



What is ACWS

- ACWS will provide the Army with a single, enterprise-wide contract writing and management system enabling a faster and more efficient contract writing processes.
- ACWS is replacing the Procurement Automated Data and Document System (PADDS), the Standard Procurement System (SPS), and the Virtual Contracting Enterprise suite of tools.

What is ACWS/LMP Integration

- The LMP enables the entire Procure-to-Pay (P2P) process for the Army Materiel Command (AMC). Contract writing is one component of this process.
- LMP currently integrates with other logistics and finance systems to enable the P2P processes. The LMP must interface with ACWS and refine the LMP P2P processes to support system updates for existing trading partners as well as new interfaces.

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How ACWS Supports Army Readiness

- By modernizing the contract writing process, the Army will reduce lead times, making "paperwork to procurement" faster, which gets equipment to Soldiers faster.
- By standardizing Purchase Requisition (PR) and Procurement data, LMP, ACWS, and dozens of other partner systems will more easily "talk" to each other, which reduces errors across systems and closes/delivers purchases faster.

EXAMPLE for LMP USERS

An Item Manager at a depot needs to purchase tank engine parts, as well as labor to install or fix the tank engine parts. With LMP / ACWS integration, LMP users can now enter both the item and service requests on one PR vs. having to create multiple PRs. This saves time and paperwork, as well as links the service to specific parts for better tracking and auditability.





