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## Feature at a Glance API deprecation framework

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#### **Customer challenge**

Lack of an enforced deprecation policy creates a challenge for customers as Ariba releases new APIs and begins to deprecate and decommission older versions. Customers need visibility into which APIs are being deprecated in order to plan to upgrade to new versions of the API with as little interruption to their systems as possible.

#### **Solution area**

- SAP Ariba APIs
- SAP Ariba developer portal

# Meet that challenge with SAP Ariba

This feature introduces SAP Ariba's deprecation and decommissioning policy.

- Any API that has been deprecated will show a clear message on the developer portal with a link to previous and newer versions.
- Existing APIs that have been deprecated will be supported for a minimum of 12 months before being decommissioned.
- No new applications can be created for deprecated or decommissioned APIs
- Decommissioned versions should not be called and may no longer function.

#### **Experience key benefits**

Ease of implementation

**Geographic relevance** 

- Customers can now view deprecated and decommissioned APIs on the developer portal.
- SAP Ariba will provide notice prior to deprecation and decommissioning of APIs to ensure customers are informed.
- Customers are provided visibility into which APIs are being deprecated and decommissioned allowing ample time to test the new version, adopt, integrate, replace, and begin using it in their production environments

#### Implementation information

This feature is **automatically on** for all customers with the applicable solutions and is ready for immediate use.

#### **Prerequisites and Limitations**

At the discretion of SAP Ariba, the API version is eligible to be decommissioned after being in deprecated or active state for a minimum period of 24 months which must include 12 months in a deprecated state.

Low touch / simple

Global

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- After signing into the developer portal, you will see the status of an API by clicking on the API in the discovery section of the portal. If the API has multiple versions, they will be shown in a dropdown similar to the screenshot below.
- 2. Deprecated versions will show with the version number and yellow icon.



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1. Decommissioned versions will show in the manage section of the developer portal with the version number and a red icon, only if you have an application that is tied to a decommissioned API.

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