



**Health Industry Business Communications Council -
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850 Purchase Order

Functional Group ID=PO

Introduction:

This Draft Standard for Trial Use contains the format and establishes the data contents of the Purchase Order Transaction Set (850) for use within the context of an Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) environment. The transaction set can be used to provide for customary and established business and industry practice relative to the placement of purchase orders for goods and services. This transaction set should not be used to convey purchase order changes or purchase order acknowledgment information.

Notes:

This guideline represents the Animal Health Industry requirements created by the American Veterinary Distributors Association (AVDA).

Heading:

	<u>Pos. No.</u>	<u>Seg. ID</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Req. Des.</u>	<u>Max.Use</u>	<u>Loop Repeat</u>	<u>Notes and Comments</u>
M	010	ST	Transaction Set Header	M	1		
M	020	BEG	Beginning Segment for Purchase Order	M	1		
	050	REF	Reference Identification	O	>1		
	150	DTM	Date/Time Reference	O	10		
						LOOP ID - N9	1000
	295	N9	Reference Identification	O	1		
Not Rec	300	MSG	Message Text	O	1000		
						LOOP ID - N1	200
	310	N1	Name	O	1		
Not Rec	320	N2	Additional Name Information	O	2		
Not Rec	330	N3	Address Information	O	2		
Not Rec	340	N4	Geographic Location	O	>1		

Detail:

	<u>Pos. No.</u>	<u>Seg. ID</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Req. Des.</u>	<u>Max.Use</u>	<u>Loop Repeat</u>	<u>Notes and Comments</u>
						LOOP ID - PO1	100000
M	010	PO1	Baseline Item Data	M	1		n1
						LOOP ID - N9	1000
	330	N9	Reference Identification	O	1		

	332	DTM	Date/Time Reference	O	>1	
Not Rec	340	MSG	Message Text	O	1000	

Summary:

	<u>Pos. No.</u>	<u>Seg. ID</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Req. Des.</u>	<u>Max.Use</u>	<u>Loop Repeat</u>	<u>Notes and Comments</u>
			LOOP ID - CTT			1	
	010	CTT	Transaction Totals	O	1		n2
M	030	SE	Transaction Set Trailer	M	1		

Transaction Set Notes

1. PO102 is required.
2. The number of line items (CTT01) is the accumulation of the number of PO1 segments. If used, hash total (CTT02) is the sum of the value of quantities ordered (PO102) for each PO1 segment.

Segment: **ST** Transaction Set Header
Position: 010
Loop:
Level: Heading
Usage: Mandatory
Max Use: 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) is 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

	<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	ST01	143	Transaction Set Identifier Code Code uniquely identifying a Transaction Set 850 Purchase Order	M ID 3/3
M	ST02	329	Transaction Set Control Number Identifying control number that must be unique within the transaction set functional group assigned by the originator for a transaction set	M AN 4/9

Segment: **BEG** Beginning Segment for Purchase Order
Position: 020
Loop:
Level: Heading
Usage: Mandatory
Max Use: 1
Purpose: To indicate the beginning of the Purchase Order Transaction Set and transmit identifying numbers and dates

Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes: 1 BEG05 is the date assigned by the purchaser to purchase order.
Comments:

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref.</u> <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	BEG01	353	Transaction Set Purpose Code Code identifying purpose of transaction set 00 Original	M ID 2/2
M	BEG02	92	Purchase Order Type Code Code specifying the type of Purchase Order BK Blanket Order (Quantity Firm) DS Dropship NE New Order RL Release or Delivery Order An order for goods and services placed against a pre-existing contract or blanket order RO Rush Order SA Stand-alone Order SS Supply or Service Order ST Standing Order	M ID 2/2
M	BEG03	324	Purchase Order Number Identifying number for Purchase Order assigned by the orderer/purchaser	M AN 1/22
M	BEG05	373	Date Date expressed as CCYYMMDD	M DT 8/8
	BEG06	367	Contract Number Contract number	O AN 1/30

Segment: **REF** Reference Identification
Position: 050
Loop:
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: >1
Purpose: To specify identifying information
Syntax Notes:

- 1 At least one of REF02 or REF03 is required.
- 2 If either C04003 or C04004 is present, then the other is required.
- 3 If either C04005 or C04006 is present, then the other is required.

Semantic Notes:

- 1 REF04 contains data relating to the value cited in REF02.

Comments:

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	REF01	128	Reference Identification Qualifier Code qualifying the Reference Identification BD Bid Number BK Broker's Order Number BL Government Bill of Lading CA Cost Allocation Reference CO Customer Order Number CR Customer Reference Number CT Contract Number DH Drug Enforcement Administration Number DP Department Number PD Promotion/Deal Number PR Price Quote Number RE Release Number RQ Purchase Requisition Number SA Salesperson SR Sales Responsibility ST Store Number TX Tax Exempt Number VC Vendor Contract Number	M ID 2/3
	REF02	127	Reference Identification Reference information as defined for a particular Transaction Set or as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier	X AN 1/30
Not Rec	REF03	352	Description A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content	X AN 1/80

Segment: **DTM** **Date/Time Reference**
Position: 150
Loop:
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 10
Purpose: To specify pertinent dates and times
Syntax Notes:

- 1 At least one of DTM02 DTM03 or DTM05 is required.
- 2 If DTM04 is present, then DTM03 is required.
- 3 If either DTM05 or DTM06 is present, then the other is required.

Semantic Notes:
Comments:

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref.</u> <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	DTM01	374	Date/Time Qualifier Code specifying type of date or time, or both date and time 001 Cancel After 002 Delivery Requested 010 Requested Ship 015 Promotion Start 016 Promotion End 037 Ship Not Before 038 Ship No Later 055 Confirmed 061 Cancel if Not Delivered by 063 Do Not Deliver After 064 Do Not Deliver Before	M ID 3/3
	DTM02	373	Date Date expressed as CCYYMMDD	X DT 8/8

Segment: N9 Reference Identification
Position: 295
Loop: N9 Optional
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 1
Purpose: To transmit identifying information as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier
Syntax Notes:

- 1 At least one of N902 or N903 is required.
- 2 If N906 is present, then N905 is required.
- 3 If either C04003 or C04004 is present, then the other is required.
- 4 If either C04005 or C04006 is present, then the other is required.

Semantic Notes:

- 1 N906 reflects the time zone which the time reflects.
- 2 N907 contains data relating to the value cited in N902.

Comments:

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	N901	128	Reference Identification Qualifier Code qualifying the Reference Identification L1 Letters or Notes	M ID 2/3
	N902	127	Reference Identification Reference information as defined for a particular Transaction Set or as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier	X AN 1/30
	N903	369	Free-form Description Free-form descriptive text	X AN 1/45
	N907	C040	Reference Identifier To identify one or more reference numbers or identification numbers as specified by the Reference Qualifier	O
M	C04001	128	Reference Identification Qualifier Code qualifying the Reference Identification	M ID 2/3
M	C04002	127	Reference Identification Reference information as defined for a particular Transaction Set or as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier	M AN 1/30

Segment: **MSG** Message Text
Position: 300
Loop: N9 Optional
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional (Not Recommended)
Max Use: 1000
Purpose: To provide a free-form format that allows the transmission of text information
Syntax Notes: 1 If MSG03 is present, then MSG02 is required.
Semantic Notes: 1 MSG03 is the number of lines to advance before printing.
Comments: 1 MSG02 is not related to the specific characteristics of a printer, but identifies top of page, advance a line, etc.
2 If MSG02 is "AA - Advance the specified number of lines before print" then MSG03 is required.
Notes: Not Recommended by HIBCC.

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref.</u>	<u>Data</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	MSG01	933	Free-Form Message Text Free-form message text	M AN 1/264

Segment: **N1** Name
Position: 310
Loop: N1 Optional
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 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 N103 or N104 is present, then the other is required.
Semantic Notes:
Comments: 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.

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	N101	98	Entity Identifier Code Code identifying an organizational entity, a physical location, property or an individual BS Bill and Ship To BT Bill-to-Party BY Buying Party (Purchaser) CN Consignee DB Distributor Branch DS Distributor EN End User MA Party for whom Item is Ultimately Intended MF Manufacturer of Goods SE Selling Party SF Ship From SN Store SO Sold To If Different From Bill To ST Ship To VN Vendor WH Warehouse	M ID 2/3
Not Rec	N102	93	Name Free-form name	X AN 1/60
	N103	66	Identification Code Qualifier Code designating the system/method of code structure used for Identification Code (67) 1 D-U-N-S Number, Dun & Bradstreet 2 Standard Carrier Alpha Code (SCAC) 8 UCC/EAN Global Product Identification Prefix The first part of a UCC/EAN Product Identification Code within the Uniform Code Council (UCC) and International Article Number Association (EAN) numbering system; A globally unique 3 to 10 digit code for the identification of the company assigning the remainder of the ID code, such as U.P.C., EAN-13, SCC-14, EAN-14 or SSCC-18 9 D-U-N-S+4, D-U-N-S Number with Four Character Suffix	X ID 1/2

- 10 Department of Defense Activity Address Code (DODAAC)
- 11 Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA)
- 21 Health Industry Number (HIN)
- 91 Assigned by Seller or Seller's Agent
- 92 Assigned by Buyer or Buyer's Agent
- LI Labeler Identification Code (LIC)

N104

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Identification Code

X AN 2/80

Code identifying a party or other code

Segment: **N2** Additional Name Information
Position: 320
Loop: N1 Optional
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional (Not Recommended)
Max Use: 2
Purpose: To specify additional names or those longer than 35 characters in length
Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes:
Comments:
Notes: Not Recommended by HIBCC

Data Element Summary

	Ref.	Data	Attributes
	<u>Des.</u>	<u>Element</u> <u>Name</u>	
M	N201	93 Name Free-form name	M AN 1/60
	N202	93 Name Free-form name	O AN 1/60

Segment: N3 Address Information
Position: 330
Loop: N1 Optional
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional (Not Recommended)
Max Use: 2
Purpose: To specify the location of the named party
Syntax Notes:
Semantic Notes:
Comments:
Notes: Not Recommended by HIBCC

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref.</u> <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	N301	166	Address Information Address information	M AN 1/55
	N302	166	Address Information Address information	O AN 1/55

Segment: **N4 Geographic Location**
Position: 340
Loop: N1 Optional
Level: Heading
Usage: Optional (Not Recommended)
Max Use: >1
Purpose: 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 adequate to specify a location.
2 N402 is required only if city name (N401) is in the U.S. or Canada.
Notes: Not Recommended by HIBCC

Data Element Summary

Ref.	Data	Name	Attributes
Des.	Element		
N401	19	City Name Free-form text for city name	O AN 2/30
N402	156	State or Province Code Code (Standard State/Province) as defined by appropriate government agency	O ID 2/2
N403	116	Postal Code Code defining international postal zone code excluding punctuation and blanks (zip code for United States)	O ID 3/15
N404	26	Country Code Code identifying the country	O ID 2/3

Segment: **PO1** **Baseline Item Data**

Position: 010

Loop: PO1 Mandatory

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 PO104 is required.
- 3 If either PO106 or PO107 is present, then the other is required.
- 4 If either PO108 or PO109 is present, then the other is required.
- 5 If either PO110 or PO111 is present, then the other is required.
- 6 If either PO112 or PO113 is present, then the other is required.
- 7 If either PO114 or PO115 is present, then the other is required.
- 8 If either PO116 or PO117 is present, then the other is required.
- 9 If either PO118 or PO119 is present, then the other is required.
- 10 If either PO120 or PO121 is present, then the other is required.
- 11 If either PO122 or PO123 is present, then the other is required.
- 12 If either PO124 or PO125 is present, then the other is required.

Semantic Notes:

Comments:

- 1 See the Data Element Dictionary for a complete list of IDs.
- 2 PO101 is the line item identification.
- 3 PO106 through PO125 provide for ten different product/service IDs per each item.
For example: Case, Color, Drawing No., U.P.C. No., ISBN No., Model No., or SKU.

Data Element Summary

Ref.	Data	Name	Attributes
<u>Des.</u>	<u>Element</u>		
PO101	350	Assigned Identification Alphanumeric characters assigned for differentiation within a transaction set	O AN 1/20
PO102	330	Quantity Ordered Quantity ordered	X R 1/15
PO103	355	Unit or Basis for Measurement Code Code specifying the units in which a value is being expressed, or manner in which a measurement has been taken	O ID 2/2
PO104	212	Unit Price Price per unit of product, service, commodity, etc.	X R 1/17
PO105	639	Basis of Unit Price Code Code identifying the type of unit price for an item CA Catalog CT Contract PE Price per Each PR Promotion UM Price per Unit of Measure	O ID 2/2
PO106	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234) AT Assortability Code CB Buyer's Catalog Number CE Class of Contract Code CG Commodity Grouping CR Contract Number DG Discount Grouping FS National Stock Number HI HIBC (Health Care Industry Bar Code)	X ID 2/2

IN	Buyer's Item Number
LT	Lot Number
MF	Manufacturer
	HIBCC recommends the use of the Labeler Identification Code (LIC) to identify the manufacturer.
MG	Manufacturer's Part Number
N1	National Drug Code in 4-4-2 Format 4-digit manufacturer ID, 4-digit product ID, 2-digit trade package size
N2	National Drug Code in 5-3-2 Format 5-digit manufacturer ID, 3-digit product ID, 2-digit trade package size
N3	National Drug Code in 5-4-1 Format 5-digit manufacturer ID, 4-digit product ID, 1-digit trade package size
N4	National Drug Code in 5-4-2 Format 5-digit manufacturer ID, 4-digit product ID, 2-digit trade package size
N5	National Health Related Item Code in 5-5 Format
N6	National Health Related Item Code in 4-6 Format
ND	National Drug Code (NDC)
NH	National Health Related Item Code
PL	Purchaser's Order Line Number
SN	Serial Number
TP	Product Type Code
UK	U.P.C./EAN Shipping Container Code (1-2-5-5-1) A 14-digit code that uniquely identifies the manufacturer's shipping unit, including the packaging indicator and check digit; the first digit is the packaging indicator, the next two digits are the number system characters, the next five digits are the manufacturer ID number, the second five digits are the item code, and the final digit is the check digit
UP	U.P.C. Consumer Package Code (1-5-5-1)
VC	Vendor's (Seller's) Catalog Number

PO107	234	Product/Service ID	X	AN 1/48
		Identifying number for a product or service		
PO108	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	X	ID 2/2
		Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234)		
		See PO106 for code list.		
PO109	234	Product/Service ID	X	AN 1/48
		Identifying number for a product or service		
PO110	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	X	ID 2/2
		Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234)		
		See PO106 for code list.		
PO111	234	Product/Service ID	X	AN 1/48
		Identifying number for a product or service		
PO112	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	X	ID 2/2
		Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234)		
		See PO106 for code list.		
PO113	234	Product/Service ID	X	AN 1/48
		Identifying number for a product or service		

PO114	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	X	ID 2/2
		Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number used in Product/Service ID (234)		
		See PO106 for code list.		
PO115	234	Product/Service ID	X	AN 1/48
		Identifying number for a product or service		

Segment: N9 Reference Identification
Position: 330
Loop: N9 Optional
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 1
Purpose: To transmit identifying information as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier
Syntax Notes:

- 1 At least one of N902 or N903 is required.
- 2 If N906 is present, then N905 is required.
- 3 If either C04003 or C04004 is present, then the other is required.
- 4 If either C04005 or C04006 is present, then the other is required.

Semantic Notes:

- 1 N906 reflects the time zone which the time reflects.
- 2 N907 contains data relating to the value cited in N902.

Comments:

Data Element Summary

M	<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
	N901	128	Reference Identification Qualifier Code qualifying the Reference Identification E4 Charge Card Number L1 Letters or Notes PSM Credit Card	M ID 2/3
	N902	127	Reference Identification Reference information as defined for a particular Transaction Set or as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier Credit or Charge Card Number if code value in N901 is E4 or PSM.	X AN 1/30
	N903	369	Free-form Description Free-form descriptive text Credit or Charge Card Name i.e. Visa, Master Card, American Express.	X AN 1/45
	N907	C040	Reference Identifier To identify one or more reference numbers or identification numbers as specified by the Reference Qualifier	O
	C04001	128	Reference Identification Qualifier Code qualifying the Reference Identification 06 System Number A unique number assigned by the manufacturer to identify the initial computer system sold to the customer 0F Subscriber Number 11 Account Number Number identifies a telecommunications industry account 1W Member Identification Number Unique identification number assigned to each member under a subscriber's contract 23 Client Number	X ID 2/3
	C04002	127	Reference Identification Reference information as defined for a particular Transaction Set or as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier	X AN 1/30
	C04003	128	Reference Identification Qualifier Code qualifying the Reference Identification	X ID 2/3
	C04004	127	Reference Identification Reference information as defined for a particular Transaction Set or as specified by the Reference Identification Qualifier	X AN 1/30

Segment: **DTM** Date/Time Reference
Position: 332
Loop: N9 Optional
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional
Max Use: >1
Purpose: To specify pertinent dates and times
Syntax Notes:

- 1 At least one of DTM02 DTM03 or DTM05 is required.
- 2 If DTM04 is present, then DTM03 is required.
- 3 If either DTM05 or DTM06 is present, then the other is required.

Semantic Notes:
Comments:

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref.</u>	<u>Data</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
	<u>Des.</u>	<u>Element</u>		
M	DTM01	374	Date/Time Qualifier Code specifying type of date or time, or both date and time 036 Expiration Date coverage expires	M ID 3/3
	DTM05	1250	Date Time Period Format Qualifier Code indicating the date format, time format, or date and time format TQ Date Expressed in Format MMY	X ID 2/3
	DTM06	1251	Date Time Period Expression of a date, a time, or range of dates, times or dates and times Credit or Charge Card Expiration Date in MMY.	X AN 1/35

Segment: **MSG** Message Text
Position: 340
Loop: N9 Optional
Level: Detail
Usage: Optional (Not Recommended)
Max Use: 1000
Purpose: To provide a free-form format that allows the transmission of text information
Syntax Notes: 1 If MSG03 is present, then MSG02 is required.
Semantic Notes: 1 MSG03 is the number of lines to advance before printing.
Comments: 1 MSG02 is not related to the specific characteristics of a printer, but identifies top of page, advance a line, etc.
2 If MSG02 is "AA - Advance the specified number of lines before print" then MSG03 is required.
Notes: Not Recommended by HIBCC.

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref.</u>	<u>Data</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
	<u>Des.</u>	<u>Element</u>		
M	MSG01	933	Free-Form Message Text Free-form message text	M AN 1/264

Segment: **CTT** Transaction Totals
Position: 010
Loop: CTT Optional
Level: Summary
Usage: Optional
Max Use: 1
Purpose: To transmit a hash total for a specific element in the transaction set
Syntax Notes: 1 If either CTT03 or CTT04 is present, then the other is required.
 2 If either CTT05 or CTT06 is present, then the other is required.
Semantic Notes:
Comments: 1 This segment is intended to provide hash totals to validate transaction completeness and correctness.

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref.</u> <u>Des.</u>	<u>Data</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	CTT01	354	Number of Line Items Total number of line items in the transaction set	M N0 1/6

Segment: **SE** Transaction Set Trailer
Position: 030
Loop:
Level: Summary
Usage: Mandatory
Max Use: 1
Purpose: To indicate the end of the transaction set and provide the count of the transmitted segments (including the beginning (ST) and ending (SE) segments)

Syntax Notes:

Semantic Notes:

Comments: 1 SE is the last segment of each transaction set.

Data Element Summary

	<u>Ref. Des.</u>	<u>Data Element</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
M	SE01	96	Number of Included Segments Total number of segments included in a transaction set including ST and SE segments	M N0 1/10
M	SE02	329	Transaction Set Control Number Identifying control number that must be unique within the transaction set functional group assigned by the originator for a transaction set	M AN 4/9