



Feature at a Glance

Ability to View SAP-Controlled Parameters in Intelligent Configuration Manager and Promote Updates from Test to Production (PLICM-847)

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Ability to view SAP-controlled parameters in Intelligent Configuration Manager and promote updates from test to production

Description

- Using the Intelligent Configuration Manager workspace, customers can now view all SAP-controlled parameters in their site.
- Additionally, SAP Ariba representatives can easily manage SAP-controlled parameters in the customer's site using Intelligent Configuration Manager. Customers can then promote any changes from the test to production site.

Customer benefit

- Within Intelligent Configuration Manager, only self-service parameters were able to be viewed and managed within the application. Customers would need to log a service request to change or see the values of SAP-controlled parameters in each of their workspaces.
- With this feature, customers can now view all changes that are being made by SAP Ariba in their site and promote the changes from test to production site. Customer administrators can view all SAP-controlled parameters in the Intelligent Configuration Manager workspace.

User

- Buyer

Enablement model

- Automatically on

Applicable solutions:

- SAP Ariba Buying
- SAP Ariba Buying and Invoicing
- SAP Ariba Contracts
- SAP Ariba Contract Invoicing
- SAP Ariba Catalog
- SAP Ariba Invoice Management
- SAP Ariba Sourcing
- SAP Ariba Spend Analysis
- SAP Ariba Strategic Sourcing Suite
- SAP Ariba Supplier Information and Performance Management
- SAP Ariba Supplier Lifecycle and Performance
- SAP Ariba Supplier Risk

Prerequisites, restrictions, cautions

Prerequisites:

- SAP Ariba representatives (customer support administrators) can perform this task.

Restrictions

- None

Cautions

- None

View self-service or SAP-controlled parameters

You can now choose to view your :

- A. Self-service parameters, as well as
- B. SAP-controlled parameters within the Intelligent Configuration Manager (ICM) interface

The screenshot displays the SAP Intelligent Configuration Manager (ICM) interface. At the top, the navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Buying and Invoicing', 'Privacy Management', and 'Audit Log'. The main heading is 'Manage parameters'. Below this, there is a 'Filters' section with a 'Type*' dropdown menu. The dropdown menu is open, showing three options: 'Self-service parameters' (highlighted with a yellow circle 'A'), 'Self-service parameters' (highlighted with a yellow circle 'B'), and 'SAP-controlled parameters'. To the right of the dropdown, there are two checkboxes under 'Parameters to show:': 'Show differences between test and production sites' and 'Show parameters without conflicts'. Below the filters are 'Reset filters' and 'Apply' buttons. The main area is titled 'Parameters' and contains a table with columns for 'Name and ID', 'Current value', and 'New value'. The table lists several parameters, each with a checkbox on the left and a toggle switch on the right. At the bottom left, there is a 'Recent changes' section with a notification icon. At the bottom right, there is a 'Chat No. (2/20)' and a 'Canonical Restr: p2pTeCustProd Test'.

	Name and ID	Current value	New value
<input type="checkbox"/>	> Allow parallel approval of denied approvables Application.Approvable.AllowApprovalOfDeniedApprovable	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	> Allow HTML tags in email approval comments Application.Approvable.AllowEmailHTMLComments	No	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/>	> Allow split accounting Application.Approvable.AllowSplitAccounting	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	> Types of approvables allowed for external approval Application.Approvable.AllowedForExternalApproval	No value	Add new value
<input type="checkbox"/>	> Escalation warning period for approval requests Application.Approvable.ApprovalRequestEscalateWarningPerk	0	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	> Escalation period for approval requests Application.Approvable.ApprovalRequestEscalationPeriod	1	1
<input type="checkbox"/>	> Include accounting split lines in HTML emails Application.Approvable.IncludeAccountingInHTMLEmails	No	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/>	> Include unsubmitted requisition changes in Document Approva Application.Approvable.IncludeComposingInChanges	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes

View self-service or SAP-controlled parameters

- Filtering on SAP-controlled parameters, you can now view the parameters that you weren't able to see previously.
- All parameters in this view are read-only.
- Requests can be made to Support for any desired parameter changes via ServiceNow.

Manage parameters

Filters

Type*
SAP-controlled parameters

Parameters to show:
 Show differences between test and production sites
 Show parameters without conflicts

Reset filters Apply

*Filters reset package selection

Parameters

Name and ID	Current value
> Application Approvable AllowedAttachmentExtensions	sldx, xltx
> Internal parameter, do not change Application Approvable AttemptRecoveryOnOOBCount	2
> Application Approvable Defaulting ProcurementUnit.*ariba.charge.core.Charge*	Order.ProcurementUnit, Requester.PartitionedUser.Accounting, PCard.ProcurementUnit
> Application Approvable Defaulting ProcurementUnit.*ariba.charge.core.ChargeReconciliation*	Order.ProcurementUnit, Charge.ProcurementUnit
> Application Approvable Defaulting ProcurementUnit.*ariba.common.core.Accounting*	ProcurementUnit, CostCenter.ProcurementUnit, BusinessUnit.ProcurementUnit, Company.ProcurementUnit
> Application Approvable Defaulting ProcurementUnit.*ariba.content.core.ShoppingCart*	Requester.PartitionedUser.Accounting
> Application Approvable Defaulting ProcurementUnit.*ariba.contract.core.Contract*	MasterAgreementRequest.ProcurementUnit
> Application Approvable Defaulting ProcurementUnit.*ariba.contract.core.ContractRequest*	Requester.PartitionedUser.Accounting

Recent changes

Chat Now (small)
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Canonical Realm: p2pTeCustProd Test
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Test and deploy SAP-controlled parameters

- After Support makes the requested updates, you can test the packages marked as “Ready to test” by Support (A).
- Click on the action item to test.

The screenshot displays the SAP Intelligent Configuration Manager interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Buying and Invoicing', 'Privacy Management', and 'Audit Log'. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Start your journey with Intelligent Configuration Manager:** A banner with a rocket icon and text: "Learn more about Intelligent Configuration Manager workspace and related tasks through training materials."
- My action items:** A table with two columns: Package Name and Status. A yellow circle labeled 'A' highlights the first row.
- Activities:** A list of activities with status indicators (checkmarks, exclamation marks, or error icons).
- Packages:** A section showing a folder icon and the text "There are no packages in the system."

Package	Status
ABC Company SR Request 123	Ready to test
Test-SL-supportpackage11	Ready to deploy
test-new-package	Ready to test

Activity	Status
Package ABC Company SR Request 123	Ready to test
Package pkg 1	Package discarded
Package pkg 1	Test failed
Package pkg 1	Ready to test
Deployment	Deployment discarded

Test and deploy SAP-controlled parameters

- Parameter changes are noted, showing Previous Value (A) and New Value (B).
- You can then approve and deploy the parameter to production or chose to fail the test.
- If the test is failed, a new ticket must be submitted to Support in order to retest and deploy.

The screenshot displays the SAP Intelligent Configuration Manager interface. At the top, the header reads "SAP Intelligent Configuration Manager". Below this, a "Test package" section shows a "Ready to test" button and details for "ABC Company SR Request 123", submitted by "Customer Support Admin". A progress bar indicates the current stage is "Test", with previous stages "Request" and "Approve" completed, and "Deploy" pending.

The "Parameters" section contains a table with the following data:

Name and ID	Previous value (A)	New value (B)
Application Approvable NotificationPreferences.OfApproval	Yes	No
Description: Default notification preference for: Each time a document is approved: Yes-Send email; No-never send email	Default value: Yes	Value in production site: Yes
Application Approvable NotificationPreferences.OfFullApproval	Yes	No
Description: Default notification preference for: When a document is fully approved: Yes-Send email; No-never send email	Default value: Yes	Value in production site: Yes

Below the table are sections for "Advanced options" and "Comments". At the bottom, there are links for "Security Disclosure", "Privacy Statement", and "Cookie Statement", along with a footer for "© 1996 - 2022 Ariba Inc. All Right Reserved". Action buttons for "Test fail" and "Test pass" are located at the bottom right.

Thank you.



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