

NAVIGATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR AN EFFICIENT, TRANSPARENT AND PUNCTUAL BILLING PROCESS WITH THE BMW GROUP.

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### PURPOSE AND HANDLING OF THIS GUIDELINE.

This guideline provides an overview of the most important topics relating to the billing process with individual companies of the BMW Group. Its purpose is to outline key requirements and background facts even before the start of billing and so enable a **billing process** that is efficient and automated **for both parties**.

This guideline is also intended to be used by you for training your personnel and for maintaining the necessary process know-how in the event of staff changes.

Please note that this guideline does not take the place of further process descriptions or handling agreements with specific units of the BMW Group, and that all such descriptions and agreements must continue to be complied with.

This guideline is **interactively** designed and **linked** to enable you to access any information required easily and quickly. Please make use of the possibilities this offers you to ask for further information or to access it via link.

Using the **process overview** on the next page, you can branch off directly into the individual theme blocks at any time. A summary of the key points can be additionally found in the process matrix.

### PROCESS OVERVIEW.

#### Master data

Legal form, tax information, bank account details.

#### **Purchase order**

The key elements, roles and types of orders.

#### **Direct material**

Delivering direct material and parts with goods receipt.

#### **Indirect material**

Delivering indirect material and services with service confirmation.

### **Settlement processes**

Invoicing and/or Self-Billing (SBI) procedure.

### **Payment**

Due dates (time periods), pricing, confirmation of balances and exemption certificates.

#### **Document transfer**

Exchange of documents relevant for billing. Channels and formats for the purpose of digital document transmission.

#### **Process matrix**

Revaluations, claims, inspection reports, warranties, down-payments, guarantees and vendor tooling equipment, Freight self-billing procedure.

**Special processes** 

**Sample documents** 

# SUPPLIER MASTER DATA I. LEGAL FORM, INFORMATION REQUIRED BY TAX AUTHORITIES.

If any changes are made to important particulars of your firm, we speak of master data changes. Incorrect master data will cause process disruption, which may affect the payment process (delays in payment etc.).

Changes of the **master data relating to legal form** and tax particulars are:

- Change of corporate name/Change of legal form.
- Change of name and address.
- Tax identification number (VAT ID)
- New location/new additional supplier code.
- Merger/spin-off/sale of enterprise or parts of enterprise.
- Different invoicing party.

In the BMW Group B2B-Portal you can initiate master data changes directly.

In all other cases, please contact your contact partner in Purchasing.

- Orders must be adjusted if and as necessary.
- Please state your value added tax identification number (VAT ID) or tax number in all cases.
- Please include additional documents relating to the change.



# SUPPLIER MASTER DATA II. BANK DETAILS.

If any changes are made to important particulars of your firm, we speak of master data changes. Incorrect master data will cause process disruption, which may affect the payment process (delays in payment etc.).

#### Changes to the **bank account details** are:

- To place details of a new bank account on file.
- To place details of a further bank account for payment in a new currency on file.
- To notify a change to a bank account.
- To delete an existing bank account.

Please send the following information to the email address:

### Businesspartner@bmwgroup.com

- The respective supplier number.
- The reason for change.
- Any additional documentation, such as a new or altered letterhead or confirmation by the bank.

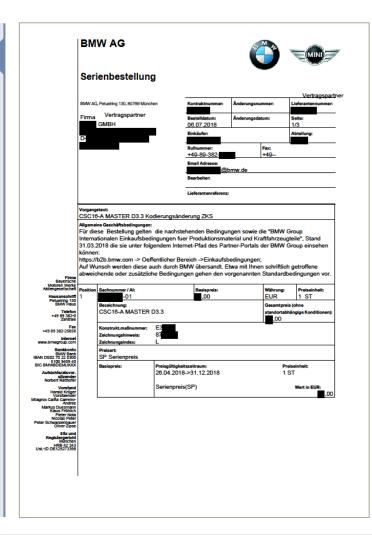
Perhaps you will be requested to confirm your bank details in order to prevent fraud attempts. Please ensure to respond to our confirmation request in any case.



# PURCHASE ORDER. THE KEY ELEMENTS, ROLES AND TYPES OF ORDERS.

The basis for billing is in all cases the (purchase) **order**.

All order information and roles which are specified in the order are relevant for billing. Incorrect order information can lead to disruption of the entire process and prevent correct and punctual settlement. Please check all the particulars for correctness immediately after receipt of an order. If parameters are not in conformity with the agreement, please contact the responsible purchaser and have the order corrected. The contact data of the responsible purchaser can be found on the order.

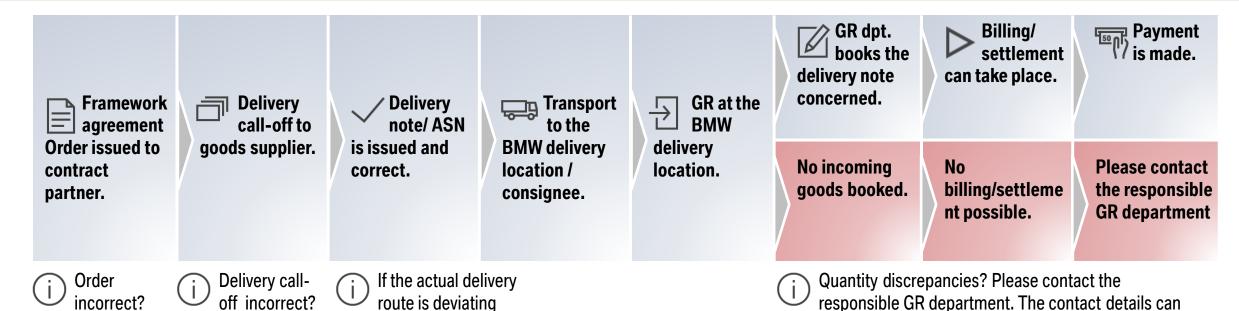


| Order content  | Description   |
|--|---|
| Contract partner Order supplier *                                | Supplier who has the duty to provide performance under civil law (order receiver) and under whose VAT ID billing takes place. |
| Invoicing party or settlement receiver under the SBI procedure * | Supplier who issues the invoice or to whom the credit advice is issued and to whom payment is made.                           |
| Price  | Statement of price per unit of quantity.  |
| Currency   | Currency in which billing and payment is made.  |
| Price unit   | Statement of quantity, e.g. pcs., hours, kilograms etc.   |
| Payment terms  | Decisive for determining due date and timing of payment.  |
| Goods supplier/supplier location *                               | Decisive for determining due date and timing of payment.  |
| Delivery<br>location/consignee                                   | Final place of destination of the goods.  |
| Incoterm *   | Terms of delivery/ Governs the passage of risk and influences the pricing.  |
| Invoice receiver   | Invoice address of the BMW company.   |

<sup>\*</sup> Elements for defining the supply relationship

# DIRECT MATERIAL. STANDARD MATERIAL AND SPARE WITH GOODS RECEIPT.

In the context of billing, a distinction is made between direct material and indirect material (including services). In the case of **direct material**, the material booking is made by the Goods Receipt (GR) department = incoming goods booking after receipt of the goods on the basis of the delivery note.



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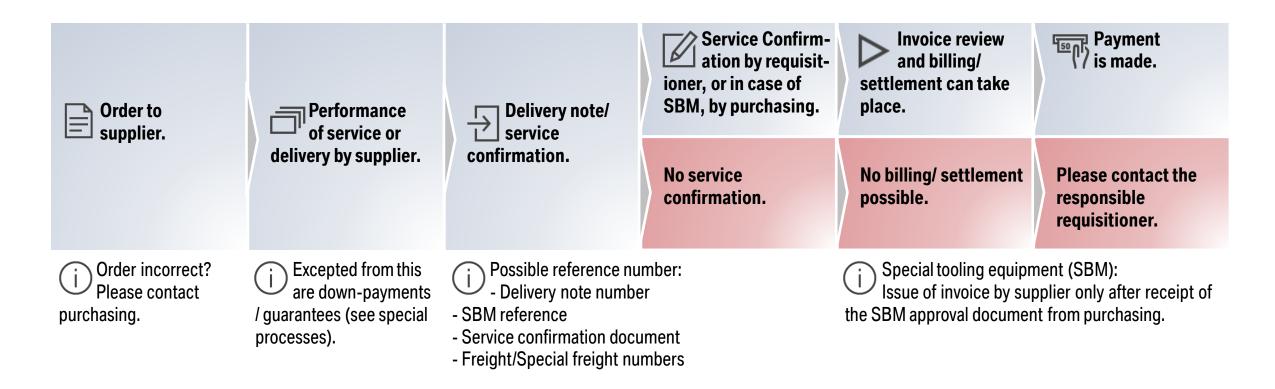
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be found on the delivery plan/call-off.

### INDIRECT MATERIAL. OVERHEADS MATERIAL / SERVICES WITH SERVICE CONFIRMATION.

In the context of billing, a distinction is made between direct material and **indirect material** (including services). In the case of deliveries of indirect material and services, an invoice cannot be posted until a service confirmation has been made.



# SETTLEMENT PROCESSES. INVOICING AND/OR SBI PROCEDURE.

#### **SBI procedure (ERS)**

Under the SBI procedure, the **billing documents** are generated in an automated process **by the BMW** company concerned. Billing is done on the basis of the delivery note, the GR booking and the purchase order.

The focus lies in particular on all deliveries of **series products** and aftersales parts. No invoicing by the supplier.

The goal of BMW AG and BMW (UK) Manufacturing Ltd. is to use automated billing processes (SBI procedure) for all supplies and services - where permitted under tax law - in order to ensure an efficient and punctual payment process.

The following page provides an overview of all billing-relevant business transactions and the billing process under which they fall.

#### Invoicing

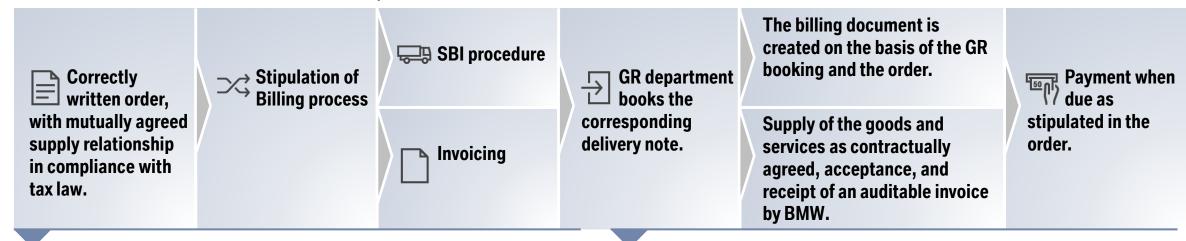
The invoicing procedure requires invoices by the supplier.

The focus lies on all supplies and services which are not suitable for the SBI procedure, in particular overhead costs and special processes.

The BMW Group offers you various options for exchanging billing documents electronically. With your BMW Group Partner Portal (B2B) Login data, you can use the **eDocument Portal** application ("My Documents – **eCap** - Capture Document") to manually submit your invoices in real time. If you do not yet have B2B access or if you need further information on the eDocument Portal, please check out <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>.

# SETTLEMENT PROCESSES II. INVOICING AND/OR SBI PROCEDURE.

#### Schematic illustration of the settlement processes:



### **Business transactions for SBI procedure**

- Series deliveries
- Aftersales deliveries
- Special processes (SPAB, new vehicles, licences for navigation devices)
- Auxiliary materials & supplies
- Personnel leasing for plants

### **Business transactions for invoicing**

- SBM purchase parts (Vendor tooling)
- Overheads and investments
- Test parts
- Personnel leasing for administration
- Catalogue items

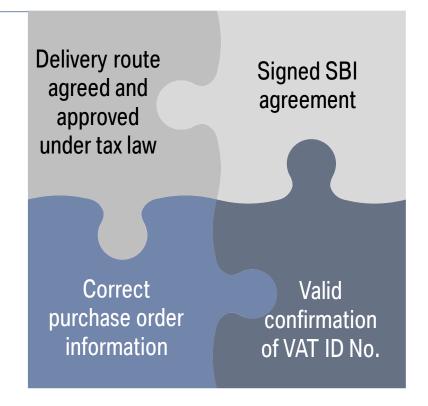


# SETTLEMENT PROCESSES III. SBI PROCEDURE.

#### **Preconditions** for the SBI procedure are as follows:

- A delivery route agreed and approved under tax law.
- A correct purchase order information.
- A valid confirmation of the VAT ID No. by the tax authorities.
- A signed SBI agreement.

- For further information, please contact us stating your supplier number and "SBI Handout" in the subject at <a href="mailto:selfbilling.ap@bmw.de">selfbilling.ap@bmw.de</a>.
- Please note that with use of the SBI procedure for the supply of series and aftersales parts no invoices are to be send.



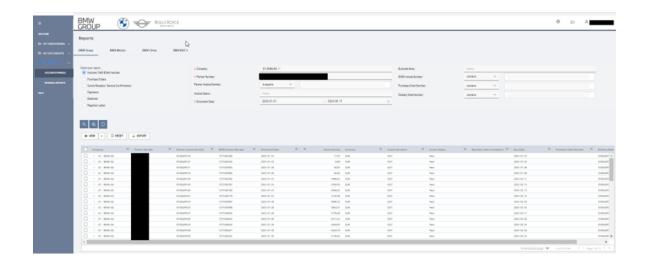
# SETTLEMENT PROCESSES IV. INVOICING.

Except where the SBI procedure has been agreed, the billing of supplies and services is conducted on the basis of invoicing by the supplier.

#### **Preconditions** for the invoice posting are:

- Correctness of purchase order (see <u>purchase order</u>).
- Invoicing only after goods receipt.
- Receipt of invoice documents (invoice, credit note, retrobilling). The variants of the invoice transfer are explained in the chapter <u>Document Exchange</u>.
- Correct invoicing (see <u>obligatory requirements</u> for invoices).

In case of queries concerning the status of invoices/credit notes, please contact the responsible contact person(s) at the companies concerned.



With your BMW Group Partner Portal (B2B) Login data, please use the **eDocument Portal** application ("My Reports" - "Accounts Payable") to view information about your invoices, credit notes, orders, receipt/service confirmations, payments and balances. If you do not yet have B2B access or if you need further information on the eDocument Portal, please check out <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>.

# BILLING PROCESSES V. INVOICING/INVOICE CONTENT.

### **Obligatory requirements for invoices:**

- Invoice address (see invoice addresses or purchase order).
- Supplier number.
- Purchase order number.
- Article description and statement of order item.
- Details of orderer/requisitioner (first name and surname, department).
- One separate invoice per P/O and delivery note.
- Delivery note number or reference number of service confirmation.
- Date of delivery or rendering of service (month, year).
- Delivery address.
- The invoice must be issued in the same currency as that of the P/O.
- Net and gross amount, VAT amount and VAT rate.
- For invoices with tax in foreign currency, the tax amount in local currency.
- Correct VAT ID No. (contract partner/invoice issuer/BMW company).
- Freight and package costs according to the P/O.

### **Features for SBM purchased parts:**

- Tool location (company, street + house number, postal code + city, country).
- Inventory number.
- Reference number of service confirmation instead of delivery note number.
- Name and department of the buyer.
- Service specification / tool location.
- One separate invoice per country (tool location).

### **Features for freight services:**

- Settlement of the contractual rates.
- Bordero number, B/L oder AWB.
- Reference number in accordance with contract.
- Add necessary documents e.g. bill of freight, delivery receipt, e-mail confirmation.



### BILLING PROCESSES VI. INVOICE REJECTIONS.

#### Your billing documents may be rejected for a number of reasons, e.g.:

- Missing, incomplete or incorrect tax particulars on your billing documents.
- The document was transmitted by a method different from what was agreed.
- Invoice content incorrect.
- Wrong invoice address.
- Particulars relating to the order number / requisitioner are missing from the invoice or are incorrect.
- Quantity/price discrepancies.
- Down-payment or instalment payment invoice not issued correctly.

- Guarantee form or guarantee not correct.
- Delivery/service was incomplete or not performed at all.
- According to requisitioner delivery/service was not ordered.
- The goods were returned.
- The issuer of the invoice is not identical with the supplier stipulated in the order
- Invoice was already paid by fixed cost purchase order.
- Item charged twice.
- SBM approval missing.
- SBI procedure (no invoice necessary).

Whenever documents are rejected, you will receive a letter stating the reasons for the refusal and containing contact details for obtaining clarification of the matter.

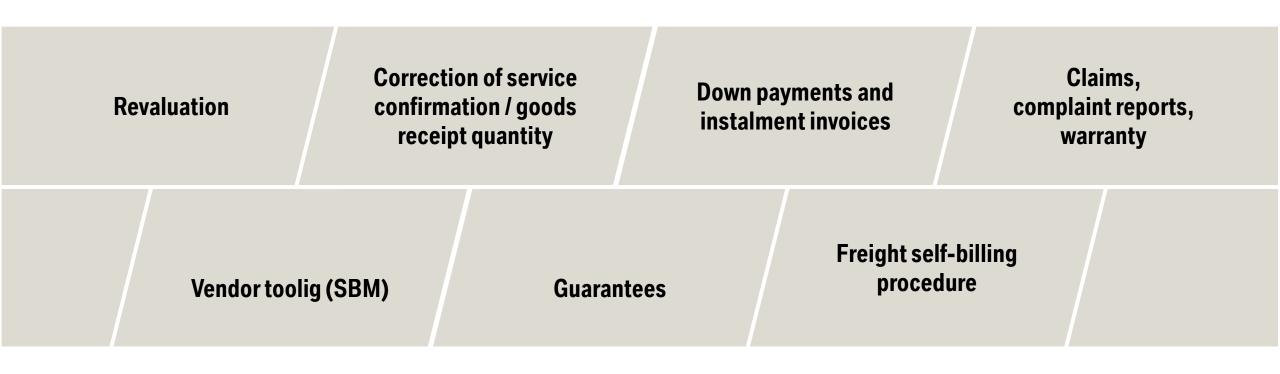








# SPECIAL PROCESSES. OVERVIEW OF THE MOST IMPORTANT SPECIAL PROCESSES.



### SPECIAL PROCESSES. REVALUATION.

- Prices in the purchase order can be adjusted retrospectively up to 12 months. The adjustment triggers a revaluation/recalculation of the transactions in the affected period.
- Under the SBI procedure, the revaluation and creation of the billing documents happens automatically for all transactions.
- Under the invoicing procedure, in the event of a price increase, an additional invoicing by the supplier is required. In the event of price reduction the creation of the billing documents happens automatically for all transaction.

Renegotiation of price between supplier and purchasing.

Retrospective price adjustment in Purchase Order by purchasing.

Price adjustment triggers revaluation of transactions in affected period.

Revaluation completed.

Difference:

- SBI procedures.
- Invoicing procedures.

In case of queries relating to purchase order prices, please contact purchasing directly.

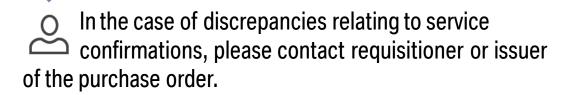
j With your BMW Group Partner Portal (B2B) Login data, please use the eDocument Portal application ("My Reports" - "Accounts Payable") to view information about your revaluations. If you do not yet have B2B access or if you need further information on the eDocument Portal, please check out here.

# SPECIAL PROCESSES. CORRECTION OF SERVICE CONFIRMATION / GOODS RECEIPT QUANTITY.

- A correction of the service confirmation / goods receipt quantity happens by cancellation or partial cancelation of the original service confirmation / goods receipt. It triggers a debit note against the supplier.
- Under the SBI procedure, a debit note is posted and transmitted.
- Under the Invoicing procedure, a debit is posted and a info letter is transmitted.



In the case of discrepancies relating to goods deliveries, please contact the responsible GR department.



### SPECIAL PROCESSES. CLAIMS: COMPLAINT REPORTS AND WARRANTY CLAIMS.



**Complaint reports** concern claims from BMW Group's plants and logistics (0 km). Please contact:

Autor of the complaint depa

- Root cause
- Part number
- Purchase order reference
- Delivery note reference

Purchasing department

- Part price
- Invoiced factors
- Freight and packaging

Invoice verification, accounts payables

- VAT
- calculation

Warranty claims concern the settlement of special agreements and parts tested by suppliers (TPV).

Please contact:

**Supplier recourse department** 

Based on the complaint report or warranty claim a debit note is booked and sent to supplier.

# SPECIAL PROCESSES. DOWN-PAYMENTS.

A down-payment is an **advance payment** made to the supplier without having rendered the service or delivery. A down-payment is agreed between the supplier and BMW purchasing and agreed in the purchase order as **payment term**. Down-payments may be agreed, for example, for investments, construction projects or events.

### The following **requirements** must be fulfilled:

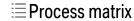
- Correct invoices in line the payment term for down-payments.
- The down-payment must be clearly stated on the invoice.
- Guarantees (if agreed) must be submitted to BMW not later the invoice (for requirements relating to guarantees, see next page).
- To ensure proper offset of a down-payment, the first instalment-invoice must include the down-payment (see example).

#### **Example:** Payment will be made:

30% after order confirmation against bank guarantee 50% after delivery or readiness to deliver replacing delivery, each against submission of transfer agreement 10% after "ready-for-use" delivery 10% after final acceptance; each net in full within 30 days

| Documents to be                    |   |         | VAT    |         |  |
|------------------------------------|---|---------|--------|---------|--|
| issued:                            | Terms of payment:   | Net     | 19%    | Gross   |  |
|                                    | Total purchase order value  | 100.000 | 19.000 | 119.000 |  |
| Down-payment                       | Down-payment against bank guarantee (30%)   | 30.000  | 5.700  | 35.700  |  |
| 1st instalment invoice             | Total value of first instalment invoice (80%)   | 80.000  | 15.200 | 95.200  |  |
|                                    | Less down-payment already paid (30%)  | -30.000 | -5.700 | -35.700 |  |
|                                    | First instalment-invoice after delivery, in return for transfer of title agreement if required (50%)  | 50.000  | 9.500  | 59.500  |  |
|                                    | 80% of the order value less the already paid 30% down-payment equals the open amount to be paid of 50%. For all amounts, please state the net, tax, and gross amount. |         |        |         |  |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> instalment invoice | Second instalment invoice after "ready-for-use" delivery (10 %)   | 10.000  | 1.900  | 11.900  |  |
| Final invoice                      | Final invoice after acceptance (10%)  | 10.000  | 1.900  | 11.900  |  |





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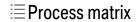


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# SPECIAL PROCESSES. GUARANTEES.

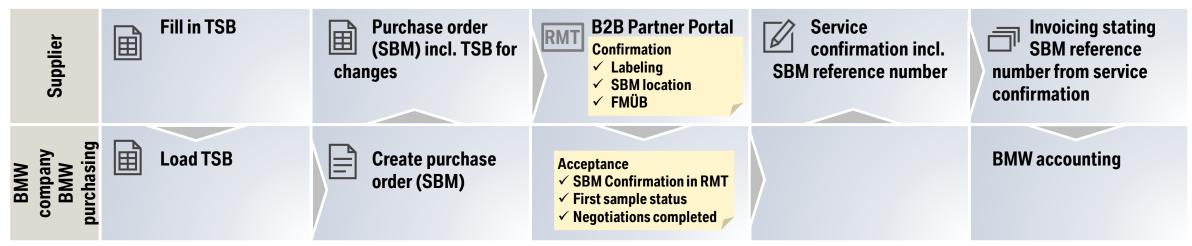
|  | Down-payment guarantee  | Contract performance bond  | Warranty bond   |  |  |  |
|--|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| Form to be used:                       | Only the current BMW guarantee/bond forms may be used. These can be found at the following link: <a href="https://b2b.bmwgroup.net">https://b2b.bmwgroup.net</a> -> Departments -> Purchasing -> Purchasing - indirect material -> Guarantees.  Upon request the form can be sent by the purchasing department. |  |   |  |  |  |
| Additional                             | Guarantee/bond may contain no time limit and no specific account number. Please also avoid agreeing any time limit in the purchase order.   |  |   |  |  |  |
| Additional information:                | The applicant of the guarantee/bond must be ide   | entical with the invoice-from-party and supplier.  |   |  |  |  |
| illiorillation.                        | A separate guarantee must be issued for each down-payment invoice.  |  |   |  |  |  |
| Amount:                                | Use of gross amount for down-payment guarantees.  | Use of gross or net amount for contract performance bonds.   | Use of gross amount for warranty bonds.   |  |  |  |
| Invoice-to address:                    | The guarantee/bond must be sent separately an BMW AG, FR-237, Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rec  |  |   |  |  |  |
| Preconditions for return of guarantee: | The down-payment guarantee can only be returned after the down-payment has been fully offset.   | The contract performance bond can only be returned after a correct warranty bond has been submitted. | The warranty bond is normally returned after five years if no claims have occurred. |  |  |  |
| Request return of guarantee:           | Please request the return of guarantee, stating the supplier number and purchase order number, from your contact at the invoice verification department.  Please request the return of bond, stating the supplier number and purchase order number and purchase order number from buergschaften@bmw.de.         |  |   |  |  |  |





# SPECIAL PROCESSES. VENDOR TOOLING (SBM) I.

SBM are **tools** which are owned by a BMW Group company but are left in the possession **of a supplier** for manufacturing purposes. Purchase orders for tooling allowances, right of use for tools and changes of tools are no SBM. Mind the following steps:



#### Filling in the tooling requirements sheet (TRS):

Before creating an SBM purchase order, the purchaser asks the supplier to fill in the TRS. For the first order of SBM for a part number, the supplier downloads the TRS from the B2B Partner Portal (found at QAF - > Downloads), fills it in and returns the Excel file by email to the purchaser.

### Confirmation of labeling, SBM location and FMÜB:

The supplier is required to timely confirm the labeling / asset tagging of tools as well as the installation of the tools at the series production site and the acceptance of the FMÜB in the RMT application (only one checkbox per SBM). RMT records the user name of the contact at the supplier who has entered the confirmation as well as the date of the confirmation. The confirmation of the tools of an order is a necessary prerequisite for both acceptance and payment.



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# SPECIAL PROCESSES. VENDOR TOOLING (SBM) II.

#### **SBM confirmation document:**

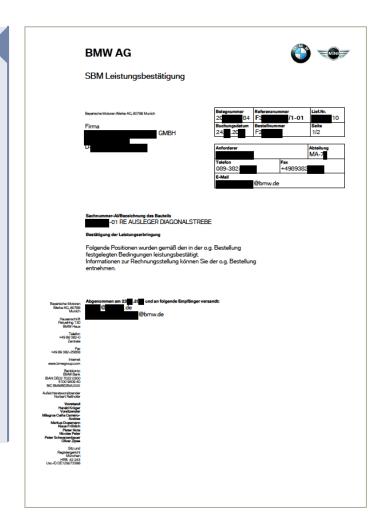
When all **three acceptance criteria** are met, the BMW purchaser carries out the acceptance process

After completion, a confirmation PDF is generated and emailed to the supplier.

The document lists all tooling items accepted with their inventory numbers, locations and net amounts, only these can be settled.

The most important element of this document is the reference number generated by the order system, which is transferred to the BMW accounting system for checking against incoming invoices.

In case of questions relating to SBM confirmations, please contact the responsible purchasing department.



#### Invoicing:

The invoice can be sent in after the receipt of the confirmation document. For legal reasons, no credit notes can be used for SBMs.

Please note the following general requirements:

- Reference number of service confirmation (after keyword "delivery note");
- Adhere with the provisions for a correct, auditable form of invoice;
- Send to the correct accounts payable address (printed on purchase order);
- Invoice exactly the items in the acceptance document in a single invoice.
- BMW will not accept any invoices without correct reference number

# SPECIAL PROCESSES. FREIGHT SELF-BILLING PROCEDURE FOR THE BILLING OF FREIGHT COSTS FOR MATERIAL AND CAR TRANSPORTS.

### The preconditions for the freight self-billing procedure are:

- An agreement on fixed rates, and regular transport volumes.
- A minimum volume that justifies the implementation and handling expenses.
- Data about transports available at BMW.
- The self-billing procedure is permitted under the legal regulations of the freight forwarder's country.

#### **Options:**

- Active self-billing procedure:
   Validation of carrier's data with BMW goods receipt data.
- Passive self-billing procedure:
   Self-billing based on BMW goods receipt data (analogue SBI procedure).

As a rule, the freight self-billing is implemented as part of the contractual agreement. In case of questions please contact one of the following addresses, stating the supplier number:



#### **Material:**

freight.EU.material.FSB@bmwgroup.com



#### Cars:

freight.vehicle.FSB@bmwgroup.com

# PAYMENT. DUE DATES (TIME PERIODS), PRICING, PAYMENT PROCEDURE, BALANCE CONFIRMATION AND EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES.

This section provides key information on:

- Identification of due dates and time periods under the invoicing procedure
- Pricing.
- Payment process after the posting of documents.
- Balance confirmations and exemption certificates.

Accounts payable makes further postings as needed:

- Foreign currency repostings to enable correct settlement.
- Settlements with other supplier accounts.



# PAYMENT II. DUE DATES (LEAD TIME FOR PAYMENT) AND PRICING DATE.

The determination of due dates (lead time for payment) and pricing is part of the settlement procedure and affects the payment procedure.

#### **Due date**

The determination of the due date is dependent on the settlement procedure and the **term of payment** agreed in the purchase order.

Under the invoice procedure, the calculation begins on the date of the receipt of goods at the BMW delivery location and the receipt of an correct invoice. Example:

Goods received 01.07.2018
Invoice received 04.07.2018
Term of payment 30 days net

Invoice receipt on 04.07.2018 + 30 days as per the term of paym. = due date: 03.08.2018

Under the SBI procedure, the calculation begins on the date of the receipt of goods at the BMW delivery location. Example:

Goods received 01.07.2018
Term of payment 30 days net

Goods receipt on 01.07.2018 + 30 days as per the term of paym. = due date: 31.07.18

#### **Pricing**

The determination of the correct component price is dependent on the **incoterm** and the **term of payment** agreed in the purchase order.



Delivery note date 28.06.2018 Goods received 01.07.2018

The purchase order price valid on 28.6.2018 is used for the settlement.

For all other Incoterms, pricing is done on the basis of the date of the receipt of goods at the BMW delivery location. Example:

Delivery note date 28.06.2018 Goods received 01.07.2018

The order price valid on 1.7.2018 is used for billing.

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### PAYMENT III. PAYMENT PROCEDURE.

Following the booking of documents in the billing processes or other upstream processes, items are posted with the relevant due date on the supplier accounts.

In case of missing documents, please request a re-transmission by email from itsd-english@bmw.com stating your supplier number and the BMW document numbers.If your query is not dealt with to your satisfaction, please contact ituser.carecenter@bmw.com, stating the ticket number.

Prior to the due date, all items with the same due date are bundled by currencies, consolidated into a single payment, and processed in time for execution by the banks regularly used by BMW.

If you are **missing a payment** despite having received a payment advice, please contact <u>kreditorenbuchhaltung@bmw.de</u>.

Please contact us with the payment advice number, supplier number and respective document number at <a href="mailto:kreditorenbuchhaltung@bmw.de">kreditorenbuchhaltung@bmw.de</a> if:

- an amount cannot be identified
- an item cannot be identified.

In the case of queries relating to the content of and reason for items in a payment advice, please get directly in touch with the person who is named in the document.

For each payment, a payment advice is issued and transmitted via the agreed communication channel.

j With your BMW Group Partner (B2B) Login data, please use the **eDocument Portal** application ("My Reports" - "Accounts Payable") **to view payment information yourself at any time.** If you do not yet have B2B access or if you need further information on the eDocument Portal, please check out here.

In case of missing payment advices, please send an email to itsd-english@bmw.com stating your supplier number, payment advice number, amount, currency and payment date. If your query is not dealt with to your satisfaction, please contact ituser.carecenter@bmw.com, stating the ticket number.

# PAYMENT IV. BALANCE CONFIRMATIONS AND EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES FOR CONSTRUCTION DEDUCTION TAX.

#### **Confirmation of balances**

We kindly ask you not to send us any balance confirmation requests. You can create balance confirmations yourself in the self-service section of our **eDocument Portal.** 

The open item list contains the actual status of the posted items at BMW on the desired key date. We do not make any corrections to the bookings in the event of any deviations (e.g. bookings after the key date).

With your BMW Group Partner (B2B) Login data, please use the **eDocument Portal** application ("My Reports" - "Accounts Payable") **to access your balance confirmation yourself at any time.** If you do not yet have BMW Group Partner (B2B) access or if you need further information on the eDocument Portal, please check out <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>.

#### **Exemption certificates for construction deduction tax**

Any construction deduction tax that may have to be paid is withheld as part of the payment process.

If an exemption certificate for construction deduction tax has been issued by the competent tax office and has been sent to us, there is no deduction of construction deduction tax.



Please send your current exemption certificate to <a href="mailto:kreditorenbuchhaltung@bmw.de">kreditorenbuchhaltung@bmw.de</a> stating your supplier number.

# EXCHANGE OF DOCUMENTS RELEVANT FOR BILLING I. CHANNELS AND FORMATS FOR DIGITAL DOCUMENT TRANSFER.

BMW AG sends out and receives a large number of different financial documents. In order to increase automation of the financial processes, we aim to take advantage of **exchanging billing documents via electronic channels**, and so significantly reduce the volume of paper documents.

This results in **benefits** for both parties, namely:

- Improved transparency in the billing process.
- Acceleration of the billing process through same day document transfer.
- No loss of billing documents en route by post.
- Reduction in costs of the billing process.

With your BMW Group Partner (B2B) Login data, you can use the **eDocument Portal** application ("My Documents — eCap - Capture Document") to **manually submit your invoices in real time**. If you do not yet have B2B access or if you need further information on the eDocument Portal, please check out <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>.

# EXCHANGE OF DOCUMENTS RELEVANT FOR BILLING II. CHANNELS AND FORMATS FOR DIGITAL DOCUMENT TRANSFER.

BMW offers various possibilities for the **electronic** transfer of **billing documents** such as invoices, credit notes, debit notes, corrections, revaluations and payment advices. For more information, please see **BMW elnvoicing Solutions** 

In case of **missing documents**, please request the retransmission on the agreed channel by email at <u>itsd-english@bmw.com</u> stating your supplier number and the 10-digits document numbers, respectively in case of missing payment advises the 10-digit payment reference number shown on your bank statement starting with 4\*.

If your query is not dealt with to your satisfaction, please contact <u>ituser.carecenter@bmw.com</u>, stating the ticket number.

With your Group Partner Portal (B2B) Login data, you can use the **eDocument Portal** application ("My Onboarding", "**EDI-Survey**") to switch to EDI or to change your existing EDI connection. If you do not yet have B2B access or if you need further information on the eDocument Portal, please check out here.

### EXCHANGE OF DOCUMENTS RELEVANT FOR BILLING III. ENTRY CERTIFICATE.

#### **SBI** procedure

The **credit memo** is equivalent to a entry certificate and contains the following particulars:

- Name and address of supplier and receiver.
- Quantity and usual commercial description of the delivery item.
- Number and date of the delivery note.
- Place of receipt of the goods.
- Date of issue of the credit memo.

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- To request a entry certificate for deliveries to Germany or the UK (Oxford) from an EU state, please contact us by email at **gelangensbestaetigung@bmw.de** with the following information:
- Supplier number.
- Deliveries to Germany/UK(Oxford).
- Month and year of delivery
- Please don't send duplicates, delivery copies, etc.

### PROCESS MATRIX I.

|  | Master data    | Purchase order | Service/<br>Delivery | Invoice<br>verification | Self-billing procedure | Payment | Exchange of documents |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------|-----------------------|
| Change in master data                                      | L <sub>N</sub> |                |                      |                         |                        |         |                       |
| Change in bank details                                     | Z              |                |                      |                         |                        | L Z     |                       |
| Price differences  |                |                |                      |                         |                        |         |                       |
| Revaluation (price increase or price reduction)            |                | Z              |                      | L Z                     | _ Z                    |         |                       |
| Complaint Reports and warranty claims                      |                |                | Ľ <sub>N</sub>       | لع                      | L N                    |         |                       |
| Partial or complete cancellation of a service confirmation |                |                |                      |                         |                        |         |                       |
| Quantity discrepancies in case of goods receipt            |                |                |                      | _ Z                     |                        |         |                       |
| Missing goods receipt                                      |                |                |                      |                         | _ Z                    |         |                       |
| Status of invoice  |                |                |                      | E Z                     |                        |         |                       |
| Down-payments/ Offsets                                     |                |                |                      | _ Z                     |                        |         |                       |
| Guarantees   |                |                |                      | _ Z                     |                        |         |                       |
| Payment missing (missing payment advice)                   |                |                |                      | _ Z                     | لح]                    |         |                       |
| SBI/Self-billing procedure                                 |                |                |                      |                         | _ Z                    |         |                       |

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**■**Process matrix

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**△** Contact

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### PROCESS MATRIX II.

|   | Master data | Purchase order | Service/<br>Delivery | Invoice verification | Self-billing procedure | Payment | Exchange of documents |
|---|-------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------|-----------------------|
| Payment missing though payment advice                           |             |                |                      |                      |                        | Ľ N     |                       |
| Due dates/ Determination of due dates                           |             |                |                      |                      |                        | _ K     |                       |
| Pricing   |             |                |                      |                      |                        |         |                       |
| Confirmation of balances  |             |                |                      |                      |                        | L N     |                       |
| Withholding tax exemption certificate                           |             |                |                      |                      |                        | L N     |                       |
| elnvoice – electronic exchange of documents                     |             |                |                      |                      |                        |         | لا                    |
| Missing financial documents                                     |             |                |                      |                      |                        |         | L <sub>N</sub>        |
| EC entry receipt  |             |                |                      |                      |                        |         | _ Z                   |
| Freight cost settlement<br>FSB – Freight self-billing procedure |             |                |                      | ĽZ <sup>N</sup>      | _ Z                    |         |                       |
| Sample documents  |             | L N            |                      | L Z                  |                        | _ Z     | L <sup>N</sup>        |
| Contacts  | ٣           | L N            | _ Z                  | لع                   | _ Z                    | L Z     | _ Z                   |
| SBM – Vendor tooling  |             |                |                      | Z                    |                        |         |                       |

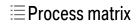




### **GLOSSARY I.**

| Personnel leasing.  |
|---|
| Advance Shipping Notice. Electronic document, which contains detailed information about a planned delivery. Electronic delivery note.   |
| Applicability Statement 2. transmission channel for data exchange.  |
| BMW Group partner portal for suppliers, service providers of the company and internal business departments for the exchange of information with the BMW Group.  |
| Comma separated values. Structured data format for the exchange of billing/accounting documents.  |
| eCapture tool (manual entry of your outgoing invoices' data in the eDocument portal. In addition, attachments can be added by uploading).   |
| Electronic Data Interchange. Electronic exchange of documents in a standard format, enabling both sender and receiver to read a document exactly.   |
| N/EDIFACT (United Nations Electronic Data Interchange for Administration, Commerce and Transport) is a cross-industry international standard for the format of electronic data in business and commerce. EDIFACT is one of several international EDI standards.                             |
| Evaluated receipt settlement. See SBI- procedure.   |
| Freight self-billing procedure.   |
| Conditions for the transfer of ownership of production equipment.   |
| For due dates, see identification of due dates.   |
| Self-billing procedure. See SBI procedure.  |
| Hypertext Transfer Protocol Secure. Transmission path for the exchange of data.   |
| Intermediate Document. Structured data format for the exchange of billing/accounting documents.   |
| Call-off. The purpose of delivery call-offs is to communicate current quantity needs and times.   |
| Service confirmation. Acceptance of a delivery or service. Usually issued by the BMW department concerned (requisitioner/orderer). For exceptions, see special processes.   |
| The supply relationship is indicated in the order; it is decisive for assessment of the supply route in terms of tax law and is based on the following parameters: contract partners/goods supplier/place of need and Incoterm.   |
| Supplier No. It's purpose is to enable unequivocal identification of the business partner. The BMW Supplier No. (LN No.) consists of 8 digits and is structured as follows: Digits 16 = Identifier for a sole proprietorship, partnership or joint stock entity/Digits 7-8 = Postal address |
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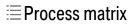




### GLOSSARY II.

| OFTP2     | Odette File Transfer Protocol 2. Transmission path for the exchange of data.   |
|-----------|--|
| Op-Listen | OI – Open items list.  |
| PDF       | Portable Document Format. File format for the exchange of billing/ accounting documents.   |
| QAF       | Quotation Analysis Form.   |
| Rekla     | Complaint/claim - is notified through an inspection report.  |
| RMT       | Risiko-Management-Teile – Risk management parts.   |
| SBI       | Self-billing invoice/SBI procedure/Self-billing procedure. Billing under the SBI procedure is not done in the usual way by the supplier issuing an invoice and sending it to the customer; instead, it is done by the customer issuing a credit memo, which is sent to the creditor (supplier). For accounting purposes, this credit memo from the customer replaces the supplier's invoice. |
| SBM       | Vendor tooling - Special production equipment/SBM purchase parts.  |
| SFTP      | Secure File Transfer Protocol. Transmission path for the exchange of data.   |
| SPAB      | Exclude standard production release order reference Standardised material supply system in the production-near and production-synchronised time range that maps supply management in a control range smaller than one day.   |
| TCP/IP    | Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol. Transmission path for the exchange of data.   |
| USt-IdNr. | Value added tax identification number (VAT ID).  |
| VDA4938   | Standard format for the exchange of electronic billing/accounting documents using EDIFACT.   |
| VDA4907   | Standard format for the exchange of electronic payment advices using EDIFACT.  |
| WE        | Goods receipt or goods receipt posting.  |
| WMB       | Tool registration form.  |
| XML       | Extensible Markup Language. Structured data format for the exchange of billing/accounting documents.   |
| ZUGFeRD   | Zentrale User Guideline Forum elektronische Rechnung Deutschland. Standard format for the exchange of electronic billing/accounting documents.   |





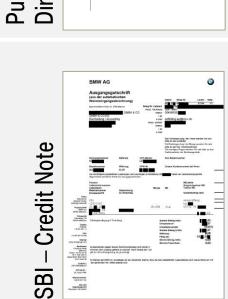




### SAMPLE DOCUMENTS I. **CLICK TO ZOOM IN.**

Purchase Order **Direct Material** 

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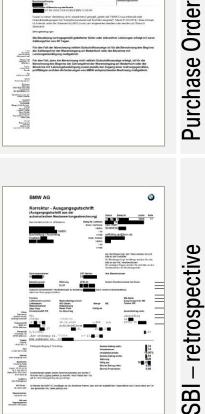


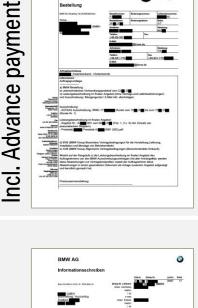
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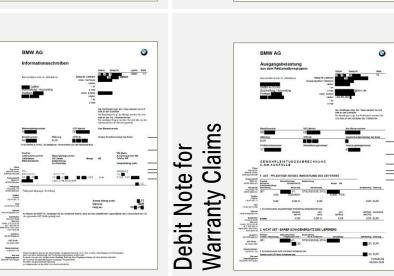
**BMW AG** 

Vendor Tooling (SBM)

Purchase Order

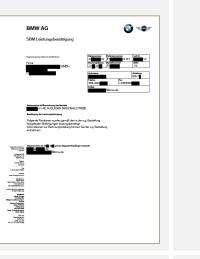






Vendor Tooling (SBM)

Service Confirmation



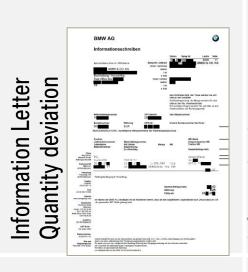


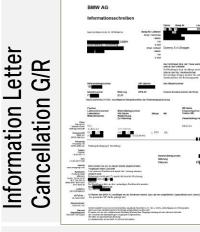


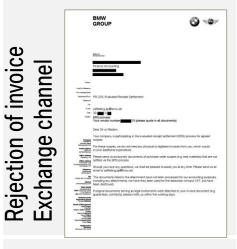
Price Changes

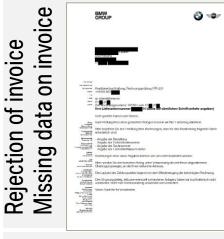
Payment Advice

### SAMPLE DOCUMENTS II. **CLICK TO ZOOM IN.**















Rejection of invoice

Rejection of invoice

# CONTACTS OF HEADQUARTER AND PLANTS. FREIGHT COSTS AND NATIONAL SALES COMPANIES ON THE NEXT PAGE.

| Contractu      | Your intent al partner                           | Selfbilling    | Questions relating to your invoices        | Affected payments                               | Bank data                | Missing<br>documents   | Questions regarding elnvoice | EC Entry confirmation |
|----------------|--|----------------|--|---|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| BMW AG         | from Germany                                     |                | rp-inland@bmw.de                           |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |
| Supplier       | outside of Germany                               |                | iv international@bmw.de                    |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |
|                | of sales outlets                                 | selfbilling.ap | rp-nl@bmw.de                               | Kreditoren                                      | <u>businesspartn</u>     | Itsd-english           | einvoicing-platform          | Gelangens             |
|                | of BMW restaurants                               | @bmw.de        | rp_gastronomie@bmw.de                      | <u>buchhaltung</u>                              | er@bmwgroup              | @bmw.com <sup>2)</sup> | @bmwgroup.com <sup>3)</sup>  | bestaetigung          |
|                | of Alpenhotel Ammerwald                          |                | rp_ammerwald@bmw.de                        | @bmw.de   | <u>.com<sup>1)</sup></u> |                        |                              | @bmw.de               |
| BMW Fahr       | zeugtechnik GmbH                                 |                | iv fahrzeugtechnik@bmw.de                  |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |
| BMW Man        | ufacturing Hungary Kft, HU                       |                | iv debrecen@bmw.de                         |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |
| <b>BMW Mob</b> | ility Dev. Center s.r.o., CZ                     |                | iv fmdc@bmw.de                             |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |
| BMW (UK)       | Manufacturing Ltd., UK                           |                | iv oxford@bmw.de                           |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |
| <b>BMW Ham</b> | s Hall Motoren GmbH, UK                          |                | iv hamshall@bmw.de                         |   |                          | please contact the     |                              |                       |
| BMW Moto       | BMW Motoren GmbH, AT                             |                | iv steyr@bmw.de                            | <u>buchhaltung.steyr@bmw.com</u> creator of the |                          |                        |                              |                       |
| BMW SLP        | <b>S.A.</b> from outside Mexico                  |                | AccountsPayableSLP@bmw.com.                | mv  |                          | document               |                              |                       |
| de C.V., M     | <b>X</b> from Mexico                             |                | Accounts ayables i @billw.com.             | illi <u>x</u>                                   |                          | contact PAC provider   | ATEB                         |                       |
|                | ce Motor Cars Ltd., UK<br>ce Motor Cars GmbH, DE |                | accounts.payables@rolls-roycemotorcars.com |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |
| BMW Bank       | k GmbH   |                | iv bank@bmw.de                             |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |
| BMW M Gr       | mbH  |                | ZS-Buchhaltungsservice@bmw.de              |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |
| BMW Man        | ufacturing Corp. , US                            | APSCMC@bmwmc.c | <u>com</u>                                 |   |                          |                        |                              |                       |

<sup>1)</sup> Regarding the change of company registration, please contact the responsible purchasing department.





<sup>3)</sup> Change in the course of Channel Management

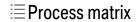
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| National Sales Companies Europe  | Email   |  |
|--|---|--|
| BMW Belgium Luxembourg S.A./N.V., BE   | AP.BE.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| BMW Danmark, DK  | AP.DK.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| Oy BMW Suomi, FI   | AP.FI.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| BMW France S.A., FR  | AP.FR.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| BMW NEDERLAND B.V., NL   | AP.NL.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| BMW Norge AS, NO   | AP.NO.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| BMW Iberica S.A., ES   | AP.ES.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| BMW Sverige AB, SE   | AP.SE.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| BMW (Schweiz) AG, CH   | AP.CH.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| BMW (UK) Ltd., UK  | AP.UK.Intern.Acc@bmwgroup.com   |  |
| Freight costs  | Email   |  |
| Freight invoices   | freight.Invoice@bmwgroup.com  |  |
| Freight self-billing procedure Europe  | freight.EU.material.FSB@bmwgroup.com  |  |
| Freight self-billing procedure USA   |   |  |
|  | treiant.usa.rsb@bmwaroub.com  |  |
|  | freight.USA.FSB@bmwgroup.com<br>freight.ZA.FSB@bmwgroup.com                                     |  |
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### **INVOICE-TO ADDRESSES I.** BMW AG AND FURTHER COMPANIES IN GERMANY.

| BMW AG  |  |
|---|--|
| Suppliers of headquarter and plants   | BMW AG<br>Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rechnungsprüfung<br>D-80788 München                                     |
| Suppliers of sales outlets using the example of branch Munich, Frankfurter Ring | BMW AG<br>Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rechnungsprüfung<br><b>MXI Niederlassung München</b><br>D-80788 München |
| Suppliers of BMW restaurants  | BMW AG<br>Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rechnungsprüfung<br><b>Gastronomie</b><br>D-80788 München               |
| Suppliers of Alpenhotel Ammerwald   | BMW AG<br>Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rechnungsprüfung<br><b>Alpenhotel Ammerwald</b><br>D-80788 München      |

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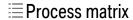
| Belgium <b>BE</b> 0998441586  | Germany <b>DE</b> 129273398  | France <b>FR</b> 73522345958  |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Great Britain GB748003249     | Italy IT00136039997          | Austria <b>ATU</b> 31792209   |
| Poland <b>PL</b> 5262986795   | Portugal <b>PT</b> 980441340 | Sweden <b>SE</b> 502068364401 |
| Slovakia <b>SK</b> 4120035381 | Hungary <b>HU</b> 30466018   | Slovenia <b>SI</b> 86743716   |
| Czech Republic CZ684634088    | 3 Spain <b>ESN</b> 0041686G  | Romania <b>RO</b> 43747078    |
| Switzerland CHE-115.065.925   | 5MWST Netherlands <b>N</b> I | L813392275B01                 |

| BMW Fahrzeugtechnik GmbH    | BMW Fahrzeugtechnik GmbH<br>Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rechnungsprüfung<br>D-80788 München            |
|-----------------------------|---|
| BMW M GmbH                  | BMW M GmbH<br>Rechnungsprüfung<br>Daimlerstraße 19<br>D-85748 Garching-Hochbrück                  |
| BMW Bank GmbH               | BMW Bank GmbH<br>Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rechnungsprüfung<br>D-80787 München                       |
| Rolls-Royce Motor Cars GmbH | Rolls-Royce Motor Cars Ltd. The Drive Westhampnett Chichester West Sussex PO18 0SH United Kingdom |



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# INVOICE-TO ADDRESSES II. BMW GROUP OUTSIDE OF GERMANY.

| UK BMW (UK) Manufacturing Ltd. | c/o BMW AG Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rechnungsprüfung D-80788 München  Add the service receiver obligatory: BMW (UK) Manufacturing Ltd. Accounts Payable, Invoice Verification Oxford OX4 6NL United Kingdom (UID: GB239354938) |
|--------------------------------|--|
| BMW Hams Hall Motoren GmbH     | Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rechnungsprüfung D-80788 München Germany  Add the service receiver obligatory: BMW Hams Hall Motoren GmbH Canton Lane Hams Hall Coleshill B46 1GB United Kingdom (UID: GB239354938)                   |

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| AT | BMW Motoren GmbH                      | Hinterbergerstraße 2<br>4400 Steyr<br>Österreich   |
|----|---------------------------------------|--|
| HU | BMW Manufacturing Hungary Kft.        | c/o BMW AG<br>Kreditorenbuchhaltung, Rechnungsprüfung<br>D-80788 München<br>Germany                                      |
|    |                                       | Add the service receiver obligatory: BMW Manufacturing Hungary Kft. BMW Körút 1. 4002 Debrecen Hungary (UID: HU26531436) |
| CZ | BMW Mobility Development Centers.r.o. | Kreditorenbuchhaltung<br>Bucharova 2817/13<br>15800 Praha<br>Czech Republic  |
| US | BMW Manufacturing Corp.               | Accounts Payable PO Box 11000 Spartanburg SC 29304-4100 United States of America   |
| MX | BMW SLP S.A. de C.V.                  | Boulevard BMW 655 Parque Industrial Desarrollo Logistik 79526 Villa de Reyes San Luis Potosí, Mexico                     |

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| UK | BMW Motorsport Ltd.  | c/o BMW (UK) Manufacturing Ltd<br>Plant Oxford<br>Oxford<br>OX4 6NL    |
|----|--|--|
|    | BMW (UK) Holdings Limited                                  | Summit One Summit Avenue Farnborough Hampshire GU14 0FB United Kingdom |
|    | Rolls-Royce Motor Cars Ltd.<br>Rolls-Royce Motor Cars GmbH | The Drive Westhampnett Chichester West Sussex PO18 0SH United Kingdom  |



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