Illinois Tool Works Inc.

Records Retention Schedule Detail

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1 RECORDS RETENTION SCHEDULE

The Illinois Tool Works Inc. ("ITW") Records Retention Schedule is a tool that ITW uses in order to ensure that its records are being kept as long as legally and operationally required. The Records Retention Schedule prescribes the timetable for retaining records.

The Retention Schedule contains the following information:

- **Business Function**: The broad classification used to represent a core business function irrespective of departmental ownership.
- Record Class: A group of records that result from the same process or activity and that have the same retention period. A Record Class is a subset of a business function. For example, a business function of Accounting may include a Record Class of Accounts Payable.
- Record Class Code: The alphanumeric code assigned to uniquely identify the Record Class.
- Record Class Name: The name used to identify the Record Class.
- Record Class Description: A brief description given to the Record Class that describes the type of records included within the Record Class.
- Record Types (Examples): Specific examples of record types included within each Record Class.
- **Legal Group**: The alphanumeric code identifies the group of laws and regulations used to set the retention period for the Record Class.
- Official Retention Period: The total retention period for official records based on legal and operational requirements.
- Retention Event: The base date upon which the retention period is calculated.

2 RECORD CLASSES

The Records Retention Schedule is made up of record groups called **Record Classes**. Record Classes are categories of records that relate to the same (or similar) business process. By grouping like records together, it allows ITW to apply consistent retention practices to similar records. Each Record Class has a name and description. It also has some **Record Types** that are specific examples of forms, reports, documents, etc. that all belong to the Record Class.

Each Record Class has an Official Retention period based on legal research and ITW's business needs. All records must be kept for the Official Retention period for the applicable Record Class.

Record Classes do not necessarily reflect how records are filed or stored. The criteria used to create a Record Class include:

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• **Similar Business Function**. The records within a Record Class should support a similar business function, such as "accounts payable processing."

• **Similar Retention Requirements**. The records within a Record Class should have similar retention periods (as they will all be stored that same amount of time).

3 IMPLEMENTATION OF INDEFINITE RETENTION PERIODS

There are some groups of records that have IND (indefinite) retention periods. These records will need to be reviewed periodically to determine if they have surpassed their useful life and can be destroyed. A Record Class that has an IND retention period refers to records that must be retained for an extended time period, but not permanently. All retention decisions should be made at a Record Class level, and not at a box level.

Appropriate decisions might be:

- All records for this Record Class created before 1954 can be destroyed, OR
- All records for this Record Class related to "sold" properties can be destroyed after 30 years.

4 RETENTION PERIOD ACRONYMS

ACT: Active - While the matter is active. Common activity periods include:

While the contract is in effect;

While an employee is still employed;

While an employee benefit is in effect; or

While you own the property/equipment/asset.

CY: Current Year - All records created in the same year are treated as though they were created on December 31 of that year.

IND: Indefinitely - A group of records that must be retained for an extended time period, but not permanently. These records should be periodically reviewed and retention decisions should be made on a class basis. For example, you might decide it is okay to destroy all records in an IND class that are older than 30 years.

MAX: Maximum – keep records no longer than the numerical period stated.

SUP: Superseded - Keep the records until they are replaced by more current ones.

Illinois Tool Works Inc. ("ITW") Record Classes By Business Function

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
ACC1000	Accounts Payable	6

Records related to the payment of financial obligations, petty cash, the management and distribution of commissions, employee relocation expenses, and the management of the employee expense reimbursement function. These records verify the purchase of goods and services, the accuracy of the invoice, and authorize payment. Includes check requests, vendor invoices, travel expenses, and cash disbursements.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Accounts Payable Distribution Posting Logs

Accounts Payable Reconciliations

Accounts Payable Vouchers

Bonus Calculations and Support

Cash Disbursements

Check Requests

Employee Expense Reports

Employee Relocation Expenses

Invoices

Material Receipts

Monthly Billing Statements

Monthly Commissions Payments

Monthly Royalty Payments

Payment Authorizations

Payment Requests

Petty Cash Receipts

Petty Cash Signature Cards

Royalty Payments

Travel Expenses

Vendor Invoices

Wire Requests

ACC1020 Accounts Receivable

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Records related to receipts of payments received from customers. Includes customer invoices, monthly customer statements, collection receipts, and cash receipts.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

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Examples Include:

Accounts Receivable Reconciliations

Billing Fees and Invoices

Cash Receipts

Collection Receipts

Credit Memos

Customer Invoices

Customer Statements

Royalties

ACC1040 Bad Debts and Collections

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Records related to the monitoring, collecting, and writing off of bad debts. Includes collection records and uncollectible accounts.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Accounts Receivable Reserve Calculations

Charge-Off Records

Debt Collection Records

Supplier or Customer Bankruptcy Records

Uncollectible Accounts

Write-Off Documentation

ACC1060 Budgets and Financial Forecasts

ACT+1

Records related to budgetary planning, financial management, financial planning, and forecasting. Includes budget analysis and data, budget workpapers, capital budgets, foreign exchange analyses, operating budgets, and operating and capital forecasts.

Retention Event: Retain for the current budget period. The retention period begins when

budget and financial forecasts have been superseded.

Examples Include:

Budget Analysis and Data

Budget and Cost Files

Budget to Actual Results

Budget Workpapers

Business Area Profits and Losses

Record Class

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Record Class Description / Record Types

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Capital Budgets

Record Class Name/

Departmental Budgets

Estimates and Projections

Financial Forecasts

Financial Planning Records

Foreign Exchange Analyses

Monthly Earnings Forecasts

Monthly Sales Results

Operating and Capital Forecasts

Operating Budgets

Spending Sheets

ACC1080 Cost Accounting

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Records related to the evaluation, documentation, and analysis of the costs of products or services sold. These records detail total production costs (direct labor costs, fixed and variable overhead costs) and production output. Includes cost summaries, production cost analyses, work-in-process summaries, perpetual inventory reports, and inventory summaries. May also include records related to projects and production-related costs of products sold.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Annual Inventory Reports

Cost of Sales Reports

Cost Summaries

Delivery Schedule Reports

Forecast Cost Reports

Inventory Reconciliation Histories

Inventory Reports

Inventory Summaries

Inventory Variances

Labor / Overhead Cost Reports

Labor Cost Records

Material Cost Summaries

Perpetual Inventory Reports

Physical Inventory Edits

Physical Inventory Support

Record Class

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Production Cost Analyses Variance Analysis

Work-in-Process Summaries

ACC1100 Financial Statements

Periodic

Records related to periodic and interim financial statements, reports, and background information. Includes periodic financial statements from subsidiaries and divisions. Does not final certified year-end financial statements.

See ACC1105 for Financial Statements - Year-End / Certified.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Accounting Fees - Financial Statements - Periodic

Blue Books and Support - Financial Statements - Periodic

Cash by Country - Periodic

Cash Flow Binder - Periodic

Cash Flow Statements - Periodic

Customers/Suppliers - Financial Statements - Periodic

Earnings Registers - Financial Statements - Periodic

Hyperion Changes, Tie-Outs, Rolls - Periodic

Hyperion Data - Periodic

Improved Performance/CTA - Periodic

Interim Balance Sheet and Income Statement - Periodic

Minority Interest - Periodic

Other Assets - Periodic

Other Income/Expenses - Periodic

Periodic Financial Reports

Periodic Financial Statements

Periodic Subsidiary Financial Statements

Unit Changes/Correspondence - Periodic

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Financial Statements Year-End / Certified

IND

Records of the Company's year-end / certified financial statements, reports, and background information submitted to government agencies, shareholders and others. Includes annual reports and other financial statements from subsidiaries and divisions. Does not include Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) filings.

See COM1020 for Governmental Compliance and Reporting - General for SEC filings.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Accounting Fees - Financial Statements - Year-End /

Certified

Blue Books and Support - Year-End / Certified

Cash by Country - Year-End / Certified

Cash Flow Binder - Year-End / Certified

Cash Flow Statements - Year-End / Certified

Division / Subsidiary / Unit Financial Statements - Year-End

/ Certified

Earnings Registers - Financial Statements - Year-End /

Certified

Financial Accounting Standards Board Annual and

Quarterly Disclosures / Year-End / Certified

Financial Reports - Year-End / Certified

Financial Statements - Year-End / Certified

Hyperion Changes, Tie-Outs, Rolls - Year-End / Certified

Hyperion Data - Year-End / Certified

Improved Performance/CTA - Year-End / Certified

Other Assets - Year-End / Certified

Other Income/Expenses - Year-End / Certified

Restructuring Reserves

Year-End / Certified Balance Sheet and Income Statement

Record Class Record Class Name/ Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

ACC1120 Fixed Assets ACT+6

Records related to the purchase, sale, and improvement of real property and equipment, as well as depreciation and amortization. Includes amortization records, fixed asset ledgers, and property disposal records. Does not include contracts related to the purchase and sale of real property.

See LEG1040 for Contract and Agreements - Real Property Purchase and Sale.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the asset. The retention period begins upon the sale or disposition of the asset.

Examples Include:

Amortization Records

Authorization for Capital Expenditures

Capital Expenditure Summary

Capital Requests

Depreciation Schedules

Fixed Asset Detail

Fixed Asset Disposals

Fixed Asset Ledgers

Fixed Asset Records

Fixed Asset Transfers

Fixed Asset Write Ups

Property Acquired Records

ACC1140 General Accounting

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Records related to general accounting functions not covered elsewhere. Includes special accounting projects and accounting project notes. Does not include payroll or tax accounting.

See PAY1040 for Payroll Accounting. See TAX1160 for Tax Accounting.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Account Project Records

Accounting Project Notes

Benefit Committee Statements

Accounting

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Chart of Accounts Updates

DOL Inquiries and Support

Reconciliations

Reorganization Binders

Restructuring Projects and Reorganizations

Special Accounting Projects

ACC1160 General Ledger

Periodic

Records related to the periodic and interim reporting of Company accounts. Includes periodic ledgers, trial balances and journals. Does not include final year-end general ledgers.

See ACC1165 for General Ledger - Year-End.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Accounts Payable Journal Entries - Periodic

Accounts Receivable Journal Entries - Periodic

Accruals - Periodic

Adjustments - Periodic

Edit Cycle Records - Periodic

General Ledgers - Periodic

Journal Vouchers - Periodic

Subsidiary Ledgers - Periodic

Suspense Accounting - Periodic

Trial Balances - Periodic

ACC1165 General Ledger

Year-End

Records related to the transfer of charges between accounts, summaries of account information, general ledger, subsidiary ledgers, the year-end ledger, and trial balances. Includes accounts payable journal entries, accounts receivable journal entries, adjustments, journal vouchers, the actual general ledger that summarizes all corporate accounts and trial balances.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

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Examples Include:

Accounts Payable Journal Entries - Certified / Year-End Accounts Receivable Journal Entries - Certified / Year-End

Accruals - Certified / Year-End

Adjustments - Certified / Year-End

Edit Cycle Records - Certified / Year-End

General Ledgers - Certified / Year-End

Journal Vouchers - Certified / Year-End

Subsidiary Ledgers - Certified / Year-End

Suspense Accounting - Certified / Year-End

Trial Balances - Certified / Year-End

Year-End Ledgers - Certified / Year-End

ACC1180 Intangible Assets

ACT+6

Records related to the purchase, sale, and financial management of intangible assets such as copyrights, distribution agreements, non-compete agreements, and goodwill. Includes intangible asset ledgers, amortization records, transfer records, and intangible asset purchase records.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the asset. The retention period begins upon the sale or disposition of the asset.

Examples Include:

Goodwill and Intangibles Records

Goodwill Testing

Intangible Asset Additions

Intangible Asset Amortization Records

Intangible Asset Authorizations for Expenditure

Intangible Asset Disposals

Intangible Asset Ledgers

Intangible Asset Purchase Agreements

Intangible Asset Purchase Price Allocation and Valuation

Intangible Asset Transfers

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ACC1200 Intercompany Accounting

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Records related to the review and management of the intercompany accounting process. Includes intercompany account summaries, reconciliations, and transmittals.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Annual Unit Billings and Support
Intercompany Account Summaries
Intercompany Account Transfers
Intercompany Dividends
Intercompany Reconciliations
Intercompany Transactions
Intercompany Transmittals
Netting - BMG
Netting - Bookkeeping Entries
Netting - Clearing
Netting - Participating Data

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
ADM1000	Administrative Inventory and Supply Control	SUP

Records related to the type, model, location, and quantities of corporate property, such as supplies and equipment. These records are used for operational purposes only. Includes inventory lists, and other inventory and supply-related documentation. Does not include the management of Company product inventories or the cost accounting company inventories.

See DIS1000 for Inventory Management. See ACC1080 for Cost Accounting.

Administrative Inventory and Supply Control

Retention Event: Retain these records until they have been superseded.

Examples Include:

Information Technology Inventories

Inventory Lists

Inventory Records

Inventory Tags

Inventory Turns

Warehousing Records

ADM1020 Departmental Management and Administration

Records documenting departmental administration, planning, and management activities, as well as general, administrative correspondence. Includes chronological files, internal memoranda, employee work assignments, schedules, presentations, desk calendars, and other miscellaneous administrative records not covered elsewhere.

Retention Event: Retain these records only as long as they are needed, up to a maximum of three years. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Chronological Files

Contact Sheets

Departmental Correspondence

Departmental Procedures

Desk Calendars

E-mail Lists

Employee Work Assignments

Employee Work Schedules

Internal Memoranda

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Record Class Record Class Name/ **Record Class Description / Record Types** Code Official Retention Internal Presentations

Meeting Folders, Notes, and Information

ADM1040 **Internal Services**

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Records related to providing internal administrative support for Company personnel, including services and products not covered elsewhere. Includes material and supply orders, postal operations, forms management, and travel itineraries. Also includes records storage and retrieval records. Does not include records destruction certification.

See COM1100 for Records Destruction Certification.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Administrative Support Records

Forms Requisitions

Phone Requests

Postal Logs

Print Shop Records

Print Shop Requests

Records Box Tracking Programs

Records Inventory Reports

Records Shipping Reports

Records Transmittal Forms

Supply Orders

Travel Itineraries

Travel Ticket Copies

Voicemail Hard Drive

Voicemails

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
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Records related to the management of internal projects, special studies, analyses, and other department events not covered elsewhere. Includes ad hoc studies performed at the corporate or work group level. Also includes project notes, presentations, special studies, project plans, and meeting minutes. Does not include annual research project reports.

See MEQ1080 for Laboratory and Engineering Notebooks and Research Documents.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the project. The retention period begins when the project has concluded.

Examples Include:

Ad Hoc Studies

Project Management

Monthly Project Reports

Presentations and Case Studies

Project Checklists

Project Logs

Project Meeting Agendas

Project Meeting Minutes

Project Notes

Project Plans

Project Presentations

Project Related Documents

Project Reports

Project Sign-Off Sheets

Project Timelines

Quarterly Project Reports

Requests for Project Approval

Special Studies

ADM1080 Reference Materials

Records used specifically for reference purposes, such as copies of periodical articles, legislative and regulatory materials, or related project materials. Includes reference articles, white papers, and subject correspondence.

Retention Event: Retain these records only as long as they are needed. These records may then be destroyed.

Administration

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Examples Include:

Government Codes and Regulations

Industry Reference Materials

Legislative Reference Materials

Reference Materials

Regulatory Reference Materials

Subject Correspondence

Subscriptions and Publications

Vendor Reference Materials

White Papers

ADM1100 Security

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Records related to routine security actions taken to protect employees, equipment, buildings, and information as well as security investigations of incidents involving or related to Company employees or property. Includes building access lists, visitor registration logs, employee misconduct cases, violent crime investigations, harassment investigations, and computer security investigations. Does not include investigations that lead to litigation.

See LEG1160 for Litigation and Claims.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Attorney Work Product Investigations

Building Access Lists

Classified Materials Violations

Computer Security Investigations

Employee / Contractor Misconduct Cases

Employee Badge Lists

Employee Clearance Lists

Fire Prevention Records

Guard Badge Lists

Personnel Investigations

Property Crime Investigations

Security Incident Reports

Special Investigations

Subcontractor Clearances

Threats / Harassment Investigations

Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Record Code Record

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Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Violent Crime Investigations Visitor Clearance Records Visitor Registration Logs

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
AUD1000	External Financial Audits Board Audit Committee Issues	3
	Records related to complaints made to the Board Audit Committee regarding external financial audits of accounting practices. Includes audit complaints and Audit Committee responses.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
AUD1020	External Financial Audits External Auditor Board Oversight	3
	Records related to the oversight, monitoring, and management of external financial auditors by the Board Audit Committee. Includes external financial audit-related correspondence, Audit Committee papers, and supporting documentation.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Audit Committee Papers External Auditor Oversight Supporting Documentation	
	External Financial Audit Correspondence	
AUD1040	External Financial Audits General	10
	Records related to external financial audits of the Company and its business units not covered elsewhere. Includes audit workpapers, final audit reports, and related response materials.	
	See AUD1000 for External Financial Audits - Board Audit Committee Complaints. See AUD1020 for External Financial Audits - External Auditor Oversight.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: External Financial Audit Letters of Direction External Financial Audit Workpapers External Financial Final Audit Reports External Financial Preliminary Audit Reports Management Responses SAS70 Reports	

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
AUD1060	External Operational Audits	3
	Records related to external operational audits of Company facilities not covered elsewhere. Includes external operational audit work papers, final audit reports, and audit notifications. Does not include external manufacturing and quality assurance audits.	
	See COM1000 for External Manufacturing and Quality Assurance.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: External Operational Audit Findings External Operational Audit Notifications External Operational Audit Work Papers	
AUD1100	Internal Audits Sarbanes-Oxley Testing, Other (Corporate Governance, Acquisitions, etc.)	7
	Records demonstrating management's assessment and approval of the design and	

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effectiveness of the internal control structure not covered elsewhere. Includes regulatory requirements, validation reports, and testing documentation.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

302 Requirements

402 Requirements

404 ICQ Support

404 Requirements

Accept / Reject Reports

Acquisition Monthly Reports

Application Compliance Testing

Audit Committee Board Reports

Cycle Count Workpapers

Desktop Reviews

Ethics Reports

Fraud Audits

Internal Control Questionnaires

Investigations and Workpapers

Monthly and Quarterly Internal Audit Summaries

Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Officer's Expense Report YE Reviews

Physical Inventory Workpapers and Audits

Representation Letters

Risk and Control Documentation

Sarbanes-Oxley Internal Process Documentation

SOX and ICQ Testing and Workpapers

Special Reviews

Test Programs

Testing Documentation

Tests / Workpapers

Variance Explanations

Whistleblower Reports

AUD1080 Internal Financial Audits General

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Records related to internal financial audits of the Company and its business units. Includes audit workpapers, final audit reports, and related response materials. Does not include financial audits conducted by external entities.

See AUD1040 for External Financial Audits - General.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Financial Audit Notifications

HI SPOT Audits and Workpapers

Internal Financial Audit Responses

Internal Financial Audit Workpapers

Internal Financial Final Audit Reports

Internal Financial Preliminary Audit Reports

Management Response

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Records related to internal operational audits of facilities for compliance with internal policies and procedures not covered elsewhere. Includes personal computer audits, health and safety audits, compliance audits, and other internal non-financial operational audits.

See AUD1080 for Internal Financial Audits - General.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Internal Operational Audits

Audit Corrective Actions and Responses

Audit Findings and Responses

Audit Reports

Audit Status Logs

Business Unit Operational Audit Checklists

Compliance Audits

Compliance Incident Reports

Construction Safety Audits

Environmental Audits

Health and Safety Audits

ICQ Management Responses

Internal Audits

ISO 9001 Quality Management Reviews

New Process Reviews

Operational Audit Notifications

Operational Audits and Workpapers

Post Entry Audit and Review Findings

Procedural Audits

Quality Assurance Audits

Safety Audits

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
COM1000	External Manufacturing and Quality Assurance Audits	6
	Records related to external manufacturing and quality assurance audits of Company facilities. Includes manufacturing and quality assurance audit work papers, final audit reports, and audit notifications.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include:	
	Manufacturing and Quality Assurance Audit Notifications	
	Manufacturing and Quality Assurance Audit Work Papers	
	Manufacturing and Quality Assurance Final Audit Reports	
	Quality Assurance Third Party Surveillance Audits	
COM1020	Governmental Compliance and Reporting General	6
	Records created, managed, and/or submitted to governmental agencies in order to comply	

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Records created, managed, and/or submitted to governmental agencies in order to comply with local, state, and federal requirements. Includes anti-trust reporting, environmental reporting, securities reporting, and other governmental compliance reporting. Includes acquisition disclosures, SEC filings and reports, EPA Biennial Reports, and federal and state government compliance records. Does not include Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) compliance reporting, employee accident/injury, hazardous exposure, or medical records.

See COM1040 for Governmental Compliance and Reporting - Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA).

See EHS1000 for Accident and Injury.

See EHS1080 for Hazardous Exposure.

See HUM1200 for Employee Medical Records.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Acquisition Disclosures

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Biennial Reports

Environmental Reporting Records

Federal Government Compliance Records

Federal Trade Commission (FTC) Pre-Merger Notifications

FRIDA Submission Records

Letters of Compliance

Compliance

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Lobbyist Compliance Reports

Local Government Compliance Records

OSHA Hours Exposed Reports

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation (PBGC) Filings

Restriction of Hazardous Substances (ROHS) Directive

Compliance Records

SARA Title III Reports

Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) Comment

Letters

Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) Filing Support

Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) Filings

Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) Filings (10Qs,

10Ks, 8Ks)

State Government Compliance Records

Uniform Commercial Code (UCC) Filings

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Governmental Compliance and Reporting Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)

ACT+10

Records created, managed, and/or submitted by the Company to governmental agencies such as the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Food and Drug Administration (FDA) in order to comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act. Includes EPA and FDA toxic substances reporting. Does not include governmental audits and investigations.

See COM1060 for Governmental Investigations, Hearings, and Audits.

Retention Event: Retain for the current reporting period. The retention period begins when reports have been superseded.

Examples Include:

Pre-Manufacture Notices (PMN)

Significant New Use Reports

Toxic Chemical Release Reporting

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Disposal Reports

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory Reporting

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Reporting

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COM1060	Governmental Investigations, Hearings, and Audits	ACT+3

Records related to audits and investigations by governmental agencies. Includes governmental agency orders, hearing notices, audit reports, and correspondence. Does not include litigation or tax audits and appeals.

See LEG1160 for Litigation and Claims. See TAX1180 for Tax Audits and Appeals.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the investigation. The retention period begins when

the investigation has concluded.

Examples Include:

Environmental Protection Agency Notices

Governmental Investigations, Hearings, and Audits

Government Inspection Notices

Governmental Agency Audits

Governmental Agency Citations

Governmental Agency Correspondence

Governmental Agency Hearing Notices

Governmental Agency Inspection Reports

Governmental Agency Notices of Violation

Governmental Agency Orders

Governmental Agency Warnings

US Customs Binding Rulings

COM1080 **Policies and Procedures**

ACT+10

Records documenting the policies and procedures intended to ensure compliance with internal requirements. Includes requirements contained in governmental regulations and records relating to programs designed to document good Company practices not covered elsewhere. Also includes corporate policies and procedures posted to internal websites and standard operating procedures.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the policy or procedure. The retention period begins when these are either superseded or discontinued.

Examples Include:

Accounting Procedures

Affirmative Action Plans

Business Conduct and Compliance Policy

Code of Ethics

Compliance

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Corporate Compliance Manuals

Drug-Free Workplace Policies

Email Policies

Employee Handbooks

Employee Policies

Financial Policies and Procedures

Health and Safety Policies and Procedures

Human Resources Guidelines

Import/Export Procedures Manual

Operating Policies

Policy Manuals

Purchasing Policies

Records Management Policies

Records Management Procedures

Records Retention Schedule

Standard Operating Procedures

Statement of Principles of Conduct

Statement of Principles of Conduct Exceptions

Travel Policies

Workplace Violence Policies

COM1100 Records Destruction Certification

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Documentation supporting the record management program's destruction process to demonstrate that records were destroyed according to the corporate retention schedule. Includes certificates of destruction, destruction eligibility reports, and inventories of destroyed records.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Certificates of Destruction

Destruction Certificate Reports

Destruction Eligibility Reports

Inventories of Destroyed Records

Legal Hold Orders

Legal Hold Release Orders

Records Destruction Correspondence

Compliance ITW Records Retention Schedule Record Classes By Business Function

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Records related to proceedings of the board, board committees, shareholders, and other legally required meetings. Includes board committee meeting minutes and meeting notices, shareholder voting records, and shareholder proxies. Does not include records

See COR1100 for Shareholder and Investor Relations.

for non-legally required meetings or shareholder communications.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Annual Meeting Preparations

Annual Proxy Files

Board Books and Support

Board and Shareholder Meetings

Board Committee Meeting Minutes

Board Committee Meeting Notices

Board Committee Voting Records

Board Meeting Minutes

Board Reports

Director and Officer Questionnaires

Minute Books

Shareholder Meeting Minutes

Shareholder Meeting Notices

Shareholder Proxies

Shareholder Voting Records

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
COR1020	Business Organization and Incorporation	IND

Records related to the creation, structure, and governance of the Company and its subsidiaries, both foreign and domestic. Includes articles of incorporation, corporate bylaws, and charters.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Articles of Incorporation

Corporate and Subsidiary By-Laws

Corporate Committee Charters

Corporate Seal

COR1040 Corporate Stock Transactions

ACT+6

Records related to the recorded transactions of corporate stock. Includes stock ledgers, transfers, and history reports. Does not include intercompany dividends.

See ACC1200 for Intercompany Accounting.

Retention Event: Retain for stock currently owned. The retention period begins when the

stock is sold, transferred, or cancelled.

Examples Include:

Cancelled Stock Certificates

Cash Dividend Records

Dividend Listing Spreadsheets

Revenue Bond Records

Sale of Stock Securities

Stock History Reports

Stock Ledgers

Stock Redemptions

Stock Transfer Sheets

Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
COR1060	Organization Charts	SUP
	Records related to the structure and staffing of the organization including positions, titles, and employee names. Does not include records related to the incorporation or organization of the business.	
	See COR1020 for Business Organization and Incorporation.	
	Retention Event: Retain these records until they have been superseded.	
	Examples Include: Department Organization and Structure Records Organization Charts	
COR1080	Registered Shareholders	ACT+6
	Records related to registered shareholders. These records are used to identify who the active shareholders are and the dividends paid to them. Includes shareholder records and shareholder lists.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the corporation. The retention period begins when the corporation is either sold or dissolved.	
	Examples Include: Shareholder Lists Shareholder Records	
COR1100	Shareholder and Investor Relations	6
	Records related to general communication with shareholders, security analysts, and institutional investors not covered elsewhere. Includes shareholder publications, investor correspondence, and shareholder/investor presentations. Does not include shareholder meeting notices, voting records, or proxies.	
	See COR1000 for Board and Shareholder Meetings.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Closed Acquisition Listings Daily Stock Activity Reports Investor Relations Announcements Investor Relations Annual Presentations and Support	

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Descri

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Investor Relations Correspondence
Investor Relations Earnings Reports
Investor Relations Presentations
Monthly Revenue and Earnings Projections
Pending Acquisition Notifications
Shareholder Correspondence

Shareholder Correspondence Shareholder Publications Stock Surveillance Reports

COR1120 Strategic and Business Planning

ACT+1

Records related to the strategic and business plans of the Company and its business units. Includes long-range plans.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the plan. The retention period begins when the plan

has been superseded or is no longer in effect.

Examples Include:

Business Plan Records Long-Range Planning Reports Restructuring/Reorganization Plans

Strategic Plan Records

Distribution and Inventory Control

Inventory Management

DIS1000

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Records used to track and monitor on-hand inventory of Company manufactured products and its associated value at Company support centers, third party warehouses, and other business units. Includes physical inventory adjustments and cost adjustments as a result of product price changes and price-protection agreements, records that document exact inventory levels at the time of a price change, associated billing adjustments, and other information entered into the inventory management system. Includes cycle count compliance, daily cut reports, and inventory write-off sheets. Does not include cost accounting of Company product inventories.

See ACC1080 for Cost Accounting.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Cost Adjustments

Cycle Counts

Inventory Adjustment Records

Inventory Maintenance Balance Reports

Inventory Maintenance Records

Inventory Write-Off Sheets

Receiving Exceptions

Warehouse Inventory Records

Warehouse Transfers

DIS1020 Product Returns and Exchanges

Records related to the return and exchange of damaged, outdated, or surplus products at Company support centers and other business units. Includes product return forms, product exchange forms, return authorizations, and chargeback requests. Does not include related records of payment.

See ACC1000 for Accounts Payable.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Chargeback Requests

Over and Short Damage Claims

Product Exchange Forms

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Distribution and Inventory Control

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Product Return Forms
Returned Goods Authorizations
Surplus and Damage Documentation

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Records Retention Schedule

ACT+6

Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Records related to general liability and on-the job accidents as required by Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regulations. Includes summaries of injury and illness logs, investigation reports, and accident records. Does not include related employee medical records.

See HUM1200 for Employee Medical Records.

Retention Event: Retain while the accident is being evaluated. The retention period begins when the accident evaluation is settled.

Examples Include:

Accident Records

Accidents and Injuries

First Report of Injury/Illness

Investigation Reports

OSHA Form 300 - Log of Work-Related Injuries and

Illnesses

OSHA Form 300A - Summary of Work-Related Injuries

and Illnesses (Annual)

OSHA Form 301 (or equivalent) - Injury and Illness Incident

Report

EHS1040 Environmental Testing and Monitoring

General

Records related to the environmental testing, monitoring, permit record keeping, periodic reporting, and environmental records not covered elsewhere. Includes environmental testing, hazardous waste tests, and air and water quality monitoring. Does not include site assessment or remediation.

See EHS1220 for Site Remediation.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Air Compliance Demonstration Records

Air Emission Inventory Reports

Air Quality Test Records

Emission Inventories Calculations

Emissions Test Records

Facility Ambient Air Quality Site Assessments

CY+5

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

ACT+10

ACT+3

Hazardous Waste Materials Test Records

Solid Waste Monitoring Records

Stack Testing

Surface Water Site Assessments

Surface Water Test Records

Waste Profiles

Waste Water Discharge Test Records

EHS1020

Environmental Testing and Monitoring Tanks and Electrical Equipment

Records related to the environmental testing, monitoring, and assessment of the Company's use of above and below ground fuel tanks. Includes leak testing and tightness testing.

Retention Event: Retain while the test is current and valid. The retention period begins

when the test is not current.

Examples Include:

Closure Records

Leak Testing

Tightness Testing

Transformer Inspection Records

Transformer Testing Records

EHS1060

Environmental, Health, and Safety Plans

Records related to the environmental, health, and safety plans developed by the Company. These records document Company plans to mitigate the environmental, health, and safety impact of Company actions. Includes environmental plans and health and safety plans.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the plan. The retention period begins when the plan has been superseded or is no longer in effect.

Examples Include:

Environmental Plans

Health and Safety Plans

Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure (SPCC)

Plans

Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plans

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Record Class Code

Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

EHS1080 Hazardous Exposure

IND

Records documenting employee and contractor exposure to hazardous or toxic substances. Includes industrial hygiene monitoring records.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Asbestos Exposure Records
Audiometric Test Records
Biomedical Surveillance Records
General Area (Air) Sampling
Industrial Hygiene Monitoring Records
Radiation Exposure Monitoring Records

EHS1100 Hazardous Materials and Employee Warnings

IND

Records related to the use and disposal of hazardous materials at facilities. Includes safety bulletins and warnings to employees regarding hazardous materials used and stored by the Company. Does not include Material Safety Data Sheets for Company manufactured products or records related to the shipment of hazardous materials.

See LOG1080 for Shipping and Receiving - Hazardous Materials. See MEQ1020 for Consumer Warnings.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

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period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Chemical Inventories
Employee Safety Warnings
Hazardous Material Certificates
Material Safety Data Sheets (Purchased Products)
Safety Bulletins

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

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EHS1120 Hazardous Waste Disposal

IND

Records related to the treatment and disposal of hazardous waste. Includes approved waste disposal facilities lists, waste profiles, and waste sampling and testing. Does not include shipping and receiving of hazardous materials.

See LOG1080 for Shipping/Receiving - Hazardous Materials.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Approved Waste Disposal Facilities Lists

Hazardous Waste Certificate of Destruction/Disposal

Landfill Records

Sewage Sludge Disposal Records

Waste Generation Reports

EHS1140 Health and Safety Testing

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General

Records related to tests conducted to ensure the health and safety of employees not included elsewhere. Includes protective equipment, emergency response tests, and general area sampling.

See EHS1160 for Health and Safety Testing - Noise Exposure. See EHS1180 for Health and Safety Testing - Radiation Monitoring.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Backflow Prevention Inspections

Boiler Inspections

Elevator Inspections

Emergency Response Tests

Equipment and Processing Tests

Fire Extinguisher Inspections

Fire System Inspections

Environment, Health, and Safety

Record Class

Code

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Records Retention Schedule

Protective Equipment Tests
Safety Shower Inspections
Sprinkler Inspections

Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

EHS1160 Health and Safety Testing Noise Exposure

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Official Retention

Records related to noise exposure tests conducted to ensure the health and safety of employees. Includes tests of noise exposure and audiometric equipment and procedures. Does not include audiometric testing.

See EHS1080 for Hazardous Exposure for audiometric testing records.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Audiometric Equipment and Process Tests Audiometric Protective Equipment Tests Noise Exposure Equipment and Process Tests Noise Exposure Protective Equipment Tests Noise Surveys

EHS1180 Health and Safety Testing Radiation Monitoring

IND

Records related to radiation monitoring tests conducted to ensure the health and safety of employees. Includes tests of radiation monitoring equipment and procedures.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

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Examples Include:

Radiation Monitoring Emergency Response Tests Radiation Monitoring Equipment and Process Tests Radiation Monitoring Protective Equipment Tests

Environment, Health, and Safety

EHS1200

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Records Retention Schedule

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Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Records related to the integrity and safety of physical and chemical processes performed by the Company as required by the Occupational Health and Safety Administration and the Environmental Protection Agency. Includes process safety analyses, reliability records, management of change, and materials of construction.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Process Safety Management

Chemistry Changes

Control Function Diagrams

Materials of Construction

Process Documentation

Process Safety Analysis

Process Safety Change Management

Process Safety Information

Process Safety Management Drawings

Reliability Records

Risk Management Program Documents

Safety Hazards

Temperature Logs and Thermometer Standardizations

EHS1220 Site Remediation

Records related to the contamination of property by the Company or on property acquired by the Company, the clean-up efforts implemented, and any related investigation of such occurrences. Includes environmental testing records, incident investigations and reports, and site remediation records.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

CERCLA (aka Superfund) Records (including notices of liability, responses to such notices, settlement agreements, etc.)

Groundwater Site Assessments

IND

Environment, Health, and Safety

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Groundwater Test Records

Release Incident Investigations

Release Incident Reports

Remediation Project Files

Site Assessment Records

Site Assessment Reports

Site Remediation Records

Site Remediation Testing Records

Soil Site Assessments

Soil Test Records

Superfund Records

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention

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Records related to the design, construction, and remodeling of facilities, corporate offices, and field offices. Includes drawings, blueprints, construction reports, and floor plans. Does not include environmental testing and monitoring records or building permits.

See EHS1040 for Environmental Testing and Monitoring - General. See LEG1140 for Licenses. Permits. and Certifications.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the facility or equipment. The retention period begins when the facility or equipment is sold or destroyed.

Examples Include:

Design and Construction

As-Builts

Blueprints

Construction Reports

Design and Construction Drawings

Design Engineering Documents

Facilities Requests

Floor Plans

Landlord Approval Documentation

Piping and Instrument Drawings

Price Estimates

Process Design for Construction

FAC1020 Maintenance, Repair, and Inspection

Records related to the repair and general maintenance of facilities and equipment. Includes building inspections and reports, equipment histories, maintenance records, and repair records. Also includes reference and technical instruction manuals provided by the manufacturer for products and equipment used internally

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the facility or equipment. The retention period begins when the facility or equipment is sold or destroyed.

Examples Include:

Building Inspections and Reports

E911 System

Equipment Histories

Equipment Operating Manuals and Logs

Freon Records

ACT+6

ACT+3

Iron Mountain Consulting Services

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Code Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Industrial Sling Repair Records

Maintenance Manuals

Maintenance Records

Manufacturer Maintenance Guidelines

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)

Maintenance Certificates

Phone System Warranties

Preventative Maintenance Records

Product Manuals

Repair Records

Routine Facility Work Orders

Technical Reference Materials

FAC1040 Real Property Valuations

ACT+6

Records related to the valuation of real property. These records may be used to evaluate real estate acquisitions. Includes land and building appraisals. Does not include contracts and agreements related to the purchase and sale of real property or property tax returns.

See LEG1040 for Contracts and Agreements - Real Property Purchase and Sale. See TAX1100 for Property Tax.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the asset. The retention period begins upon the sale or disposition of the asset.

Examples Include:

Broker's Opinions of Value Building Appraisals

Land Appraisals

Real Estate Valuations

Records Retention Schedule

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
HUM1000	Applicant Drug and Alcohol Testing Negative Test Results	1
	Records related to drug and alcohol screenings required by all individuals applying for a position. Includes negative lab results. Does not include random or periodic testing of employees.	
	See HUM1360 for Personnel Records - General for random or periodic testing of employees.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Applicant Negative Lab Results Applicant Negative Test Result Chain of Custody Forms Applicant Negative Test Results	
HUM1020	Applicant Drug and Alcohol Testing Positive Test Results	5
	Records related to drug and alcohol screenings required by all individuals applying for a position. Records include positive lab results. Does not include random or periodic testing of employees.	
	See HUM1360 for Personnel Files - General for random or periodic testing of employees.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Applicant Positive Lab Results Applicant Positive Test Result Chain of Custody Forms Applicant Positive Test Results	

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Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

HUM1040 Benefit Enrollment and Participation Benefits Summary Records

IND

Records summarizing total employee enrollment and participation in benefit programs. Includes benefits accrued and years of service reports.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Benefit Summary Annual Reports (SAR's)

Benefits Accrued Reports

Eligibility Reports

Employee Headcounts

Summaries of Benefit Contributions

Years of Service Reports

HUM1060 Benefit Enrollment and Participation General

ACT+6

Records related to the enrollment and participation of employees in benefits programs such as disability, pension, and 401(k) plans. Includes change of address forms, benefit enrollment and application forms, electronic enrollment records, and related correspondence.

See HUM1040 for Benefit Enrollment and Participation - Benefits Summary Records. See HUM1080 for Benefit Enrollment and Participation - Loan Applications.

Retention Event: Retain while the benefit plan is active and benefits are payable. The

retention period begins when the plan becomes inactive and benefits

are no longer payable.

Examples Include:

Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Request

Beneficiary Designation Forms

Benefit Enrollment/Disenrollment Records

Benefit Open Enrollment Records

Benefits Enrollment Correspondence

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
	Change of Address Forms Employee Benefit Election Forms Tuition Refund Application	
HUM1080	Benefit Enrollment and Participation Loan Applications	ACT+6
	Records related to money borrowed by an employee against their retirement plan. Includes employee loan applications and related correspondence.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the loan. The retention period begins when the loan is paid off.	
	Examples Include: Employee Loan Applications Retirement Plan Loans Correspondence	
HUM1090	Benefit Plan Administration Employee Benefit Distribution Records	IND
	Records documenting the distribution of benefits to Company employees. Includes employee benefit distribution records.	
	Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Employee Benefit Distribution Records	
HUM1100	Benefit Plan Administration General	6
	Records related to the general management and administration of benefit plans such as 401(k), retirement plans, pension plans, stock purchase plans, disability, leave of absence, and tuition reimbursement. Includes general employee communications relative to these benefits. Does not include annual valuation reports or benefit statements.	
	See HUM1110 for Benefit Plan Administration - Valuations and Statements. Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Examples Include:

401(k) Plan Administration

401(k) Plan Communications

5500 Forms

Adoption Assistance Records

Annual Summary of Stock Option Grants

Benefit Communications

Benefit Plan Administration Records

COBRA Eligibility Lists

Employee Benefit Claim Files

Insurance Termination Records

Medicare Part D Attestations

Medicare Part D Credible Coverage

Medicare Part D Subsidy Files

Optionee Allocation Schedules

Options Exercise Documentation

Prescription Drug Reimbursement Records

Retirement Plan Appeals

Stock Option Grants Documentation

Stock Option Summaries

HUM1110 Benefit Plan Administration

Valuations and Statements

Records related to the valuation and statements for benefit plans such as 401(k), retirement plans, pension plans, stock purchase plans, disability, leaves of absence, and tuition reimbursement. Includes annual valuation reports and benefit statements.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Annual Valuation Reports

Benefit Statements

IND

Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
HUM1120	Benefit Plan Development Benefit Plan Vendor Selection and Renewal	6
	Records related to the assessment, selection, and renewal of benefit plan vendors. Includes employee communications related to the vendor selection and renewal process.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include:	
	Benefit Plan Communications	
	Plan Sponsor Compliance Fiduciary Records	

HUM1140 Benefit Plan Development General

ACT+6

Records related to the design and development of the benefit plans not covered elsewhere. Includes benefit related merger information. May also include records documenting due diligence and the integration of acquired companies into corporate benefits programs.

Retention Event: Retain while the benefit plan is active and benefits are payable. The retention period begins when the plan becomes inactive and benefits are no longer payable.

Examples Include:

Benefit Plan Acquisition Files Benefit Plan Actuarial Reports Benefit Plan Analyses and Reports Benefit Plan Conversions Benefit Plan Divestiture Records Benefit Plan Due Diligence

Vendor Assessment Records Vendor Renewal Records Vendor Selection Records

Benefit Plan Merger Reconciliations

Record Class Code	Record Class Nar Record Class Des	me/ scription / Record Types	Official Retention
HUM1160	Benefit Plan Te	xts and Amendments	ACT+6
	Records docume and amendments	enting and defining benefit plans. Includes benefit plan documentation s.	
	Retention Event:	Retain while the benefit plan is active and benefits are payable. The retention period begins when the plan becomes inactive and benefits are no longer payable.	
	Examples	Include:	
	Benefit Plar	n Amendments	
	Benefit Plar	n Documentation	
	Benefit Plar	n Texts	
HUM1180	Compensation	Planning	6

Records related to the determination and monitoring of salary structures, incentive programs, job classifications, and placement. Includes incentive pay program documentation, salary guidelines, and compensation surveys.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

College Recruiting Starting Salary Guidelines Compensation Surveys Incentive Compensation Program Documentation Job Evaluation Documents Stock Incentive Records

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
HUM1200	Employee Medical Records	IND

Records documenting individual employee medical history. Includes medical records resulting from on-the-job injuries and accidents, and any employee medical records required under OSHA or equivalent (e.g. blood testing, respirator physicals, hepatitis vaccinations). Does not include on-the-job accident and injury reports (OSHA) or drug and alcohol testing.

See EHS1000 for Accidents and Injuries.

See HUM1000 for Applicant Drug and Alcohol Testing - Negative Test Results. See HUM1020 for Applicant Drug and Alcohol Testing - Positive Test Results.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Contractor Medical Records Employee Medical Records Employee Work Limitations Employment Physical Exams Executive Physicals

HUM1220 Employee Recruitment and Selection

Physician Reports

Records related to personnel requests, job applications testing, advertising, position descriptions, and interviews. Includes job postings, help wanted ads, assessment tests, and background checks. Recruitment records for hired employees become part of the personnel file.

See HUM1360 for Personnel Records - General. See HUM1380 for Personnel Records - Temporary Employees.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Background Check Results Candidate Evaluations

Consent to Request Consumer Report Information Forms

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class **Record Class Name/** Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention **Employment Reference Replies** Help Wanted Ads Interview Notes Job Postings Personnel Requisitions Rejected Employment Applications Rejected Resumes Release of Information Forms Skills Assessment Test Results **HUM1240** 3 **Employee Relations** Records related to general relations with employees not covered elsewhere. Includes website communications. **Retention Event:** The retention period begins when the record is created. **Examples Include: Company Communications** Corporate Intranet Records **Employee Announcements Employee Communications** Newsletters Website Communications **HUM1260 Equal Employment Opportunity** 6 Records documenting compliance with Company equal employment policies. Includes reports which are required to be filed with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) identifying workforce demographics. Does not include EEO and Affirmative Action policy information. See COM1080 for Policies and Procedures. **Retention Event:** The retention period begins when the record is created. **Examples Include:**

Applicant Flow Logs

EEO-1 Reports

Diversity and Inclusion Records

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Record Class Code

Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

EEO-2 Reports

Employment Logs - Hires, Transfers, Layoffs, Recalls &

Terminations

Equal Employment Opportunity Reports

Equal Employment Reference Materials

Records of Accommodation

Title VII Materials

VETS100 Reports

HUM1280 Immigration and Naturalization

ACT+3 or ACT+1

Records related to the immigration and naturalization of employees transferring to and from facilities. Includes federal Form I-9 which certifies employee identity and eligibility to work in the United States.

Retention Event: Retain for 1 year following date of termination or 3 years following date

of hire, whichever is longer.

Examples Include:

Employee Immigration Files

Form I-9 Records

H-1B Visa Documentation

Labor Department Audit Records

Naturalization Records

Right to Work Documentation

HUM1300 Job Descriptions

ACT+10

Records related to job descriptions such as summary of position responsibilities, requirements, and reporting relationships. Includes job and position descriptions.

Retention Event: Retain while job descriptions are active. The retention period begins

when the job description is obsolete or superseded.

Examples Include:

Job Descriptions

Position Descriptions

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
HUM1310	Labor Relations Collective Bargaining Agreements	IND

Records related to collective bargaining agreements between the Company, labor unions, and employees. Includes collective bargaining agreements. Does not include arbitration records or labor union meeting materials.

See HUM1320 for Labor Relations - General.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Collective Bargaining Agreements

HUM1320 Labor Relations ACT+6

Records related to relations between the Company, labor unions, and employees. Includes arbitration records, labor unit contracts, bargaining unit records, and labor union meeting materials. Does not include collective bargaining agreements.

See HUM1310 for Labor Relations - Collective Bargaining Agreements.

Retention Event: Retain while the contract, arbitration, or bargaining relationship is

active. The retention period begins when the contract is not active, the

arbitration is closed, or the bargaining relationship terminates.

Examples Include:

Arbitration and Mediation Records

Labor Relations

General

Labor Union Contracts

Labor Unit Bargaining Relationship

Union Grievances

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
HUM1340	Leaves of Absence	6

Records related to time taken off by an employee for medical, non-medical and FMLA covered reasons. Includes doctor's authorization for time off, work directives, employee leave of absence requests and approvals. Does not include employee medical records.

See HUM1200 for Employee Medical Records.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Birth, Marriage & Death Certifications for Leave Purposes

Doctor's Authorization for Time Off

Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA) Application and

Physician Statement

Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA) Requests

Family Member Medical Certificate

Leave of Absence Approvals

Leave of Absence Requests

Leaves of Absence Rejections

Long-Term Disability Leave Records

Military Service Leave Records

Short-Term Disability Leave Records

Sick Leave Records

HUM1360 Personnel Records

IND

General

Records providing a history of employment from initial hiring, including promotion, performance appraisals, and transfers. Includes employment applications, letters of acceptance, performance appraisals, and resumes. Also includes employee relocation records.

See HUM1380 for Personnel Files - Temporary Employee Files.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

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Record Class Code Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Examples Include:

Address Changes

College Transcripts

Continuing Education Records

Employee Disciplinary Records

Employee Handbook and Benefit Receipt Forms

Employee Performance Reviews

Employee Relocation Records

Employment Applications

Employment Drug Test Reports

Employment Termination Forms

Letters of Acceptance

New Hire Data and Forms

Orientation Checklists

PeopleSoft HRIS Reports

References

Resumes

HUM1380 Personnel Records

Temporary Employees

Records related to the hiring and management of temporary employees. Includes temporary employee applications, resumes, and contracts.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Temporary Employee Applications

Temporary Employee Correspondence

Temporary Employee Resumes

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
HUM1400	Training and Development Programs	ACT+3
	Records related to the creation and operation of corporate training and development programs. Includes course manuals, schedules, and course evaluation sheets. Does not include training attendance and certification records.	
	See HUM1420 for Training Attendance and Certification.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the training program. The retention period begins when the program has been superseded or is no longer offered to employees.	
	Examples Include:	
	Training Course Evaluation Sheets	
	Training Course Instructor Guides	
	Training Course Manuals	
	Training Course Materials	
	Training Course Schedules	
	Training Presentation Materials	
	Training Program Documentation	
HUM1420	Training Attendance and Certification	ACT+3

Records related to employee attendance at corporate training programs and seminars. Includes employee attendance records and records related to certification for individuals to perform certain tasks.

Retention Event: Retain for current employees. The retention period begins when the employee terminates.

Examples Include:

Course Sign-In Sheets

Quality Training Records

Safety Meeting Attendance Records

Training Attendance Records

Training Certifications

Training Logs

Training Requirements

Information Systems

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
ISY1000	Application Documentation	ACT+6
	Records documenting the development of new functionality and architecture for computer systems and applications. Includes change management, requirements documents, and scope documents. Does not include source code.	
	See ISY1040 for Source Code.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the computer system. The retention period begins when the system is no longer in use.	
	Examples Include: Application Change Management Records Application Testing Records Computer Programming Design Specifications Computer Programming Standards Data Models Object Models Process Models Requirement Records Scope Records Technical Design Records User Acceptance Results User Acceptance Test Plans User Requirements	
ISY1010	Backup Copies of Electronic Files	MAX1
	Copies of electronic records that are maintained on backup tapes for disaster recovery purposes. Includes backup tapes and other backup media.	
	Retention Event: Retain these records only as long as they are needed, up to a maximum of one year. The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Backup Media Backup Tapes	

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ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
ISY1020	Network and Computer Access Records	6 Months
	Information used to provide details and history of network and computer system access records. Includes access and network security logs.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Network / Computer Access Logs Network Security Logs Systems Access Records	
ISY1040	Source Code	ACT+6
	Records related to source code for software that is either internally or externally developed and used internally by employees. Includes program and source code.	
	See ISY1000 for Application Documentation.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the computer software. The retention period begins when the software has been superseded or is no longer in use.	
	Examples Include: Program Code Software Source Code Web Properties	
ISY1060	System Conversions	ACT+6
	Records related to internal testing, details, and history of systems conversions. Includes records related to systems conversions resulting from mergers and acquisitions.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the computer system. The retention period begins when the system has been superseded or is no longer in use.	
	Examples Include: Conversion History Conversion Records Conversion Test Data Merger-Related System Conversion Records System Conversion Document Trail	

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ISY1080 System Technical Administration

ACT+6

Records used to provide details of the information systems environment. Includes design reports that detail the layout and configuration of the network servers and printers, including the physical layout of hardware on the individual floors. Also documents network and server storage space allocation. Does not include application documentation.

See ISY1000 for Application Documentation.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the computer system. The retention period begins when the system has been superseded or is no longer in use.

Examples Include:

Asset Tracking Inventories

Data Security / Data Transmission

Database Access

Design Records

Encryption System Passwords

Information Security Risk Assessments

Log-In Keys

Network and Server Space Allocation Records

Network and Server Storage Management

Network Security Administration

Network Server Records

Performance Monitoring Records

Problem Tracking Records

Schematics

Security Administration Records

Systems Development Specifications

Systems Testing Records

Web Data, Records, and Logs

ISY1100

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Records Retention Schedule

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
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Records related to external customer and internal employee requests for technical support. These records identify the caller's concern or request for information and identify the response and resolution. Includes help desk records, problem tracking documentation, and telecommunications service requests.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Technical Support Requests

Development Service Requests

Help Desk Records

Performance / Trouble Logs and Reports

Problem Tracking Documentation

Product Support and Advice

Production Service Requests

Technical Support Equipment / Maintenance Records

Telecommunications Service Requests

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention	
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LEG1000 Contracts and Agreements

ACT+6

General

Records related to obligations under contracts, leases, and other agreements with outside parties not covered elsewhere. Includes contract and agreement amendments, breach of contract notifications, and contract management and administration. Also includes disputes that do not progress to litigation. Does not include collective bargaining agreements or merger, acquisition, and divestiture agreements.

See HUM1320 for Labor Relations.

See LEG1020 for Contracts and Agreements - Real Property Construction and Improvement.

See LEG1040 for Contracts and Agreements - Real Property Purchase and Sale.

See LEG1160 for Litigation and Claims.

See LEG1180 for Mergers, Acquisitions, and Divestitures.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the contract or agreement. The retention period begins when the contract or agreement terminates or expires.

Examples Include:

At-Will Employment Agreements

Broker/Forwarder Powers of Attorney and Contracts of

Service

Business Development Agreements

Carrier Agreements

Commission and Royalty Agreements

Confidentiality Agreements

Consulting Agreements

Contract and Agreement Amendments

Contract and Agreement Negotiations

Contract Status Reports

Corporate Hedging Contracts

Distribution Agreements

Employee Consent to Guidelines

Employment Agreements

Government Contracts

HIPAA Business Associate Agreements

Intellectual Property Agreements

Intercompany Agreements

Leases

Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Legal Agreements

Licensing Agreements

Loan Agreements

Maintenance Agreements

Non-Compete Agreements

Non-Disclosure Agreements

Notifications of Contract Breach or Dispute

Patent and Confidentiality Agreements

Power of Attorney Documents

Provider Service Agreements

Purchase and Supply Agreements

Sales Contracts

Sales Representative Agreements

Separation Agreements

Software Licenses and Escrow Agreements

Third Party Agreements

LEG1020 Contracts and Agreements

Real Property Construction and Improvement

Records related to contracts and agreements for improvements to real property. Includes construction and property improvement bids, service contracts, and property improvement contracts. Also includes disputes that do not progress to litigation and claims.

See LEG1160 for Litigation and Claims.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the contract or agreement. The retention period begins when the contract or agreement terminates or expires.

Examples Include:

Architect Agreements

Construction Bid Records

Construction Contracts

Construction Disputes

Design-Build Agreements

General Contractor Agreements

Project Management Agreements

Property Improvement Contracts

ACT+15

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ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Real Property Construction and Improvement Notifications of Contract Breach or Dispute
Real Property Service Contracts

LEG1040 Contracts and Agreements

Real Property Purchase and Sale

Records related to the purchase and sale of real property, the proof of ownership, and access to real property. Includes real property purchase agreements, deeds, titles, easements, sale agreements, and environmental reports. Also includes disputes that do not progress to litigation and claims.

See FAC1040 for Real Property Appraisals. See LEG1160 for Litigation and Claims.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Building Property Descriptions

Easements

Environmental Reports

Land Loan Agreements

Non-Legal Contract Disputes

Property Deeds

Real Property Closing Documents

Real Property Due Diligence

Real Property Purchase Agreements

Real Property Purchase and Sale Notifications of Contract

Breach or Dispute

Real Property Sale Agreements

Real Property Surveys

Real Property Titles

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
LEG1080	Escheat Property	10
	Records that document the inability to locate the recipient of monies or property and the associated compliance with abandoned property laws. Includes abandoned property records.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Abandoned Property Records Escheat Records Unclaimed Property Records	
LEG1100	Garnishment and Levy Orders	ACT+3
	Records related to garnishment orders received from the court requesting garnishment of employee wages. Includes garnishment orders and child support levy orders. Does not include garnishment accounting records.	
	See PAY1040 for Payroll Accounting.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the garnishment or levy order. The retention period begins when it has been superseded or is no longer in effect.	
	Examples Include: Child Support Levy Orders Federal Levies Garnishment Orders Wage Deduction Orders	
LEG1140	Licenses, Permits, and Certifications	ACT+5
	Records related to licenses, permits, and certifications which are obtained from government agencies in order to perform certain tasks. Includes building permits, zoning permits, construction permits, business licenses, and environmental permits.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the license, permit or certification. The retention period begins when it has been superseded or is no longer in effect.	
	Examples Include: Air Quality Permits Building Permits	

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Official Retention

Business Licenses

Business Permits

Certificates of Occupancy

Certifications

Record Class Name/

Construction Permits

Environmental Impact Statements

Environmental Permits

Export Licenses

Export Licenses - CCL

Export Licenses - ITAR and USML

Hazardous Waste Permits

Land Use Permits

National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)

Permits

Publicly Owned Treatment Works (POTW) Permits

Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Permits

Water Quality Permits

Zoning Permits

LEG1160 Litigation and Claims

ACT+6

Records related to threatened or asserted litigation for a range of issues including employment, intellectual property, product liability, and environmental. Includes pleadings, discovery records, exhibits, and final judgments.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the litigation or claim, including appeal periods. The retention period begins upon closure of the litigation or claim.

Examples Include:

Affidavits

Case Files

Cease and Desist Letters

Charge of Discrimination

Charges of Infringement

Depositions

Discovery Records

Exhibits

Final Judgments

Litigation

Record Class Record Class Name/ Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Litigation and Claims Legal Opinions

Litigation Arbitration

Litigation Strategy Meeting Minutes

Mediation Motions

Patent Infringement Lawsuit Files

Pleadings

Prosecution Matters

Settlement Documents

Trademark Infringement Lawsuit Files

Trial Documents

LEG1180 Mergers, Acquisitions, and Divestitures

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Records related to the purchase or sale of a company or business unit. Includes acquisition, sales, and merger agreements. Does not include acquisition or divestment of real property that is independent of a business unit's purchase or sale or anti-trust filings.

See LEG1040 for Contracts and Agreements - Real Property Purchase and Sale. See COM1020 for Governmental Compliance and Reporting - General for anti-trust filings.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Acquisition Agreements

Acquisition Checklists

Acquisition Letters of Intent

Acquisition Offering Memorandum

Acquisition Opening Balance Sheet

Assignment / Assumption Agreements

Bills of Sale

Closing books / Binders

Disbursement Agreements

Divestiture / Sales Agreements

Divestiture Workpapers

Legal ITW Records Retention Schedule

Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Due Diligence Workpapers and Reports

Merger Agreements

Merger Escrow Agreements

Merger Studies

Merger, Acquisition, and Divestiture Closing Records

Merger, Acquisition, and Divestiture Escrow Agreements

Merger, Acquisition, and Divestitures Purchase Agreements

Valuation Reports

LEG1200 Third Party Discovery

ACT+6

Documents related to disputes involving third parties, including vendors or employees, in which the Company is not directly involved but has been requested to provide information regarding the third party dispute. Includes court orders, protective orders, and subpoenas.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the dispute plus appeal periods. The retention period begins when the dispute is closed.

Examples Include:

Court Orders

Protective Orders

Responses to Discovery Requests

Subpoenas

Third Party Litigation Correspondence

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Record Class | Record Class Name/ | Record Class Description / Record Types | Official Retention |

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Vehicle / Driver Accident Records

Records documenting accidents in which Company-owned vehicles/equipment and/or operators/drivers are involved. Includes analysis of the accident and any relevant findings, as well as accident logs, which provide a history of driver records and prior accidents. Does not include general vehicle records.

See LOG1020 for Fleet Management - Vehicle Records.

Retention Event: Retain while the accident is being evaluated. The retention period

begins when the accident evaluation is settled.

Examples Include:

Accident Analyses

Equipment / Vehicle Accident Logs Equipment / Vehicle Damage Reports Operator / Driver Accident Claims Operator / Driver Accident Reports

Operator / Driver Histories

LOG1020 Fleet Management

Vehicle Records

Records related to vehicle licensing, mileage, vehicle destinations, and fuel purchases. Includes vehicle registrations, certificates of insurance, fuel reports, maintenance records, and mileage reports. Does not include vehicle/driver accident records.

See LOG1000 for Fleet Management - Vehicle / Driver Accident Records.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the vehicle. The retention period begins when the vehicle is sold or disposed of.

Examples Include:

Motor Vehicle Records

Vehicle Certificates of Insurance

Vehicle Destination Reports

Vehicle Fuel Reports

Vehicle Licenses

Vehicle Maintenance Records

Mileage Reports

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Vehicle Registrations

LOG1040 Shipping and Receiving

Foreign Trade

Record Class Name/

Records related to the importing and exporting of goods not covered elsewhere. Includes documentation required by the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) and reexport documentation. Also includes certificates of origin, export certificates, customs bonds, customs investigations, and shipping papers. Does not include US Customs post entry audits and reviews, binding rulings, export licenses, import/export procedures manuals, training logs, powers of attorney or contracts for service.

See AUD1120 for Internal Operational Audits.

See COM1060 for Governmental Investigations, Hearings, and Audits.

See COM1080 for Policies and Procedures.

See HUM1420 for Training Attendance and Certification.

See LEG1000 for Contracts and Agreements - General.

See LEG1140 for Licenses, Permits, and Certifications.

Retention Event: The retention period begins for:

Imports - the date of entry

Exports - the date of export, re-export, or other termination of the

transaction

All others - when the record is created

Additionally, please note while records may be maintained electronically, for import purposes, if they are maintained in other than the original format, notice must be given to CBP Regulatory Audit 30 days before implementing an alternative storage method. (If documents are received electronically, then that is the 'original' format).

For export purposes, the documents must be reproducible; both front and back, so they appear as they were in the original format.

Examples Include:

Boycott Records and Reports Certificates of Origin Certificates of Re-Export CF 3461 and CF 7501 CT-PAT Initiatives Customs Bonds Customs Release Forms

Logistics and Transportation

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Records Retention Schedule

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Delivery Verification Certificates

Disclosure Exceptions

Entry Documents

Export Classification Control Number Lists

Export Clearance and Certificates

Export Declarations

Exportation Documentation

Foreign Shipping Documentation

Foreign Trade Bills of Lading

Foreign Trade Manifests

Foreign Trade Supplier Invoices

HTSUS and Schedule B Classification Lists

Manufacturers Affidavits

NAFTA Certificates and Guidelines

Requests (CF 28 and CF29)

Supplier Correspondence

U.S. Customs Documentation

LOG1060

Shipping and Receiving

General

Records used to verify and prove the shipment of products not covered elsewhere. These records identify quantities shipped and supporting documentation. Includes shipping manifests, bills of lading, and loading sheets. Does not include the shipping records for hazardous materials.

See LOG1080 for Shipping Documentation - Hazardous Materials.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Advanced Shipping Notifications

Bills of Lading

Loading Sheets

Receipt Logs

Shipping Manifests

Shipping Orders

Shipping Releases

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Shipping and Receiving Hazardous Materials

Records used to verify and prove the shipment of hazardous materials. These records identify quantities shipped and supporting documentation. Includes hazardous materials shipping manifests, bills of lading, and loading sheets.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Certificates of Analysis

Hazardous Materials Bills of Lading Hazardous Materials Loading Sheets

Waste Manifests

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
MEQ1000	After-Market Services	ACT+10

Records related to the history of product parts and components, including software, from the time the product goes out of production. These records are used to support service, maintenance, and repair of Company products. Includes out-of-service and out-of-production lists.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the product. The retention period begins when the product has been superseded or discontinued.

Examples Include:

After-Market Planning and Forecasting

Installation Reports

Maintenance Contract Service Reports

Out-Of-Production Lists

Out-Of-Service Lists

Software Support

Spares Configuration Requirements

Spares Inventory Records

Spares Parts Lists

Spares Production Records

Spares Special Orders

MEQ1020 Consumer Warnings

ACT+10

Records related to information supplied to consumers regarding the make-up of product contents as well as the environmental and health implications associated with use and/or exposure to Company products. Includes product labels and material safety data sheets (MSDS).

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the product. The retention period begins when the product has been superseded or discontinued.

Examples Include:

Marketing Bulletins

Product Labels

Product Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS)

Product Warnings

Manufacturing, Engineering, and Quality

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
MEQ1040	Corrective and Preventive Actions	5

Records related to the analysis of potential failures and non-conformance with established Company, industry, or quality standards. Includes potential failure lists, proposed actions, and corrective and preventive action documentation.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Corrective and Preventive Action Plans

Corrective and Preventive Action Records

Corrective and Preventive Action Status Reports

Deviation Records

Effectiveness Evaluation Documents

Non-conformance Reports

Potential Failure Lists

Preventive Action Records

Product/Manufacturing Investigations

Proposed Action Records

Questionable Material Forms

Variance Records

MEQ1060 Equipment Calibration Records

ACT+10

Records related to the calibration of measurement and test equipment. Includes calibration records, calibration history cards, and out-of-tolerance reports.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of instrument. The retention period begins when the instrument is no longer in use.

Examples Include:

Calibration History Cards

Calibration Records

Certificates of Calibration

Machine Service Reports

Out-of-Tolerance Reports

Re-Calibration Check Sheet

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Record Classes By Business Function

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Records related to research books issued to and maintained by research scientists and other laboratory personnel that document product research laboratory activities. These notebooks may support intellectual property claims related to patent applications. Includes officially assigned and numbered laboratory notebooks, workbooks, and databooks that are cross-referenced to them. Includes current and historical notebooks and annual research project reports. Does not include monthly or quarterly project reports.

See ADM1060 for Project Management for monthly and quarterly project reports.

Laboratory and Engineering Notebooks and Research Documents

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Ancillary/Raw Data

Annual Research Project Reports

Instrumentation Logbooks

Lab Tests and Results

Laboratory Experimental Data

Laboratory Notebooks

Laboratory Notebooks Registry (Sign-Out) Cards

MEQ1100 Manufacturing Design and Development

ACT+10

Records related to the production planning, definition, and testing of the manufacturing processes following product design and development, including any changes in standard manufacturing processes. Includes bills of material, final manufacturing processes, production reviews, process change specifications, and process change documentation.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the manufacturing process or method. The retention period begins when the method is superseded or is no longer

in use.

Examples Include:

After Molding Automation

Computer Numeric Control (CNC) Programs

Drawings and Specifications for Tooling, Jigs, Fixtures and

Test Equipment

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Official Retention

Environmental Specifications for Manufacturing

Equipment Software

Failure Analysis Reports

Final Manufacturing Processes

Manufacturing Design Reviews and Re-designs

Manufacturing Designs and Schematics

Manufacturing Machine Specifications

Manufacturing Process Change Orders

Manufacturing Process Management Review

Manufacturing Prototypes and Runs Records

Manufacturing Specifications

Meeting Minutes and Notes

Process Change Specifications

Process Flow Control Plan

Production Reviews

Requests for New Product Manufacturing Release

Tooling Authorizations

Tooling Design Reviews

Work Instructions

MEQ1120 Manufacturing Production Detail

ACT+10

Records related to the management, organization, and planning of the production process through product shipment. Includes manufacturing production logs, manufacturing production forecasts, production work orders, time and material reports, and operator logs.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the batch. The retention period begins when no items manufactured in the batch are still in use.

Examples Include:

Daily Efficiency Reports

Demand Planning Records

Equipment Downtime

Flow Tickets

Inventory Plans

Job Tracking

Kanban Sheets

Manufacturing Production Forecasts

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Manufacturing Production Logs

Manufacturing Summary Reports

Master Schedules

Operator Logs

Packaging Records

Part Number Logs

Performance Measures

Production Pick Lists

Production Schedules

Production Work Orders

Routing Lists

Scrap Reports

Serial Number Allocations

Shift Notes and Reports

Shop Orders

Space and Equipment Resource Allocation Reports

Time and Material Reports

Time Studies

Travelers

MEQ1140 Material Control Records

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Records related to the receipt and routing of raw materials, parts, and supplies used in the manufacture of Company products. These records document the testing and inspection of materials prior to routing; the disposition of materials that are rejected during incoming inspection or by the production floor; and the receipt of materials into Company inventories. Includes parts inspections, inspection criteria, supplier certificates of conformance, material deviation authorizations (MDA), failure tags, return to supplier authorizations, pick lists, and material shortage reports.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Arrival Condition Reports

Batch and Lot Testing

Bill of Material Call-Outs

Failure Tags

First Article Inspection Records

Incoming Inspection

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Inspection and Test Results

Material Certifications

Material Control Test Procedures

Material Deviation Authorizations (MDA)

Material Requests

Material Shortage Reports

Material Substitution Records

Move Tickets

Packing Slips

Part Inspections

Parts Inventory

Pick Lists

Receiving Inspection Records

Refused/Returned Shipment Records

Re-inspection Records

Rejection Notices

Return to Supplier Authorizations

Scrap/Sale Reports

Supplier Certificates of Conformance

Visual Check Sheets

MEQ1160 Product Design and Development

ACT+10

Records related to the product design and development process. These records document the initial phases of the design process through pre-production release as well as any changes in product design and formulas after the product is released to production. Includes qualifying documents that substantiate the changes. Includes research, conceptual designs, design specifications, prototypes, engineering change notices, engineering change orders, and product formulas and recipes. Does not include laboratory and engineering notebooks.

See MEQ1080 for Laboratory and Engineering Notebooks.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the product. The retention period begins when the product has been superseded or discontinued.

Examples Include:

Bills of Materials

Change Review Documents

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Records Retention Schedule

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Chemical Composition Records

Coating Specifications

Conceptual Designs

Configuration Management Documentation

Customer Approvals

Customer Product Samples

Customer Specifications

Design Failure Effect Mode Analysis

Design Reviews

Design Specifications

Engineering Change Notices (ECN)

Engineering Change Orders

Formulas

Formulation Protocols

Marked-Up and Revised Drawings and Schematics

Master Specifications

Material Requirements

Materials Specifications

New Product Approvals

New Product Plans

New Product Reporting

Preliminary Product Testing

Product Design Research

Product Dimensional Layout

Product Drawings

Product Prototypes

Product Requirements Reviews

Recipes

Software Revisions and Upgrades

MEQ1180 Product Manuals and Parts Lists

ACT+10

Records related to the official product literature distributed with Company products. Includes product use and care and product assembly instructions.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the product. The retention period begins when the

product has been superseded or discontinued.

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Examples Include:

Company Product Manuals

Product Assembly Instructions

Product Bulletins

Product Maintenance Manuals

Product Technical Reference Publications

Product Use and Care Instructions

Software Download Instructions

MEQ1200 Product Packaging

ACT+10

Records related to the development and final design of product packaging. Includes labeling instructions and stacking and palletizing instructions.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the product. The retention period begins when the

product has been superseded or discontinued.

Examples Include:

Drop Test Procedures

Drop Test Results

Finishing Specifications for Shipping

Illustrative Packaging Designs

Labeling Instructions

Mechanical Packaging Designs

Splicing Instructions

Stacking and Palletizing Instructions

MEQ1220 Quality Testing and Inspection

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Field

Records related to quality testing and inspection of Company products after customer delivery. Includes field audits and customer product failure notifications.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Customer Product Failure Notifications

Early Life Reliabilities

Field Audits

Field Software Debugging

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Classes By Business Function

Quality Testing Records

Record Class

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MEQ1240 Quality Testing and Inspection In-Process

Record Class Name/

ACT+10

Records related to the quality testing and inspection of Company products during manufacture prior to release for shipment. Includes product inspection records, product test results, and quality checklists.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the product evaluation. The retention period begins when the evaluation has been superseded.

Examples Include:

Certificates of Conformance

Record Class Description / Record Types

Standard Reliabilities

Configuration Checklists

Deviations Authorizations

In-Process Software Debugging

Inspection Stamps

Out of Scope Deviations

Product Inspection Records

Product Test Results

Quality Checklists

Test Requests

Testing Follow-Ups

MEQ1260 Warranty Administration

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Records related to the administration and servicing of Company product warranties. These records document the fulfillment of claims made against product warranties and routine warranty servicing. Includes out-of-warranty form letters, warranty claims, warranty work orders, warranty resolution documentation, and related correspondence.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Out of Warranty Form Letters

Warranty Claims

Warranty Resolution Documentation

Warranty Service Records

Warranty Work Instructions

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Warranty Workorders

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

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Official Retention

PAT1000 Contracts and Agreements Intellectual Property Licensing

ACT+6

Records related to intellectual property agreements between the Company and third parties. Includes agreements in which the Company has authorized or licensed a third party to use Company trademarks, copyrights, or proprietary Company technologies as well as agreements by which the Company is authorized or licensed to use a third parties trademarks, copyrights, or third party proprietary technologies. Includes contracts, agreements, letters, licenses, technology transfers, amendments, notes, etc. Includes disputes that do not progress to litigation and claims. Does not include copyright, trademark, and patent applications.

See PAT1020 for Copyrights, Trademarks, and Patents. See LEG1160 for Litigation and Claims.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the contract or agreement. The retention period begins when the contract or agreement terminates or expires.

Examples Include:

Confidentiality Agreements

Development Agreements

ITW Business Unit License Agreements

Joint Venture License Agreements

License Renewal Documentation

Licenses and Agreements

Licenses and Agreements Detail

Royalty Agreements with Vendors

Technology Transfers

Vendor Owned License Agreements

PAT1020 Copyrights, Trademarks, and Patents

ACT+6

Records related to the registration and management of copyrights, trademarks, and foreign or domestic patents. Includes pending trademarks, applications, investigations, and related correspondence. Also includes abandoned applications and records related to copyright infringements.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the copyright, trademark or patent. The retention

period begins when the copyright, trademark or patent has expired.

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Examples Include:

Abandoned Applications

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Copyright / Trademark / Patent Applications

Copyright Records

Copyright, Trademark, and Patent Due Diligence Files

Correspondence

Filing Applications

Infringements

Instructions for Outside Counsel

Invention Disclosure

Invention Disclosures

Patent Chain of Title

Patent Control Records

Patent IP Assignments

Patent Issuance

Patent Records

Patent Registrations

Patent Society Historical Documents

Product Samples

Trademark Records

Trademark Registrations

Trademark Renewals

Trademark Search Reports

LEG1160 Litigation and Claims

ACT+6

Records related to threatened or asserted litigation for a range of issues including employment, intellectual property, product liability, and environmental. Includes pleadings, discovery records, exhibits, and final judgments.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the litigation or claim, including appeal periods. The retention period begins upon closure of the litigation or claim.

Examples Include:

Affidavits

Case Files

Cease and Desist Letters

Charge of Discrimination

Charges of Infringement

Depositions

Record Class

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Discovery Records

Record Class Name/

Exhibits

Final Judgments

Litigation

Litigation and Claims Legal Opinions

Record Class Description / Record Types

Litigation Arbitration

Litigation Strategy Meeting Minutes

Mediation

Motions

Patent Infringement Lawsuit Files

Pleadings

Prosecution Matters

Settlement Documents

Trademark Infringement Lawsuit Files

Trial Documents

Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
PAY1000	Employee Payroll and Direct Deposit Elections	ACT+6
	Records related to employees enrolled in the direct deposit payroll plan. Includes direct deposit waiver forms, electronic records, and pre-note reports.	
	Retention Event: Retain for current employee information. The retention period begins when the employee terminates or changes his or her direct deposit elections.	
	Examples Include: Direct Deposit Pre-Note Reports Direct Deposit Waiver Forms Employee Deductions for Charitable Donations	
PAY1020	Employee Time and Attendance	5
	Records related to the identification and reporting of hours worked by employees. Includes all timesheets submitted to payroll in order to document hours worked for a particular period, as well as vacation requests.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Attendance Records Time Cards Time Sheets Vacation Requests	
PAY1040	Payroll Accounting	6
	Records related to the payroll accounting process. These records document the withholding and payment to third parties of amounts garnished from employee wages as required by court order and/or federal levies as well as routine payroll accounting. Includes payroll input records, summary statements, payroll vouchers, payroll history records, garnishment order copies, and garnishment accounting records.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	

Examples Include:

Garnishment Accounting Court Orders (Copies)
Garnishment Accounting Reports
Payroll Accounting Loan Documents

Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class | Record Class Name/ | Code | Record Class Description / Record Types | Official Retention |

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Payroll Change Reports

Payroll Distribution

Payroll History

Payroll New Hire Reports

Payroll Outbound Summary Reports

Payroll Records

Payroll Registers

Payroll Vouchers

PAY1060 State Unemployment Tax

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Records submitted to state unemployment divisions. Includes employment and wage information for terminated employees who are requesting unemployment compensation.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

State Requests for Separation and Wage Information Files

Unemployment Forms

Unemployment Insurance Workpapers

PAY1080 U.S. Federal and State Tax Withholding

6

Records related to the federal and state taxes paid, withheld, and reported. Includes federal withholding tax returns, payroll tax data reports, tax workpapers, and W-2 forms. May also include rates of taxation.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Federal Withholding Tax Returns

FICA Records

Form 1042

Form 940

Form 941 Quarterly Withholding Tax Returns

Payroll Tax Data Reports

Tax Workpapers

W-2 Forms

W-4 Forms

PRO1000

ACT+6

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention

Records related to the request, authorization, and procurement of goods and services. These records are used to document the request of product or service. Includes purchasing and requisition bids, purchase orders, service orders, and work authorization forms. Does not include vendor contracts or payment for products or services.

See ACC1000 for Accounts Payable.

See LEG1000 for Contracts and Agreements - General.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the purchase order or request. The retention period

begins when the purchase order is complete.

Examples Include:

Blanket Purchase Agreements (BPA)

Change Orders

Bids and Requisitions

Contractor Time Sheets

Procurement Card Statements

Procurement Requests for Proposals

Purchase Order Logs

Purchase Orders

Purchase Registers

Purchase Requisitions

Purchasing Acknowledgments

Purchasing and Requisition Bids

Purchasing Awards

Purchasing Expenditure Authorizations

Purchasing Quotations

Rental Usage Sheets

Service Orders

Service Requisitions

Vendor Notes

Vendor Proposals

Verbal Authorization Logs

Work Authorization Forms

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
PRO1020	Vendor / Supplier Candidates and Qualifications	ACT
	Records that serve to identify and provide support for the approved procurement supplier and vendor lists. Includes approved supplier lists, approved partners, and safety risk ratings.	
	Retention Event: Retain these records only as long as they are needed. The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Approved Supplier Lists Approved Vendor Lists Customer Service Quality Improvement Process (CSQIP) Documentation Safety Risk Ratings Supplier Certifications Supplier Qualifications	
PRO1040	Vendor / Supplier Relations General	3
	Records related to communications and relationships with vendors and suppliers not covered elsewhere. Includes correspondence with vendors and suppliers.	
	See PRO1060 for Vendor / Supplier Relations - Performance Management.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Supplier Price Lists Vendor and Supplier Correspondence Vendor Files	
PRO1060	Vendor / Supplier Relations Performance Management	6
	Records related to monitoring and managing vendor performance. Includes vendor assessment, vendor management, and corrective action requests.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Performance Metrics	

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Official Retention

Score Cards

Vendor Corrective Action Records Vendor Corrective Action Requests

Vendor Responses to Corrective Action Requests

Vendor Site Visits

Public and Government Relations

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
PUB1000	Charitable Giving	3
	Records and information related to corporate sponsorships, corporate foundation grants, and charitable contributions made by the Company and/or its employees. Includes grant development, requests for charitable contributions, and presentations.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Approved Requests for Funding Check Records (Charitable Giving) Denied Requests for Funding Eligibility Criteria Sheets Foundation Receipts and Disbursements Grant Applications Grant Denials Grant Letters Grant Tracking Records ITW Scholarship Awards Qualifying Circumstances	
PUB1020	Community Relations	3
	Records related to the relationships developed with communities in which the Company operates. Includes correspondence about civic organizations and community events.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Community Correspondence Community Relations Records	
PUB1040	Government Relations General	5
	Records related to government relations on local, state, and/or federal levels, reflecting issues that have an impact on the Company. Includes election monitoring records. Does not include Political Action Committees.	
	See PUB1060 for Government Relations - Political Action Committees.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	

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Examples Include:

Economic Development Records
Election Monitoring Records
Election Results

Electioneering Information

PUB1060 Government Relations

Political Action Committees

Records pertaining to local, state, and federal government relations and participation in political activities. Includes political action committee records, fundraising records, political issue records, and correspondence with legislators.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Fundraising Records

Lobbying Reports

Lobbyist Files

PAC Records of Expense

PAC Records of Revenue

Political Action Committee (PAC) Records

Political Action Committee Correspondence

Political Activity Records

Political Issue Records

Trade Case Petitions

Trade Case Responses

PUB1080 Industry Relations

ACT

Records related to relations and interactions with other companies or industries. Includes correspondence with other companies or industries and participation in industry and professional organizations.

Retention Event: Retain these records only as long as they are needed. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Industry Correspondence
Industry Relations Records

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PUB1100 Public Relations IND

Records related to communications with the public not covered elsewhere. Includes journals, newspapers, press material, and videos.

See PUB1020 for Community Relations.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Clip Books

Journals

Newspapers

Periodicals

Press Kits

Press Releases

Videos

Risk Management

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
RSK1000	Disaster Recovery Plans	ACT+10
	Records related to the documentation of plans which would be implemented in the event of a disaster or systems failure. Includes disaster recovery plans, business resumption plans, business continuity plans, and contingency planning.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the plan. The retention period begins when the plan is superseded or is no longer in effect.	
	Examples Include: Business Continuity Plans Business Resumption Plans Contingency Planning Disaster Recovery Plans Disaster Test Plans and Results Server Retention	
RSK1020	Insurance Analysis and Reporting	ACT+6
	Records related to the analysis and summary of insurance programs. Includes insurance policy coverage reports and insurance risk analyses.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the current reporting period. The retention period begins when the reports have been superseded.	
	Examples Include: Loss Runs Renewal Reports	
RSK1040	Insurance Certificates	6
	Records related to legal proof of insurance coverage. Includes certificates provided by vendors and Company-issued insurance certificates.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Include: Company Insurance Certificates Third Party Insurance Certificates Vendor Insurance Certificates	

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Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
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RSK1060 Insurance Claims

ACT+6

General

Records related to general claims filed against the Company's insurance policies not covered elsewhere, including claims for physical damage, loss of property, and a wide variety of liability exposures. Includes claim notification and settlement documents.

See RSK1080 for Insurance Claims - Workers' Compensation.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the claim. The retention period begins when the claim is settled or withdrawn.

Examples Include:

Aircraft Liability Claims

Aircraft Product Claims

Automobile Claims

Claim Notice Letters

Claim Settlement Documents

Director and Officer Policy Claims

Insurance Claims Supporting Documentation

International Casualty Claims

Notifications of Insurance Claim

Professional Liability Errors and Omissions Claims

Property Claims

Travel Accident Claims

Umbrella Excess Claims

RSK1080 Insurance Claims

IND

Workers' Compensation

Records related to workers' compensation claims filed for on-the-job accidents. Includes workers' compensation claim notification documents and claim settlement documents. Does not include employee accident/injury records.

See EHS1000 for Accidents and Injuries.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

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period begins when the record is created.

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Record Class Code

Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Examples Include:

Workers' Compensation Claim Settlement Documents Workers' Compensation Claim Supporting Documentation Workers' Compensation Claims

Workers' Compensation Notifications of Insurance Claim

RSK1100 Insurance Policies

General

Records describing and administering corporate insurance programs that provide coverage affecting liability. Includes insurance policies, amendments and riders, and proof of payment.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the policy. The retention period begins when the policy is superseded or is no longer in effect.

Examples Include:

Directors and Officers Insurance Policies

Fidelity Bonds

Flood Insurance Policies Insurance Program Manuals Surety Bonds

Utility and Contractor Insurance Bonds

RSK1120 Insurance Policies

Liability

Records related to insurance coverage for product liability, exposure to hazardous substances, or other problems manifesting themselves long after the policy terminates. Includes future liability insurance program payment records and program manuals.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Aircraft Product Policies **Automobile Liability Policies** Captive Reinsurance

ACT+6

IND

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IND

Environmental Liability Policies

Excess Policies

GL Policies

Record Class Name/

Indemnification

International Casualty

Liability Insurance Policies

Liability Insurance Program Payment Records

Umbrella Policies

RSK1140 Insurance Policies

Workers' Compensation

Records related to certification for workers' compensation insurance, whether purchased from an insurance carrier or from the State. Includes underwriting data, policies, amendments, riders, and proof of payment.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Excess W/C

Workers' Compensation Policies

Workers' Compensation Policy Amendments and Riders

RSK1160 Risk Assessments and Cost Controls

ACT+6

Records related to risk assessments undertaken to identify areas of high risk to the Company. Includes data analyses, risk coverage maps, and risk control recommendations.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the risk assessment. The retention period begins when the risk assessment has been superseded.

Examples Include:

Data Analyses

Risk Assessments

Risk Control Recommendations

Risk Coverage Maps

Records Retention Schedule

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
SAL1000	Advertising and Promotion	6

Records related to original artwork, including final copy, created internally or by external agencies in the development of an advertising or marketing campaign, including print, sound, film, and digital media. Includes displays, website design, promotion materials, photographs, and videos.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Advertising and Promotion Drawings

Artwork

Audiotape

Displays

Final Copy

Layouts

Marketing Materials

New Product Promotions

Photographs

Videotape

Website Design Records

SAL1020 Customer Call Center Operations

Records related to the management and administration of a call center. Includes call logs, customer interaction logs, and phone system data.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Call Center Performance Evaluations

Call Queue Logs

Customer Interaction Logs

Customer Surveys

Operational Data

Phone Logs

Phone System Data

Productivity Reports

Scripts

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
SAL1040	Customer Complaint Resolution	6

Records related to customer complaints and subsequent actions taken in response. Includes notifications of customer disputes, Company responses, and supporting documentation. Does not include complaints that progress to claims or litigation.

See LEG1160 for Litigation and Claims.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Company Responses

Customer Complaint Files

Customer Complaint Logs

Customer Complaint Resolution Supporting Documentation

Customer Expedites

Notifications of Customer Disputes

SAL1060 Customer Relations ACT+1

Records related to customer communications used for reference and billing purposes. Includes meeting minutes, phone logs, general customer correspondence, and customer reference information.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the customer relationship. The retention period begins when the relationship terminates.

Examples Include:

Customer Contact Logs

Customer Correspondence

Customer Masterfiles

Customer Meeting Minutes

Customer Satisfaction Surveys

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
SAL1080	Event Planning	ACT+1
	Records related to the set up and management of events and trade shows in which the Company participates. These records document the planning, production, and operation of events and trade shows. Includes event planning records, trade show files, and event floor plans.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the event. The retention period begins when the event is complete.	
	Examples Include: Event and Trade Show Materials Event Floor Plans Event Planning Notes Event Security Records Exhibitor Records Speaker Requirement Forms Staff Registration Kits Trade Show Files Vendor Show Requirements Forms	
SAL1100	Market Research and Analysis	ACT+1
	Records related to the development, administration, and analysis of market research. Includes research reports and competitive information.	
	Retention Event: Retain for the life of the research or analysis. The retention period begins when the research or analysis has been superseded.	
	Examples Include: Competitive Information Market Analyses Research Reports	
SAL1120	Product Descriptions and Pricing	ACT+6
	Records related to the description and pricing of products and services to prospects and customers. Includes product collateral and materials/documents connected to specific marketing campaigns, product pricing, and pricing schedules.	
	Retention Event: The retention period begins when the marketing materials is no longer active.	

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Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Examples Include:

Fact Sheets

Pricing Records

Pricing Schedules

Product Brochures

Product Descriptions

Product Disclosures

SAL1140 Product Sales

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Records related to the sale of Company products to customers. Includes product order forms, account change forms, sales orders, and miscellaneous inquiries. Does not include related records of payment or sales contracts.

See ACC1020 for Accounts Receivable.

See LEG1000 for Contracts and Agreements - General.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Account Change Forms

Change Order Requests

Customer Order Forms

Customer Orders

Customer Purchase Orders

Miscellaneous Inquiries

Product Order Form

Sales Order Acknowledgments

Sales Orders

SAL1160 Sales Proposals

ACT+1

Records related to proposals or quotations prepared for prospective customers. Includes RFPs, RFIs, RFQs, and rejected sales proposals. Accepted proposals become part of the customer contract file.

See LEG1000 for Contracts and Agreements - General.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the bid process. The retention period begins after

the bid process has concluded.

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Record Class Code Record Class Name/

Record Class Description / Record Types

Official Retention

Examples Include:

Quote Tracking Sheets

Rejected Sales Proposals

Requests for Information (RFI)

Requests for Proposal (RFP)

Requests for Quote (RFQ)

Sales Correspondence

Special Price Quotes to Customers

SAL1180 Sales Reporting and Analysis

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Reports related to sales activity for a particular period of time. Includes sales call reports and sales territory lists.

Retention Event: Retain these records only as long as they are needed, up to a maximum

of three years. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Periodic Sales Reports

Point of Sales Reports

Sales Billing Service Reports

Sales Call Reports

Sales History Reports

Sales Revenue Analysis

Sales Territory Lists

Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Code	Record Class Nar Record Class Des	me/ scription / Record Types	Official Retention
TAX1000	Federal 1099 Reporting Form 1099	IND	
	Records related related workpape	to IRS-1099 tax reporting. Includes Form 1099-R. Does not include ers.	
	See TAX1010 fo	r Federal 1099 Reporting - Workpapers.	
	Retention Event:	Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.	
	Examples Form 1099-		
TAX1010	Federal 1099 Re Workpapers	eporting	6
		to federal 1099 tax reporting workpapers. Includes 1099 reporting llars reported, and unit consolidations.	
	Retention Event:	The retention period begins the date the record is created.	
	Examples	Include:	
	1099 Repor	rting Records	
	Total Dollar	·	
	Unit Consol	lidations	
TAX1020	Federal Income	Тах	IND
	•	resent corporate federal income tax returns and related workpapers. income tax returns. Does not include audits or appeals.	
	See TAX1180 fo	r Tax Audits and Appeals.	
	Retention Event:	Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.	

Tax ITW Records Retention Schedule

Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Examples Include:

Amended Federal Income Tax Returns and Workpapers

Federal Income Tax Returns

Federal Income Tax Workpapers

Form 5471

Form 8858

Foundation Tax Returns

Foundation Tax Workpapers

Income Tax Provisions

TAX1040 General Tax 10

Record related to miscellaneous taxes, tax returns, and workpapers not covered elsewhere. Includes miscellaneous tax returns. Does not include audits or appeals.

See TAX1180 for Tax Audits and Appeals.

Retention Event: The retention period begins upon the filing of the tax return.

Examples Include:

Disposition / Liquidation Tax Records Internal Control Documentation Merger / Acquisition Tax Records Miscellaneous Tax Returns

Miscellaneous Tax Workpapers

TAX1060 International Tax IND

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Records that represent actual international income, sales, or property tax returns. Includes international tax returns and workpapers. Does not include audits or appeals.

See TAX1180 for Tax Audits and Appeals.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Amended International Tax Returns

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Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Record Class Name/ Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

International Deferred Tax Workpapers International Tax Returns International Tax Workpapers

TAX1080 Local and Franchise Tax

IND

Records that represent actual tax returns for local and franchise taxes. Includes tax returns and workpapers. Does not include audits or appeals.

See TAX1180 for Tax Audits and Appeals.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Amended Local and Franchise Tax Returns Local and Franchise Tax Returns Local and Franchise Tax Workpapers

TAX1100 Property Tax

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Records that represent actual property tax returns. Includes personal property tax returns, real property tax returns, and supporting workpapers. Does not include audits or appeals.

See TAX1180 for Tax Audits and Appeals.

Retention Event: The retention period begins upon the filing of the tax return.

Examples Include:

Amended Property Tax Returns **Excise Tax Returns** Property Tax Bills Property Tax Returns Property Tax Workpapers

Tax ITW Records Retention Schedule

Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention
TAX1120	Sales and Use Tax	10

Records that represent actual sales and use tax returns. Includes sales and use tax workpapers. Does not include audits or appeals.

See TAX1180 for Tax Audits and Appeals.

Retention Event: The retention period begins upon the filing of the tax return.

Examples Include:

Amended Sales and Use Tax Returns

Backup for Refund Claims

Sales and Use Tax Returns

Sales and Use Tax Workpapers

Sales Tax Exempt Certificates

Sales Tax Refund Claims

Sales Tax Return Manufacturing Credits

TAX1140 State Tax IND

Records related to the filing of state tax returns. Includes state tax returns and related workpapers. Does not include audits or appeals.

See TAX1180 for Tax Audits and Appeals.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention

period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Amended State Tax Returns State Tax Returns State Tax Workpapers

Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Records related to accounting procedures and materials used to calculate various tax options, enabling the corporation to reduce its tax exposure. Includes tax accounting records.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Corporate Tax Kits

Geographic Location Listing by Division

Tax Accounting Records

Tax Bills

Tax Accounting

Tax Estimate Calculations

Tax Receipts
Tax Statements

TAX1180 Tax Audits and Appeals

IND

IND

Records related to audits of federal, state, and local tax returns of income, property, sales, and use. Includes audits and appeals, workpapers, details of records requested, audit reports, and settlement agreements.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Amended Returns / Claims

Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Agreements

Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Information Requests

Notices of Proposed Adjustment and Responses

Revenue Agent Reports (RAR's)

Tax Appeals

Tax Audit Determination Letters

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Record Classes By Business Function

Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Tax Audit Request
Tax Audit Support
Tax Audit Workpapers
Tax Settlement Forms

TAX1200 Tax Planning and Forecasting

IND

Records related to internal tax planning and forecasting. Includes planning records and supporting documentation.

Retention Event: Retain indefinitely. Because a firm retention period cannot be

determined in advance, the status of these records must be periodically reviewed. The records must be destroyed when they are no longer needed for operational, tax, audit, or legal purposes. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Tax Advice / Planning

Tax Calendars

Tax Citations

Tax Communications with Attorneys and CPA's

Tax Forecasts

Tax Planning and Approval Forms (TPAF's)

Tax Planning Records

Tax Planning Transaction Records

Tax Regulations

Third Party Analysis

Treasury

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Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types
Official Retention

TRE1000 Banking

ACT+6

Account Set-Up and Management

Records related to the set-up and management of bank accounts. These records establish and define the terms and conditions for banking activities. Includes bank account set-up documentation, banking correspondence, and signature cards.

Retention Event: Retain for life of the account. The retention period begins when the account is closed.

Examples Include:

Bank Account Files

Bank Account Maintenance

Bank Account Set-Up Documentation

Banking Correspondence

Signature Cards

Unit Account Listing

TRE1020 Banking

General

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Records related to banking transactions. Includes deposit slips, cancelled checks, bank account statements and reconciliations, check registers, and wire transfers.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Bank Account Reconciliations

Bank Account Statements/Analysis

Cancelled Checks

Cashbooks

Check Copies

Check Registers

Daily Cash Reports

Deposit Slips

Management Reports

Voided Checks

Wire Transfer Notifications

Wire Transfers

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ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Records Retention Schedule

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Record Class Record Class Name/
Code Record Class Description / Record Types Official Retention

Records related to the analysis, forecasting, and disposition of cash balances. These records are used to determine actual and future cash balances, as well as records related to the analysis of borrowing strategies, investment strategies, and float trends. Includes cash forecasting records, cash investment analysis, and cash management reviews.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Cash Management

Capital Contributions

Cash Forecasting Records

Cash Investment Analysis

Cash Management Reviews

Float Management

Rate Information

TRE1080 External Financing

ACT+6

Records related to major financing efforts and the application, issuance, and management of loans. Includes initial public offering (IPO) records, debt offerings, bonds, debenture ledgers, sinking funds, lender reports, and letters of credit.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the financing efforts. The retention period begins when these efforts have been concluded.

Examples Include:

Bank Financing Records

Bonds

Certificate Transfers

Debenture Ledgers

Debt and Shelf Registrations

Debt Issuance Records

Debt Offerings

External Financing Records

Industrial Revenue Bonds

Initial Public Offering (IPO) Records

Lender Correspondence

Loans

Notes Receivable

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Official Retention

Sinking Funds Stock Offerings

TRE1100 Financial Management Reporting

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Reports and documents providing useful financial information to management. These records are not part of accounting transaction processing or financial statement functions. Includes cost audit reports, key indicators, and status reports.

Retention Event: Retain these records only as long as they are needed, up to a maximum of three years. The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Accounting/Operational Reporting Plan Documents

Accounts Payable Currency Translation Reports

Accounts Payable\Receivable Aging Reports

Accounts Payable\Receivable Analysis Reports

Accounts Payable\Receivable Distribution Reports

Accounts Receivable Review Process Reports

Cash Disbursement Schedule Reports

Cost Audit Reports

Flash Reports

Freight Vendor History Reports

Global Multi-Bank Reports

Key Indicators

Monthly Reports

Performance Summary Reports

Quarterly Review Schedules

Quarterly Statistics Reports

Status Reports

TRE1120 Foreign Exchange

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Records related to the use of foreign money in settlement of foreign trade. Includes currency exchange records, foreign deal slips and confirmations, and foreign exchange drafts.

Retention Event: The retention period begins when the record is created.

Examples Include:

Currency Buys / Sells

Record Class

Code

Record Class Name/

Official Retention

Currency Exchange Records Foreign Currency Exchange Foreign Deal Confirmations Foreign Deal Slips Foreign Exchange Drafts

Record Class Description / Record Types

TRE1140 Investment Management

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Records related to investments in stocks, bonds, and mutual funds, including investments for pension and retirement funds. Includes bond issues, financial investment planning, investment performance reporting, investment transaction lists, pension and retirement fund trustee statements, pension and retirement manager files, and pension and retirement fund reporting.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the investment account. The retention period begins when the account is closed or superseded.

Examples Include:

Bond Issues

Certificates of Deposit (CD) Investment Records

Financial Investment Planning

Guarantees

Hedging Program Records

Investment Closing Documents

Investment Performance Reporting

Investment Schedules

Investment Stock Reports

Investment Transaction Lists

Pension Fund Correspondence

Pension Fund Manager Files

Pension Fund Reporting

Pension Fund Trustee Statements

Pension Management Investment Transaction Lists

Treasury

ITW Record Classes By Business Function

Records Retention Schedule

Record Class Code	Record Class Name/ Record Class Description / Record Types	Official Retention

TRE1060 Third Party Credit and Financing

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Records related to approved third party, subsidiary, and customer credit applications, agreements, and financing arrangements. Includes letters of credit, approved/denied credit applications, credit reports, and customer financial information.

Retention Event: Retain for the life of the credit relationship. The retention period begins when the relationship terminates.

Examples Include:

Approved Credit Applications

Collateral Documents

Credit Reports

Customer Credit References

Customer Finance Agreements

Customer Financial Information

Customer Guarantees

Debit Memos

Denied Credit Applications

Letters of Credit

New Customer Credit Checks

Subsidiary Guarantees

Third Party Guarantees