

How to Place Limit Orders for Services



Sourcing & Procurement

Limit Orders



Limit order shopping carts are created for purchasing services.

The screenshot shows the BUworks Procurement interface. The 'Procurement' tab is highlighted in the top navigation bar. In the left sidebar, 'Place and Manage Orders' is highlighted under the 'Services' section. In the main content area, 'Shopping Cart' is highlighted under the 'Shopping Carts - All' section. Three yellow callout boxes with arrows point to these elements, labeled 'Step 1. Click Procurement', 'Step 2. Click Place and Manage Orders', and 'Step 3. Click Shopping Cart'.

- ❖ Click 'Procurement' tab in BUworks*
- ❖ Click 'Place and Manage Orders'
- ❖ Click 'Shopping Cart'‡

*Individuals must have the designated 'Shopper' role in BUworks to place shopping cart orders.

‡Clicking Shopping Cart will open a cart in a new window.

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Proposals, quotes, or descriptions of services should be on hand at the time of placing the order.

Create Shopping Cart

Order | Print Preview | Close | Save | Check | Park

Number 1000752310 Document Name BUWTN503 04/05/2018 08:33 Status In Pro

▼ General Data

Buy on Behalf of: 77616

Name of shopping cart: BUWTN503 04/05/2018 08:33

Default Settings: **Set Values**

Header Data: values

Team Shopping Cart: ☐ Make available to my purchasing substitutes

Approval Process: Display / Edit Agents

▼ Item Overview

Details | **Add Item** | Copy | Paste | Duplicate | Delete

Limit Item

Old Shopping Carts and Templates

Terrier Marketplace

Step 4. Set Default Settings*

Step 5. Click Add Item

Step 6. Select Limit Item

- ❖ Click 'Shopping Cart' to open a new shopping cart in a separate window
- ❖ Click 'Set Values' to set Single-Cart Default Values *
- ❖ Click 'Add item'
- ❖ Select 'Limit Item' to generate a pop-up window

*If required or applicable, set default delivery address and account assignment before adding an item to the cart. See 'Single-Cart Default Settings' for instructions (<http://www-staging.bu.edu/sourcing/how-to-place-orders/>).

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The dollar amounts set in the Value Limit and Expected Value sections are never visible to the supplier.

Step 7. Enter Engagement Information

Add Item as Limit Item

* Description:

Product Category ID: SERVICES-CONSULTING

Value Limit:

Expected Value:

Required: -

Follow-Up Actions: ☐ Confirmation and Invoice ☒ Invoice Only

Account Assignment: ☐ Unknown ☒ Known

Step 8. Click OK

- ❖ Enter the engagement information in the pop-up window sections:
 - ❖ Description
 - ❖ Product Category*
 - ❖ Value Limit & Expected Value‡
 - ❖ Required Dates: *Full engagement term or term for one fiscal year.*
- ❖ Click 'Add Item to Overview' to add item to the cart and close the pop-up window

*See 'How to Assign Product Category' for instructions (<http://www-staging.bu.edu/sourcing/how-to-place-orders/>). General Ledger (G/L) codes are automatically assigned based on Product Category.

‡ Make Value Limit & Expected Value dollar amounts the same and should reflect total anticipated cost or budgeted amount for the engagement including estimated unforeseen fees.

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Limit item shopping carts typically have one line item only for the total dollar amount of the engagement.

Create Shopping Cart

Order | Print Preview | Close | Save | Check | Park

Number: 1000592204 | Document Name: BUWTN503 07/14/2017 14:21 | Status: In Process | Created On: 07/14/2017 14:21:30 | Created By: THOMAS SYMANCYK

General Data

Buy on Behalf of: 88803 | Header Approval Note: []

Name of shopping cart: BUWTN503 07/14/2017 14:21

Default Settings: [Set Values](#)

Header Data: [Values](#)

Team Shopping Cart: ☐ Make available to my purchasing substitutes

Approval Process: [Display / Edit Agents](#)

Budget: [Display](#)

Document Changes: [Display](#)

Item Overview

Line Number	Item Type	Item Type	Product ID	Description	Product Category	Product Category Description
0001	Limit		80100000	How to Create a Limit Service Order	SERVICES-CONSULTING	

Details for Item 1 How to Create a With Free Description

Item Data | Account Assignment | Notes and Attachments | Delivery Address/Performance Location | Sources of Supply / Service Agents | Approval

Basic

Configurable Item Number: 0001

Description: How to Create a Limit Service Order

Product Category: 80100000 SERVICES-CONSULTING

Required: Between 04/22/2018 - 06/30/2018

Value Limit: 20,000.00 USD

Expected value: 20,000.00 USD

Tax Code: 10:10

Follow-On Actions: ☐ Confirmation and Invoice ☒ Ir

Account Assignment: ☐ Unknown ☒ Known

Option Type: []

Period of Performance: [] []

Step 9. Click Details

- ❖ Click 'Add Item to Overview' to add item to the cart
- ❖ Click 'Details'*
- ❖ Scroll to the bottom of the page to review item detail tabs

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Add a buffer to the dollar amount of the order to cover unforeseen costs.

Step 10. Review Item Data

Number: [] Document Name: BUWTN503 04/17/2018 12:49 Status: In Process Created On: 04/17/2018 12:49:04 Created By: THOM

Item Data Account Assignment

▼ Basic

Configurable Item Number: 0001

Description: How to Create a Limit Service Order

Product Category: 80100000 SERVICES-CONSULTING

Required: Between 04/22/2018 06/30/2018

Value Limit: 20,000.00 USD

Expected value: 20,000.00 USD

Tax Code: 10:10

Follow-On Actions: ☐ Confirmation and Inv ☐ Unknown ☒ Know

Account Assignment: ☐ Unknown ☒ Know

Option Type: []

Period of Performance: []

❖ Review the following in 'Item Data' Tab:

- ❖ Description
- ❖ Product Category *
- ❖ Value Limit & Expected Value†
- ❖ Required Dates: Full engagement term or term for one fiscal year.

❖ Click 'Account Assignment' Tab

*See 'How to Assign Product Category' for instructions (<http://www-staging.bu.edu/sourcing/how-to-place-orders/>). General Ledger (G/L) codes are automatically assigned based on Product Category.

† Make Value Limit & Expected Value dollar amounts the same and should reflect total anticipated cost or budgeted amount for the engagement including estimated unforeseen fees.

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The Account Assignment category depends on the assignment number used to pay for the line item.

The screenshot shows the 'Create Shopping Cart' interface. At the top, there are buttons: Order, Print Preview, Close, Save, Check, and Park. Below these is a warning message: 'No source of supply found for item'. The document details are: Number 1000752344, Document Name BUWTN503 04/17/2018 12:49, Status In Process, Created On 04/17/2018 12:49:04, and Created By THOMAS SYMANC. The main section is 'Details for item 1 Limit Item'. It has tabs for Item Data, Account Assignment, Notes and Attachments, and Delivery Address/Performance. The 'Account Assignment' tab is selected and highlighted with a red box. A yellow callout box with an arrow points to it, containing the text 'Step 12. Select Account Assignment Category'. The 'Account Assignment' dropdown menu is open, showing options: Asset, Cost Center, Order, WBS element, and Cost Center. The 'Cost Center' option is selected and highlighted with a red box. A yellow callout box with an arrow points to it, containing the text 'Step 13. Enter Assignment Number'. The 'Assign Number' field is also highlighted with a red box and contains the value '1202020000'.

❖ Click 'Account Assignment Category' dropdown to select one of the following:

- ❖ Asset
- ❖ Cost Center: 1xxxxxxx
- ❖ Order: 9xxxxxxx
- ❖ WBS Element

❖ Enter the cost or fund number to be charged for this purchase *

*Limit Orders must be charged in full to one account, account assignment splitting cannot be done on Limit Orders.

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Limit order shopping carts should always have documentation attached. Orders over \$5,000 require attached documentation to submit the order.

Step 14. Click Notes and Attachments

Step 15. Add notes

Step 16. Click Add Attachments*

- ❖ Click 'Notes and Attachments' tab
- ❖ Click blue 'Internal Note' or 'Supplier Text' links to add notes to the supplier or buyer ±
- ❖ Click 'Add Attachment' to attach relevant documentation including:
 - ❖ Quotes
 - ❖ Proposals
 - ❖ Price lists
 - ❖ Proof of Competitive Bid

* See 'Adding Attachments' for instructions (<http://www-staging.bu.edu/sourcing/how-to-place-orders/>).

± Suppliers cannot be assigned to limit item shopping carts by shoppers, supplier information must be provided by the shopper in the Internal Notes of the cart.

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All service limit orders go to Sourcing & Procurement for manual purchase order creation.

Step 19. Click Order

Create Shopping Cart

Order Print Preview Close Save Check

Line 1: Enter a start date that precedes the end date
Funds Management error; Annual budget exceeded by 7.292,33 USD (FM PB Availability Control) for document item 00001

Number 1000592136 Document Number N503 07/07/2017 13:19 Status In Process Created On 07/07/2017 13:19:19 Create

General Data

Buy on Behalf of: CYK Header Approval Note:

Name of shopping cart:

Default Settings:

Header Data: [Values](#)

Item Overview

Details Add Item Copy Paste Duplicate Delete

Line Number	Item Type	Product ID	Description	Product Category	Product Category Description	Quantity
0001	Material		How to Create a With Free Description	14100000	SUPPLIES-OFFICE	1
	Undefined Item Type			14100000	SUPPLIES-OFFICE	1.000

Details for item 1 [How to Create a With Free Description](#)

Step 17. Click Check

Step 18. Check for Errors

- ❖ Click 'Check' to review the shopping cart for errors
- ❖ Review errors and make changes as needed*
- ❖ Click 'Order'



*Red icons indicate errors must be corrected before clicking Order



Yellow Icons are notifications that do not require action to click Order



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Ordering Information
Sourcing & Procurement:

Website: www.bu.edu/sourcing
Email: sourcing@bu.edu

Invoice Payment Information
Accounts Payable:

Website: www.bu.edu/ap/resources
Email: invoices@bu.edu