

Role-Based Access Control

Automated Invoice Tracking and Processing System

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Overview

This document outlines the feature access permissions for each user role in the Automated Invoice Tracking and Processing System. The system implements role-based access control (RBAC) to ensure appropriate security and operational efficiency.

1. Admin

Complete system control with full administrative privileges

Feature Access:

- Full system configuration and settings management
- User account creation, modification, and deactivation
- Role and permission assignment
- System-wide reporting and analytics
- Integration configuration (SAP, Ringi Portal, SharePoint, Email)
- Audit log access and review
- Backup and disaster recovery management

2. Finance Manager

Senior financial authority with approval and oversight capabilities

Feature Access:

- Final invoice approval authority
- Payment release authorization
- Access to all financial reports and dashboards
- Invoice status tracking across all projects
- Vendor performance analytics
- End-to-end visibility of invoice lifecycle

- Audit trail review

3. Project Manager (PM)

Project-level invoice approval and vendor communication

Feature Access:

- Invoice approval/rejection for assigned projects
- Request additional information from vendors
- View invoices routed to them for approval
- Communicate with vendors regarding invoice issues
- Track approval status for their projects
- Receive notifications for pending approvals
- Access to project-specific invoice reports

4. Finance User

Operational processing and data management capabilities

Feature Access:

- Invoice data entry and processing
- Invoice status tracking and monitoring
- Data validation and correction
- Handle flagged discrepancies from 3-way matching
- Review low-confidence OCR extractions
- Process manual review queues
- Basic reporting for operational tracking

5. Vendor

Limited external access for invoice submission and tracking

Feature Access:

- Invoice submission through vendor portal
- Track submitted invoice status (limited view)
- Receive notifications (acknowledgment, rejection, payment confirmation)
- View their own invoice history only

Restrictions:

- No access to internal approval workflows

- No access to other vendors' data
- No access to system configuration

6. Auditor

Read-only access for compliance and audit purposes

Feature Access:

- Read-only access to all invoice records
- Complete audit trail review
- Compliance report generation
- Historical data access (7-year retention)
- Access to all system logs and timestamps

Restrictions:

- No modification capabilities
- No approval authority

Summary Matrix

Role	Create	Read	Update	Approve	Configure
Admin	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Finance Manager	—	✓	—	✓	—
Project Manager	—	✓	—	✓	—
Finance User	✓	✓	✓	—	—
Vendor	✓	Limited	—	—	—
Auditor	—	✓	—	—	—

Notes

- The PRD does not provide granular feature-level permissions beyond these role descriptions.
- It is recommended to create a detailed RACI matrix or permission matrix during the design phase.
- This matrix should specify exactly which features each role can view, create, edit, or delete.
- All access is subject to security policies including TLS 1.2+, RBAC, AES-256 encryption, and SSO.