

Introduction of our new Siemens Energy Procurement Tool

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Dear valued supplier,

we are currently shaping our future as an independent Siemens Energy after the spin-off from Siemens AG.


It's going to be an exciting journey, but we have to go through a series of changes. We have to leave old habits behind to become an independent leader in the energy business.


To achieve this goal, we need to embrace the opportunities of harmonization and continue to drive forward the transformation of the value chain. And of course, you, **our suppliers are an extraordinarily important part** in all of this.


What will change for you?


We are **leaving behind SCM Star** for the **implementation of SAP ARIBA**, our new all-in-one suite for both strategic and indirect procurement, to create a more simplified system landscape for both of us, Siemens Energy and our suppliers.


What are the main benefits for you as a supplier?

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The new intuitive and user-friendly design of ARIBA provides easier handling of all source-to-contract-activities.
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Contract negotiations and price inquiries will all be available in just one platform and especially the RFQ process in ARIBA simplifies our collaboration and makes both of us more time-efficient
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No more system changing between different platforms (like SCM Star or your E-Mail provider) in general – ARIBA is our single point of truth.
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On-demand data availability, increased data transparency and simplified processes empower us internally but also you as a supplier to fully utilize the data and make informed decisions, for example through accurate pricing.
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The SAP Business Network is not only a Siemens-Energy network, but a real "supplier network" in which many high-buying organizations are registered, which can also view your product and service catalogs and order from you.

What do you have to do and when?

As part of the ARIBA implementation, also the registration of our suppliers in ARIBA will start soon. Currently, there is no need to do anything from your side.

Starting in June, Siemens Energy will invite the first wave of suppliers to register themselves on the SAP Business Network and in our Siemens Energy ARIBA system by filling out our Siemens Energy specific registration and qualification questionnaires. We will proceed step by step with this process and will inform you in time prior to your own registration and qualification.

Starting in July 2022 our source-to-contract processes, e.g. events like price requests, will reach you via an E-Mail from ARIBA. Please be aware that the sender of the E-Mail might have an automatically generated E-Mail address like s4system-prodeu+Siemens-Energy.Doc996077591@eusmtp.ariba.com.

In the E-Mail you can find further instructions regarding the concrete steps you need to follow. After logging in / registering yourself on the SAP Business Network, you can access events without filling in the Siemens Energy specific registration and qualification questionnaires, however, this intermediate step (questionnaires) must take place later in order to receive an award.

Don't worry though, during the whole process you will always be able to participate in all of our source-to-contract activities.

What is additionally important for you?

If you have any further questions, you will find more information and benefits of ARIBA, as well as manuals for suppliers and a support hotline on our [Supplier Website](#).

We are looking forward to sharing the journey with you and to unlock the values of digitalization to the benefit of both our companies.

With best regards,



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