



SAP Ariba Supplier Management & Risk

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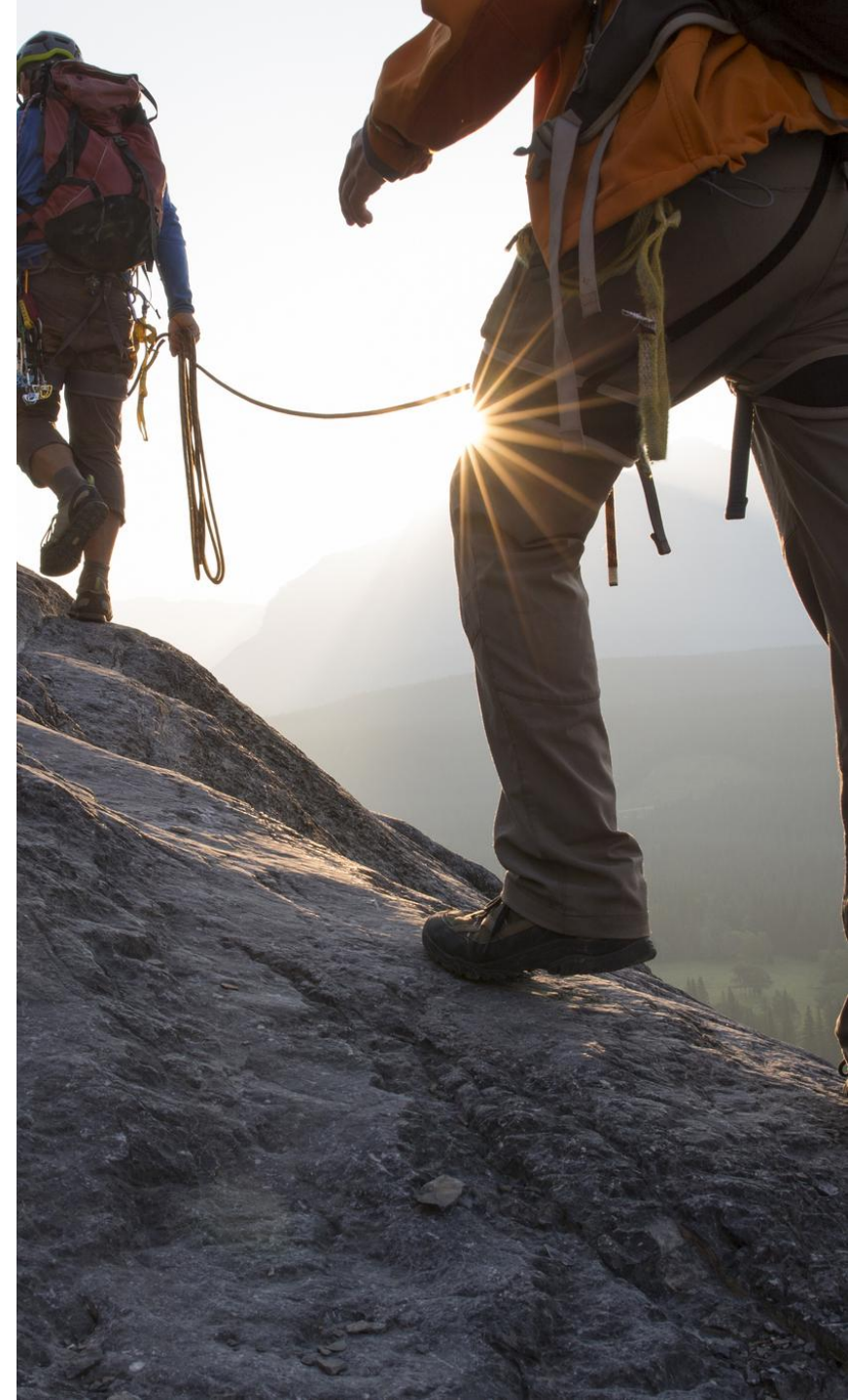
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SAP Ariba Supplier & Risk Management

This user-friendly, cloud-based solution can help you make procurement faster, reduce errors, boost productivity, and cut costs for a rapid ROI.



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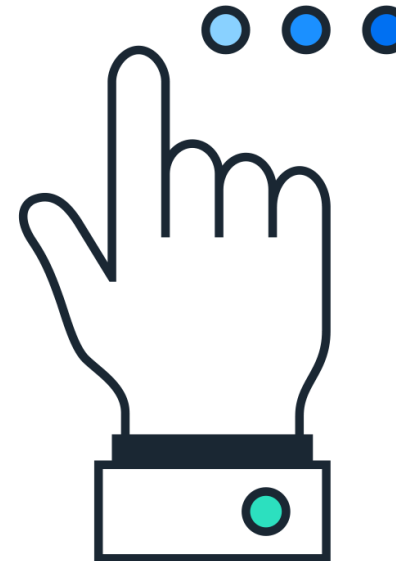
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Supplier Management
Planned Key Features

1 Ability to Restrict the Number of Commodity, Region, and Department Answers in External Questionnaires [SLP-2382](#)

This feature enables you to configure the maximum number of answers process initiators can add to **Commodity**, **Region** and **Department** questions in the external modular questionnaire.

Process initiators can only add the maximum number of answers you specify when creating a process, ensuring that processes meet your business requirements.



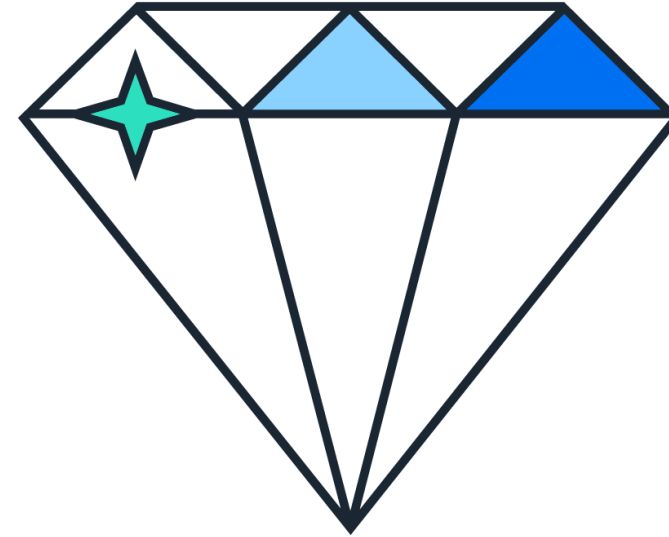
For SAP Ariba Supplier Information and Performance Management, this feature requires the "new architecture."

You must be a member of the **Template Creator** and **SM Modular Questionnaire Manager** groups to create and edit external modular questionnaire.

2 Additional Authorizations for AI Copilot Joule Scenarios in Supplier Management [SLP-2412](#)

This feature refines the requirements for user group membership to see prompts for specific Joule supplier management scenarios.

This refinement ensures that prompts related to specific pieces of supplier management functionality are only visible to users with relevant permissions, in customer landscapes that include the applicable solutions.



Joule must be integrated with SAP Ariba Supplier Lifecycle and Performance. For details, see [Integrating Joule with SAP Ariba Solutions](#).

Other prerequisites for Joule integration with SAP Ariba Supplier Lifecycle and Performance must be met. For details, and for full descriptions of the affected scenarios, see [Joule Capabilities in Supplier Management](#).

SAP Ariba Supplier Risk Management Updates

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Enhanced Virus scanning capability in Supplier Risk
[SRISK-1329](#)

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Joule transactional capabilities for exposure data
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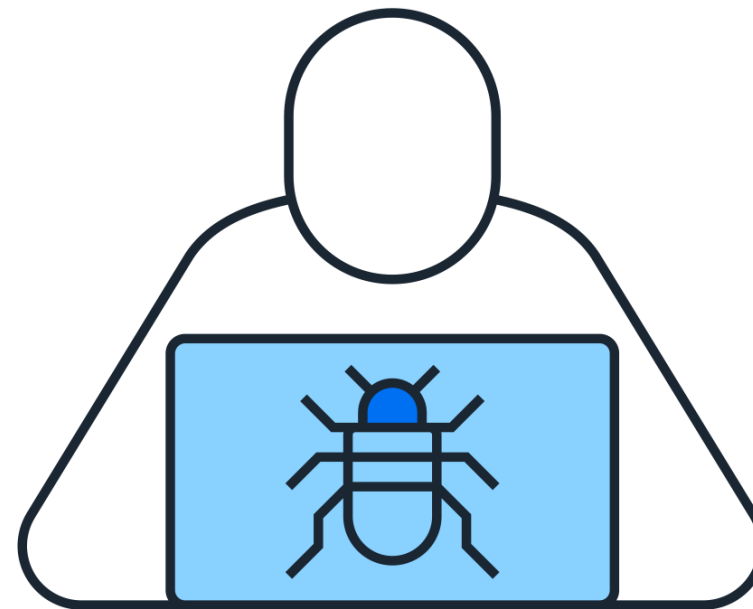
Supplier Risk
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1 Enhanced Virus scanning capability in Supplier Risk [SRISK-1329](#)

This feature automatically scans all files uploaded during different stages of an engagement request for viruses and malware, providing enhanced security protection throughout the supplier onboarding process.

When documents are uploaded during any stage of creating an engagement request, each file is scanned in real-time before the next upload can begin.

This sequential upload process ensures thorough security screening of documents.

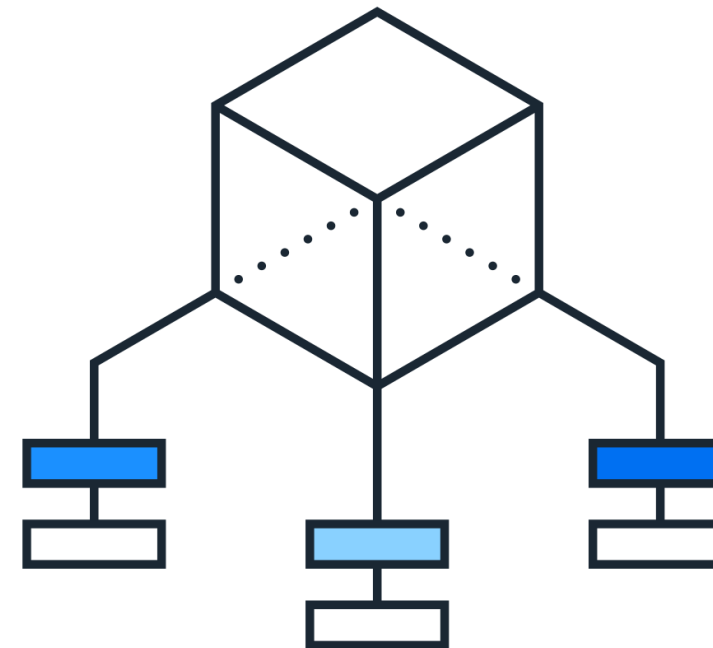


2 Risk Exposure Open API Enhancement [SRISK-1856](#)

This feature enables the Risk Exposure API to retrieve responses for both standard and custom risk categories for suppliers you monitor in SAP Ariba Supplier Risk.

The responses depend on the **Enable custom risk categories** parameter setting on your site (Application.SR.Risk.EnableCustomRiskCategories).

When the parameter is disabled, the API automatically returns data for the default risk categories: Environmental & Social, Financial, Operational, and Regulatory & Legal.



3 Joule transactional capabilities for exposure data [SRISK-1860](#)

This feature adds more capabilities to the AI copilot Joule for SAP Ariba Supplier Risk users.

The AI copilot Joule integrates with the Risk Exposure API and helps SAP Ariba Supplier Risk users find information about the risk exposure levels of suppliers, list of suppliers who are qualified or preferred for a specific commodity, region, category, or with specific risk exposure rating.

Capability Type	Scenario	Description	Example
Transactional	See suppliers who are qualified for supplying a high-risk commodity.	Displays a list of suppliers who are qualified to supply the required commodity.	List top five suppliers qualified to supply the commodity "Gold" with a current risk classification of "High Risk."
Transactional	See suppliers who are marked as preferred for supplying a high-risk commodity.	Displays a list of suppliers who are marked as preferred for supplying the high-risk commodity that you want information about.	List top five preferred suppliers to supply the commodity "Gold" with a current risk classification of "High Risk."
Transactional	See suppliers who are qualified for supplying a high-risk commodity in a specific region.	Displays a list of suppliers who are qualified to supply the required commodity in the specific region only.	List top five suppliers qualified to supply the commodity "Gold" with a current risk classification of "High Risk" in the region "United Kingdom."
Transactional	See low risk suppliers for a particular commodity in the specific region.	Displays a list of suppliers whose risk exposure level is low a particular commodity in the specific region.	List top five low risk suppliers qualified to supply the commodity "Gold" with a current risk classification of "Low Risk" in the region "United Kingdom."

Resources



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