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INCREASED CONSISTENCY AMONG SUPPLIER SEARCHES

There are over 25 locations in MarketPlace where users can search for and select suppliers. In 9.3 we have updated the supplier search in many of these locations so that they behave more similarly, efficiently, and intuitively.

All Supplier Searches will now allow for a "contains" search. For example, if a supplier search is performed on "Grainger," "WW Grainger, Inc." will be returned in the results. This is an improvement over the "starts with" search on the first word of the supplier name that was in place previously. Users can search for Suppliers using the Supplier Name, Supplier Number, Supplier defined Alias, and Third Party Reference Number. Because the supplier search is more robust, the "Supplier Information" search field has been removed and this information can now be entered in the keyword search.

The "Search for Supplier" field has been updated to "Enter Supplier Name" to allow for the addition of AutoComplete/Type-Ahead functionality. Supplier Results will be ordered by "Best Match" and displayed with the Supplier Preference Icons.

ADMINISTRATORS' ABILITY TO SEND EMAILS TO USERS

Organization administrators now have the ability to send email communications through MarketPlace to active users of the MarketPlace application. Emails can be sent to all users or select roles or departments.

ROLE - LEVEL EMAIL PREFERENCES

Administrators now have the ability to define email notifications at the role level. Prior to the 9.3 release, administrators selected the users' email notifications individually, within the user profile (or via imported data). Now, as the roles are defined, the specific email notifications needed for the role can be defined as well. Then, as a role is assigned to a user, the user will inherit the notifications settings, as they do permissions today. Note: All role-level settings can be overridden at the user profile level if needed.

PO # INCLUDED IN SUBJECT LINE OF EMAIL POS

The organization's Purchase Order number will now be included within the subject line of the PO Email generated and sent to the supplier.