

FIN How-to: Adding Attachments ^[1]

In the Finance System (FIN), you can attach and view supporting documentation for transactions in all modules, including Assets, Billing, Accounts Receivable, etc. This page focuses on adding attachments to journal entries (JEs).

A JE typically needs one or more attachments that provide supporting documentation for the entry. There are several ways you can do this:

- You can add attachments to an individual JE using the Journal Entry - Header Page.
- You can add attachments to one or more JEs at a time using the Upload Journal Attachments page.
- You can add the same or different attachments to multiple JEs using the Multiple File Attachments link on the Upload Journal Attachments page.

Read the procedures

Adding Attachments to one JE at a time – using the Journal Entry - Header page

Watch the video

To add attachments to one journal from the Journal Entry - Header page:

1. On the **Header** tab of the Journal Entry, click the **Attachments** link. A popup will appear.
2. Click **Add Attachment**.
3. Click **Choose File**.
4. Locate and select the file on your network.
5. Click **Open**. Depending on the size of the attachment it may take a little time to upload.
6. Click **Upload**.
7. You can now enter a *Description* to help other viewers understand the context of the attachment.
8. Repeat this process to add multiple attachments.
9. When you finish adding attachments, click **OK**.
10. The popup window closes, and you're back on the Journal Entry - Header tab.
11. The Attachments link will update to display the number of attachments in parentheses. Click the **Attachments** link to view your attachments.
12. **Save** your JE after adding attachments.

Adding attachments to multiple JEs - using Upload Journal Attachment on

the Upload Journal Attachment page

Rather than adding attachments when you create a JE, you can visit one page that lists all your JEs and then add attachments to one or more JEs at a time.

1. From the **Finance & Accounting** homepage, click on the **General Ledger** tile.
2. Use the menu on the left to select **Process Journals > Upload Journal Attachments**.
3. Search for JEs by JE ID, Source code, and Date.

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Upload Journal Attachment

Upload Journal Attachment

*Unit

Journal ID From

To Journal ID

Source

Journal Date From

To Journal Date

Search

☐ Multiple File Attachment

☒ Select All ☐ Deselect All

Journals

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First 1 of 1 Last

	Select for Multiple Attachment	Business Unit	Journal ID	Journal Date	Ledger Group	Attachments
1	<input type="checkbox"/>		Journal ID			Attachments (0)

Save

Notify

Refresh

4. Select the appropriate JE and click the **Attachments**

link.

Upload Journal Attachment

*Unit Journal ID From To Journal ID
Source Journal Date From To Journal Date

☐ Multiple File Attachment

☒ Select All ☐ Deselect All

Journals						
Personalize Find View All 20 First 1-10 of 25 Last						
	Select for Multiple Attachment	Business Unit	Journal ID	Journal Date	Ledger Group	Attachments
1	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771767	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (0)
2	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771888	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (2)
3	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771889	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (2)
4	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771890	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (2)
5	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771891	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (2)
6	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001772001	02/16/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (1)
7	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001772003	02/16/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (1)
8	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001772031	02/16/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (1)

5. Click **Add Attachment**.

6. In the **File Attachment** popup, click **Browse** to locate and select your file, then click **Upload**. Depending on your file attachment size, uploading may take a little time.

Details

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File Name	Show to Approver?	Description	User	Name	Date
View	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>			

Adding large attachments can take some time to upload, therefore, it is advisable to save the transaction before adding large attachments.

File Attachment

7. When you finish adding attachments, click **OK**.

8. The **Attachments** link for the JE will update to display the number of attachments in parentheses. You can click it to view your attachments... or you can click the **Attachments**

links for other JEs in your list to continue adding attachments.

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General Ledger

Upload Journal Attachment

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Journal ID From

To Journal ID

Source

Journal Date From

To Journal Date

Search

☐ Multiple File Attachment
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Journals

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	Select for Multiple Attachment	Business Unit	Journal ID	Journal Date	Ledger Group	Attachments
1	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771757	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (1)
2	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771888	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (2)
3	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771889	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (2)
4	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771890	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (2)
5	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771891	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (2)
6	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001772001	02/16/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (1)
7	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001772003	02/16/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (1)
8	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001772031	02/16/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (1)
9	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001772035	02/16/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (1)

Adding the same attachment to multiple JEs at a time using the Multiple File Attachments

Using the Multiple File Attachments link saves time when you want to upload the same attachment to more than one JE simultaneously.

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Journals

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First 1 of 1 Last

	Select for Multiple Attachment	Business Unit	Journal ID	Journal Date	Ledger Group	Attachments
1	<input type="checkbox"/>		Journal ID			Attachments (0)

Save

Notify

Refresh

- Select the **Multiple File Attachments** checkbox.

Upload Journal Attachment

*Unit

Journal ID From

To Journal ID

Source

Journal Date From

To Journal Date

Search

☒ Multiple File Attachment

Attach Files to Multiple Journals

☒ Select All ☐ Deselect All

Journals

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3	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771889	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (3)
4	<input type="checkbox"/>	UCOLO	0001771890	02/15/2023	ACTUALS	Attachments (3)

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Select all the JEs that will use the same attachment.

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Upload Journal Attachment

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Journal ID From

To Journal ID

Source

Journal Date From

To Journal Date

Search

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Attach Files to Multiple Journals

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Journals

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6. Click the **Attach Files to Multiple Journals** link.

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Attach Files to Multiple Journals

☒ Select All

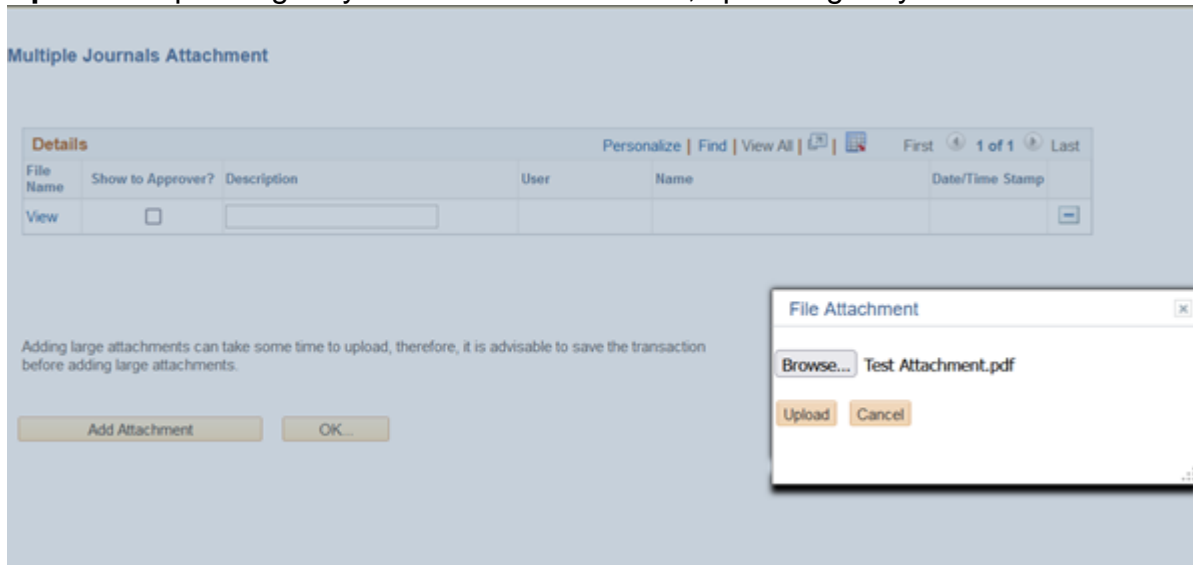
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7. From the Multiple Journals Attachment page, click **Add Attachment**.
8. In the **File Attachment** popup, click **Browse** to locate and select your file, then click **Upload**. Depending on your file attachment size, uploading may take a little time.



9. When you finish adding attachments, click **OK**.
10. The Attachments link for your selected JEs will update to display the number of attachments in parentheses. Click the **Attachments** link to view your attachments.

Helpful Tip!

Is there something you forgot to attach? You can add supporting documentation at any time, even after the journal has posted. (Just be sure your Approvers have all the information they need when they review.)

Have a question or feedback?

Questions & Feedback ^[2]

Feedback or Question *

Your Name

Your Email Address

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