictionary for a complete list of ID's. |
|  | 2 IT808 through IT827 provides for ten (10) different product/service ID's for each item. Example: Case, Color, Drawing No., UPC No., ISBN No., Model No., SKU. |
| Notes: | Use the 2/IT8/140 segment to identify conditions of sale that apply to a line item. If the conditions of sale apply to all of the line items in the solicitation, use the $1 / \mathrm{CSH} / 110$ segment. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12 to increase the maximum use of this segment to 25. If approved, that increase will be effective with ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. |

## Data Element Summary

Ref. Data

Data
Element Name

## Attributes

C ID $1 / 2$
Code to identify a specific requirement or agreement of sale Data maintenance has been sent to ASC X12 asking for the addition of codes for: Restricted to Historically Black Colleges and Universities or Minority Institutions, Restricted to Educational Institutions, Restricted to Industrial Preparedness Program Participants, Restricted to Qualified Bidders List, Restricted to Qualified Manufacturers List, Restricted to Qualified Products List (QPL) Products, Restricted to U.S. and Canadian Sources, Other Unlisted Sales Condition, Unrestricted Procurement, and Restricted to Young Investigator Program. If approved, those codes will be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.

1. Use code SC to indicate that partial shipments will not be accepted.
2. Use code $S V$ to indicate that the cited line item is to be shipped in place.
3. Use code $Z$ to indicate a warranty is required.

IS Substitute Item Allowed
P2 Ship As Soon As Possible
P4 Do Not Preship
SC Ship Complete
SV Ship Per Release

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Z Mutually Defined
$\begin{array}{lllll}\text { IT807 } & 566 & \text { Product/Service Substitution Code } & \text { C } & \text { ID }\end{array}$
Code indicating product or service substitution conditions Use only one of codes $A, X$, or $Y$ when IT8 is code IS, to identify any conditions applicable to offering a substitute product.

1. Use code B0 only when IT801 does not cite code IS.
2. Use code $X$ to indicate when an "or equal" product is being solicited.

A No Quantity or Unit of Measure Change Allowed
B0 No Substitution Allowed
$\mathrm{X} \quad$ Equivalent Item Substitution
Y Alternate Item Substitution Allowed

| Segment: | H○B F.O.B. Related Instructions |
| :---: | :---: |
| Position: | 180 |
| Loop: | PO1 |
| Level: | Detail |
| Usage: | Optional |
| Max Use: | 1 |
| Purpose: | To specify transportation instructions relating to shipment |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 If FOB 03 is present, then FOB 02 is required. |
|  | 2 If FOB 04 is present, then FOB 05 is required. |
|  | 3 If FOB 07 is present, then FOB 06 is required. |
|  | 4 If FOB 08 is present, then FOB 09 is required. |
| Semantic Notes: | 1 FOB01 indicates which party will pay the carrier. |
|  | 2 FOB02 is the code specifying transportation responsibility location. |
|  | 3 FOB06 is the code specifying the title passage location. |
|  | 4 FOB08 is the code specifying the point at which the risk of loss transfers. This may be different than the location specified in FOB02/FOB03 and FOB06/FOB07. |
| Comments: <br> Notes: |  |
|  | 1. Use the 2/FOB/080 segment to identify the FOB point and acceptance location when they vary for a specific line item. If the FOB point and acceptance location apply to all of the line items, use the $1 / F O B / 180$ segment. |
|  | 2. This segment is not necessary when the item being solicited is a service. |

## Data Element Summary



1. Use code IT to indicate a Freight Forwarder.
2. Use code $Z Z$ to indicate that the $F O B$ point is neither origin nor destination. When used, cite the actual $F O B$ point in $F O B 03$. If the actual FOB point is an address or geographical location, use in conjunction with one iteration of the appropriate N1 loop, using code KX in N101.

| DE | Destination (Shipping) |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| FV | Free Alongside Vessel (Free On Board [F.O.B.] Point) |  |
| IT | Intermediate FOB Point |  |
| OR | Origin (Shipping Point) |  |
| ZZ | Mutually Defined |  |
| scription |  | O | A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content

309 Location Qualifier
C ID $1 / 2$ Code identifying type of location
Use to identify the acceptance point.

1. Use code ZZ to identify that the acceptance point is neither at origin nor at destination. When used, cite the actual acceptance point in FOB07. If the actual $F O B$ point is an address or geographical location, use in conjunction with one iteration of the N1 loop, using code ZZ in N101.

DE Destination (Shipping)
OR Origin (Shipping Point)
ZZ Mutually Defined
FOB07 352 Description 0 AN 1/80 A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content Use to identify the acceptance point when $F O B 06$ is code ZZ. If necessary, use one iteration of the $1 / \mathrm{N} 1 / 310$ loop, using code ZZ in N101, to identify the address of the acceptance point. Use of this data element is discouraged.

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Segment: } \text { SDQ Destination Quantity } \\
& \text { Position: } 190 \\
& \text { Loop: } \text { PO1 } \\
& \text { Level: } \text { Detail } \\
& \text { Usage: } \text { Optional } \\
& \text { Max Use: } 50 \\
& \text { Purpose: } \text { To specify destination and quantity detail } \\
& \text { Syntax Notes: } 1 \\
& \text { If SDQ05 is present, then SDQ06 is required. } \\
& \mathbf{2} \\
& \text { If SDQ07 is present, then SDQ08 is required. } \\
& 4 \\
& \text { If SDQ09 is present, then SDQ10 is required. } \\
& \text { If SDQ11 is present, then SDQ12 is required. } \\
& 5 \\
& \text { If SDQ13 is present, then SDQ14 is required. } \\
& \text { If SDQ15 is present, then SDQ16 is required. } \\
& 7 \\
& \text { If SDQ17 is present, then SDQ18 is required. } \\
& 8 \\
& \text { If SDQ19 is present, then SDQ20 is required. } \\
& 9 \\
& \text { If SDQ21 is present, then SDQ22 is required. }
\end{aligned}
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Semantic Notes: 1 SDQ23 identifies the area within the location identified in SDQ03, SDQ05, SDQ07, SDQ09, SDQ11, SDQ13, SDQ15, SDQ17, SDQ19, and SDQ21.
Comments: 1 SDQ02 is used only if different than previously defined in the transaction set.
2 SDQ23 may be used to identify areas within a store, e.g., front room, back room, selling outpost, end aisle display, etc. The value is agreed to by trading partners or industry conventions.
Notes: Use the segment when known quantities of the line item are to be delivered to multiple locations on the same date, and the locations can be identified by a CAGE code, a DUNs number, a DoDAAC or civilian agency activity address code, or a MAPAC.

3. Use code 33 to indicate vendors with CAGE codes.
4. Use code A2 to indicate a MAPAC address.
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D-U-N-S Number, Dun \& Bradstreet Department of Defense Activity Address Code (DODAAC)
33 Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE)

| 840 - Request for Quotation |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Must Use | SDQ03 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | M | AN | 2/17 |
| Must Use | SDQ04 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | M | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ05 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | 0 | AN | 2/17 |
|  | SDQ06 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | C | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ07 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | 0 | AN | 2/17 |
|  | SDQ08 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | C | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ09 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | 0 | AN | 2/17 |
|  | SDQ10 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | C | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ11 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | 0 | AN | 2/17 |
|  | SDQ12 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | C | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ13 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | 0 | AN | 2/17 |
|  | SDQ14 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | C | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ15 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | 0 | AN | 2/17 |
|  | SDQ16 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | C | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ17 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | 0 | AN | 2/17 |
|  | SDQ18 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | C | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ19 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | 0 | AN | 2/17 |
|  | SDQ20 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | C | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ21 | 67 | Identification Code <br> Code identifying a party or other code | 0 | AN | 2/17 |
|  | SDQ22 | 380 | Quantity <br> Numeric value of quantity | C | R | 1/15 |
|  | SDQ23 | 310 | Location Identifier <br> Code which identifies a specific location | 0 | AN | 1/30 |

Segment: DTM Date/Time Reference
Position: 200
Loop: PO1
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 10
Purpose: To specify pertinent dates and times
1 At least one of DTM02 DTM03 or DTM06 is required.
2 If either DTM06 or DTM07 is present, then the other is required.

## Semantic Notes:

## Comments:

Notes: 1. Use the segment to identify actual dates relative to the item being solicited or documents associated with the line item.
2. Use this segment for delivery information when the required delivery can be specified as an actual date. If the required delivery schedule is expressed as a set number of calendar days after the occurrence of some event, e.g., receipt of the order, use the 2/LDT/298 loop or the 2/LDT/470 segment if the delivery schedule is associated with a specific address.
3. Use this 2/DTM/200 segment if the date applies to a specific line item. If the date applies to all line items, use the 1/DTM/150 segment.

## Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element <br> 374 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | | Must Use |
| :--- |
| DTM01 |$\quad$| Name/Time Qualifier |
| :--- |
| Code specifying type of date or time, or both date and time |$\quad$| Attributes |
| :--- |
| I. Use code 077 to specify the beginning date of the week. |

2. Use code 106 to indicate delivery is due exactly on the specified date. Use code 996 for due on or before a specified date.
3. Use code 150 to indicate the performance commencement date for a line item that is soliciting a service.
4. Use code 151 to indicate the performance completion date for a line item that is soliciting a service.
5. When code 174 is used, cite the last date of the month.
6. Use code 275 to specify the approval date of a Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL).
7. Use code 405 to specify the preparation date of a Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL).
8. Use code 600 to specify the "as of" date for the submission of data.
9. Use code 601 to specify the date of the first submission of a data item specified by Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL).
10. Use code 602 to specify the date(s) of a subsequent submission(s) of a data item specified by a Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL).
11. Use code 996 to indicate the required delivery date when delivery can be
made on or before the specified date.
037 Ship Not Before

063 Do Not Deliver After
064 Do Not Deliver Before
065 1st Schedule Delivery
066 1st Schedule Ship
077 Requested for Delivery (Week of)
106 Required By
150 Service Period Start
151 Service Period End
174 Month Ending
275
373
374
405
600
601
Approved
Order Start
Order End
Production
As Of
First Submission
602 Subsequent Submission
996 Required Delivery

| DTM02 | 373 | Date | C | DT | $6 / 6$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| DTM03 | 337 | Date (YYMMDD) |  |  |  |
| Time | C | TM | $4 / 8$ |  |  |

Time expressed in 24-hour clock time as follows: HHMM, or HHMMSS, or HHMMSSD, or HHMMSSDD, where $\mathrm{H}=$ hours ( $00-23$ ), $\mathrm{M}=$ minutes ( $00-$ 59), $\mathrm{S}=$ integer seconds ( $00-59$ ) and $\mathrm{DD}=$ decimal seconds; decimal seconds are expressed as follows: $\mathrm{D}=$ tenths $(0-9)$ and $\mathrm{DD}=$ hundredths $(00-99)$

Code identifying the time. In accordance with International Standards Organization standard 8601, time can be specified by a + or - and an indication in hours in relation to Universal Time Coordinate (UTC) time; since + is a restricted character, + and - are substituted by P and M in the codes that follow

| CD | Central Daylight Time |
| :--- | :--- |
| CS | Central Standard Time |
| CT | Central Time |
| ED | Eastern Daylight Time |
| ES | Eastern Standard Time |
| ET | Eastern Time |
| GM | Greenwich Mean Time |
| LT | Local Time |
| MD | Mountain Daylight Time |
| MS | Mountain Standard Time |
| MT | Mountain Time |
| PD | Pacific Daylight Time |
| PS | Pacific Standard Time |
| PT | Pacific Time |

## DTM06 1250 Date Time Period Format Qualifier $\quad$ C $\quad$ ID $\quad 2 / 3$

Code indicating the date format, time format, or date and time format Use only when the date or time cannot be expressed in YYMMDD or HHMM format. In that case, use any code and specify the date and/or time in DTM07.

Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.
DTM07 1251 Date Time Period C AN 1/35
Expression of a date, a time, or range of dates, times or dates and times When delivery is specified as a range of time for a given date, e.g., use code RTM in DTM06 to qualify a range of times for a delivery on March 30, 1994 between 1:00 PM and 4:00 PM local time. Use DTM01/02 to convey the March 30, 1994 date.

code 996 for due on or before a specified date.
3. When code 174 is used, cite the last date of the month.
4. Use code 996 to indicate the required delivery date when delivery can be made on or before the specified date.

063 Do Not Deliver After
064 Do Not Deliver Before
065 1st Schedule Delivery
066 1st Schedule Ship
077 Requested for Delivery (Week of)
106 Required By
174 Month Ending
996 Required Delivery

| SCH09 373 | Date | DT | $6 / 6$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Date (YYMMDD)
SCH11
326 Request Reference Number 0 AN 1/45
Reference number or RFQ number to use to identify a particular transaction set and query (additional reference number or description which can be used with contract number)
Use, as applicable, to cross-reference the cited line item.
Segment: TD5 Carrier Details (Routing Sequence/Transit Time)
Position: 250
Loop: PO1
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: ..... 12Semantic Notes:
Purpose:

To specify the carrier and sequence of routing and provide transit time informationSyntax Notes
Comments:Notes: 1. Use the 2/TD5/250 segment to identify the transportation method that is applicable toa line item. If the transportation method applies to all line items, use the 1/TD5/240segment.
2. Use the 2/TD5/420 segment when the transportation method applies to a line itemand is dependent upon the citing of a named entity.
Data Element Summary

## Data Element Summary

$\begin{array}{r}\text { Ref. } \\ \text { Des. }\end{array}$TD50210 Department of Defense Activity Address Code(DODAAC)
Data
Element ..... Name
Attributes
66 Identification Code Qualifier ..... C ID $1 / 2$Code designating the system/method of code structure used for IdentificationWhen TD504 is code PL, use code 10 to indicate the number in TD503 is theDODAAC of the pipeline.Code identifying a party or other code
TD504

1 At least one of TD502 TD504 TD505 TD506 or TD512 is required.
2 If TD502 is present, then TD503 is required.
3 If TD507 is present, then TD508 is required.
4 If TD510 is present, then TD511 is required.

Notes:
1 When specifying a routing sequence to be used for the shipment movement in lieu of specifying each carrier within the movement, use TD502 to identify the party responsible for defining the routing sequence, and use TD503 to identify the actual routing sequence, specified by the party identified in TD502. and is dependent upon the citing of a named entity.
$\frac{\text { Element }}{66}$

## Code (67) <br> Code (67)

 DODAAC of the pipeline.$10 \quad \begin{aligned} & \text { Department of Defense Activity Address Code } \\ & \text { (DODAAC) }\end{aligned}$

| Identification Code | C | AN | $2 / 17$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Code identifying a party or other code |  |  |  |
| Transportation Method/Type Code | C | ID | $1 / 2$ |
| Code specifying the method or type of transportation for the shipment |  |  |  |

Code specifying the method or type of transportation for the shipment

1. Use any code.
2. A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes to codes used by ASC X12.
3. When code $D$ is used, it is to be read as the class of service provided by the United States Postal Service and not a private carrier.
Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.


Segment: Position:

Loop:
Level:
Usage:
Max Use:
Purpose: Syntax Notes: Semantic Notes:

## Comments:

Notes:

1. Use the 2/MAN/280 segment to identify marks and numbers that apply to a specific line item. If the marks and numbers apply to all of the line items in the solicitation, use the 1/MAN/270 segment.
2. Use to identify such data as MILSTRIP/FEDSTRIP number, Transportation Control number, Project Priority, and consignee related issues.

## Data Element Summary


Segment: RRA Required Response
Position: ..... 290
Loop: ..... POl
Level: ..... Detail
Usage:
Max Use:Purpose:Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes:Notes:

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element <br> 701 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Mustame |  |  |
| Information Type <br> Code specifying the information required in the response |  |  |
| Use code 14 to indicate the reference number that requires a quoting party to <br> provide a response with the quote. This reference will be a clause number or <br> other specific reference to information previously provided to the trading <br> partner. |  |  |

As Indicated by the Cited Reference
127 Reference Number 0 AN ..... 1/30Reference number or identification number as defined for a particularTransaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier.

Segment: MSG Message Text
Position: 295
Loop: POI
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 1000
Purpose: To provide a free form format that would allow the transmission of text information.
Syntax Notes: Semantic Notes:

Comments: 1 MSG02 is not related to the specific characteristics of a printer, but identifies top of page, advance a line, etc.
Notes: Use to provide free-form text associated with the line item being solicited. Use is discouraged.

2. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC X12 to add the MSG segment to this LDT loop and to add an embedded LM/LQ loop within the LDT loop. The MSG segment will be used when LDT01 is code AI (From Date of a Specified Event to Delivery) to identify the specified event. The LM/LQ loop will be used to carry unique codes associated with the frequency of delivery of data items on a Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL). If approved, both the MSG segment and the LM/LQ loop will be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. ASC X12 has been requested to add these same loops in the 843 and 850 transaction sets. If approved, these loops will be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. Until then, the LDT loop can only be used to provide a single delivery schedule for a specified quantity which must be carried as a separate SUBCLIN.

## Data Element Summary

| Must Use | $\begin{gathered} \text { Ref. } \\ \text { Des. } \\ \text { LDT01 } \end{gathered}$ | Data <br> Element <br> 345 | Name <br> Lead Time Code <br> Code indicating the time range |  | ID |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | M | ID | 2/2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add the following codes: From Date of Latest Delivery to Final Delivery, From Date of Previous Delivery to Subsequent Delivery, From Date of Award to Date of Latest Delivery, From Date of Award to Date of Earliest Delivery, From Date of Award to Date of Completion, From Date of Specified Event to Delivery, and From Date of Award to Date of Delivery. We expect these codes to be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 1. Use code AI to indicate that the consignee or other contact must be notified within the time period cited to schedule a shipment. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | AA From date of PO receipt to sample ready. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | AD From date of | From date of sample approval to first product shipment. |  |  |
|  |  |  | AE From date of | From date of PO receipt to shipment. |  |  |
|  |  |  | AF From date of | From date of PO receipt to delivery. |  |  |
|  |  |  | From Date o Approval | From Date of Receipt of First Article to First Article Approval |  |  |
|  |  |  | AI From Date o | From Date of a Specified Event to Delivery |  |  |
|  |  |  | AZ From Date o Item | From Date of Receipt of Item to Date of Approval of Item |  |  |
| Must Use | LDT02 | 380 | Numeric value of quantity |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Must Use | LDT03 | 344 | Unit of Time Period or Interval | M | ID | 2/2 |
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Code indicating the time period or interval
Use code $K K$ to indicate a flexible time period, e.g., $X$ number of days or less.

| CY | Calendar Year |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| DA | Calendar Days |  |  |
| KK | Maximum Calendar Days |  |  |
| MO | Month |  |  |
| QY | Quarter of a Year |  |  |
| SA | Semiannual |  |  |
| WK | Weeks | $\mathbf{O}$ | DT |
| W/6 |  |  |  |
| 6/YMMDD |  |  |  |

840 - Request for Quotation
Segment: QTY Quantity
Position: 299
Loop: LDT
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: >1
Purpose: To specify quantity information
Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes:
Comments:
Notes:


1. Use code $1 J$ to indicate the quantity to be delivered.
2. Use code $1 K$ to indicate the length of the delivery period.
3. Use code 52 to indicate the number of regular copies of a data item on a Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL) that are to be delivered to all distribution addresses.
4. Use code K6 to indicate the number of draft copies of a data item on a Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL) that are to be delivered to all distribution addresses.
5. Use code KF to indicate the number of reproducible copies of a data item on a Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL) that are to be delivered to all distribution addresses.

| 1 J | Due |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 K | Time Units |
| 52 | Number of Originals |
| K6 | Drafts |
| KF | Duplicates |

$\begin{array}{lllll}\text { Must Use } & \text { QTY02 } & 380 & \text { Quantity } & \text { M }\end{array}$
Numeric value of quantity

1. When QTY01 is code IJ, identify the quantity to be delivered.
2. When QTYO1 is code $1 K$, identify the length of the delivery schedule, e.g., 4 months. In this situation, QTY03 contains the time measurement, e.g., months, quarters, etc.

Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in which a measurement has been taken

1. Use to identify the time period, when the quantity is to be delivered as a rate over some time period.
2. Use any code.
3. A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes to codes used by ASC X12.
4. When QTY01 is code IJ, use code DA to indicate the frequency of delivery. When QTY01 is code $1 K$, use to indicate the length of the delivery period.
5. When QTY01 is code IJ, use code MO to indicate the frequency of delivery. When QTY01 is code IK, use to indicate the length of the delivery period.
6. When QTY01 is code IJ, use code Q1 to indicate the frequency of delivery. When QTYO1 is code $1 K$, use to indicate the length of the delivery period.
7. When QTYO1 is code IJ, use code WK to indicate the frequency of delivery. When QTYO1 is code $1 K$, use to indicate the length of the delivery period
8. When QTY01 is code IJ, use code YR to indicate the frequency of delivery. When QTY01 is code $1 K$, use to indicate the length of the delivery period.

| DA | Days |
| :--- | :--- |
| MO | Months |
| Q1 | Quarter (Time) |
| WK | Week |
| YR | Years |

# Segment: $\quad \mathbf{~} 9$ Reference Number 

Position: 320
Loop: N9
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 1
Purpose: To transmit identifying numbers and descriptive information as specified by the reference number qualifier
Syntax Notes: 1 At least one of N902 or N903 is required.
2 If N906 is present, then N905 is required.
Semantic Notes: 1 N906 reflects the time zone which the time reflects.
Comments:
Notes: 1. Use the 2/N9/320 loop to identify clauses, special instructions, or other references which are applicable to a specific line item. When a reference number applies to all line items, use the I/REF/050 segment.
2. When an alternate section is relevant for a cited clause, concatenate the alpha/numeric alternate designation with the clause number in N902.


1. Use code CJ to indicate a purchasing activity generated clause or special provision not found in the FAR, DFARS, Agency acquisition regulation supplement, or FIRMR. Identify the source of the clause in N903.
2. Use code DD to identify a Department of Labor wage determination number.
3. Use code DF to indicate a clause found in the DFARS.
4. Use code DX to indicate an agency clause contained in an agency supplement to the Federal Acquisition Regulation. When used, indicate the agency in N903.
5. Use code $K 7$ to indicate information for prospective bidders, e.g., labeling or packaging information, quotation instructions, etc. Cite an applicable number in N902 and provide the information in the following MSG segment. The numbering system can be based on the uniform contract format, e.g., H-1 for special requirements, or any other numbering system the originator desires. The 2/REF/100 segment can then be used to identify the reference when it is applicable to a line item.
6. Use code KT to indicate another type of reference number applicable to the solicitation. This number is not the RFQ number (which is found in BQT02). Indicate the source of the reference in N903 and provide, if necessary, the text of the item in the following MSG segment. For example, this code could be used as a way of getting to the following MSG segment when the full text must be transmitted. In that case, a reference number that follows the
uniform contract format could be used.
7. Use code KZ, if applicable, to indicate the master solicitation that applies to the solicitation.
8. Use code ZZ to indicate any other reference that cannot use a specific qualifier code. Indicate in N903 the source of the reference and use the following MSG segment for text, if necessary.

73 Statement of Work (SOW)
CJ Clause Number
DD Document Identification Code
DF Defense Federal Acquisition Regulations (DFAR)
DX Department/Agency Number
FA Federal Acquisition Regulations (FAR)
GS General Services Administration Regulations (GSAR)
K7 Paragraph Number
KT Request for Quotation Reference
KY Site Specific Procedures, Terms, and Conditions
KZ Master Solicitation Procedures, Terms, and Conditions
VB Department of Veterans Affairs Acquisition Regulations (VAAR) Mutually Defined

ZZ

C AN
1/30
Reference number or identification number as defined for a particular Transaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier.
Free-form Description
C AN $1 / 45$
Free-form descriptive text
Use is discouraged.
Date
0 DT 6/6
Date (YYMMDD)
Use to specify the date of a clause or wage determination, or other reference. When the date is used it will be in YYMMDD format so a clause date should always end with the numeric 01 indicating the first day of the month. This rule is necessary to comply with ASC X12 syntax.

Segment: MSG message Text

Position: 330
Loop: N9
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 1000
Purpose: To provide a free form format that would allow the transmission of text information.
Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes:
Comments:

Notes: Use to identify the title and full text, if required, of any clause or provision cited in the preceding N9 segment. Use also to identify text related to any reference carried in the N9 segment. Use is discouraged.

## Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element <br> Must Use <br> MSG01 | Name |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| Free-Form Message Text <br> Free-form message text | Attributes |  |  |

Segment:Position:
Loop:
Level:
Max Use:
Purpose:
Syntax Notes:

## Semantic Notes:

Comments:

Usage: Optional

Notes:
2 N105 and N106 further define the type of entity in N101.

1. Whenever possible, address information should be transmitted using code values contained in a combination of the N101, N103/04 data elements. Use N102 and the N2N4 segments only when it is necessary to transmit the full address. For example, if a vendor can be identified by a DUNs number, it is not necessary to transmit the vendor's full address since the relationship between the DUNs number and the vendor's address can be established by accessing a data base in which the information is stored, having been put there at the time the vendor electronically registered as a federal government trading partner.
2. Use this $2 / \mathrm{Nl} / 340$ loop to identify organizations or people that apply to specific line items. If the organizations or people apply to all line items in the solicitation, use the 1/N1/310 loop.

## Data Element Summary

 Code identifying an organizational entity, a physical location, or an individual 1. A data maintenance request has been submitted to ASC X12 asking for the following codes: Meeting Location and Party to Receive Proposal. The meeting location code would be used to identify a place where a prequoting conference is to be held. Since neither code is particularly applicable to small purchases, no effort was made to use a surrogate code for the purpose. If approved, the code will be applicable in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.
2. Use code 31 only when an actual mailing address is required, and is different from the address provided for any other qualifier code. Do not use if another qualifier code can be used to pass this address. When used, indicate the name of the party in N102 and N2 segment.
3. Use code 88 to indicate the party approving a Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL).
4. Use code BY to indicate the purchasing or soliciting office or activity.
5. Use code CP to indicate the address to send the Certificate of Conformance when it is different from the purchasing or soliciting office or activity.
6. Use code $D Z$ to indicate an area to which zone deliveries are to be made under an indefinite instrument. Indicate the zone in N104 (e.g., 1, 2, 3, etc.),
use code ZN in N103, and indicate the locations of the zone in N405/06. Use as many iterations of the N1 loop as necessary to describe the entire zone. A separate SUBCLIN must be established for each item that is to be delivered to a specific zone.

## 7. Use code IC to indicate a freight forwarder.

8. Use code $K X$ to indicate the $F O B$ point when it must be described by a specific address rather than as a code value indicating either origin or destination.
9. Use code KY to indicate the technical office that has cognizance over the technical portion of the solicitation, if different than the office originating the solicitation. Do not use unless it is intended for the recipient of the solicitation to deal directly with the cited party on technical matters related for the solicitation.
10. Use code L1 to indicate the inspection location when it must be described as a specific address rather than a location such as origin or destination.
11. Use code OH to indicate the Hazardous Materials Office. A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add a code for this location. If approved it will be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. Until that time, use this code.
12. Use code P1 to indicate the preparer of a Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL).
13. Use code PZ to indicate the requesting agency/activity. Data maintenance has been submitted to add code 96-Requestor. Use this code until that code is approved.
14. Use code $R C$ to indicate a location where the material will be both inspected and accepted. A request has been submitted to ASC X12 to add a code for Inspection and Acceptance. We expect this code to be available for use in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050. Until that time, use this code.
15. Use code ST to indicate the address to which an item must be shipped. For purposes of a solicitation, it may suffice to simply transmit the ZIP code of the location rather than the full address which can be added in the resultant purchase order.
16. Use code SV to indicate a location where a service, e.g., grass cutting, will be performed and accepted after performance is complete.
17. Use code Z7, when applicable, only when the inclusion of this address is necessary to prepare a quote. Otherwise, when applicable, include in the resulting purchase order.
18. Use ZZ to indicate the acceptance location when it cannot be described using a point such as origin or destination. Data maintenance has been submitted to ASC XI2 asking for a code for Acceptance Point. If approved, the code will be available in ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.

| CP | Party to Receive Cert. of Compliance |
| :--- | :--- |
| DZ | Delivery Zone |
| IC | Intermediate Consignee |
| KX | Free on Board Point |
| KY | Technical Office |
| L1 | Inspection Location |
| OH | Other Departments |
| P1 | Preparer |
| PZ | Party to Receive Equipment |
| RC | Receiving Location |
| ST | Ship To |
| SV | Service Performance Site |
| Z7 | Mark-for Party |
| ZZ | Mutually Defined |

Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code (67)

1. Use, when applicable, to identify the named party.
2. A request has been submitted to $A S C X 12$ to add a code for Contractor Establishment Code. We expect this code to be available for use in the ASC X12 Version/Release 3050.
3. While the Federal EDI program uses the DUNS number, other government users of this implementation convention may require the use of other and additional numbers for a transition period in order to cross-reference existing data bases with new procurement actions.
4. Use of the DUNs number (code 1) is preferred over any other coded number to identify a named party.
5. Use code 10 to indicate either a Department of Defense or a Civilian Agency Activity Address Code.
6. When N101 is code ST, use code 16 to indicate the ZIP code as a general location for quoting purposes. The full address of the ship to party can be provided later, in the purchase order. If the ZIP code is an FPO or APO, indicate the FPO/APO in the N4 segment.
7. Use code 33 to indicate vendors with CAGE codes.
8. Use code 42 to indicate a MAPAC address.
9. Use code FA to indicate a vendor facility that cannot be identified by a CAGE code.
10. Use code ZN to indicate a delivery zone when N101 is code DZ. Indicate the zone in N104, e.g., 1, 2, 3, etc.

| 1 | D-U-N-S Number, Dun \& Bradstreet |
| :--- | :--- |
| 10 | Department of Defense Activity Address Code <br> (DODAAC) |
| 16 | ZIP Code |


|  |  | 33 | Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A2 | Military Assistance Program Address Code (MAPAC) |  |  |  |
|  |  | FA | Facility Identification |  |  |  |
|  |  | ZN Zone |  |  |  |  |
| N104 | 67 | Identification Code |  | C | AN | 2/17 |
|  |  | Code identifying a party or other code |  |  |  |  |

840 - Request for Quotation
Segment: N2 Additional Name Information
Position: 350
Loop: N1
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 2
Purpose: To specify additional names or those longer than 35 characters in length
Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes:
Comments:

Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element |
| :---: | :---: | :--- |
| Must Use |  |  |
| N 201 |  |  |

Segment: N3 Address Information
Position: 360
Loop: N1
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 2
Purpose: To specify the location of the named party
Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes:
Comments:

| Data Element Summary |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Must Use | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ref. } \\ & \text { Des. } \end{aligned}$ | Data <br> Element | Name | Attributes |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 166 | Address Information | M | AN | 1/35 |
|  |  |  | Address information |  |  |  |
|  | N302 | 166 | Address Information | 0 | AN | 1/35 |
|  |  |  | Address information |  |  |  |



| Segment: | SCH Line Item Schedule |
| ---: | :--- |
| Position: | 405 |
| Loop: | N1 |
| Level: | Detail |
| Usage: | Optional |
| Max Use: | 200 |
| Purpose: | To specify the data for scheduling a specific line-item |
| Syntax Notes: | 1 If SCH03 is present, then SCH04 is required. |
|  | 2 If SCH09 is present, then SCH08 is required. |
| Semantic Notes: | $1 \quad$ SCH12 is the schedule identification. |
| Comments: | 1 SCH05 specifies the interpretation to be used for SCH06 and SCH07. |
| Notes: | Use the $2 /$ SCH/405 segment to describe a partial delivery when it can be specified as an |
|  | actual date and the ship to address differs by line item. If a single ship to address was <br> identified in the $1 / \mathrm{Nl} / 310$ loop, use the $2 / S C H / 220$ segment. |

## Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data Element | Name | Attributes |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Must Use | SCH01 | 380 | Quantity | M | R | 1/15 |
|  |  |  | Numeric value of quantity |  |  |  |
| Must Use | SCH02 | 355 | Unit or Basis for Measurement Code |  | IID | 2/2 |
|  |  |  | Code specifying the units in which a value is being expresse which a measurement has been taken <br> 1. Use any code. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 2. A conversion table may be required to convert agency co by ASC X12. |  |  | used |
|  |  |  | Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable cod |  |  |  |
| Must Use | SCH05 | 374 | Date/Time Qualifier | M | ID | 3/3 |
|  |  |  | Code specifying type of date or time, or both date and time |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 1. Use code 077 to specify the beginning date of the week. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 2. Use code 106 when the delivery is due exactly on the sp |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 3. When code 174 is used, cite the last date of the month. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 4. Use code 996 to indicate the required delivery date when made on or before the specified date. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 037 Ship Not Before |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 063 Do Not Deliver After |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 064 Do Not Deliver Before |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 065 1st Schedule Delivery |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 066 1st Schedule Ship |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 077 Requested for Delivery (Week of) |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 106 Required By |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 174 Month Ending |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 996 Required Delivery |  |  |  |
| Must Use | SCH06 | 373 | Date | M | DT | 6/6 |
|  |  |  | Date (YYMMDD) |  |  |  |
|  | SCH08 | 374 | Date/Time Qualifier | C | ID | 3/3 |
|  |  |  | Code specifying type of date or time, or both date and time |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 1. Use code 077 to specify the beginning date of the week. |  |  |  |

2. When code 174 is used, cite the last date of the month.
3. Use code 996 to indicate the required delivery date when delivery can be made on or before the specified date.

037 Ship Not Before
077 Requested for Delivery (Week of)
174 Month Ending
996 Required Delivery
$\begin{array}{llll}\text { SCH09 } & 373 & \text { Date } & \text { DT } \quad \text { 6/6 }\end{array}$ Date (YYMMDD)

| Segment: TDS Carrier Details (Routing Sequence/Transit Time) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Position: | 420 |  |
| Loop: | N1 |  |
| Level: | Detail |  |
| Usage: | Optional |  |
| Max Use: | 12 |  |
| Purpose: | To specify the carrier and sequence of routing and provide transit time information |  |
| Symtax Notes: | 1 At least one of TD502 TD504 TD505 TD506 or TD512 is required. |  |
|  | 2 If TD502 is present, then TD503 is required. |  |
|  | 3 If TD507 is present, then TD508 is required. |  |
|  | 4 If TD510 is present, then TD511 is required. |  |
| Semantic Notes: |  |  |
| Comments: | 1 Whe of sp resp routi | specifying a routing sequence to be used for the shipment movement in lieu ecifying each carrier within the movement, use TD502 to identify the party nsible for defining the routing sequence, and use TD503 to identify the actual ng sequence, specified by the party identified in TD502. |
| Notes: | Use the 2/TD5/420 segment when the shipment method is applicable to a named entity |  |
| Data Element Summary |  |  |
| Ref. | Data |  |
| Des. | Element | Name Attributes |
| TD502 | 66 | Identification Code Qualifier $\quad$ C ID $1 / 2$ |
|  |  | Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code (67) |
|  |  | When TD504 is code PL, use code 10 to indicate the number in TD503 is the DoDAAC of the pipeline. |
|  |  | 10 Department of Defense Activity Address Code (DODAAC) |
| TD503 | 67 | Identification Code $\quad$ C AN $2 / 17$ |
|  |  | Code identifying a party or other code |
| TD504 | 91 | Transportation Method/Type Code C ID $1 / 2$ |
|  |  | Code specifying the method or type of transportation for the shipment |
|  |  | 1. Use any code. |
|  |  | 2. A conversion table may be required to convert agency codes to codes used by ASC X12. |
|  |  | Refer to 003040 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values. |


| Segment: | CTT Transaction Totals |
| ---: | :--- |
| Position: | 010 |
| Loop: |  |
| Level: | Summary |
| Usage: Mandatory |  |
| Marpose: | 1 |
| Pyntax Notes: | $\mathbf{1}$ If CTT03 is present, then CTT04 is required. |
| Semantic Notes: | $\mathbf{2}$ If CTT05 is present, then CTT06 is required. |
| Comments: | $\mathbf{1}$ This segment is intended to provide hash totals to validate transaction completeness |
|  |  |

## Data Element Summary

|  | Ref. <br> Des. | Data <br> Element | Name | Attributes |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Must Use | CTT01 | 354 | Number of Line Items | M | N0 | 1/6 |
|  |  |  | Total number of line items in the transaction set |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Use to identify the total number of PO1 segments contained in this transaction set. |  |  |  |
|  | CTT02 | 347 | Hash Total | 0 | R | 1/10 |

Sum of values of the specified data element. All values in the data element will be summed without regard to decimal points (explicit or implicit) or signs. Truncation will occur on the left most digits if the sum is greater than the maximum size of the hash total of the data element.

## Example:

-.0018 First occurrence of value being hashed. . 18 Second occurrence of value being hashed. 1.8 Third occurrence of value being hashed. 18.01 Fourth occurrence of value being hashed. ------- 1855 Hash total prior to truncation. 855 Hash total after truncation to three-digit field. When used, the number must be a true hash total. Do not use to transmit an operational amount.

| Segment: | SE Transaction Set Trailer |
| ---: | :--- |
| Position: | 020 |
| Loop: |  |
| Level: | Summary |
| Usage: | Mandatory |
| Max Use: | 1 |
| Purpose: | To indicate the end of the transaction set and provide the count of the transmitted <br> segments (including the beginning (ST) and ending (SE) segments). <br> ntax Notes: |
| Comments: | $1 \quad$ SE is the last segment of each transaction set. |

## Data Element Summary



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