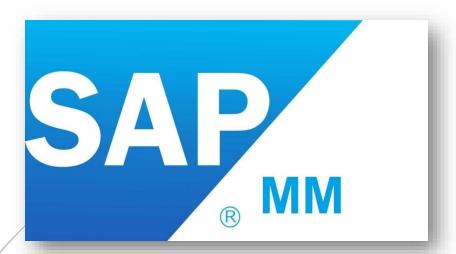
Purchase Order Release Strategy



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PO Release Strategy

What is the Release Strategy?

Usage: The release strategy in SAP MM is a process for managing and approving purchase orders before they are sent to a vendor. This involves a series of checks and approvals to ensure the purchase is necessary, budgeted, and aligned with company policies.

Purpose: It helps prevent unauthorized purchases, manage company budgets effectively, and ensure strategic purchasing decisions.

How It Works:

Setup: The release strategy is defined by purchase order value, material type, or purchasing group criteria. Depending on these criteria, different levels of approval may be required.

Process: Once a purchase order is created, it goes through the defined release (approval) process. This process can involve multiple approvers with a specific role and authorization level.

Business Benefits:

Controlled Spending: Ensures that purchases are within budget and authorized by the appropriate levels of management.

Efficiency: Streamlines the procurement process by defining clear approval workflows, reducing the time to purchase.

Compliance: Helps in adhering to internal and external policies and regulations, minimizing risk.

Strategic Purchasing: Supports strategic purchasing decisions by involving the right stakeholders in the approval process.

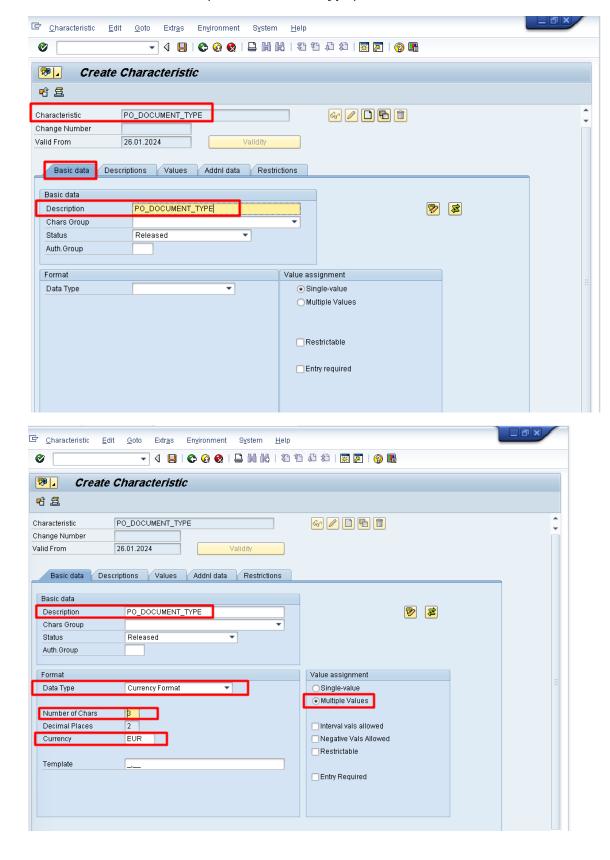




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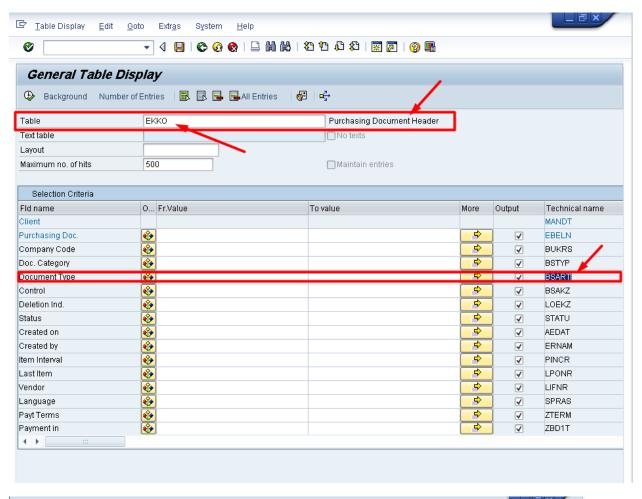
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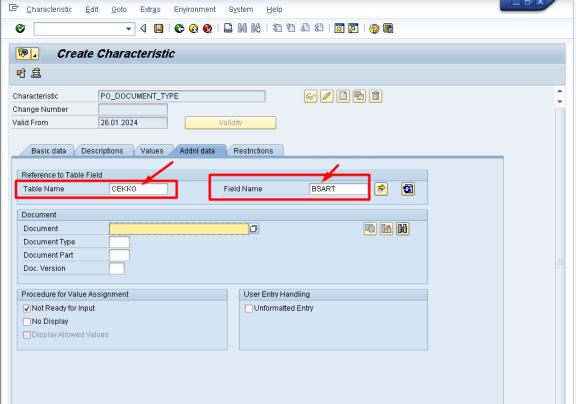




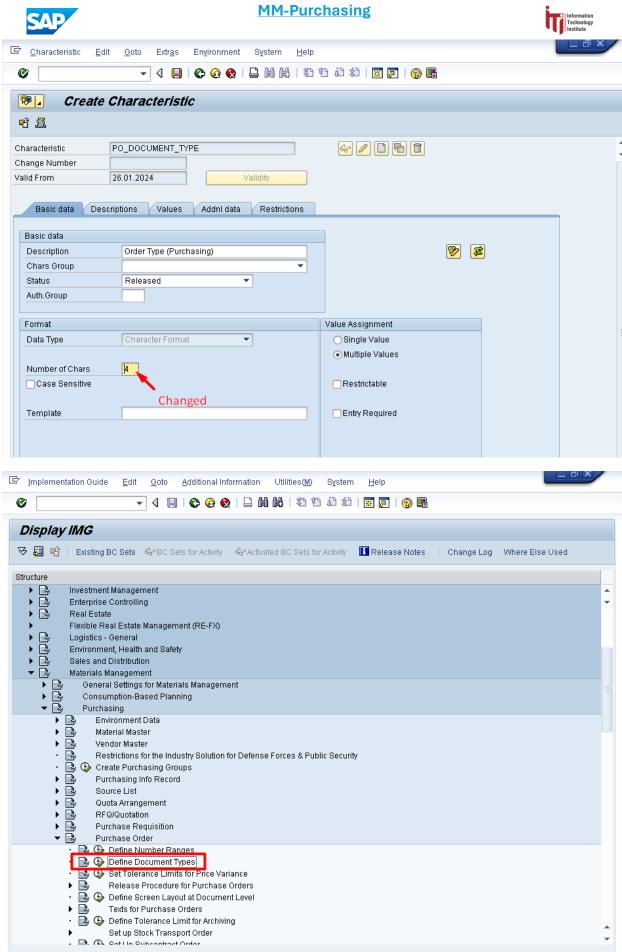


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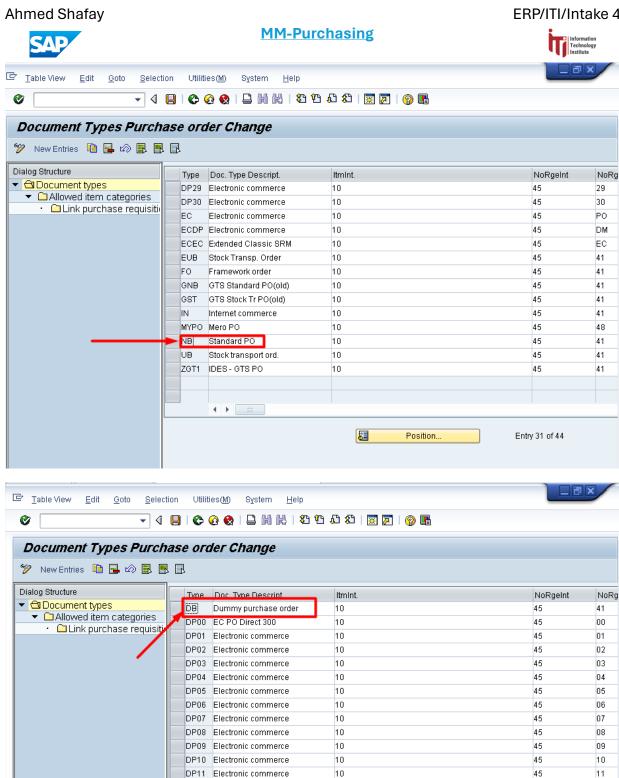


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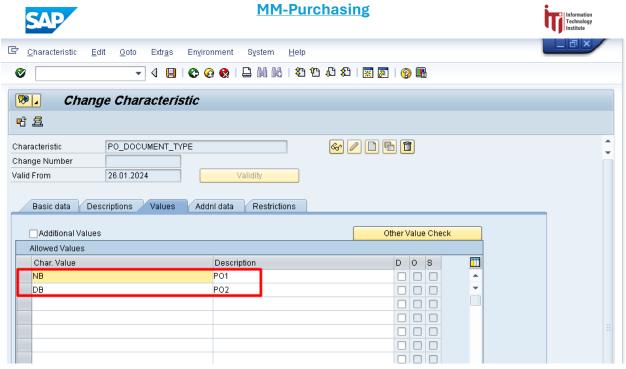
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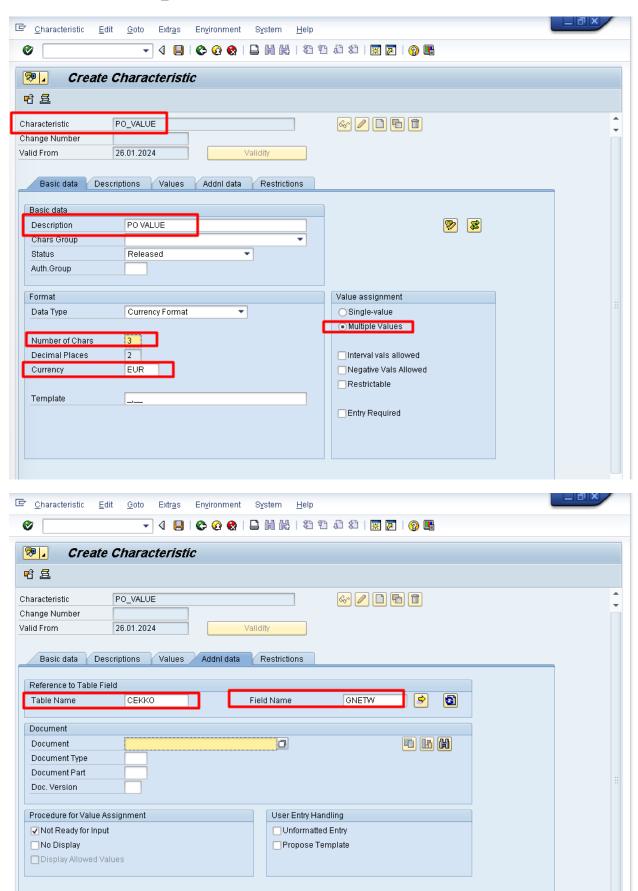


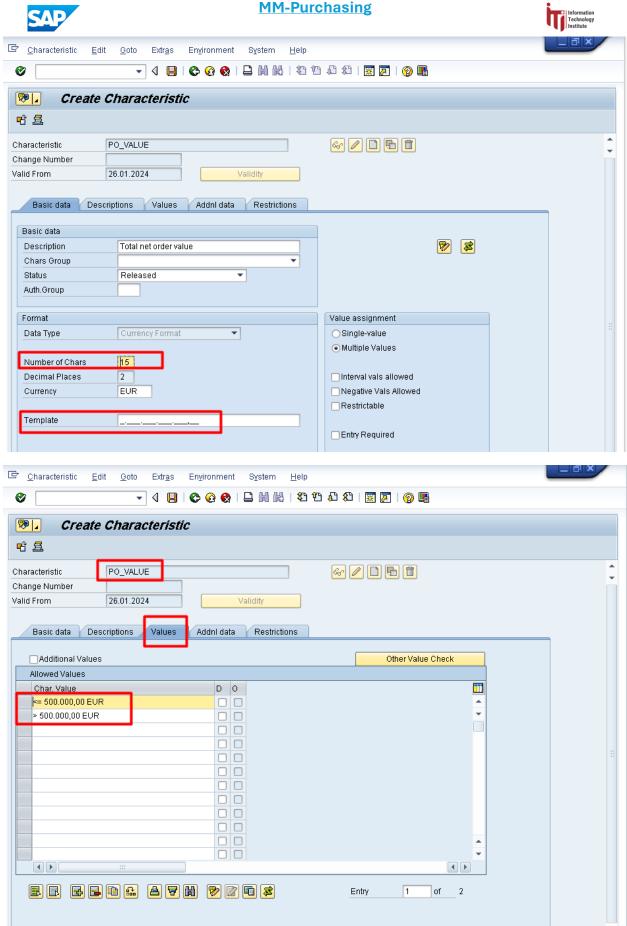






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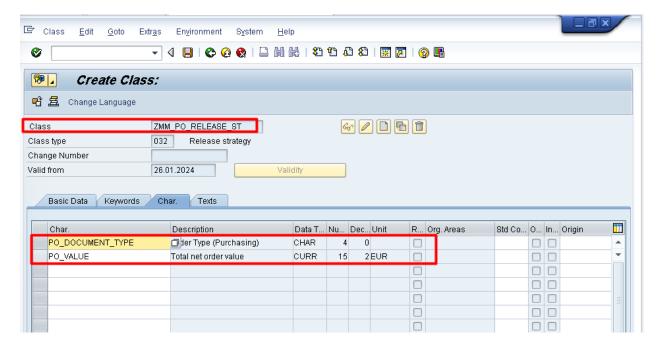






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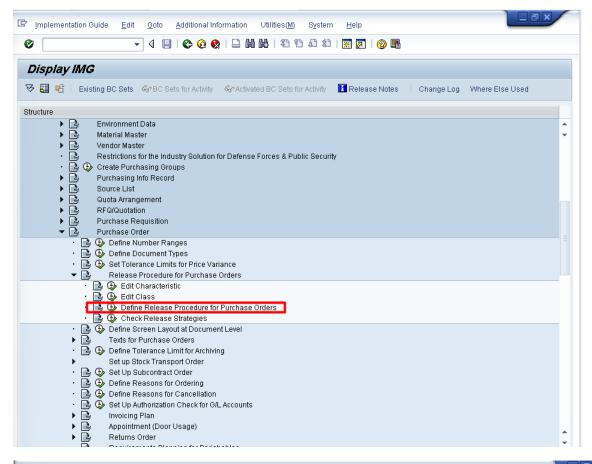


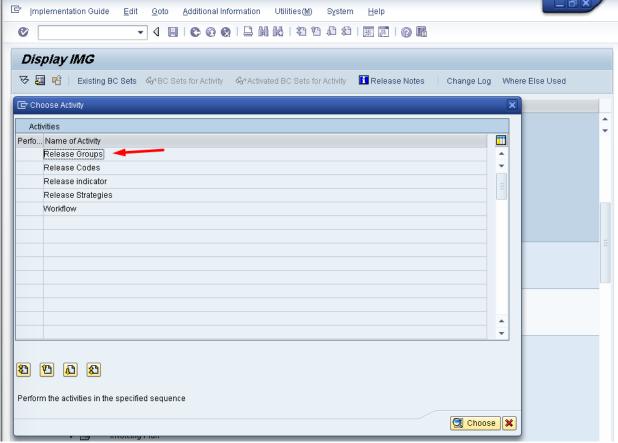






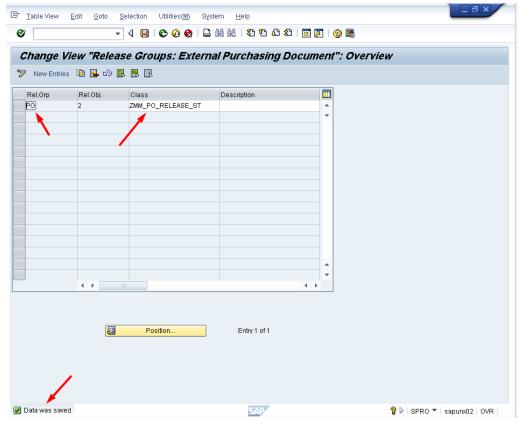
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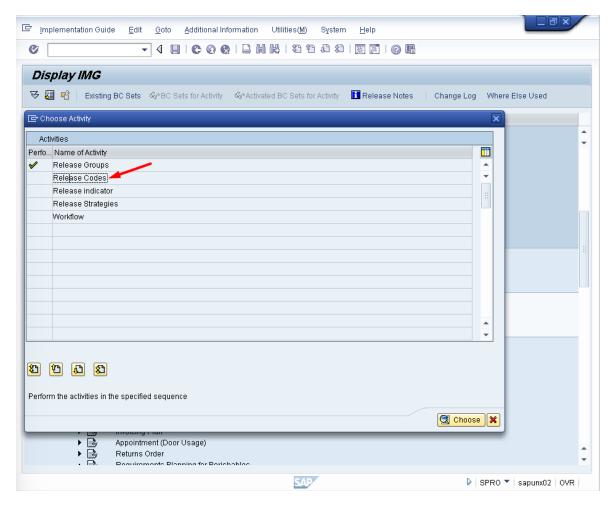








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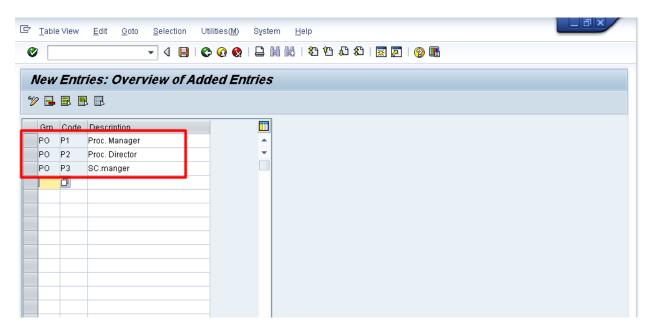




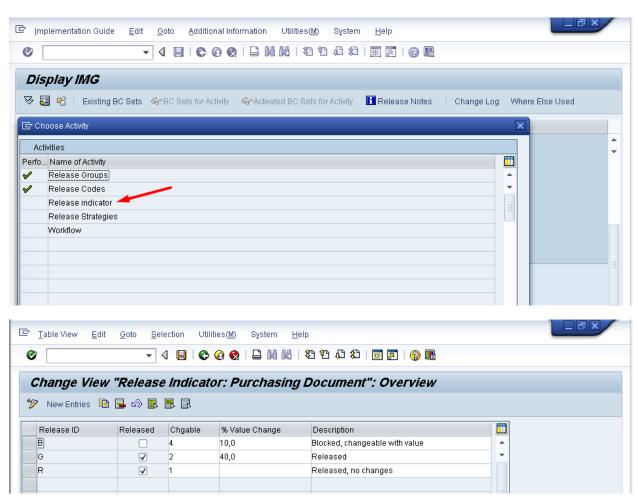








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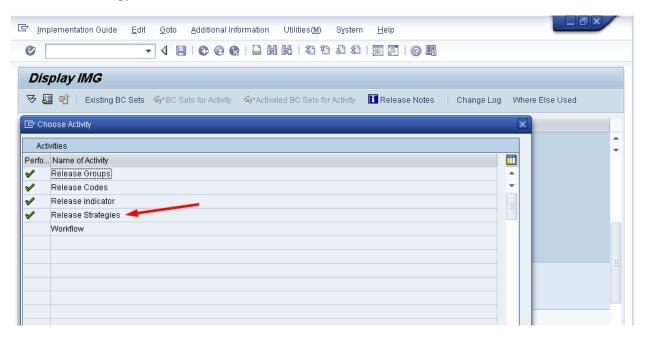






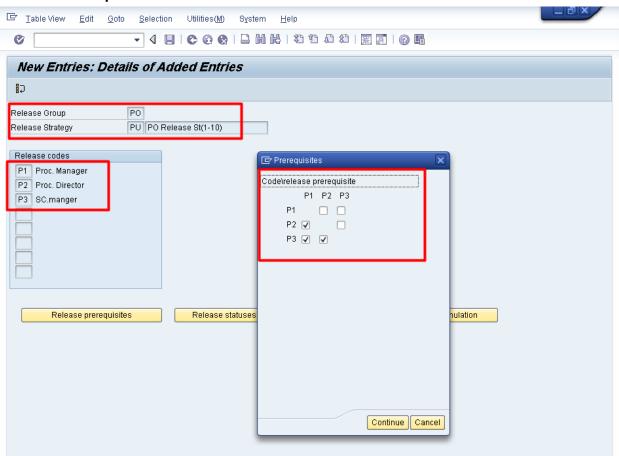






1st Release Strategy: (>500) 3 levels of approval.

Release Prerequisites:



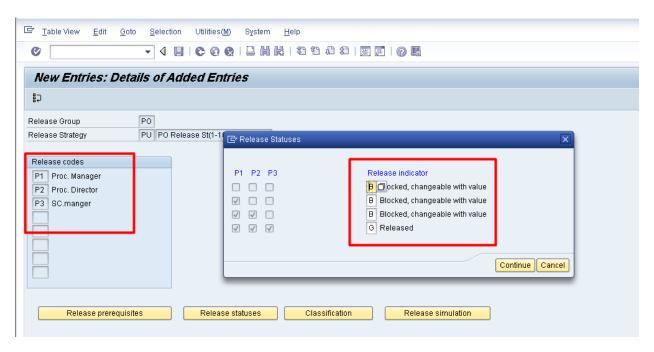




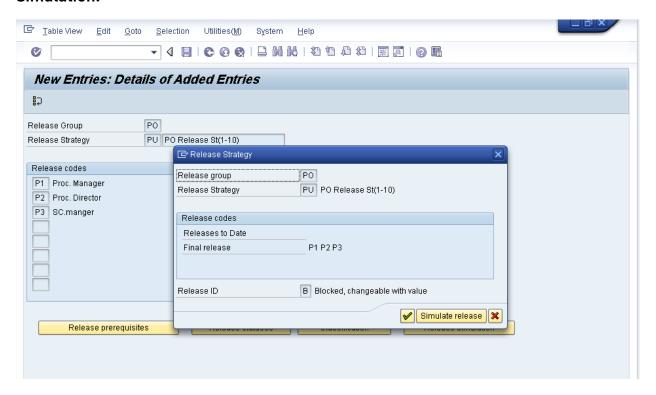








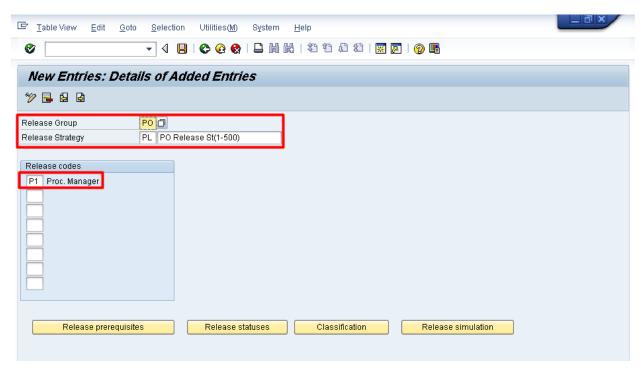
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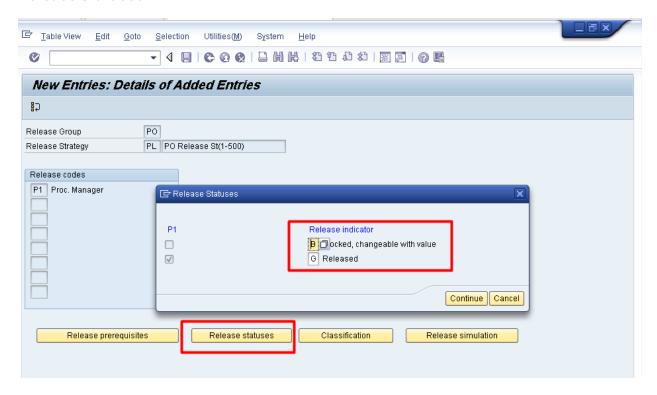




2nd Release Strategy: (1-500) 1 level of approval.



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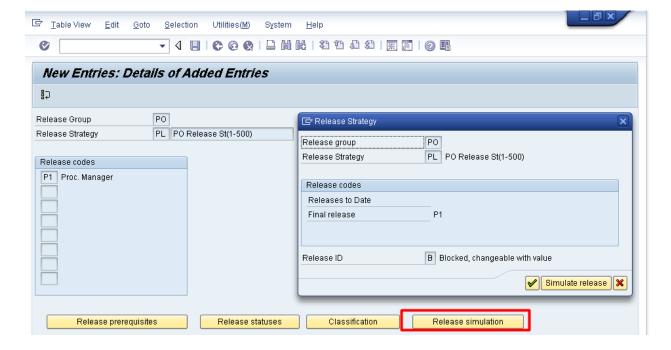








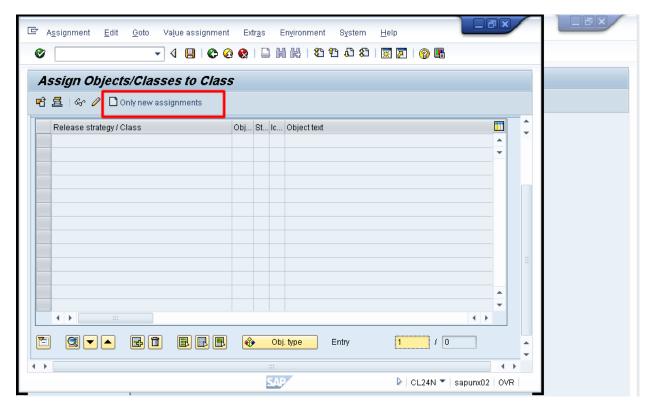




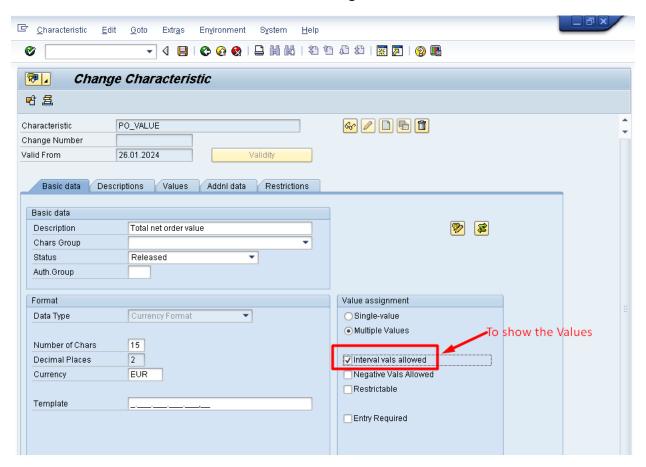


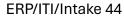


Assign the Strategies to the Class.



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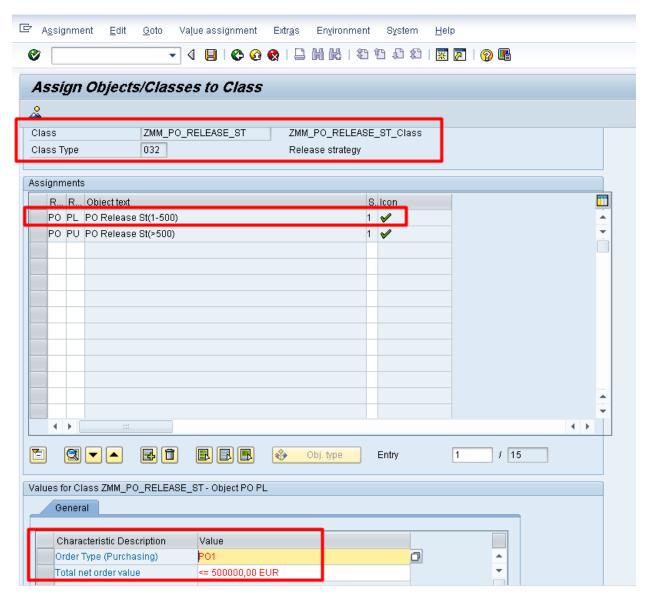








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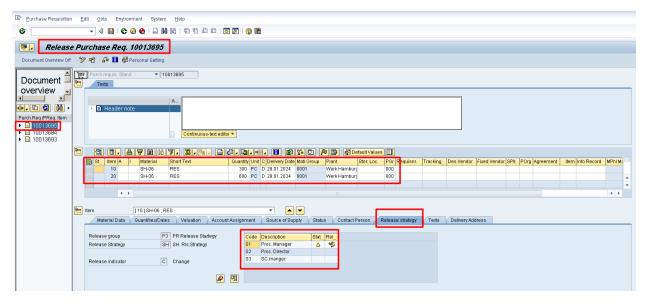




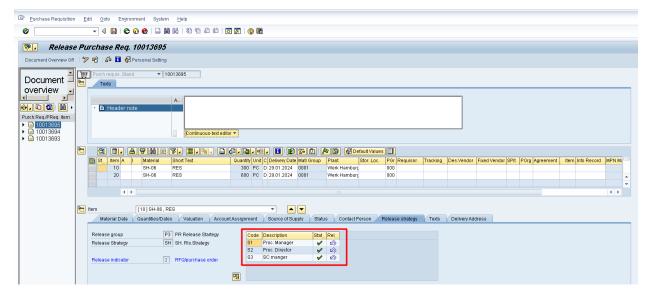




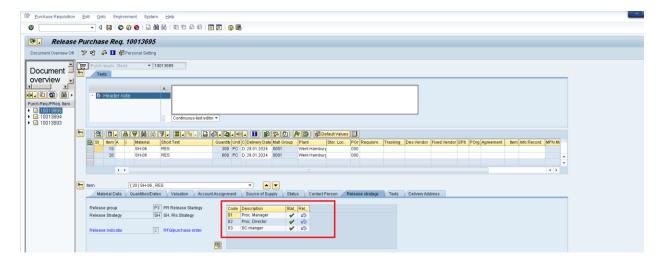




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Approval of PR Line item 2



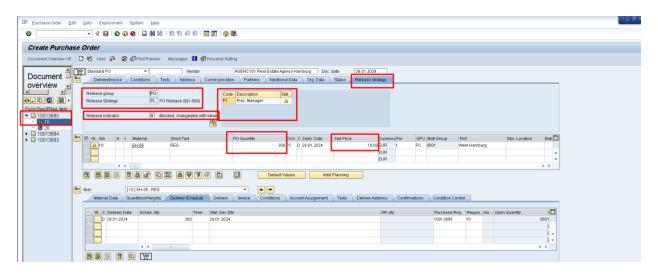




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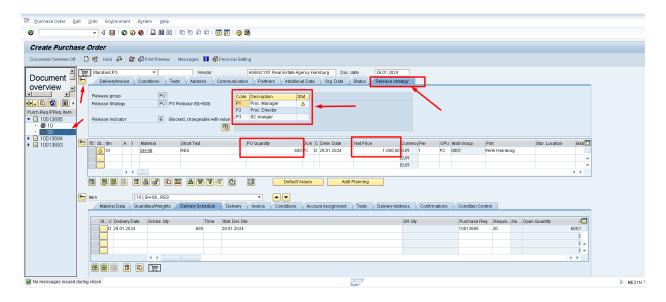
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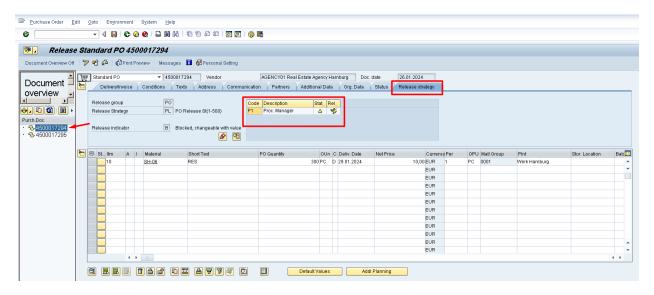
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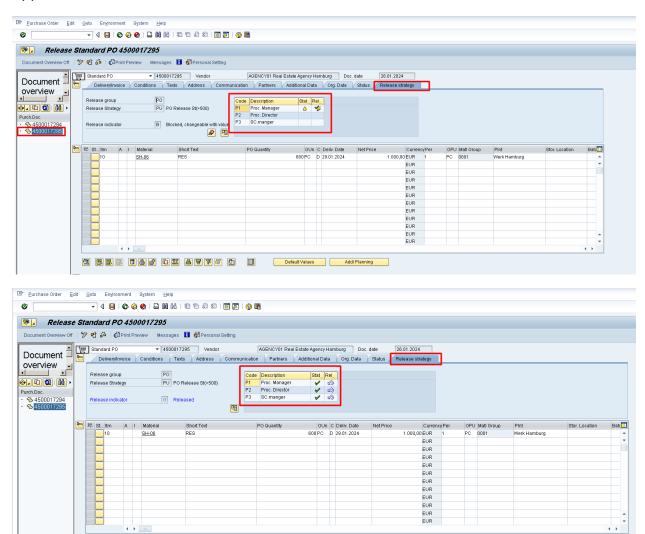


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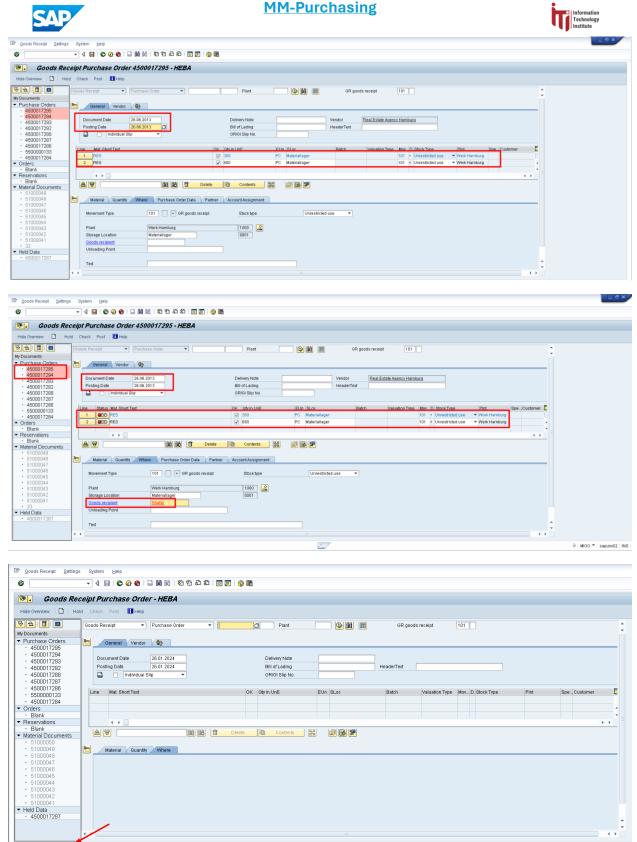


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