

## Hold Purchase Order if Faulty

### Description

You can use this parameter to specify whether a faulty or incomplete purchase order is to be **put on hold**.

If the value of this parameter is 'X', the purchase order is put on hold.

If the value of this parameter is ' ', the purchase order is **not** created.

#### *Park and hold (Public Sector Management; PSM)*

If you have activated the *PSM, US Federal Government - General Functions 2* (PSM\_USFED\_CI\_2) business function, park is available as well as hold, providing a further option for saving documents temporarily. You use the MEMORY\_UNCOMPLETE and PARK\_UNCOMPLETE parameters to control when incomplete and incorrectly entered purchase orders can be parked and when they can be saved.

First, the system checks which areas of the purchase order contain incomplete or incorrect data.

- If the purchase order contains consistency errors or errors in materials management, the system does not read the PARK\_UNCOMPLETE parameter.
  - If the MEMORY\_UNCOMPLETE parameter has the value 'X', the incorrect document is put on hold.
  - If the MEMORY\_UNCOMPLETE parameter has the value ' ', the incorrect document is not saved.
- If the purchase order contains incorrect or incomplete budgeting data, and no errors in materials management, the system reads the PARK\_UNCOMPLETE and MEMORY\_UNCOMPLETE parameters. The system chooses the furthest possible option of saving incomplete documents (put on hold --> park).
  - If the value of the PARK\_UNCOMPLETE parameter is 'X', the purchase order is parked, whether or not the MEMORY\_UNCOMPLETE parameter is set.
  - If the value of the PARK\_UNCOMPLETE parameter is ' ', the system reads the MEMORY\_UNCOMPLETE parameter. If the MEMORY\_UNCOMPLETE parameter has the value "X", the document is put on hold. If this parameter is not set, the purchase order is not saved.

The system proceeds according to the following logic:

MEMORY_UNCOMPLETE	PARK_UNCOMPLETE	System Behavior
X	Empty	Document is put on hold
X	X	Document is parked, if possible, and put on hold if not
Empty	X	Document is parked, if possible, and not saved if not
Empty	Empty	Document is not saved.

### Note

You can control how the BAPI behaves in the case of an error-free and complete purchase order via the parameter MEMORY\_COMPLETE.