# Cal Answers: Procure to Pay Reporting

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At a Glance Dashboard, Time to Pay Report, and Same Creator and Approver Report





## **Introductions**

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# New Dashboard and Reports

At a Glance Dashboard

Time to Pay Report

Same Creator and Approver Report



#### What is Cal Answers?

IT'S AN ANALYTICAL TOOL allowing staff, faculty, and students to explore, visualize, and manipulate centralized, integrated information from various Berkeley enterprise systems.

USE IT TO monitor goals, improve processes, inform strategic decisions, and accurately communicate about who we are as a campus.

THE GOAL IS to make data easily accessible, reliable, consistent, and secure to support informed planning, decision-making, and communication.





## What is Procure to Pay reporting?

Procure to Pay Reporting provides insight to decision makers to help us reach key campus objectives:

Operational Efficiency: How can we make the purchasing and disbursement processes more efficient?

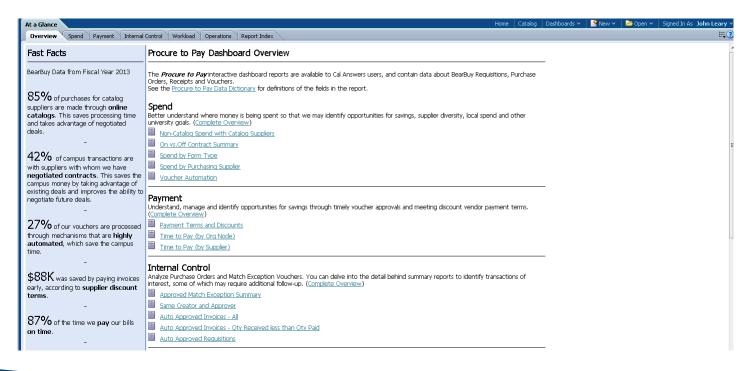
Financial Sustainability: Where are opportunities to save money by increasing on-contract spend, negotiating early payment discounts, moving spending to catalogues, etc.?

Regulatory Effectiveness: How can we improve regulatory controls?



#### At a Glance Dashboard: New Launch Pad!

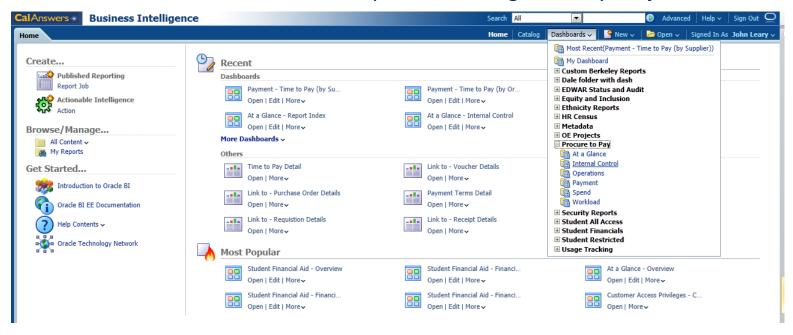
- Launching place for all Procure to Pay reports
- Fast Facts on the Overview tab quickly answer most common campus-level questions
- Reports categorized by subject: Spend, Payment, Internal Control, Workload, and Operations
- Summary report graphs linked to their corresponding detailed report





#### Procure to Pay: New Folder Structure and Navigation

- No longer access P2P reports through the UCB Procurement and Spends folder
- New Folder and Navigation Dashboard Procure to Pay
  - Access At a Glance, Spend, Payment, Internal Control, Workload, and Operations dashboards
- New Folder structure is inline with how reports are categorized by subject.



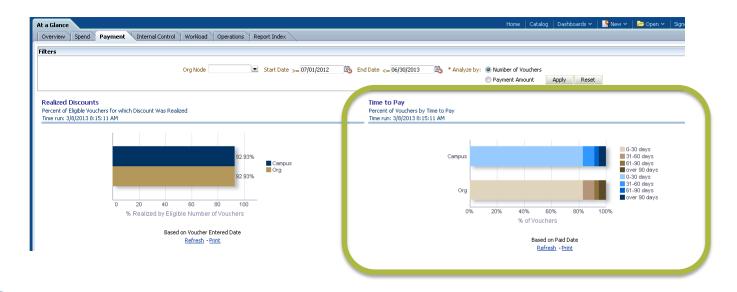


#### At a Glance Dashboard → Payment Tab → Time to Pay Report

Contains reports for understanding, managing, and identifying savings opportunities through timely voucher approvals and discount vendor payment terms.

Key business questions the report addresses:

- Where are payments not meeting vendor payment terms?
- Where are opportunities to negotiate better payment terms or use a more efficient method of processing payments?
- Are vouchers being approved in a timely manner?

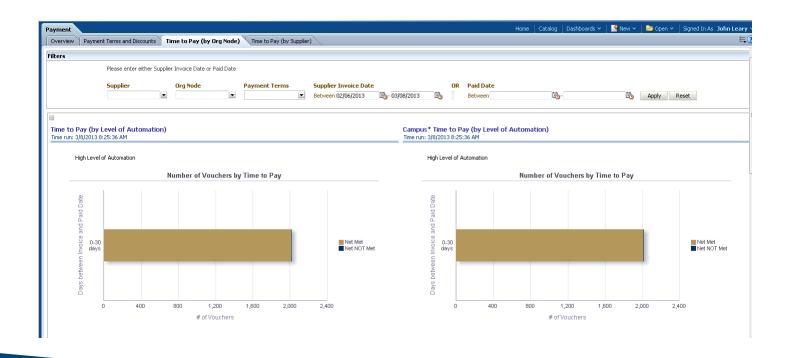




#### At a Glance Dashboard → Payment Tab → Time to Pay Report (by Org Node)

Allows you to track the number of vouchers by Org Node and the time it took for payment. Vouchers are categorized and displayed by either:

- Net Met (paid within net terms) or Net Not Met (paid outside of net terms)
- Percent of vouchers by aging bucket and automation level

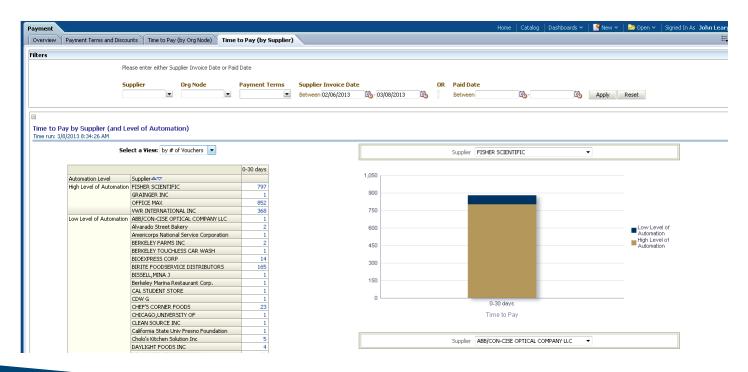




#### At a Glance Dashboard → Payment Tab → Time to Pay Report (by Supplier)

Allows you to track the number of vouchers by supplier and the time it took for payment. Vouchers are categorized and displayed by:

- Time to Pay: Days between Invoice and Paid Date
- Automation level



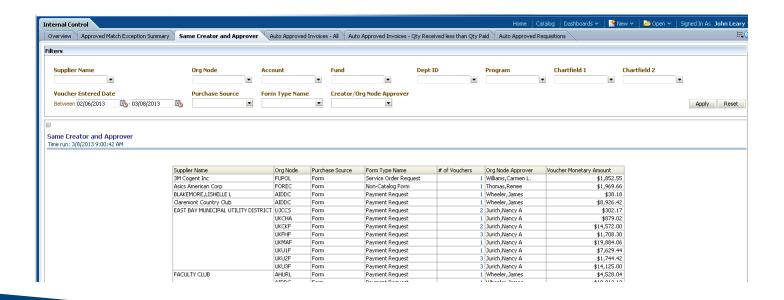


#### At a Glance Dashboard → Internal Control Tab → Same Creator and Approver Report

This report aids the university in monitoring theft risk: it identifies where in the BearBuy system the same user was the PR Creator, PR Org Node Approver, and Voucher Org Node Approver.

Key business questions the report addresses:

- Where are we at risk for fraud?
- How can we improve the approval chain, so there is oversight for all transactions?





#### How do I get started? It's easy!

- 1. To learn more and log in to Cal Answers, visit calanswers.berkeley.edu.
- 2. Use the Cal Answers Quick Start Guide (on calanswers.berkeley.edu) for step-by-step instructions on beginning your analysis.
- 3. If you have questions or comments, e-mail calanswers-help@berkeley.edu or call 661-9000 (option 1).

