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FFATA (Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act) transition to SAM.gov

Office of Financial Management

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Agency Survey Results

Agencies generally were able to obtain the correct roles and access although some users have not obtained the right access.

Additional Resources:

Knowledge Base
https://www.fsd.gov/gsafsd_sp?id=gsafsd_kb_articles&sys_id=3c5fc8e187f466547fc785550cbb3576

User Roles
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PxxCM1qgaEo

SAM.gov subaward reporting training webinar: roles and permissions
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PF9yV9yHIBQ

Agency Survey Results

The transition from FSRS to SAM.gov for Agencies was generally a good experience.

Additional Resources:

FSRS to SAM Overview
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r4aljlnTTGY

SAM.gov subaward training webinar: March 5, 2025
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OExS3U4nW_o

Agency Survey Results

Users were generally satisfied with the SAM.gov FFATA experience.

Additional Resources:

Assistance Awards Reporting
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=27zuCESCKAw

Subaward Search
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L0MrSlOR9AY

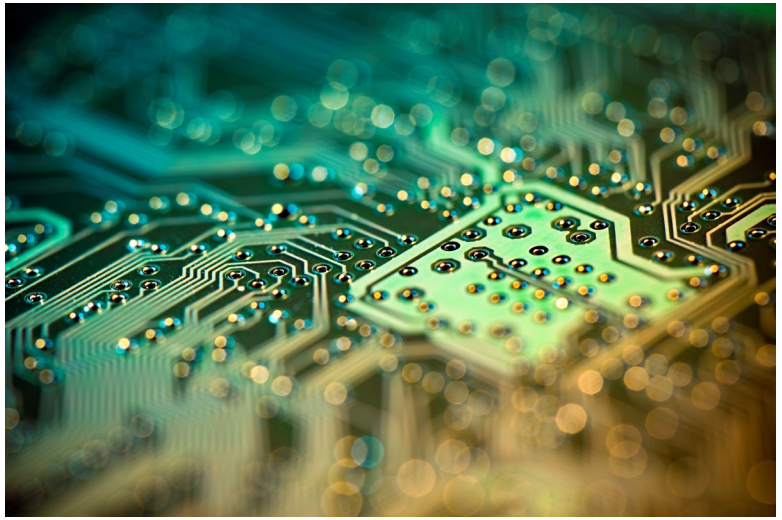
Agency Survey Results

Agencies did not have interest in pursing the subaward bulk upload API (Application Programming Interface).

- Not enough volume
- Cost to implement
- Lack of IT resources

Additional Resources:

SAM.gov Subaward reporting Bulk Upload APIhttps://open.gsa.gov/api/subawards-bulkupload-api/



Agency Survey Results

Issues reported for group discussion:

No way to print/save a useable copy of the report. Print to pdf is not good and there is no download option.

- Has anyone found a way to print to pdf in a useable way?
- Has anyone found a work around?

Agency Survey Results

Issues reported for group discussion:

No way to capture historical changes. System shows a last updated date but no option to document for audit purposes when original entry or amendments were reported.

- How are agencies handling this?
- Have any agencies had any feedback from auditors?

Agency Survey Results

Issues reported for group discussion:

When an Agency submission procedure requires a second person to review and approve entries prior to submission there is no way to document the review without a pdf or other copy of the report?

- Are other agencies having this problem?
- Has any agency found a good workflow?

Agency Survey Results

Let’s keep the information sharing going.

Send FFATA questions or ideas for tackling the issues discussed today to:

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I will collect the information and present at future meetings.