

# Online Banking ACH Origination *User Guide*

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# **Security Token for ACH Origination**

### Introduction

Security tokens are used to protect your online banking activity and are available on both iPhone and Android devices. You are required to use a security token for online ACH origination.

# Activate VIP Access

Step	Action
1	From the <b>App Store</b> or <b>Google Play Store</b> , search <b>VIP Access</b> .
2	Download the App.
3	<b>Open</b> the app and provide the <b>Credential ID</b> to your local treasury team.
	The Credential ID typically starts with SYMC followed by 8 digits, but we'll need the full alpha-numeric ID to link your online banking profile to your security token.
4	Once you've provided your Credential ID and we've linked it to your online banking profile, you can access the ACH module within online banking.
5	Please note, if your Credential ID changes, you must notify your local treasury management team. This could happen if you get a new phone or delete the VIP Access app and have to download it again.

### **Sub User Administration**

# Create a New Sub User

Follow the steps below to create a sub user.

Step	Action
1	From the Gear Icon in the top right corner **, navigate to Administration and click <b>Sub-Users Administration</b> .
2	A one-time <b>Security Code</b> is required at this point.
	Based on your individual enrollment preferences, you will receive the Security Code by text or email.
3	Using the "I want to" drop-down on the Sub-User Administration menu, select <b>Add a New Sub-User</b> .
	Required fields are designated with an asterisk (*).
4	Enter Access ID.
	Access ID Requirements
	Must be between 5-20 characters
	May include letters, numbers, and special character
	Cannot match your SSN or Tax ID #
	Is case sensitive
	If you choose to include a special character you can only use these characters:
5	!   @   #   \$   -   _   .   Enter Sub-User's Contact Information:
	Name (first and last name)
	Mobile Phone
	Social Security Number (SSN)
	Email
	Social Security Number must be a 9-digit number the user knows,
	but it does not have to be their Social Security Number.
6	IMPORTANT

	Enabling the <b>Sub-User Administrator</b> option gives the user
	administrative privileges.
7	Any user designated as a Sub-User Administrator will have the ability to:  • Add, remove, or maintenance sub-users • Entitle privileges to sub-users • Add account access to themselves and others  Enter/Confirm a Temporary Passcode.
	This is a temporary passcode only. The user will be prompted to
	change passcode when they login.
8	Grant Access to account(s).
	Basic: User can transfer to and from the account, view balances and reports, and access account history.
	<ul> <li>View Only: User can view account balances, reports, and history only.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Transfer To: User can transfer to the account only.</li> </ul>
	Loan Advance: User can transfer from the loan account if  loan type allows
	<ul><li>loan type allows.</li><li>None: User has no access.</li></ul>
	• Notice: User flas flu access.
9	Click <b>Submit</b> to save and continue.
10	Click <b>Back</b> to Sub-User Administration.
11	Provide the Access ID and temporary Passcode you created to the new sub user.

Add ACH Privileges to an Existing Sub User Follow the steps below to add ACH privileges to an existing sub user.

Step	Action
1	From the Sub-Users Administration page, use the appropriate
	modify action (ACH Credit Origination and/or ACH Debit
	Origination) in the sub-user's "I want to" drop-down menu.

	The actions available in the drop-down menu will depend on the services the company has enabled.
2	On the Modify Sub-User - Commercial Services page, change the limit amount for a cash management service, if necessary, in its corresponding <b>Limit Amount</b> box.
	You can only set a user's limit to an amount less than or equal to the company's limit.
	If the limit is not changed, the user's limit will default to the company limit.
3	For each service, select from the <b>Access Level</b> list to grant access to that SEC code.
	None: No access to the service; this is the default.
	View: Allows the user only to view transactions.
	<b>Approve Only:</b> Allows the user to approve transactions but not view, create, modify, or delete.
	<b>Enter Only:</b> Allows the user to view, enter, modify, and delete but not approve transactions.
	Enter + Approve Other: Allows the user to view, enter, modify,
	and delete transactions and approve any transaction another user created or modified.
	<b>Full:</b> Allows the user to view, enter, modify, delete, and approve transactions.
4	Check the box for <b>Confidential Batches</b> only if the user will have
	access to create and/or access confidential batches (such as
	payroll batches that you only want visible to certain users).
5	Check box for Same Day ACH only if the user will have access to
	process Same Day ACH transactions (additional fees apply to same day ACH transactions).
6	Select Account(s).
7	Select <b>Submit</b> to save changes.

8	ACH Origination requires a soft token (VIP Access) to use the service.
	For instructions on downloading the soft token app, click <u>here.</u>

### Disable or Delete an Existing Sub User

Follow the steps below to disable or delete a sub user.

Step	Action
1	From the Sub-Users Administration page, use the sub-user's "I want to" drop-down menu and select <b>Modify Sub-User</b> Information.
2	Choose Disable or Delete in the bottom right corner.  Disable  If the user is disabled, any scheduled transactions by the user will still be processed. A user who has been disabled can be reenabled. For example, if the user will be out on leave for a few weeks, you may want to disable them until they return.  Delete  If the user is deleted, any transaction the user scheduled that has not processed will be canceled. Pending transactions created by the user will be unscheduled and will not be processed. A deleted user cannot be re-enabled. If you delete a user in error, they cannot be retrieved and will have to be created again by the online banking administrator.

# **ACH Login**

# Access to ACH Origination

Follow the steps below to access the ACH origination platform.

Step	Action
1	Open your browser and go to www.pnfp.com.
2	Under Online Banking, enter your <b>Access ID</b> and <b>Password.</b>
3	Click Log In.
4	Once logged in, click the Payments & Transfers tab.
5	Select appropriate ACH option to launch origination  New ACH Payment  NACHA File Import
6	You'll be prompted to enter your security token code.  Open the VIP Access app on your phone and key the six-digit code that appears.
7	The ACH origination platform will open.

### Forgot Password

Follow the steps below if you forgot your Password and cannot login

Step	Action
1	Open your browser and go to www.pnfp.com.
2	Under Online Banking, click Forgot Password.
3	Complete the Password reset process.
4	If you have trouble resetting your Password, reach out to your local Treasury Management Client Services team, or call the number below.
	<b>Eastern Time Zone:</b> 855.282.8655
	<b>Central Time Zone:</b> 866.839.2781

### **ACH Contact Management Tool**

#### Introduction

This section of the user guide covers how to use the Contact Management Tool. This tool allows you to build a list of businesses and individuals you use frequently, making it easy to send and collect payments quickly.

You can import a list of contacts in either TSV or CSV format. It may be helpful to create your file in Excel and use the Save As option to select (\*.csv) or (\*.tsv).

### Information to include:

- Individual or Company Name\*
- ID
- Contact Type\*
- Account Type\*
- Account Number\*
- R&T Number\*
- Payment Type\*

### \*Required

If column headers **are** included, they should read exactly as they appear above, in any order. If column headers **are not** included, the information must be in the exact order listed above, from left to right.

# Add Contacts using CSV or TSV File Import

Follow the steps below to import a list of contacts in CSV or TSV format.

Step	Action
1	In online banking, navigate to <b>Payments &amp; Transfers &gt; Contacts &gt; All Contacts</b> .
2	Click the <b>New</b> drop down near the top, right corner and choose <b>Import Contacts.</b>
3	Click <b>Choose File</b> and locate the CSV file on your computer.
4	Click <b>Upload.</b> A small green pop up will appear to confirm a successful upload.

### Add Contacts Manually

Follow the steps below to add contacts manually.

Step	Action
1	In online banking, navigate to Payments & Transfers > Contacts > New Contact.
2	Add Contact Details.
3	Click Save Contact or Save and Add Another.

### Make a Contact Active or Inactive

Follow the steps below to make an existing contact Active or Inactive.

*Important:* Any changes made to a contact will NOT affect any pending or recurring payments for this contact.

Step	Action
1	In online banking, navigate to Payments & Transfers > Contacts > All Contacts.
2	Click the <b>Name</b> of the contact to open the <b>Contact Details</b> .
3	Just above Contact Details you will see the current status of the contact. Click to make the contact Active or Inactive.
4	Click Back to Contacts.

# Edit an Existing Contact

Follow the steps below to edit an existing contact.

*Important:* Any changes made to a contact will NOT affect any pending or recurring payments for this contact.

Step	Action
1	In online banking, navigate to Payments & Transfers > Contacts > All Contacts.
2	Click the <b>Name</b> of the contact to open the <b>Contact Details</b> .
3	Edit the Contact Details and Save Changes.
4	Click Back to Contacts.

# **New ACH Payment: Sending Payments to Individuals (PPD Credits)**

### Introduction

This section of the user guide covers creating a batch for the purpose of sending payments (credits) to individuals.

# **Batch**

**Create an ACH** Follow the steps below to create a batch that can be saved and reused.

Step	Actio	n
1	Click Payments & Transfers.	
2	Select New ACH Payment.	
3	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from click <b>Continue</b> .	n your VIP Access app, then
4	What would you like to do? = Select <b>Send a Payment.</b>	
	Whom would you like to pay? = Se	lect <b>Individual.</b>
5	Click <b>Next.</b>	
6	Select <b>Add Recipients</b> from the Ad	d Recipients drop down.
7	Complete the required fields.  Required Fields: Recipient Name Account Type (checking or Account Number Routing Number Amount  Additional Fields: Contact ID Addenda	savings)
8	If You have additional recipients to add, You do not have additional recipients to add,	Then Click Save & Add Another. Click Save.

9	Click Next.
10	Select <b>Funding Account</b> from dropdown.
	<b>Add Memo</b> (optional). This field is the Company Discretionary Data and could be visible to the recipient.
	<ul> <li>Payment Frequency</li> <li>Single Payments are created only one time.</li> <li>Occasional Payments are not automatically rescheduled; however, the payment remains on the Activity list and can be reused.</li> <li>Recurring Payments are automatically processed on recurring frequency.</li> </ul>
	Select the <b>Payment Date.</b> This is the effective date of transaction.
	Same Day ACH (optional). This option will only appear if same day ACH has been enabled. There could be an additional fee for same day ACH transactions.
11	Click Next.
12	Add Payment Name. This field is limited to 10 characters and will be visible to the recipient.  Examples include:  Payroll Dir Dep Payment
	Add Payment Description (optional). This field is limited to 30 characters and is not visible to the recipient.  Examples include:  Payroll MM/DD/YYYY
	Expense Reimbursement
13	Mark as Confidential can be used to keep the information within the batch confidential.

	You can choose the users at your company who should have access to the batch, and others will not be able to see it.
	Note: This option may not be available to you since it's a permission granted by your company's administrator.
14	Click Submit Payment.
15	Payment Submitted screen will appear. Click <b>Approve.</b> Note: Options are based on user privileges.
16	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue.</b>
17	Note: If Occasional frequency was selected, then following the effective date of your batch, the batch template will display as date not set on the Activity page. This batch template can be reused.

### **New ACH Payments: Collecting Payments from Individuals (PPD Debits)**

### Introduction

This section of the user guide covers creating a batch for the purpose of collecting payments (debits) from individuals.

# Create an ACH Batch

**Create an ACH** Follow the steps below to create a batch that can be saved and reused.

Step	Actio	on
1	Click Payments & Transfers.	
2	Select New ACH Payment.	
3	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue.</b>	
4	What would you like to do? = Select Collect a Payment.	
	Who would you like to collect from	m? = Select <b>Individual.</b>
5	Click <b>Next.</b>	
6	Select <b>Add Recipients</b> from the Ad	dd Recipients drop down.
7	Required Fields:  Recipient Name Account Type (checking or Account Number Routing Number Amount  Additional Fields: Contact ID Addenda	savings)
8	If You have additional recipients to add, You do not have additional recipients to add,	Then Click Save & Add Another. Click Save.

9	Click Next.
10	Select <b>Deposit To</b> account from dropdown.
	<b>Add Memo</b> (optional). This field is the Company Discretionary Data and could be visible to the recipient.
	<ul> <li>Payment Frequency</li> <li>Single Payments are created only one time.</li> <li>Occasional Payments are not automatically rescheduled; however, the payment remains on the Activity list and can be reused.</li> <li>Recurring Payments are automatically processed on recurring frequency.</li> </ul>
	Select the <b>Payment Date.</b> This is the effective date of transaction.
11	Click Next.
12	Add Payment Name. This field is limited to 10 characters and will be visible to the recipient.  Examples include:  HOA Dues  Draft Rent
	Add <b>Payment Description</b> (optional). This field is limited to 30 characters and is not visible to the recipient.  Examples include:
	<ul> <li>HOA Dues MM/DD/YYYY</li> <li>Monthly Membership Dues</li> </ul>
13	Mark as Confidential can be used to keep the information within the batch confidential.
	You can choose the users at your company who should have access to the batch, and others will not be able to see it.

	Note: This option may not be available to you since it's a permission granted by your company's administrator.
14	Click Submit Payment.
15	Payment Submitted screen will appear. Click <b>Approve.</b>
	Note: Options are based on user privileges.
16	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue.</b>
17	Your batch template will appear with a status of Approved.  Note: If Occasional frequency was selected, following the effective date of your batch, the batch template will display as date not set on the Activity page. This batch template can be reused.

# **New ACH Payment: Sending Payments to Businesses (CCD Credits)**

### Introduction

This section of the user guide covers creating a batch for the purpose of sending payments (credits) to businesses.

# **Batch**

**Create an ACH** Follow the steps below to create a batch that can be saved and reused.

Click Payments & Transfers.  Select New ACH Payment.  Enter the Security Token code from click Continue.  What would you like to do? = Sele  Whom would you like to pay? = Sele	ct <b>Send a Payment.</b>
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	iieut <b>busiliess.</b>
Click <b>Next.</b>	
Select <b>Add Recipients</b> from the Ad	ld Recipients drop down.
Complete the required fields.  Required Fields: Recipient Name Account Type (checking or Account Number Routing Number Amount  Additional Fields: Contact ID Addenda	savings)
If You have additional recipients	Then Click Save & Add Another. Click Save.
	<ul> <li>Recipient Name</li> <li>Account Type (checking or</li> <li>Account Number</li> <li>Routing Number</li> <li>Amount</li> </ul> Additional Fields: <ul> <li>Contact ID</li> <li>Addenda</li> </ul> If

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	Note: This option may not be available to you since it's a permission granted by your company's administrator.
14	Click Submit Payment.
15	Payment Submitted screen will appear. Click <b>Approve.</b> Note: Options are based on user privileges.
16	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue.</b>
17	Your batch template will appear with a status of Approved.  If Occasional frequency was selected, following the effective date of your batch, the batch template will display as <i>date not set</i> on the Activity page. This batch template can be reused.

# **New ACH Payment: Collecting Payments from Businesses (CCD Debits)**

### Introduction

This section of the user guide covers creating a batch for the purpose of collecting payments (debits) from businesses.

# Create an ACH Batch

Follow the steps below to create a batch that can be saved and reused.

Step	Actio	n
1	Click Payments & Transfers.	
2	Select New ACH Payment.	
3	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from click <b>Continue.</b>	m your VIP Access app, then
4	What would you like to do? = Select Collect a Payment.	
	Who would you like to collect from	n? = Select <b>Business.</b>
5	Click <b>Next.</b>	
6	Select <b>Add Recipients</b> from the Ad	d Recipients drop down.
7	Complete the required fields.  Required Fields:  Recipient Name  Account Type (checking or Account Number  Routing Number  Amount  Additional Fields:  Contact ID  Addenda	savings)
8	If You have additional recipients to add, You do not have additional recipients to add,	Then Click Save & Add Another. Click Save.

9	Click Next.
10	Select <b>Deposit To</b> account from dropdown.
	<b>Add Memo</b> (optional). This field is the Company Discretionary Data and could be visible to the recipient.
	<ul> <li>Payment Frequency</li> <li>Single Payments are created only one time.</li> <li>Occasional Payments are not automatically rescheduled; however, the payment remains on the Activity list and can be reused.</li> <li>Recurring Payments are automatically processed on recurring frequency.</li> </ul>
	Select the <b>Payment Date.</b> This is the effective date of transaction.
11	Click Next.
12	Add <b>Payment Name.</b> This field is limited to 10 characters and will be visible to the recipient.
	Examples include:
	Add <b>Payment Description</b> (optional). This field is limited to 30 characters and is not visible to the recipient.
	<ul><li>Examples include:</li><li>Lease Payment MM/DD/YYYY</li><li>Vendor Drafts MM/DD/YYYY</li></ul>
13	Mark as Confidential can be used to keep the information within the batch confidential.
	You can choose the users at your company who should have access to the batch, and others will not be able to see it.
	Note: This option may not be available to you since it's a permission granted by your company's administrator.

14	Click Submit Payment.
15	Payment Submitted screen will appear. Click Approve.
	Note: Options are based on user privileges.
16	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue.</b>
17	Your batch template will appear with a status of Approved.
	If Occasional frequency was selected, following the effective date of your batch, the batch template will display as <b>date not set</b> on the Activity page. This batch template can be reused.

### **TXT File Import**

#### Introduction

TXT file Import allows you to import your ACH transactions quickly and easily. This feature is ideal for large files since you can import the details instead of manually adding them.

You are required to use TXT file format (\*.txt). It may find it helpful to create your file in Excel and use the Save As option to select (\*.txt).

Transaction information within the file must be in the following order from left to right. **Do not include a header row.** 

- Individual or Company Name\*
- ID
- Account Number\*
- Account Type\*
- Routing and Transit Number\*
- Amount\*
- Item Description

### **TXT File Import** Follow the steps below to create or update a batch with TXT File Import.

Step	Action
1	Click Payments & Transfers.
2	Select New ACH Payment.
3	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue.</b>
4	What would you like to do? Select <b>Send a Payment</b> or <b>Collect a Payment.</b> Whom would you like to pay or collect funds from? Select <b>Individual</b> or <b>Business.</b>
5	Click <b>Next.</b>
6	Select <b>Import Recipients</b> from the Add Recipients drop down.

<sup>\*</sup>Required

7	Replace existing recipients is checked as a default.
	If you are adding recipients to an existing batch, select <b>Add to</b> existing recipients.
8	Drop file in window or select Browse to locate file.
9	Click <b>Update</b> .
9	Verify recipient information and make any necessary edits.
10	Click Next.
11	Select <b>Funding Account</b> from dropdown.
	<b>Add Memo</b> (optional). This field is the Company Discretionary Data and could be visible to the recipient.
	<ul> <li>Single Payments are created only one time.</li> <li>Occasional Payments are not automatically rescheduled; however, the payment remains on the Activity list and can be reused.</li> <li>Recurring Payments are automatically processed on recurring frequency.</li> <li>Select the Payment Date. This is the effective date of transaction.</li> <li>Same Day ACH (optional). This option will only appear if same day ACH has been enabled. There could be an additional fee for same day ACH transactions.</li> </ul>
12	Click Next.
11	Add Payment Name. This field is limited to 10 characters and will be visible to the recipient.  Examples include:  Payroll Dir Dep Vendor Pay

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	characters and is not visible to the recipient.
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12	Click Submit Payment.
13	Payment Submitted screen will appear. Click <b>Approve.</b>
	Note: Options are based on user privileges.
14	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue.</b>
15	Your batch template will appear with a status of Approved.
	Note: If Occasional frequency was selected, following the effective date of your batch, the batch template will display as <i>date not set</i> on the Activity page. This batch template can be reused.

### **Fixed Recurring Batches**

### Introduction

Fixed recurring batches can be used when the payment information is always the same and is sent on a set schedule.

For example, a building lease payment for \$5,000 due on the first of the month. The amount doesn't change, it goes to the same routing and account number, and occurs on a fixed schedule.

### Create a Fixed Recurring Batch

Follow the steps below to create a fixed recurring batch.

Step	Actio	n
1	Click Payments & Transfers.	
2	Select New ACH Payment.	
3	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from click <b>Continue</b> .	n your VIP Access app, then
4	Select desired <b>Payment</b> type.	
	Are you sending a payment, or coll	ecting a payment? Will this
	transaction be sent to an individua	l or business?
5	Click Next.	
6	Select <b>Add Recipients</b> from the Ad	d Recipients drop down.
7	Complete the required fields to enter the first recipient's bank account information.  Required Fields:      Recipient Name     Account Type (checking or savings)     Account Number     Routing Number     Amount  Additional Fields:     Contact ID     Addenda	
8	1.6	Thon
	Vou have additional regimients	Then
	You have additional recipients to add,	Click Save & Add Another.
	You do not have additional recipients to add,	Click <b>Save.</b>

9	Click Next.
10	Select <b>Deposit To or Funding Account</b> from dropdown.
	Add Memo (optional). This field is the Company Discretionary Data and could be visible to the recipient.
	Select <b>Recurring</b> in the Payment Frequency dropdown.
	Check box for <b>Auto-approve all payments in this series,</b> only if recurring payments should process automatically without requiring approval each time.
	Select <b>Repeat</b> frequency from the dropdown.
	Select <b>First Payment Date.</b> This is the first effective date of the recurring batch.
	Check <b>Set End Date</b> (optional). To set an expiration day, select <b>End Date</b> .
	<b>Note:</b> A <b>Recurring Payment Preview</b> will appear. You will see up to six recurring payments. This allows you to review the recurring payment schedule for accuracy.
11	Click Next.
12	Add <b>Payment Name.</b> This field is limited to 10 characters and will be visible to the recipient.
	Examples include:
	Payroll or Dir Dep
	Payment or Vendor Pay
	Draft
	HOA Dues
	Add <b>Payment Description</b> (optional). This field is limited to 30 characters and is not visible to the recipient.
	Examples include:
	Payroll MM/DD/YYYY
	Vendor Payments End of Month

13	Mark as Confidential can be used to keep the information within the batch confidential.
	You can choose the users at your company who should have access to the batch, and others will not be able to see it.
	This option may not be available to you since it's a permission granted by your company's administrator.
14	Click Submit Payment.
15	Payment Submitted screen will appear. Select <b>Approve</b> .
	Note: Options are based on user privileges.
16	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue.</b>

### **Create a Copy of an Existing ACH Batch**

### Instructions

This section of the user guide covers creating a copy of an existing batch.

When a batch has been approved, but the effective date is in the future, it becomes locked and cannot be used. However, you can create a copy of the batch and approve additional payments within the batch. Batches can be copied at any time.

### Copy a Batch

Follow the steps below to copy an existing batch.

Step	Action
1	Click Payments & Transfers.
2	Select Activity.
3	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue.</b>
4	<b>Locate the existing batch</b> you'd like to copy. <b>Click the box</b> to the left of the batch.
	<b>Hint:</b> If you have a long list of batches, you can search by the batch name. You can also filter by any of the column headers to easily find the batch you're looking for.
5	Select <b>Copy</b> in the popup that appears near the bottom of your screen.
6	Verify you've selected the correct batch. Click Copy Batch(es).
7	The copied batch will automatically appear on the <b>ACH Payments</b> page. The batch name will match the batch name of the copied batch, but in the tracking # column you will see "Copy of" followed by the tracking # of the original batch.
8	To open the copied batch, click the <b>Name</b> .
9	To make changes or add to a batch, select <b>Edit.</b>

### **Edit an Existing ACH Batch**

### Introduction

This section of the user guide covers editing an existing ACH batch.

You can edit an existing ACH batch if the status is one of the following:

- Not Scheduled
- Needs Approval
- Missed Cut-off
- Incomplete
- Approval Rejected

# Editing an existing ACH batch

Follow the steps below to edit an existing batch.

Step	Action
1	Click Payments & Transfers.
2	Select Activity.
3	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code from your VIP Access app, then click <b>Continue</b> .
4	Under the Name column, locate the batch you want to edit and click on the <b>Name</b> . The Batch Details page will display. <b>Hint:</b> You can use the search box to type the name of the batch. As you begin typing the batch name, your list will narrow.
5	Click Edit.
6	Add or Edit recipients, then click Next.
7	Edit processing details, as needed. Click Next.
8	Edit Payment Name and/or Payment Description, as needed. Click Submit Payment.
9	The edited batch is now ready for approval. Approve or Notify Approver(s).

### **Nacha File Import**

### Introduction

A Nacha formatted file is a specifically formatted file usually created by your ERP or accounting software. It can be imported into the ACH module for quick and easy processing.

### Nacha File Import

Follow the steps below to import a Nacha file.

Step	Action	
1	Click Payments & Transfers.	
2	Click Nacha File Import.	
3	Enter the <b>Security Token</b> code	from your VIP Access app.
4	Click <b>Choose File</b> to browse to your computer or network to locate your file. Double click the file or single click and choose Open to attach the file.	
5	Choose your <b>Settlement Account</b> from the drop-down. This is the Pinnacle account that will be credited or debited.	
6	Choose the Settlement Type.  Summary Settlement: (default) creates a single settlement entry to your Pinnacle account.  Detailed Settlement: creates a settlement entry to your Pinnacle account for every transaction in the file.	
7	Click Import Nacha File.	
8	Verify the file information and do one of the following:	
	If	Then
	You receive an error Notice	Confirm you attached the
	that the file was not	correct file. If so, contact your
	successfully imported,	local Treasury Management Client Services team.
	If all information is correct,	Click Return to ACH List.

	If any of the information is incorrect,	Click <b>Delete These Batches.</b>
8	If <b>Return to ACH List</b> is selected, Pending ACH page.	the file will appear on the
9	Check box beside file and Select	Approve in pop up box .

### **ACH Settlement Type Preferences**

#### Introduction

When you originate an ACH batch, a single settlement entry will post to your Pinnacle account by default. For example, if you originate a payroll batch with 10 transactions, a single debit settlement entry will post to your Pinnacle account to fund your payroll batch.

If you prefer to see a settlement entry for every transaction in your batch, you can change this setting in Preferences.

### Changing Your Settlement Type Preferences

Follow the steps below to manage your settlement type preferences:

Step	Action
1	From the <b>Gear Icon</b> in the top right corner , navigate to <b>Preferences</b> and click <b>ACH Settlement Type</b> .
2	A one-time <b>Security Code</b> is required. Based on your individual enrollment preferences, you will receive the Security Code by text or email.
3	Choose the Settlement Type.  Summary Settlement: (default) Creates a single credit entry to your Pinnacle account  Detailed Settlement: Creates a credit entry to your Pinnacle account for every debit transaction you originate
4	Click <b>Update</b> .
5	A green confirmation will appear confirming the settlement type has been updated.

### **Prenotes**

#### Introduction

Prenotes are non-monetary test transactions you can send to validate the routing number and account number you've been given.

**Prenotes are optional**, but usage of them is considered a best practice to ensure proper payment routing.

Once a prenote is sent, you are required to wait 3 banking days from the effective date of the prenote before you send a monetary transaction to the individual or business.

### Creating a New Prenote Batch

**Creating a New** Follow the steps below to create a new Prenote Batch.

Step	
1	In the <b>Review and Submit</b> section, check the box to send prenotes for newly added recipients.
2	Click Submit Payment.
3	<b>Prenote Batch Created</b> . A confirmation pop-up will appear confirming a prenote has been sent. Click <b>Next</b> to continue.
4	You can view a prenote batch on the Activity page by filtering the <b>Type.</b> Select <b>Include Prenoted Batches.</b>

### **ACH Reporting**

### Introduction

This section of the user guide explains how to create custom reports for ACH transactions. These reports can be built quickly, saved as a template to run repeatedly, as well as shared with other users. These features are all designed to help you stay in touch with your business finances.

### Create a Custom Payment Report

Follow the steps below to create a custom payment report for ACH.

Step	Action
1	Under Reports, Payment Reports, select Create Custom Payment Report.
2	<ul> <li>Add Basic Information</li> <li>Payment Method: ACH</li> <li>From Effective Date: Defaults to the last 7 days, but can be changed to create a custom date range</li> <li>To Effective Date: Defaults to the current date, but can be changed to create a custom date range</li> <li>Sort By: Descending by default, but can be changed to Ascending</li> </ul>
3	To further define your report criteria, click the > to the right of Payment Types & Payment Status.  Select Payment Types & Payment Status.  Select All is checked by default. You can define payment types and batch statuses by checking and/or unchecking the options in this section.
4	To further define your report criteria, click the > to the right of Originating Accounts.  Select Originating Accounts.  Select All is checked by default. You can define the originating accounts by checking and/or unchecking the options in this section.  Columns can be sorted in ascending or descending order.

	Closed accounts will not be displayed on the list.
5	To further define your report criteria, click the > to the right of More Options.  Use <b>More Options</b> to drill down even further into your ACH origination history. These fields are optional; use as many or as few as you like to create the report you need.
	as you like to create the report you need.
6	Once all fields are selected, click <b>Create Report</b> or <b>Save as New Template</b> .
7	<b>Create Report</b> : This option will run the report real time and present you with a Custom Payment Reports page that contains My Reports tab.
	<ul> <li>Click Refresh to update the status of the report from pending to one that you can view, download, or delete</li> <li>If you choose to Download the report, you are presented with a Download Report dialogue box. The default format is CSV (comma separated values), but you can also choose TSV (tab separated values.)</li> </ul>
8	<b>Save As New Template</b> : This option will allow you to save the report parameters so you can run the report quickly and repeatedly.
	<ul> <li>First you will be prompted to enter a unique Template         Name. Template names are 20 characters maximum and         cannot contain special characters.</li> <li>Once you save the template you can run the report         immediately by clicking Create Report at the bottom of the         screen.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>To modify template options, make the necessary changes and choose Update Current Template.</li> <li>To share the template with other users, click the Share Report option.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>To access the template at a future login, under Reports,</li> <li>Payment Reports, choose View Custom Reports and</li> <li>Templates.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>You can toggle between the My Reports and My Templates.</li> </ul>

### **Warnings and Errors**

#### Introduction

You may receive a warning or error as you work within the ACH module. While this section does not capture every warning and error, it does highlight the most frequently encountered messages.

If you come across a warning or error that you don't understand, please reach out to your local treasury management team for assistance.

### Warnings & Errors

If the warning/error includes	Then
ACH Risk Limit	The company or user limit has been exceeded and you will need to contact your local treasury team.
Effective Date	The cutoff time has been missed, or Same Day ACH box has not been checked when the effective date is the entry date.
Warnings exist in batch	A warning symbol will appear next to the field of concern. Click on the symbol for an explanation.
Authentication error on approval	The user may not have sufficient authority to approve batch or file. Contact your business admin to modify user limits.

### **ACH File Pickup Windows**

Windows, Defined

**ACH File Pickup** Throughout the day we process ACH files, sometimes referred to as batches or transactions. The times below reflect when we collect files that have been approved for processing. Once collected, they can no longer be modified. If you need to make a change or cancel transactions, reach out immediately to your local treasury management team or to the support teams.

### The cutoff time for Same Day ACH processing is 2:00 pm CT / 3:00 pm ET.

Central Time	Eastern Time	Transactions being processed
8:30 am	9:30 am	Future dated items
Noon	1:00 pm	Same day items only
2:00 pm	3:00 pm	Same day items only
4:00 pm	5:00 pm	Future dated items
7:00 pm	8:00 pm	Future dated items

### **Originator Rules & Responsibilities**

#### Introduction

Originators are required to comply with the Nacha Operating Rules and Guidelines (ACH Rules) and the warranties of the ODFI (Pinnacle Bank).

ACH Rules online, the free basic edition is located here: http://www.achrulesonline.org/Create-an-account.aspx?limited

### ACH Prenote, defined

A non-monetary entry sent by an Originator to verify the accuracy of the account information they've been given.

- **Prenotes are optional.** If a prenote is sent, the live dollar entry may not be sent for three banking days following the effective date of the prenote entry.
- If a return is received related to a prenote indicating the receiving bank cannot accept the entries, another entry must not be initiated until the erroneous information has been corrected.

### ACH Authorizations

You may be required to obtain an ACH Authorization prior to originating an ACH transaction, per the ACH Rules. **Authorizations must be clear and readily understandable**, **otherwise they will be considered invalid.** 

For recurring transactions, you must retain a copy of the ACH Authorization for two years from the date the authorization is terminated.

For single transactions you must retain a copy of the ACH authorization for two years from the settlement date of the entry.

- Corporate to Consumer Credits (PPD Credits): Authorization is recommended, oral or other non-written means accepted.
- Corporate to Consumer Debits (PPD Debits): Authorization is required; written, signed, or similarly authenticated authorization is required with copy provided to consumer.
- Corporate Payment Entries Credits and Debits (CCD Credits and Debits):
   Agreement required for transfers between companies, written authorization implied.
- Consumer Accounts Notice by Originator to Receiver of Variable Debits
  - Notice of Change in Amount; must notify the Receiver within 10 calendar days.
  - Consumer may elect to receive notice only if amount falls within a specified range.

- Notice of Change in Date of Debit; must notify the Receiver within 7 calendar days.
- The Receiving Bank (RDFI) can request a copy of the debit authorization, the debit authorization must be provided to the RDFI within 10 banking days.
  - o Consumer PPD debits, the written copy must be provided.
  - o Corporate CCD/CTX debits, the agreement or contact information must be provided.

### **Entries**

- **ACH Return of** Originators receiving debit entries returned as **R07 Authorization Revoked** by Customer, R08 - Payment Stopped, or R10 - Customer Advises Not Authorized must not reinitiate these entries unless subsequent authorization of their customer has been obtained.
  - Originators should be aware that entries returned **R05 Unauthorized Debit to Consumer Account Using Corporate SEC Code** may not be reinitiated unless (a) subsequent authorization has been obtained, and (b) the Standard Entry Class code has been corrected.
  - ACH Return notices will be sent by secure email. You can also find these reports under Report Manager.
  - Inform Treasury Management of any updated email addresses for all staff handling ACH Returns and Notifications of Change (NOCs). To update, contact Treasury Management Client Services.

#### Most Used Return Reason Codes:

- o R01 Insufficient Funds (these entries may only be reinitiated up to two times within 180 days from settlement date following return of the original entry.
- o R02 Account Closed
- o R03 No Account/Unable to Locate Account
- o R04 Invalid Account Number Structure
- o R05 Unauthorized Debit to Consumer account
- o **R07** Authorization Revoked by Customer this entry may not be reinitiated unless a new authorization has been obtained.
- o R08 Payment Stopped this entry may not be reinitiated unless a new authorization has been obtained.

- R10 Customer Advised Not Authorized this entry may not be reinitiated unless a new authorization has been obtained.
- R11 Customer advises entry not in accordance with the terms of the Authorization – this return reason is for return of a debit where there is an error in the entry, but authorization is in place.
- R23 Credit Entry Refused by Receiver
- R29 Corporate Customer Advises Not Authorized this is regarding CCD or CTX transactions.

# ACH Notifications of Change (NOC)

A non-monetary entry transmitted by a Receiving Depository Financial Institution for the purpose of identifying incorrect information contained within an entry and providing correct data to be used on future entries. A NOC is also known by the SEC Code COR. See attached list of commonly used Notification of Change Codes.

- Originators receiving Notifications of Change should be aware that requested changes must be made prior to the initiation of the next entry or within six banking days, whichever is later. If changes are not made, you could incur fines from the National ACH Association.
- ACH NOC notices will be sent by secure email. You can also find these reports under Report Manager.
- Most Used Notification of Change Codes:
  - o **C01** Incorrect Receiver Account Number
  - o CO2 Incorrect Bank Routing Number
  - C03 Incorrect Bank Routing Number and Incorrect Receiver Account Number
  - o **C05** Incorrect Transaction Code (Commonly used codes are below)
    - 22 or 27 is a checking account (DDA)
    - 32 or 37 is a savings account
    - 52 is a loan
  - o CO6 Incorrect DFI Account Number and Incorrect Transaction Code

### ACH Reversing Files/Entries

Originators must ensure that reversing files and reversing entries are transmitted within five banking days following the Settlement Date of the erroneous entry or file.

- Reversal must be for the full amount of the original transaction.
- Reversals are not guaranteed.

- Reversals are only allowed for a limited set of circumstances to correct errors.
  - o A duplicate of an entry previously sent.
  - o The receiver changed their account information, but the originator did not implement the change.
  - o Dollar amount is different than intended by the Originator.
  - A check was also sent to the receiver.

**Same Day ACH** Same Day ACH allows for faster funds availability of ACH Payments.

### • Eligible Transactions

- Any ACH debit or credit originated that is under \$1,000,000; and
- o Is effective with the current day's effective date, stale date effective date or an invalid effective date; and
- Is submitted and authorized by 2:00 pm CT / 3:00 pm ET.

#### Availability of funds to the Receiver

- The financial institution receiving the Same Day ACH entry must make the funds available to the receiver by 5:00 pm the receiving financial institution's local time.
- Daily submission timeframe to process Same Day ACH transactions.
  - The file must be processed before 2:00 pm CT / 3:00 pm ET.

#### • Fee for Same Day ACH Transactions

There is a fee for Same Day ACH Transactions.

#### How to avoid unintentional Same Day ACH transactions

- Proper usage of the effective entry date field is the key.
- Do not key a date that is in the past.
- Do not key the same date as the day you are submitting the file, ensure that your effective entry date is set for at least one business day in the future.
- Do not key an invalid effective entry date an invalid date could be a blank, zero, partially blank, partially non-numeric, incomplete, day number higher than 31 or month number higher than 12.
- If the effective entry date contains one of the issues above; be sure to submit your file after the 2:00 pm CT / 3:00 pm ET file pick up window to ensure that the entry will not go as a Same Day ACH transaction.

### Compromise

**Business Email** To protect your business, ensure all employees handing payments for your business always:

- Contact the vendor or client directly to verbally confirm any request for payment method changes and to validate that the changes are legitimate before processing.
- Validate any new payment instructions received via email even if the email is internal.
- Pick up the phone, whenever possible, and speak directly with the individual requesting a funds transfer via the phone number that you have on record and **not** the phone number listed in the email.
- Carefully review all payments before they are sent.
- Ensure all correspondence is validated and documented in a unified way across your business.

### **Business** Account Review

Businesses should review incoming account activity daily to monitor for unauthorized transactions due to limited timeframes to return certain ACH transactions.

### **Treasury Management Contact Information**

#### Introduction

Our treasury management team is available to assist you with any business online banking or treasury management needs you have, including ACH origination.

You're encouraged to reach out to your local treasury management team during normal business hours. If you're unable to reach them, you can call or email our support team at the phone number or email address below.

### Contact Information

	Central Time	Eastern Time
Monday – Friday	8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Phone	866.839.2781	855.282.8655
Email	tmclientservice@pnfp.com	

### Glossary - General ACH Information

### Settlement Types

Settlement refers to the funding transaction that posts to your account when you originate ACH transactions. If you send a credit batch, the settlement transaction is a debit. If you send a debit batch, the settlement transaction is a credit.

There are two options you can choose from when originating a batch: Summary Settlement and Detailed Settlement. Summary Settlement is the default and most used.

Settlement Type	Description
Summary Settlement	Each <b>batch</b> creates a single offset entry to your
	account.
Detailed Settlement	Each transaction entry within the batch creates its
	own offset entry to your account.

### Common SEC Codes

Standard Entry Class codes, or SEC codes, are used in ACH transactions to identify the type of transaction being transmitted. While there are numerous SEC codes, here are a few of the most used.

For a full list of SEC codes and full Nacha definitions, refer to the Nacha Operating Rules & Guidelines.

SEC Code	Description
PPD	Prearranged Payment and Deposit Entry; a credit
	or debit transaction initiated by a business to an
	individual.
CCD	Corporate Credit or Debit Entry; a credit or debit
	transaction initiated by a business to a business.
СТХ	Corporate Trade Exchange Entry; a credit or debit
	transaction initiated by a business to a business
	that also includes one or more Addenda Records,
	up to a maximum of 9,999.
TEL	Telephone Initiated Entry; a debit transaction
	initiated by a business to an individual based on an
	oral authorization received via phone.
WEB	Internet Initiated Entry; a debit transaction from a
	business to an individual following a
	communication from the individual to the business
	that provides authorization for the transaction.

### Batch Frequency Options

When working with ACH batches, you have three frequency options to choose from.

Batch Frequency	Description
Option	
Occasional	Not automatically rescheduled, but the batch
	remains on the Pending ACH page – unless you
	check the box for One Time payment.
Variable Recurring	Automatically rescheduled, but you must enter a
	new dollar amount each time.
Fixed Recurring	Automatically rescheduled for the same dollar
	amount each time.

## Batch Period Options

Batch Period Option	Description
Once	Period will default to once and is not editable if
	the selected frequency is Occasional.
Daily	Every business day including the day you
	scheduled the first payment.
Weekly	Every week on (or near) the same day of the week
	you scheduled the first payment.
Bi-Weekly	Every other week on (or near) the same day of the
	week you scheduled the first payment.
Semi-Monthly	Every month on (or near) the same day of the
	week you scheduled for the first payment. The
	second payment will be made 14 days after the
	first payment date.
Monthly	Every month on (or near) the same day of the
	week you scheduled the first transaction.
Bi-Monthly	Every other month on (or near) the same day of
	the week you scheduled the first payment.
Quarterly	Every three months on (or near) the same day of
	the week you scheduled the first payment.
Semi-Yearly	Every six months on (or near) the same day of the
	week you scheduled the first payment.
Yearly	Every 12 months on (or near) the same day of the
	week you scheduled the first payment.

### Prenote vs. Live Transaction

There is a significant difference between a prenote transaction and a live transaction. If you choose to send prenotes, the most important thing to keep in mind is that you should wait 3 business days before sending a subsequent live transaction. This allows the receiving bank enough time to notify you if the account information is invalid.

Transaction Type	Description
Prenote	A non-monetary entry initiated prior to the first
	debit or credit entry; a prenote notifies the
	receiving bank that additional transactions will
	occur and allows the receiving bank an
	opportunity to notify the originator of any
	incorrect on invalid account information.
Live Transaction	A monetary transaction, either debit or credit,
	originated by a company with the intent to either
	pay or collect in accordance with the
	authorization received by the originator.

### ACH Channel Types

There are several ways to originate ACH transactions within online banking. You may, or may not, have access to these channels, based on what you selected during implementation.

Channel	Description
Batch Templates	An easy way to build and store payment information directly in online banking, no import required.
TXT Import	An easy way to import a large amount of data, including payee name, account number, routing number, amount, and more.
Nacha Import	An easy way to import a Nacha formatted file created by your software system or ERP system.

### ACH Import Item Fields

There are two ways to import payment information: uploading by adding to the existing information or uploading by deleting the existing information. Below is description of each.

Import Type	Description
Adding to Existing	Used to import additional transaction to those
	previously imported; transactions are added to
	the end of the list.
Deleting the Existing	Used to replace existing transactions that were
	previously imported.

#### Same Day ACH

A same day ACH transaction is a transaction that is effective for the same banking day as the date on which the transaction is approved. Same day ACH transactions are often used to expedite a payment to a business or individual.

Same day ACH transactions are subject to cutoff times, maximum transaction limits, and additional fees.

#### Reversals

Once an ACH transaction has been transmitted it cannot be recalled, but an erroneous or duplicate transaction can be reversed. That said, completing a reversal does not guarantee the transaction will be returned.

Reversals are subject to strict requirements and must be complete within 5 banking days following the settlement date of the original transaction.

Acceptable Reversal	Description
Reason	
Duplicate	Duplicate transactions are those approved in
Transaction(s)	error. All the data is <b>exactly the same</b> as the
	previously approved transaction.
Erroneous	Erroneous transactions are those where some or
Transaction(s)	all the data is incorrect, causing the receiver to be
	debited or credited incorrectly.

### Return Ratio Monitoring

As an originator you are subject to Nacha Operating Rules & Guidelines as they relate to return rate thresholds and monitoring.

As the originating bank, we monitor return rate levels for all originators and will contact you if you exceed what we consider to be acceptable, in accordance with Nacha Operating Rules & Guidelines.

A full list of return reason codes and definitions can be found in the Nacha Operating Rules & Guidelines.

Return Rate Level	Threshold
Unauthorized Entry	<b>0.5%</b> and includes R05, R07, R10, R11, R29 AND
Return Rate	R51
Administrative Return	<b>3%</b> and includes R02, R03, R04
Rate	
Overall Return Rate	15% and includes all returns, regardless of the
	reason

Return Reason Code Definition
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Insufficient Funds
Account Closed
No Account/Unable to Locate Account
Invalid Account Number Structure
Unauthorized Debit to Consumer Account Using
Corporate SEC Code
Authorization Revoked by Customer
Payment Stopped
Customer Advises Originator is Not Known to
Receiver and/or Originator is Not Authorized by
Receiver to Debit Receiver's Account
Customer Advises Entry Not in Accordance with
the Terms of the Authorization
Corporate Customer Advises Not Authorized
Item Related to RCK Entry is Ineligible or RCK
Entry is Improper