

COST MANAGEMENT SETUP

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Purpose

The purpose of this Quick Reference Guide (QRG) is to provide a step-by-step guide of how to **setup Cost Management** in the North Carolina Financial System (NCFS).

Introduction and Overview

Using this document, the user will be able to set up and configure cost management structures, including cost elements, to remain in compliance with policies and to utilize system navigation to locate, review, and interpret cost information such as materials, labor, and overhead.

Cost Management Setup

- 1. Click the **Company Single Sign-On (SSO)** button.
- 2. Enter your dac.nc.gov email address.
- 3. Click **Next**, then enter **password**.
- 4. Begin from the *Home* page, or click the *Home* icon.

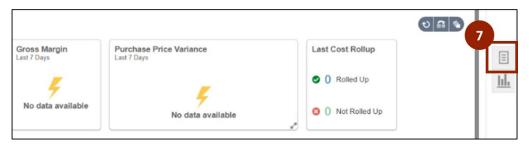


- 5. On the Home page, select Supply Chain Execution.
- 6. Within the Supply Chain Execution tab, select Cost Accounting.





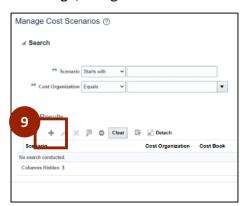
7. On the *Cost Accounting* Page, navigate to the **Tasks** icon.



8. Within the **Tasks** tab, select **Manage Cost Scenarios** to begin creating a cost scenario.



9. On the *Manage Cost Scenario* Page, navigate to the + icon.



- 10. Within the **Edit Cost Scenario** tab, Input and/or select the appropriate option from the following:
 - Scenario
 - Cost Organization
 - Cost Book
 - Effective Date
 - Scenario Type

Select **Save** once you select the option.



Manage Resource Rates

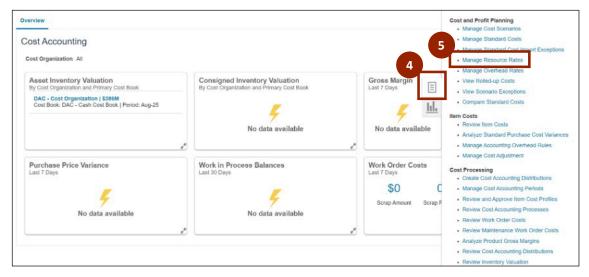
1. Begin from the *Home* page, or click the *Home* icon.



- 2. On the *Home* page, select **Supply Chain Execution**.
- 3. Within the Supply Chain Execution tab, select Cost Accounting.



- 4. On the Cost Accounting Page, navigate to the Tasks icon.
- 5. Within the Tasks tab, select Manage Resource Rates.

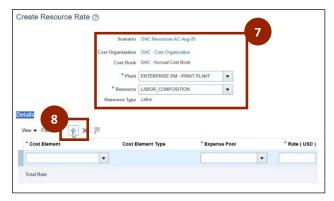


To add resource rates individually:

6. On the *Manage Resource Rates* page, navigate to the **Plus (+)** icon.



- 7. Within the **Create Resource Rate** tab, input and/or select the appropriate option from the following:
 - Scenario
 - Plant
 - Resource
- 8. In the *Details* section select the **Plus (+)** icon.



- 9. Within the new row select the appropriate from the following:
 - Cost Element: Select Overhead.
 - Expense Pool: Select the appropriate **expense pool** depending on the Resource type (Labor or Equipment).
 - Rate: Enter **0** as rate value.

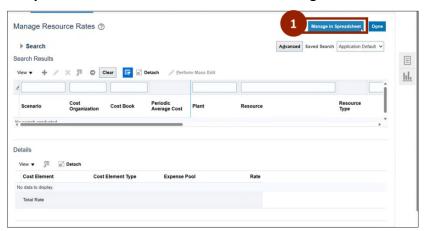


10. Click Save and Close.

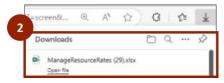


Manage Resource Rates in Spreadsheet

1. Select Manage in Spreadsheet button to download the Manage Resource Rates file.



2. Download and open the Manage Resource Rates spreadsheet and enable editing.

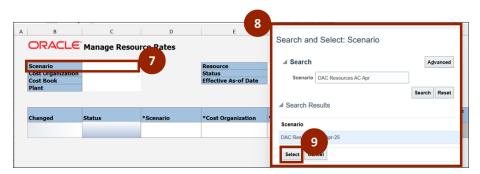


3. Click Yes from the pop-up window.



To continue, you may need to reenter your log in credentials:

- 4. Click the **Company Single Sign-On** (SSO) button.
- 5. Enter your dac.nc.gov email address.
- 6. Click Next then enter password.
- 7. Double click in **Scenario** cell.
- 8. Manually enter Scenario Name and search Cost Scenario.
- 9. Click Select.



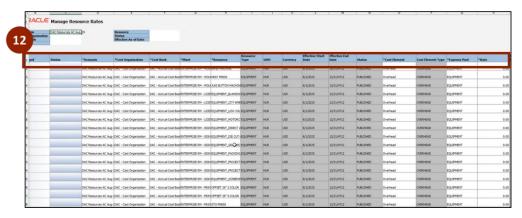
10. Select the **entire row** by clicking on the cell number to the far left under the blue title row.



11. Use the **Insert** row feature in Excel to add new lines as needed.



- 12. Within the new rows enter the following information:
 - Scenario: Enter the Cost Scenario Name.
 - Cost Organization: DAC Cost Organization.
 - Cost Book: Enter the Cost Book Name.
 - Plant: Enter the Plant Name.
 - Resource: Enter the Resource Name.
 - Cost Element: Select Overhead.
 - Expense Pool: Select the appropriate expense pool depending o the Resource type (LABOR or EQUIPMENT).
 - Rate: Enter 0 as rate value.

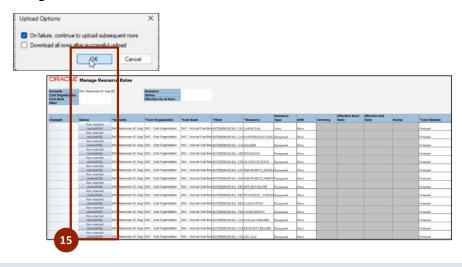


- 13. Select Manage Resource Rates.
- 14. Select Upload.



15. Select **OK** from the pop-up to view status of rows after import.

Note: Once rows are inserted successfully, return to the *NCFS* screen in your web browser to access the *Manage Resource Rates* screen.



Publish Cost Scenarios

After cost scenario(s) are created and resource rates are added, the cost scenario should be published to view the manufacturing cost rate per unit. The upcoming slides will show how to publish cost scenarios:

- 1. From the *Manage Cost Scenario* screen, click Actions.
- 2. Select Update Standard Costs.



3. Select Submit.

4. Click **OK** to make resource rates effective.



5. To verify successful completion, select the **refresh** icon by the status option to see *Completed Successfully*.



- 6. Select Actions.
- 7. Select View Scenario Exceptions.



8. In the *Message* field, click the **Information** icon to view errors and make corrections.



9. Once reviewed, click Done.



10. Click Save and Close.



Wrap-Up

NCFS users can setup cost management by following the steps outlined above.

Additional Resources

Instructor Led Training (ILT)

• MFG110 – Manage Costing 1

Web-based Training (WBT)

- MFG100: Introduction to NCFS Manufacturing
- MFG101: The Journey Through NCFS Manufacturing