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**LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS**

CAGE	Five-character ID number that identifies a contractor
COR	Contracting Officer's Representative
CLIN	Contract Line Item Number
eCRAFT	Electronic Cost Reporting and Financial Tracking System
ePRU	ECRAFT Periodic Report Utility
FAR	Federal Acquisition Regulation
IDIQ	Indefinite Delivery, Indefinite Quantity
IE	Internet Explorer
DFAS	Defense Finance and Accounting Service
DUNS	Data Universal Numbering System
NUWC	Naval Undersea Warfare Center
NUWCDIVNPT	Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division Newport
ODC	Other Direct Costs
PI	Principal Investor
POP	Period of Performance
SLIN	Sub Line Item Number
TI	Technical Instructions
TO	Task Order
VB	Visual Basic
VBA	Visual Basic Application
XML	Extensible Markup Language is a markup language that defines a set of rules for encoding documents in a format that is both human and machine readable.

**FOREWORD**

The *eCRAFT Periodic Report Utility Version 5.0 Vendor's User Guide* is designed to assist vendors in using ePRU to create and electronically transmit vendor expenditures to the eCRAFT Database Management System.

## **1 INTRODUCTION**

The Electronic Cost Reporting and Financial Tracking System (eCRAFT) Periodic Report Utility (ePRU) Version 5.0 is an Excel tool used to (1) track expenditures-against-cost contracts and (2) generate the eCRAFT Vendor Report XML document necessary to be sent via e-mail to the eCRAFT Database Management System. ePRU is a stand-alone system that vendors can access from their computers. It does not require Internet access, except to download the utility (and accompanying files) from the NUWC Division Newport Contracts Home Page and electronically transfer the eCRAFT Summary Report to the eCRAFT Database Management System.

ePRU is a Microsoft Excel 2007 file that uses Microsoft Visual Basic Application (VBA) to generate the edit forms utilized in the report segments. Packaged along with the ePRU file (EPRUv50.xls) are two other required files, ecxml50.xsl and ECXML50.DTD, utilized respectively to generate a readable version of the eCRAFT Summary Report and load the eCRAFT Summary Report into the eCRAFT database. The ePRU and its associated files will also be referred to as the ePRU package in this guide.

**Note:** For more information on accompanying ePRU files (ecxml50.xsl and ECXML50.DTD) see appendices B and C respectively.

### **1.2 SCOPE**

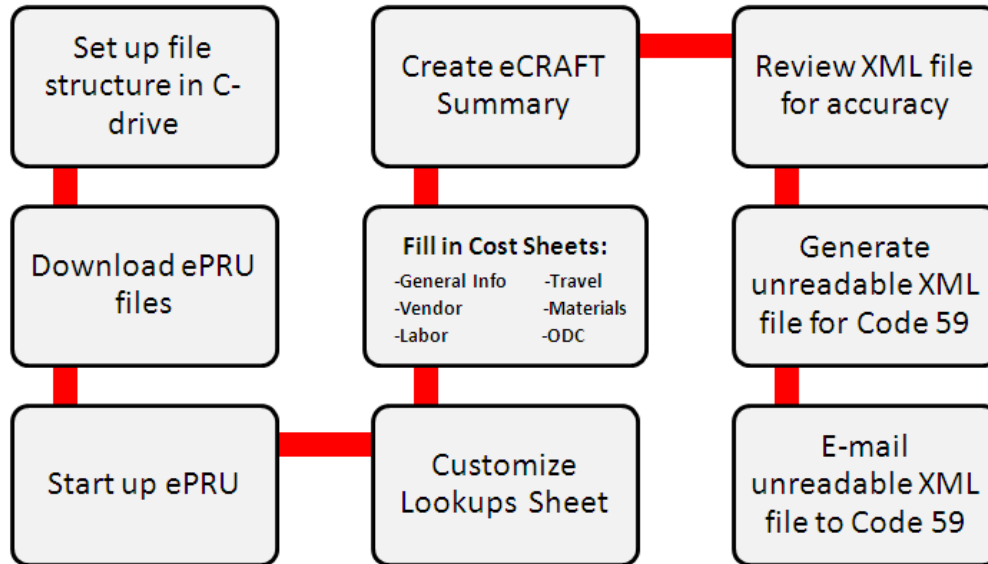
The ePRU Vendor's User Guide provides general instructions to vendors for installing and utilizing this utility for the purpose of preparing eCRAFT Vendor Reports.

### **1.3 EPRU PROCESS OVERVIEW**

It is recommended that vendors construct a file directory on their computer's C drive to store ePRU and its related files to facilitate ePRU-related file usage. This can be done either before or at the time vendors download ePRU from the NUWC Division Newport Contracts Home Page. To start up ePRU, vendors must locate the ERUv50.xls file on their C-drive, double click on it, and enable its macros.

Next vendors must customize their Lookups sheet. In ePRU the data provided in the Lookups is used to populate the drop-down list boxes on the VB Edit forms. Now vendors are ready to systematically fill in all the cost sheets used to create the final eCRAFT Summary Report, namely General Information, Vendor Invoice, Labor Costs, Travel Costs, Materials Costs, and Other Direct Costs (ODC). Vendors can generate a readable version of the eCRAFT Summary Report for reviewing purposes via the Write and View Browser buttons before creating the XML report to be sent to Code 59 via the Write Ecrafft File button. The ePRU process is illustrated in figure 1:





*Figure 1 – ePRU Workflow*

## 2 UTILITY CONVENTIONS

### 2.1 GENERAL CONVENTIONS

ePRU uses standard Microsoft Excel 2007 (Excel) and Visual Basic (VB) conventions. Therefore, all sheets in the ePRU workbook conform to standard editing, navigation, etc., procedures for Excel 2007. Likewise, all VB forms conform to standard Windows manipulation.

In this guide, the ePRU shall also be referred to as an Excel workbook, each Excel worksheet in the workbook will be referred to as a work sheet or “sheet,” and the Visual Basic forms will be referred to as VB forms or “forms.”

The General Info, Vendor Invoice, Labor Costs, Travel Costs, Material Costs and Other Direct Costs (ODC) are referred to as “segments” to conform to the concept of required segments in a Vendor Report.

### 2.2 BUTTON CONVENTIONS

In general, each sheet in ePRU contains a menu bar from which the user can access other sheets in the workbook or features of ePRU. As shown in figure 2, the buttons on the menu bar are color coded to reflect the following conventions:



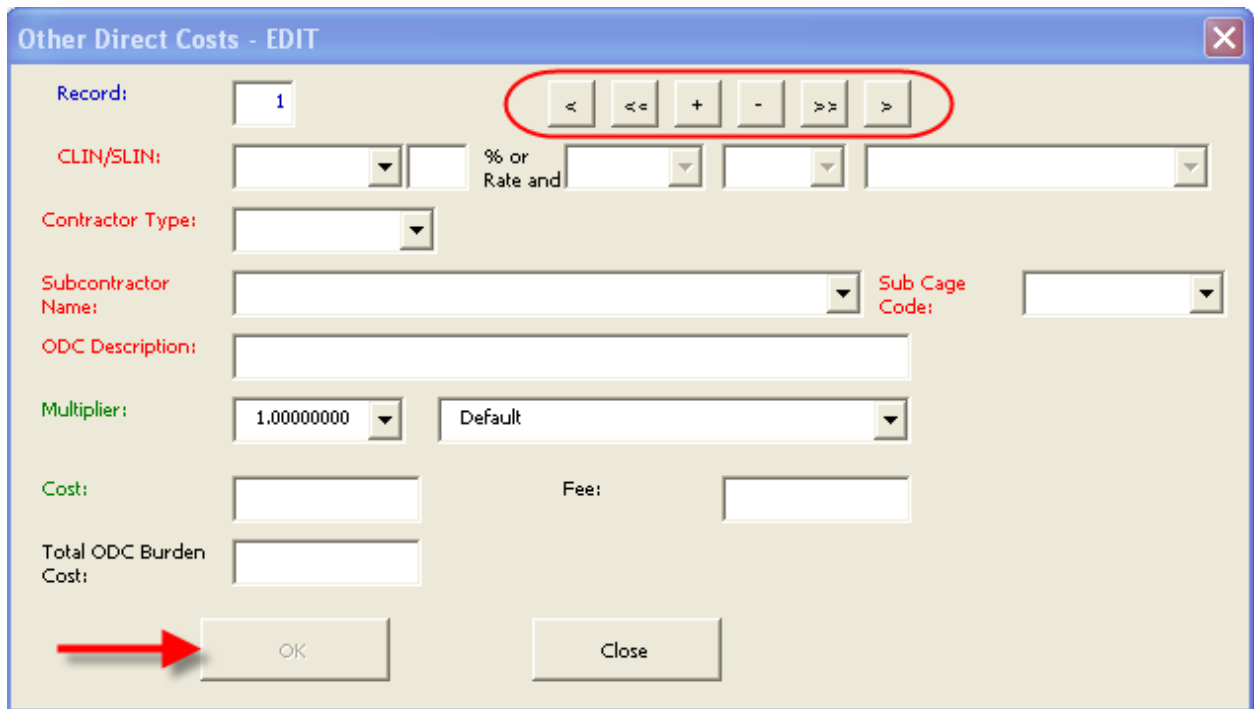
*Figure 2 – ePRU Menu Bar Buttons*

- Blue:** buttons enable users to access different sheets in the workbook.
- Red:** buttons provide VB pop-up forms that vendors must fill out to maintain records.
- Green:** buttons are used to automatically build sheets or total record information.
- White:** buttons are non-applicable and currently disabled.
- Black:** buttons reset Excel range names after manual editing of sheets, as well as clear a sheet and reset Excel range names.
- Pink:** buttons display help data that assists vendors with formatting and/or filling in the active segment sheet.

### 2.3 EDITING CONVENTIONS

In general, all segments in the ePRU workbook conform to standard editing and navigation procedures for Excel. Therefore, vendors can enter data directly on spreadsheets and/or copy and paste from a previous version. However, when vendors enter data directly on a spreadsheet, they must be mindful to insert rows, ensure that new required data is entered, and then click Calc All.

The alternative and recommended method for vendors to enter data associated with the segment sheets (Vendor, Labor, General Info, Travel, Materials, and ODC) is via the red Maintain Records button on the general button bar (see figure 2). This prompts an editable VB form, such as the one shown in figure 3:



**Figure 3 – Editable Form**

All of the Maintain Records VB forms used for editing data associated with the segment sheets contain a Navigation Bar (highlighted). The Navigation Bar features buttons that enable vendors to scroll through the records (Excel rows), add records, and delete records, as defined in table 1.

**Table 1 – Navigation Bar Buttons**

<	Previous record
<<	First record
+	Add a record
-	Delete a record
>>	Last record
>	Next record

There are two additional buttons on the edit forms: OK and Close/Cancel. The Close/Cancel button has a dual purpose. When no edits have taken place, the Close button displays, enabling vendors to close the edit form. When edits occur, the Cancel button displays, enabling vendors to cancel edits. Cancelling edits returns the button to Close.

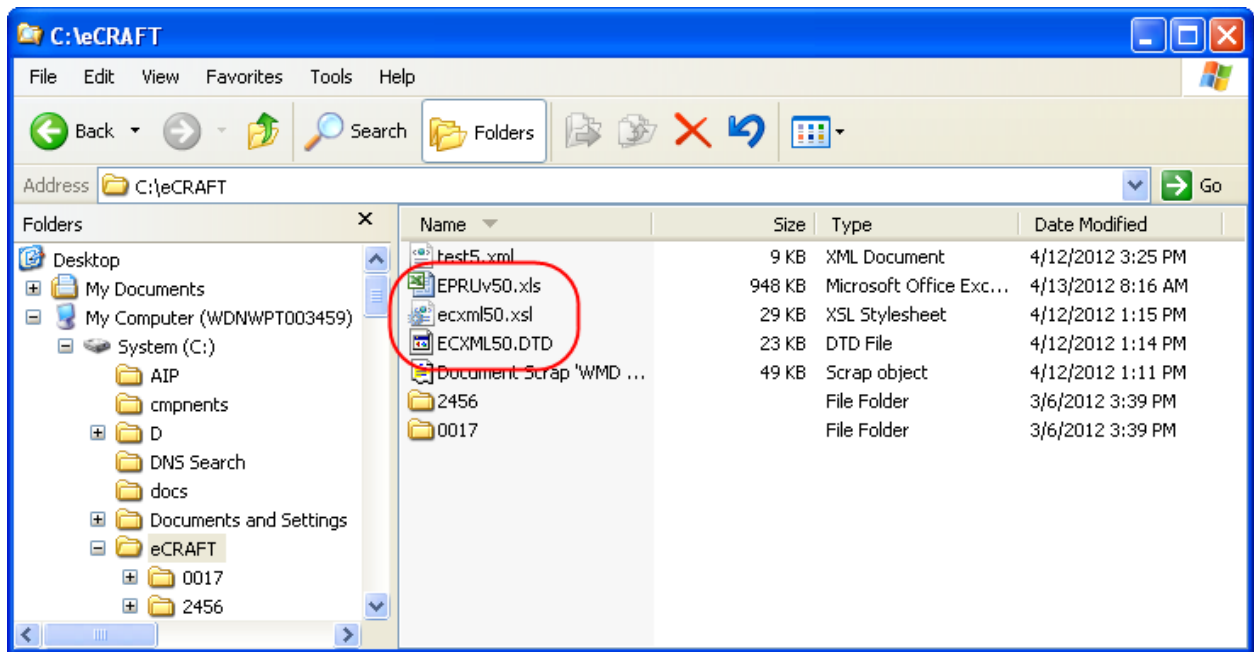
When editing is underway, the navigation bar is disabled, but the OK button becomes available. Clicking OK allows vendors to confirm the changes and causes those changes to be written to the spread sheet.

To add a record vendors must click + on the navigation bar, enter their data, click OK, and then click Close. (During this time the cursor can be located anywhere on the spreadsheet.)

### 3 PROCEDURES

#### 3.1 SETTING UP FILE STRUCTURE

It is recommended that ePRU and its associated files and folders be placed on the vendor's C drive and systematically organized according to contracts and their associated task orders in order to facilitate exporting and importing files. Prior to uploading ePRU from the NUWC Division Newport Contracts Home Page, users should create a folder on their C drive called "eCRAFT" into which they first should place the general ePRU files, namely EPRUv50.xls, ecxml50.xsl, and ECXML50.DTD, as shown in figure 4:



*Figure 4 – eCRAFT Directory*

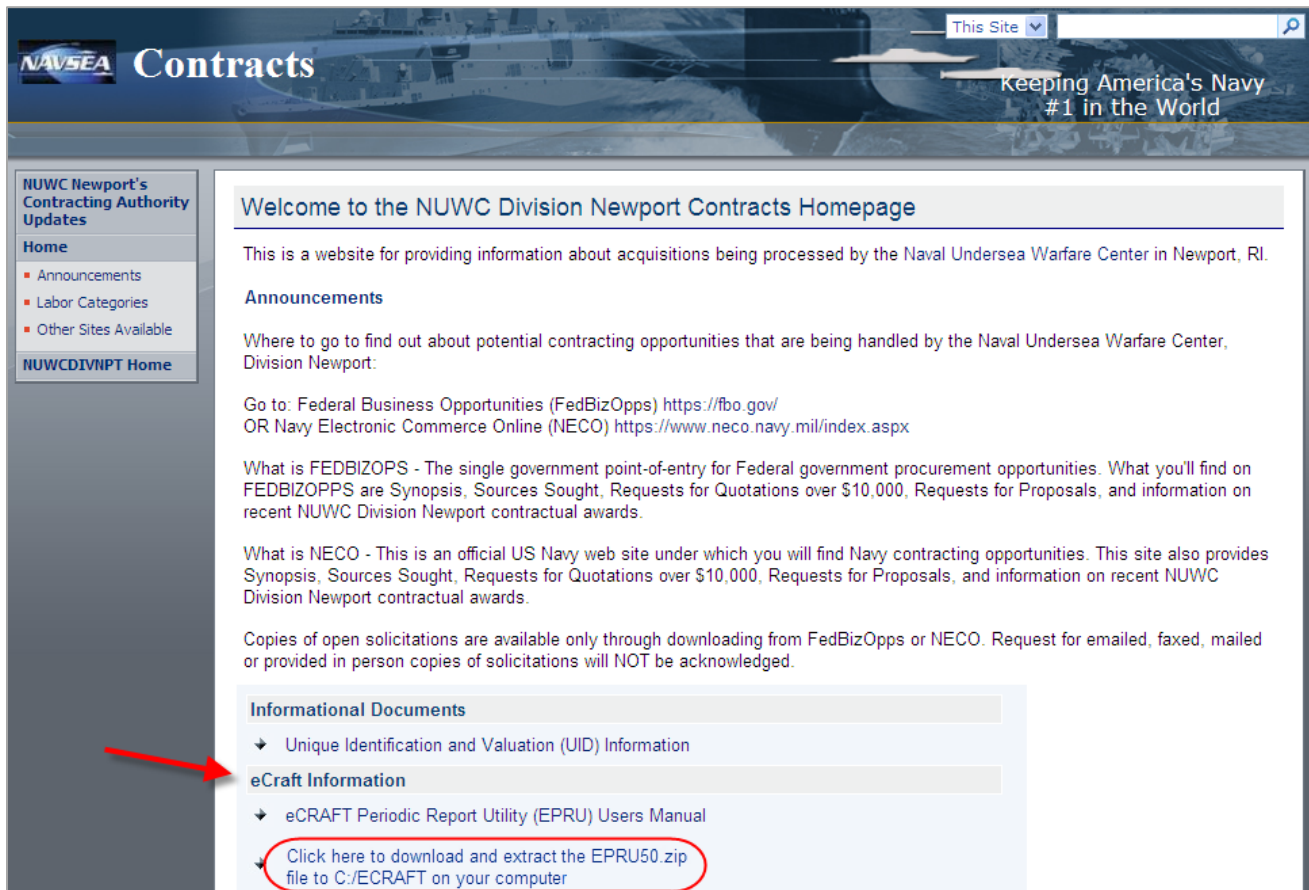
Then, under the eCRAFT folder, vendors should create sub folders to represent their companies' contracts, for example 2456 and 0017, as shown. Under the contract folders would be the appropriate place to store lookup files generated via the Write Lookup file button (for more information, see section 4.1). Additionally, under the contract folders, vendors would create subfolders to represent the contracts' associated task orders, as shown. In each task order folder would be the files associated with and the data used to generate the eCRAFT XML Report file.

### 3.2 DOWNLOADING EPRU FILES

Vendors can access ePRU and its associated required files from the NUWC Division Newport Contracts Homepage. It is recommended that the ePRU file package be downloaded to the C:/ECRAFT drive on vendors' computers.

To access ePRU and its associated files, follow these steps:

1. Click this link <http://www.navsea.navy.mil/nuwc/newport/contracts/default.aspx> to display the NUWC Division Newport Contracts Homepage, as shown in figure 5:



**Figure 5 – NUWCDIVNPT Contracts Homepage**

In the **eCraft Information** section (see arrow) you will find the .zip file containing the files required to run ePRU, specifically the Ecraft Periodic Report Utility Version 5.0, the.ecxml50.xsl, and ECXML50DTD, as shown highlighted. This zip file you will need to save to your C drive in a folder called ECRAFT (C:/ECRAFT).

1. Click on **Click here to download and extract the EPRU50.zip file to C:/ECRAFT on your computer** (highlighted).
2. When prompted by the File Download box, click **Save**.

3. When prompted by the **Save As** box, save the file named EPRU50.zip into the ECRAFT folder on your C drive.
4. Extract the files contained in EPRU50.zip to the C:/ECRAFT directory.

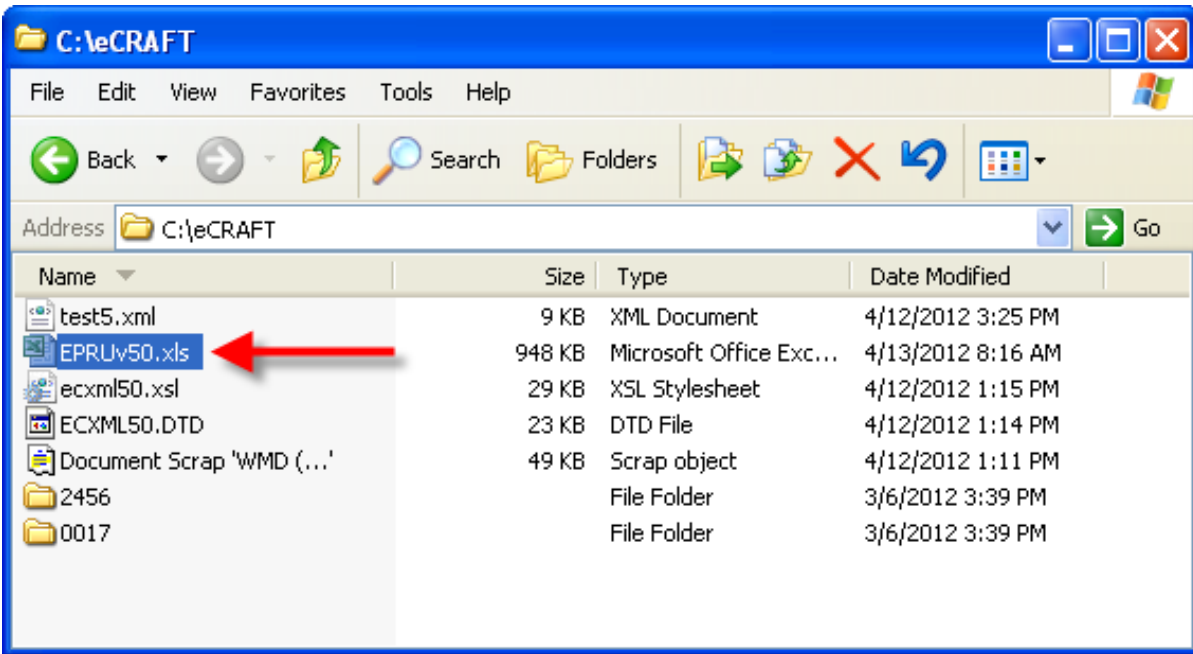
### 3.3 STARTING UP EPRU

To start ePRU, vendors must locate the EPRv50.xls file, double click on it, and enable its macros, without which ePRU won't run.

To launch ePRU, follow these steps:

1. Go to your computer's C drive and double click on the eCRAFT folder.

The folder opens to display its contents, as shown in figure 6:



*Figure 6 – Contents of eCRAFT Folder*

2. Locate and double click on the EPRUv50.xls, as shown by the arrow.

**Tip:** To facilitate launching ePRU in the future, right click on EPRUv50.xls and select **Create Shortcut** to create a shortcut on your desktop.

The ePRU Main Menu Records page displays, as shown in figure 7:

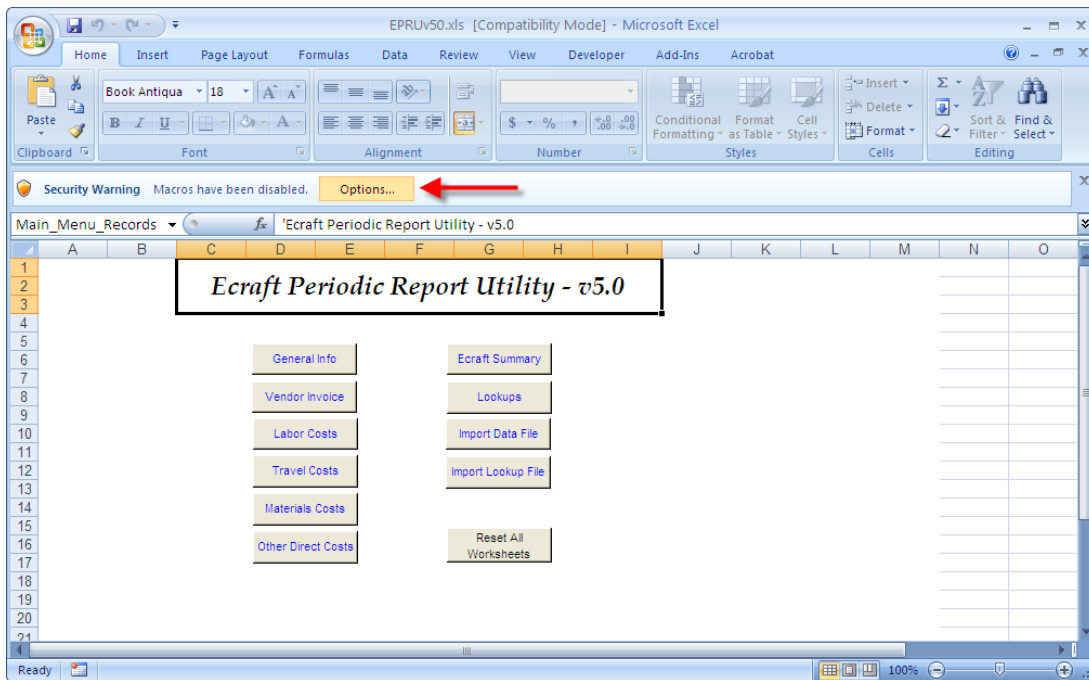


Figure 7 – ePRU Main Menu Records Page

3. Click on the **Options** button, next to the Security Warning banner, as shown by the arrow, to prompt the **Microsoft Office Security Options** box, as figure 8 illustrates:

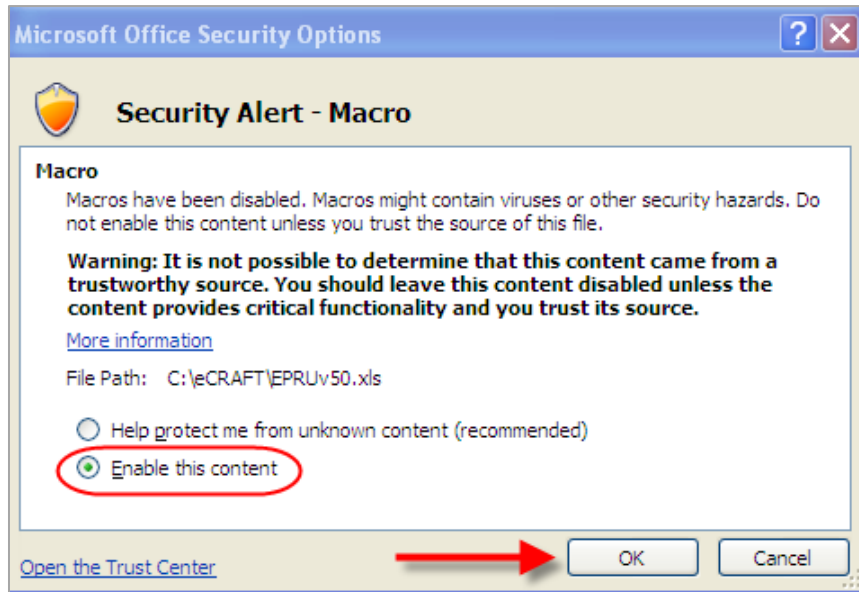
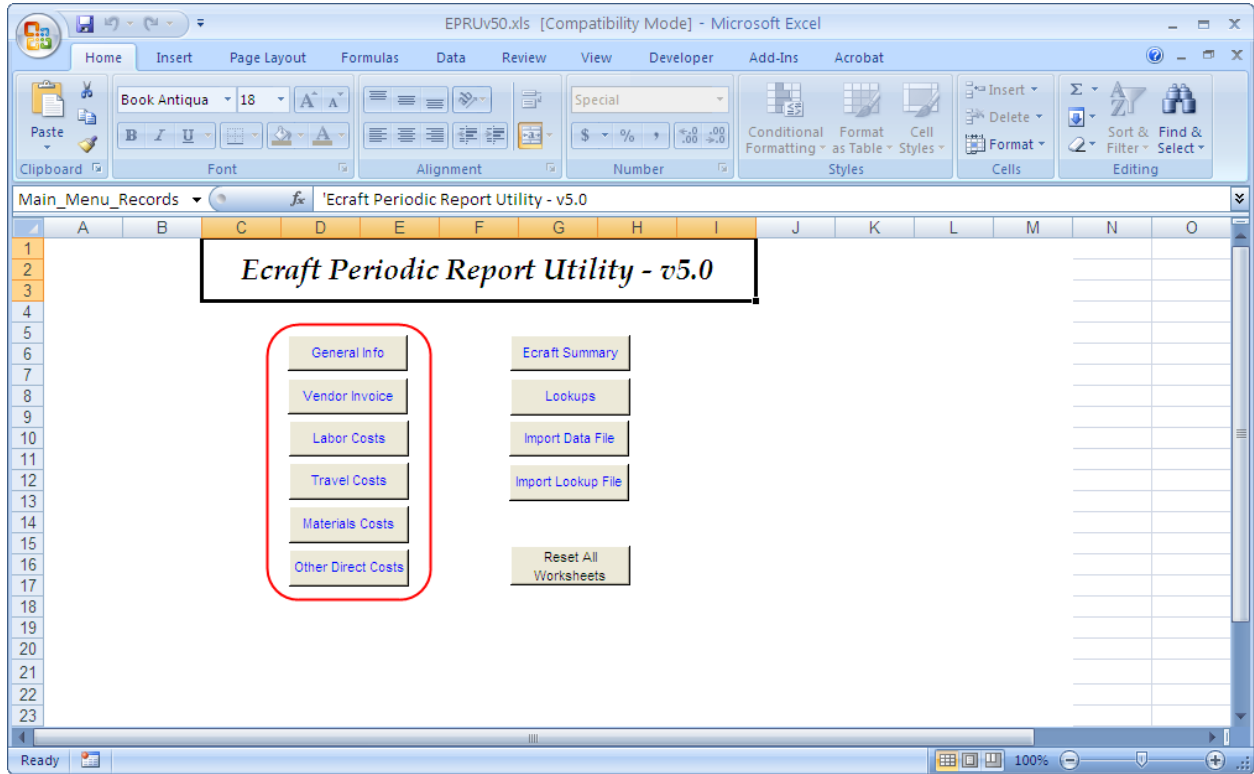


Figure 8 – Security Alert Macro Message

4. Select the **Enable this content** radio button (highlighted).
5. Click **OK**, as shown by the arrow, to enable the ePRU Main Menu.

#### 4 MAIN MENU

The ePRU Main Menu Sheet features two rows of buttons from which users can access each functional area of the ePRU, represented as separate sheets in the Excel workbook, as shown highlighted in figure 9:



*Figure 9 – ePRU Main Menu Buttons*

The segment buttons on the left (highlighted) provide vendors access to screens for processing each segment of the Vendor Report (per sections 4.2 through 4.7). Generally, vendors should not enter data into the segment sheets until they first customize or edit the Lookups Record (per section 4.1). Once vendors customize the Lookups Record and complete each segment in the report, they can create an eCRAFT Summary (per section 4.8).

The functions for the remaining row of buttons on the right are provided in table 2:



Table 2 – ePRU Main Menu Buttons

BUTTONS	FUNCTIONALITY
<b>Ecraft Summary</b>	This button provides access to the screen for building and exporting the Vendor Report.
<b>Lookups</b>	This button provides access to user/system definable static data for configuring drop-down list choices presented in the segment edit screens.
<b>Import Data File</b>	This button allows users to import files that were exported via the Write Data File button on the eCRAFT Summary sheet. The Write Data file contains the data from the General Info sheet, Labor, Travel, Materials, and Other Direct Costs (ODC) sheets, the Vendor Invoice sheet, and the Lookup File entry (.lfp) from the Lookup sheet. This function will also automatically import the data from a Lookup file if requested. This ensures that the user maintains only one ePRU workbook and only imports the prior period(s) information for update.
<b>Import Lookup File</b>	This button allows users to import files that were exported via the Write Lookup File button on the Lookups sheet. The user is able to maintain a set of look up data specific to a contract/task or to use in generating a “Master” set of lookup information that could be used across multiple contracts/tasks.
<b>Reset All Worksheets</b>	This button clears all the data on each segment sheet, except the Lookups worksheet. The user will be prompted to confirm the reset prior to initiation.

#### 4.1 LOOKUPS SHEET

The ePRU Lookups Sheet provides a place for vendors to customize some of their unique vendor data. The values vendors record on the Lookups sheet are used in the drop-down list boxes provided on the VB Edit forms on the Labor Costs, Travel Costs, Material Costs, and ODC sheets. Vendors can export Lookups sheets for future use via the Write Lookup File button.

The Lookups sheet features green column heading fields on the left side and gray column heading fields on the far right side that are respectively customizable and non-customizable. Vendors can and should edit the green header fields, shown in figure 10, to add new and/or delete old or non-applicable data according to the Lookups field definitions provided in table 3.

Employee Name	Multiplier	Multiplier Description	Fee Rates	Labor Categories Title	Labor Code	CLIN	CLIN %	Fee Code	Fee Code Title	Internet Explorer	VENDOR_NAME	CASE
Jones Bob	1.10000000	General G & A	10000	ANALYST I	AN1	0001	3.00	CFP	CLIN FEE PERCENTAGE	C:\Program Files\Internet Explorer\Explore.exe		
Smith Bill	1.20000000	Govt Site - G & A - OH Rates	2.0000	ANALYST II	AN2	0002	4.00	FRPH	FEE RATE PER HOUR		ACS DEFENSE, INC.	55162
Doe Jane	1.30000000	Kr Site - G & A - OH Rates	3.0000	ANALYST III	AN3	00H	3.6	CFP	CLIN FEE PERCENTAGE	Lookup (.lfp) File	ADVANCED ACOUSTIC CONCEPTS INC.	0HD46
Mary O'roole	1.00000000	Default	0.0000	ANALYST, FINANCIAL SYSTEMS	ANFS					C:\Ecraft\ecraft50\lfp	ADVANCED SOLUTIONS FOR TOMORROW, INC.	0V3L0
				ANALYST, MANAGEMENT I	ANM1						AG Administrative Solutions, Inc	3SEA9
				ANALYST, MANAGEMENT II	ANM2					Style Sheet (.XSL) File	Alaska Native Technologies LLC	3C9C6
				ANALYST, MANAGEMENT III	ANM3					C:\Ecraft\ecraft50\zsl	Allon - IPS Corporation	3IUVB7
				ANALYST, OPERATIONS I	ANP1					Document Type Definition (.DTD) File	American Systems Corporation	61443
				ANALYST, OPERATIONS II	ANP2					AMSEC LLC		1LT84
				ANALYST, OPERATIONS III	ANP3					C:\Ecraft\ecraft50\dttd	ANALYSIS & TECHNOLOGY, INC.	0Y7L3
				AUDIO VISUAL ANIMATOR	AVA						AQUINECK MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATES LTD	4T595
				AUDIO VISUAL DIRECTOR / PRODUCER I	AVDP1					Default Directories	BAE SYSTEMS APPLIED TECHNOLOGIES INC.	99789
				AUDIO VISUAL DIRECTOR / PRODUCER II	AVDP2					C:\Ecraft	BAE SYSTEMS INTEGRATED DEFENSE SOLUTIONS INC.	19397
				AUDIO VISUAL SCRIPT WRITER	AVSV						BENT SOLUTIONS LLC	1P7G1

Figure 10 – Lookup Sheet, Left Side

*Table 3 – Lookups Field Definitions*

Field	Definition
Employee Name	Employee working on Contract; add new contractors to this list.
Multiplier	Equation used to calculate burdened cost.
Multiplier Description	Information from invoice.
Fee Rates	Percentage of revenue earned on a project bucket of cost bill.
*Labor Category Title	Labor categories contained in contract.
*Labor Category Code	COR provides labor category titles and codes.
CLIN	4-digit contract line item number (19 = 0019).
CLIN%	Contract-specific percentage used to calculate fees.
Fee Code Per CLIN	Negotiator provides this information.
Fee Code Title	
**Internet Explorer	Default location for ePRU files.
Vendor Name	Company name of vendor.
CAGE	5-character ID number that identifies a contractor.

\* To verify active Labor Categories and Titles vendors should consult NAVSEA Contracts Labor Categories at this link: <http://www.navsea.navy.mil/nuwc/newport/contracts/pages/LaborCategories.aspx>.

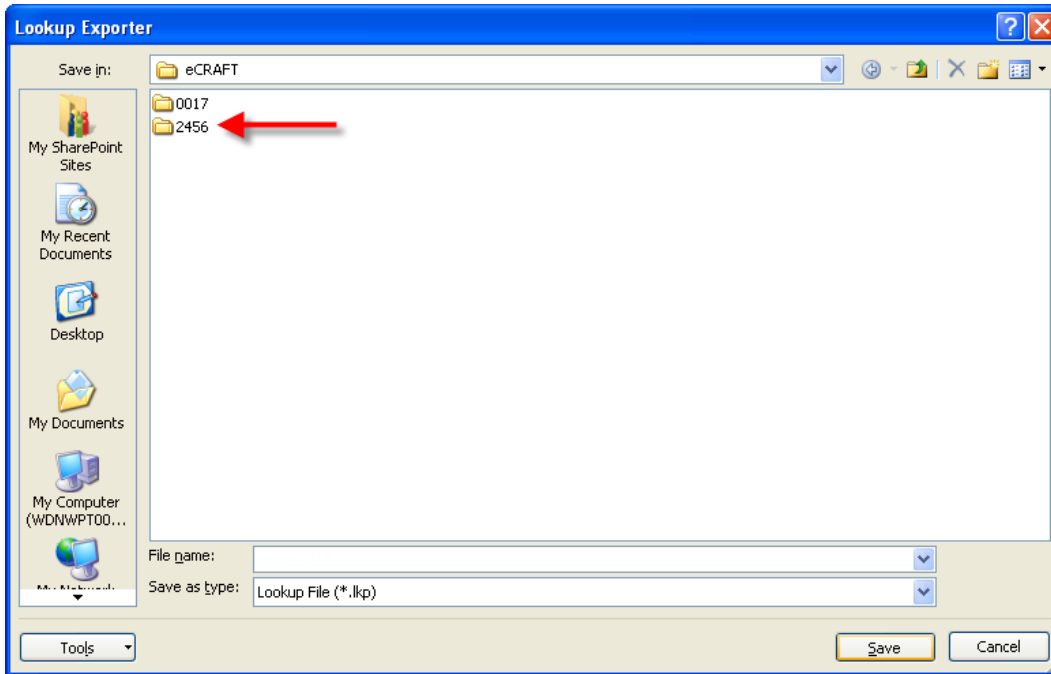
\*\*It is recommended that you keep ePRU files in the default locations listed in the Internet Explorer column of the Lookups sheet. If you change the locations of ePRU files, support services cannot be guaranteed.

To add and import data on the Lookups sheet, follow these steps:

1. Select any cell under a green heading.
2. Double click in the cell to add or overwrite text.
3. Enter current data.
4. Once you have updated all fields, click **Reset Lookup** (shown by the arrow in figure 10).
5. Click **Write Lookup File** (highlighted in figure 10).

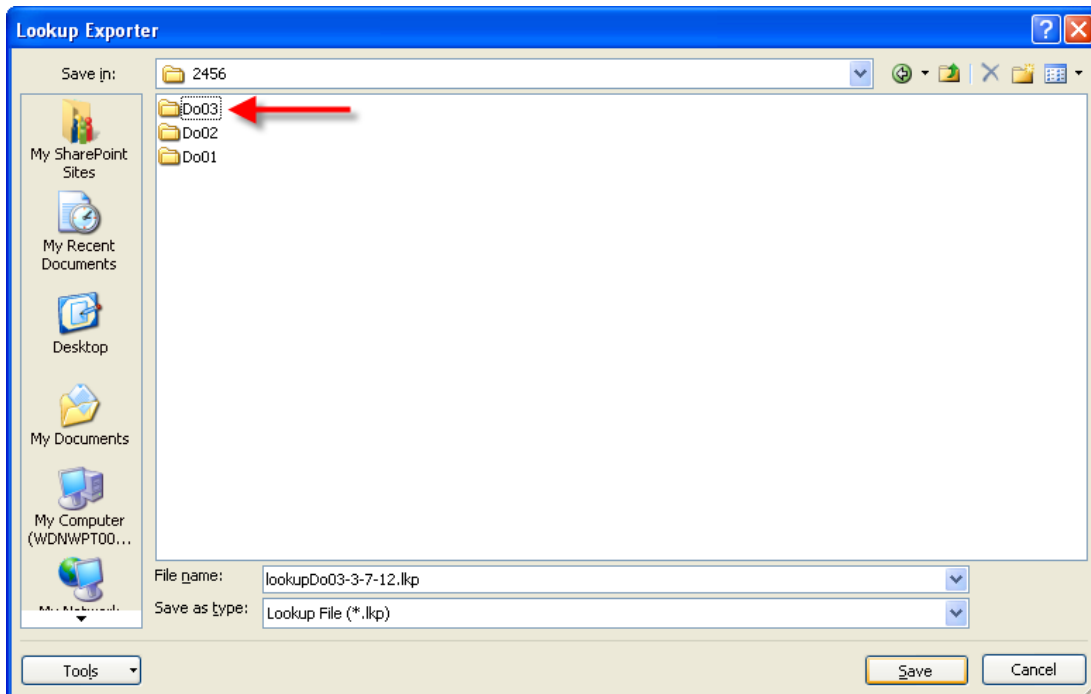
**Note:** The Write Lookup File button “writes” out the lookup data into a user-specified file. This allows the user to maintain a set of lookup information specific to a contract/task or to generate a “Master” set of lookup information that could be used across multiple contracts/tasks. Vendors can access lookup files at a later date via the Import Lookup File button on the Main Menu.

6. When prompted by the Lookup Exporter dialog box, double click on the appropriate contract folder under the eCRAFT folder, such as 2456, as the arrow shows in figure 11:



*Figure 11 – Exporting a Lookup Sheet*

7. In the Contract 2456 folder, double click on the appropriate task order folder, such as Do03, as shown by the arrow in figure 12:



*Figure 12 – Selecting a Task Order folder*

8. In the **File name** field, type an appropriate file name; then click **Save**.

In contrast to the green columns, the gray column fields, made visible by moving the horizontal scroll bar to the far right, should not be changed. The gray column heading fields, shown in figure 13, are specific to the eCRAFT Data Base Management System; therefore, the data in these columns should not be modified and/or added to unless vendors receive prior negotiator approval.

Travel	Travel Description	Site	Site Description	Emp Code	Emp Code Description	Fee Code	Fee Code Description	EPRU Version
AUTO	Private automobile	GOVT-SITE	Government Site	CONS	Consultant	CFP	CLIN FEE PERCENTAGE	5.00
BUS	Bus	KR-SITE	Prime Contractor Site	PRIME	Prime Contractor Emp	FRPH	FEE RATE PER HOUR	
GENERAL	Utilized when an individual trip can't be identified			SUB	Sub-Contractor Emp			
MOTORCYCLE	Motorcycle			TEMP	Temporary Emp			
PLANE	Commercial Airline							
RAIL	Commercial train or subway							
VESSEL	Ship or boat							

*Figure 13 – Lookup Sheet, Right Side*

## 4.2 GENERAL INFORMATION SEGMENT

The General Information segment enables vendors to add, edit, or delete data associated with the General Information segment of the eCRAFT Summary sheet. The General Information segment provides the necessary information to enable vendors to link the report to the correct contract and task order in the eCRAFT database. All subordinate segments within the report make use of the data in this segment to locate records within the database specific to their own particular areas of applicability. In most cases, the General Information segment only contains one entry that captures general data, such as the contract number, period of performance, and date prepared, as shown in figure 14:

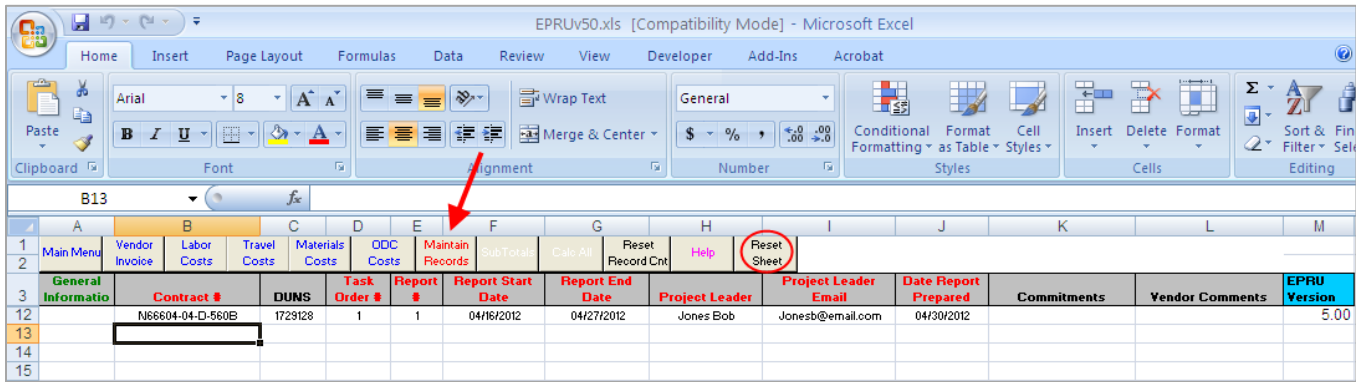


Figure 14 – General Information Sheet

The buttons in the General Information segment function as follows in table 4:

Table 4 – General Information Segment Button Functions

BUTTONS	FUNCTIONALITY
<b>Maintain Records</b>	This button enables the user to add, update, and delete records associated with the General Information segment via the <i>General Info EDIT</i> form.
<b>SubTotal</b>	This button is disabled because functionality does not apply to this segment.
<b>Calc All</b>	This button is disabled because functionality does not apply to this segment.
<b>Reset Record Cut</b>	This button is disabled because functionality does not apply to this segment.
<b>Help</b>	This button offers definitions and formatting associated with the fields.
<b>Reset Sheet</b>	This button clears worksheet of all data.

To add, update, or delete data on the *General Info EDIT* form, follow these steps:

**Note:** If adding a new record click **Reset Sheet** (highlighted) to clear the worksheet of any data.

1. Click **Maintain Records**, as shown by the arrow.

The *General Info - EDIT* form displays, as shown in figure 15:

**General Info - EDIT**

Report #: 1

Contract #: n66604-04-d-560b

DUNS: 1729128

Task Order #: 0001

Report Start Date: 04/16/2012

Report End Date: 04/27/2012

Date Report Prepared: 04/30/2012

Project Leader: Jones Bob

Project Leader Email: Jonesb@email.com

Commitments:

Vendor Comments:

EPRU Version: 5.00

Calendar: Apr 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	1	2	3	4	5

OK Cancel

*Figure 15 – General Info EDIT Form*

2. Fill in all required red-text fields with valid data, according to the criteria below. (Black fields, albeit non-required, should be filled in when possible for completeness.)

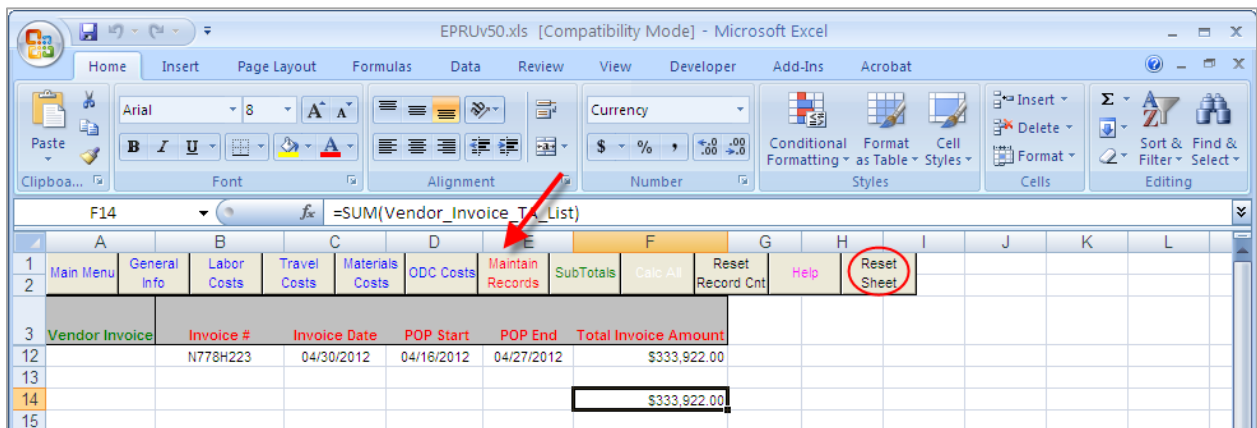
**Note:** for comprehensive field definitions, see appendix A.

- a. **Report #:** Use the spin button to increase the report number each time the reporting period is changed.
  - b. **Contract #:** Provide a valid contract number.
  - c. **Task #:** Provide a valid Task Order number.
  - d. **Report Start Date:** Select a month, year, and date from the calendar; then click the Report Start Date button to populate the field (as shown).
  - e. **Report End Date:** Click a calendar date; then click Report End Date to populate field.
  - f. **Date Report Prepared:** Click a calendar date; then click Date Report Prepared.
  - g. **Project Leader:** Click the down arrow to select a project leader from the list.
  - h. **Project Leader Email:** Enter a valid e-mail into the field.
3. Once you've completed all the required fields, click **OK** (as shown by the arrow) to save the form, or click **Cancel** to cancel it. Clicking OK or Cancel activates the Close button.
4. Click **Close**.
5. To edit a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 14).
- a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.

- b. Edit the appropriate field(s).
  - c. Click **OK**, followed by **Close**.
6. To delete a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 14).
    - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
    - b. Click the delete record button (-) on the navigation bar.
    - c. When prompted by the deletion confirmation, click **Yes**; then click **Close**.

### 4.3 VENDOR INVOICE SEGMENT

The Vendor Invoice segment sheet enables vendors to add, edit, or delete information associated with the Vendor Costs segment of the eCRAFT Summary sheet. Invoices prepared for the period of performance (POP) reported in the General Info Segment must be listed on this sheet. The Vendor Invoice sheet may contain zero or more entries of Vendor Invoice information as part of the report, as shown in figure 16:



**Figure 16 – Vendor Invoice Segment**

The buttons in the Vendor Invoice segment function as follows in table 5:

**Table 5 – Vendor Invoice Button Functions**

BUTTON	FUNCTIONALITY
<b>Maintain Records</b>	This button enables the user to add, update, and delete records associated with the Vendor Invoice segment via the <i>Vendor Invoice - EDIT</i> screen.
<b>SubTotals</b>	This button recalculates a subtotal for the Total Invoice Amount.
<b>Calc All</b>	This button is disabled because its functionality does not apply to this segment.
<b>Reset Record Cnt</b>	This button is disabled because its functionality does not apply to this segment.
<b>Help</b>	This button provides the definitions and formatting associated with correctly filling in the fields.
<b>Reset Sheet</b>	This button clears the worksheet of all data.

To add, edit, or delete a Vendor invoice, follow these steps:

1. Click **Maintain Records** to display the Vendor Invoice - EDIT form, as shown in figure 17:

The screenshot shows a window titled "Vendor Invoice - EDIT". On the left, there are several input fields: "Record:" with value "1", "Invoice #:" with value "n778h223", "POP Start:" with value "04/16/2012", "POP End:" with value "04/27/2012", "Invoice Date:" with value "04/30/2012", and "Total Invoice Amount:" with value "333922.00". On the right, there is a calendar for "Apr 2012" with the 30th highlighted. Above the calendar are navigation buttons: "<", "<<", "+", "-", ">>", ">". Below the calendar are "OK" and "Cancel" buttons. A red arrow points to the "OK" button.

*Figure 17 – Vendor Invoice EDIT Form*

2. Fill in all fields according to the criteria below:

**Note:** See appendix A for comprehensive field definitions.

- a. **Invoice #:** Provide an alphanumeric number no longer than 20 characters.
  - b. **POP Start:** Select calendar date; then click **POP Start** to populate the field.
  - c. **POP End:** Select calendar date; then click **POP End** to populate the field.
  - d. **Invoice Date:** Select calendar date; then click **Invoice Date** to populate field.
  - e. **Total Invoice Amount:** Enter a valid dollar, as shown.
3. Click **OK**, as the arrow shows; then click **Close** to populate sheet with the selected values.
  4. To edit a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 16).
    - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
    - b. Edit the appropriate field(s).
    - c. Click **OK**, followed by **Close**.
  5. To delete a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 16).
    - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
    - b. Click the delete record button (-) on the navigation bar.
    - c. When prompted by the deletion confirmation, click **Yes**; then click **Close**.



### 4.4 LABOR COSTS SEGMENT

The Labor Costs segment sheet enables vendors to record information associated with the Labor Costs Segment of the eCRAFT Summary Sheet. Vendors can add, update, and delete records via the Labor Costs EDIT form by clicking Maintain Records. The sheet may contain zero or multiple entries of Labor Cost information as part of the report, as shown in figure 18:

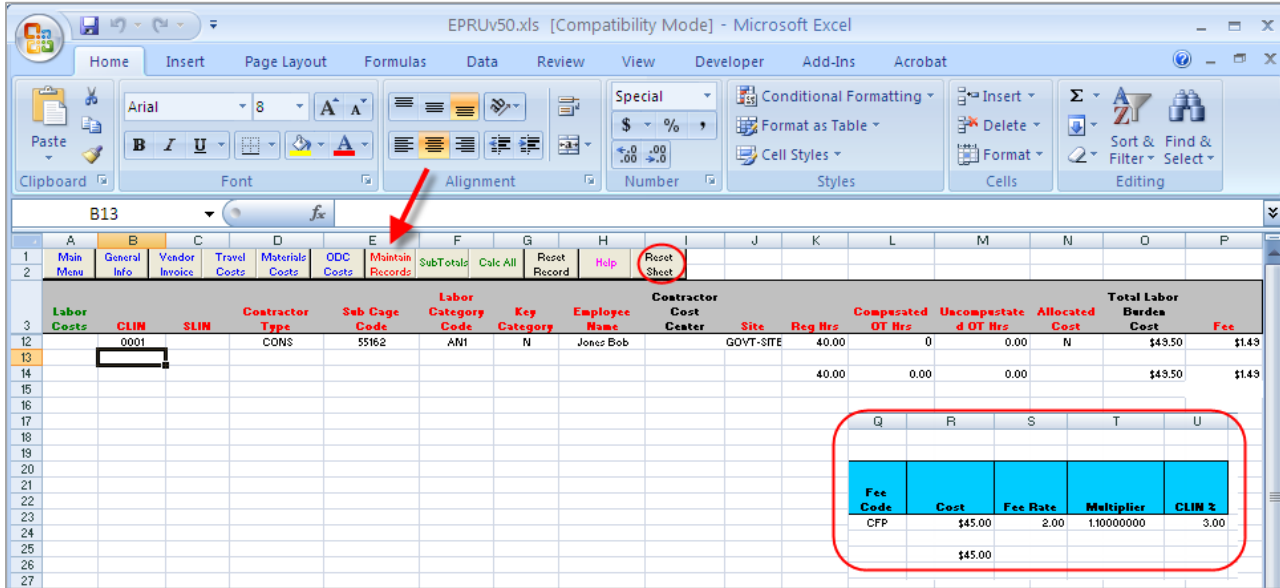


Figure 18 – Labor Costs Segment Sheet

Table 6 – Button Functions for Labor Costs Segment Sheet

BUTTON	FUNCTIONALITY
<b>Maintain Records</b>	This button enables the user to add, update, and delete records associated with the Labor Costs segment via the <i>Labor Costs - EDIT</i> form.
<b>SubTotals</b>	This button creates a subtotal for the Reg, Comp, and Uncomp hours columns, Fees column, and Total Amount column.
<b>Calc All</b>	This button allows Total burdened Cost to be calculated without using Maintain Records in situations where a set of employee labor records are generally the same each period, except for hours and cost. In this case, vendors would clear the Reg, Comp, and Uncomp Hours and the Blue column header Costs, then add the new hours and cost for each employee and press Calc All to recalculate the Total burdened Cost and Fee for each employee. <b>Note:</b> If any of the entries associated with the Blue columns are left blank for a certain record, the Total Burden Costs and fee are not recalculated for that record.
<b>Reset Record Cnt</b>	This button allows the utility to update the number of rows on the work sheet when manually adding, copying, or deleting rows.
<b>Help</b>	This button provides the definitions and formatting associated with correctly filling in the fields.
<b>Reset Sheet</b>	This button clears the worksheet of all data.

To add, edit, or delete a Labor Costs sheet, follow these steps:

1. Click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 18).

The Labor Costs - EDIT form displays, as shown in figure 19:

*Figure 19 – Labor Cost EDIT Form*

2. Tab to fill in all required red and green-text fields according to the following criteria:

**Note:** For comprehensive field definitions, see appendix A.

a. **CLIN/SLIN** (highlighted):

- (1) Box 1: Select from the CLINs listed in the Lookups table.
- (2) Box 2: Enter a 2-digit number for the (SLIN) Sub Line Item Number.

b. **% or Rate and Code** (highlighted):

- (1) Box 1 displays the percentage for the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.
- (2) Box 2 displays the Fee Code related to the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.

- (3) Box 3 displays the Fee Code description related to the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.
- c. **Employee Name:** Click down arrow to select.
  - d. **Contractor Type:** Click down arrow to choose code showing where employee works.
    - (1) If you select PRIME, you can skip fields d and e.
  - e. **Subcontractor Name:** Click down arrow to select.
  - f. **Sub Cage Code:** Populates automatically once subcontractor is selected.
  - g. **Labor Category Title:** Click down arrow to select.
  - h. **Labor Category Code:** Populates automatically once you select Labor Category Title.
  - i. **Key Category:** Click down arrow to select.
  - j. **Contractor Cost Center:** Optional.
  - k. **Site:** Click down arrow to select.
  - l. **Reg Hrs:** Straight time hours worked; maximum amount 9999.99.
  - m. **Compensated OT Hrs:** Maximum amount 9999.99.
  - n. **Uncompensated OT Hrs:** Maximum amount 9999.99.
  - o. **Fee Rate:** Click down arrow to select.
  - p. **Fee:** Non-changeable field.
    - (1) **IF** Fee Code = CFP, **THEN** Fee = Total Labor Burden Cost \* CLIN%.
    - (2) **IF** Fee Code = FRPH **THEN** Fee = (Reg Hrs + Compensated OT Hrs + Uncompensated OT Hrs)\* Fee Rate.
  - q. **Multiplier:** Multiplier for labor charge; click down arrow to select.
  - r. **Cost:** Labor charge.
  - s. **\*Allocated Cost:** Click down arrow to select.
  - t. **Total Labor Burden Cost:** = Cost \* Multiplier.

\*Used only when a subcontractor does not break out costs by labor category because wage determinations due to the Service Contract Act (SCA) are reported and proprietary data may be at risk. Cost is allocated to labor category instead of actual cost and field is set to "Y."

3. Click **OK**; then click **Close** to populate the sheet with the selected values.
4. To edit a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 18).
  - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
  - b. Edit the appropriate field(s).
  - c. Click **OK**, followed by **Close**.
5. To delete a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 18).
  - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
  - b. Click the delete record button (-) on the navigation bar.
  - c. When prompted by the deletion confirmation, click **Yes**; then click **Close**.

### 4.5 TRAVEL COSTS SEGMENT

The Travel Costs segment sheet enables vendors to add, update, and delete data associated with the Travel Costs Segment of the eCRAFT Summary sheet. The sheet may contain zero or more entries of Travel Cost information as part of the report, depending on how many employees traveled and/or how many transportation modes each employee used, as figure 20 shows.

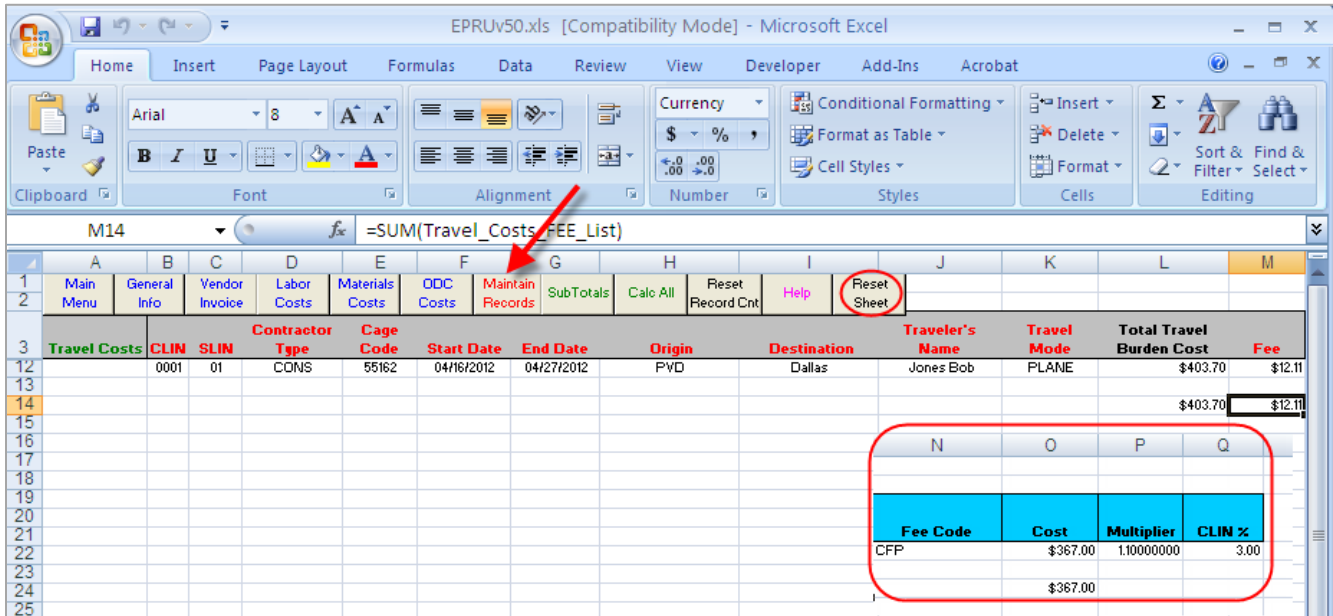


Figure 20 – Travel Costs Segment Sheet

Table 7 – Button Functions for Travel Costs Segment Sheet

BUTTON	FUNCTIONALITY
<b>Maintain Records</b>	This button enables the user to add, update, and delete records associated with the Travel Costs segment via the <i>Travel Costs - EDIT</i> from.
<b>SubTotals</b>	This button creates a subtotal for the Total Material Burden Cost column.
<b>Calc All</b>	This button allows Total Material Burdened Cost to be calculated without using Maintain Records in situations where a set of employee labor records are generally the same each period, except for hours and cost. In this case, vendors would clear the Blue column header costs, enter the new costs and press Calc All to recalculate the Total burdened Cost for each travel record. <b>Note:</b> If any of the entries associated with the Blue columns, shown by scrolling the bottom bar to the far right, are left blank for a particular record, the Total Burdened Costs and fee are not recalculated for that record.
<b>Reset Record Cnt</b>	This button allows the utility to update the number of rows on the work sheet when manually adding, copying, or deleting rows.
<b>Help</b>	This button provides the definitions and formatting associated with correctly filling in the fields.
<b>Reset Sheet</b>	This button clears the worksheet of all data.

To add a Travel Costs sheet, follow these steps:

1. Click **Maintain Records**, as shown by the arrow in figure 20.

The Travel Costs - EDIT form displays, as shown in figure 21:

**Travel Costs - EDIT**

Record:

**CLIN/SLIN:**   % or Rate and Code:

Contractor Type:

Subcontractor Name:  Sub Cage Code:

Traveler's Name:

Start Date:  End Date:

Origin:  Destination:  Travel Mode:

Multiplier:

Cost:  Fee:

Total Travel Burden Cost:

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	1	2	3	4	5

Figure 21 – Travel Costs EDIT Form

2. Use the Tab key to fill in the required red and green fields according to the following criteria:

**Note:** See appendix A for comprehensive field definitions.

- a. **CLIN/SLIN** (highlighted):
  - (1) **Box 1:** Click the down arrow to select the Contract Line Item Number (CLIN).
  - (2) **Box 2:** Enter a 2-digit number for the Sub Line Item Number (SLIN).
- b. **% or Rate and Code** (highlighted):
  - (1) Box 1 displays the percentage for the CLIN selected in CLIN/SLIN box 1.
  - (2) Box 2 displays the Fee Code related to the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.

(3) Box 3 displays the Fee Code description related to the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.

- c. **Contractor Type:** Click the down arrow to select.
- d. **Subcontractor Name:** Click the down arrow to select.
- e. **Sub Cage Code:** Click the down arrow to select.
- f. **Traveler's Name:** Click the down arrow to select.
- g. **Start Date:** Select a calendar date; then click **Start Date** button to populate the field.
- h. **End Date:** Select a calendar date that is **on or before the End Date in the General Info segment;** then click the **End Date** button to populate field.
- i. **Origin:** Starting location.
- j. **Destination:** Travel location.
- k. **Travel Mode:** Click the down arrow to select.
- l. **Multiplier:** .Percentage by which labor charge is multiplied; click down arrow to select.
- m. **Cost:** Labor charge.
- n. **Fee:** Non-changeable field.

(1) **IF** Fee Code = CFP, **THEN** Fee = Total Travel Burden Cost \* CLIN%.

**Note:** FRPH is not used for Travel.

- o. **Total Burden Cost:** = Cost \* Multiplier.
3. Upon completing all fields, click **OK**, then **Close**.
  4. To edit the sheet, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 20).
    - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
    - b. Edit the appropriate field(s).
    - c. Click **OK**, followed by **Close**.
  5. To delete a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 20).
    - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
    - b. Click the delete record button (-) on the navigation bar.
    - c. When prompted by the deletion confirmation, click Yes.

### 4.6 MATERIALS COSTS SEGMENT

The Material Costs segment sheet enables vendors to record information associated with the Materials Costs segment of the eCRAFT Summary Sheet. The sheet may contain zero or more entries of Materials Costs Information as part of the report, as shown in figure 22:

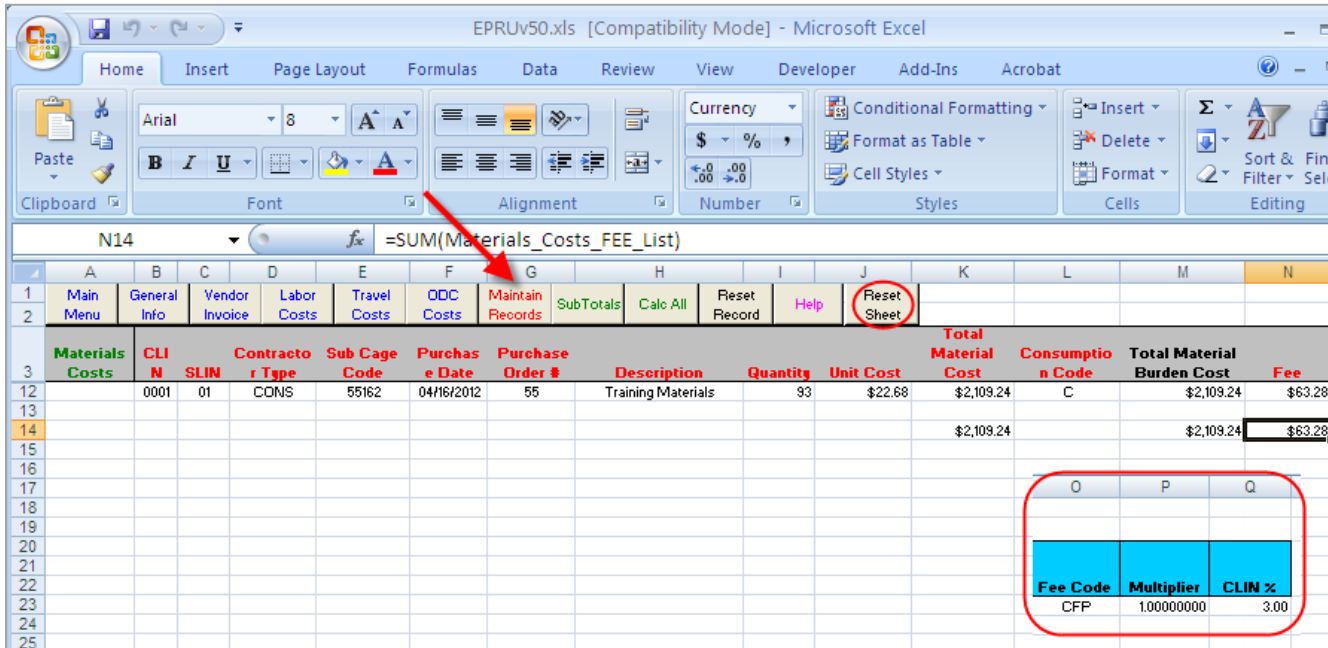


Figure 22 – Materials Costs Segment Sheet

Table 8 – Button Functions for Materials Costs Segment Sheet

BUTTON	FUNCTIONALITY
<b>Maintain Records</b>	This button enables the user to add, update, and delete records associated with the Materials Costs segment via the <i>Materials Costs - EDIT</i> screen.
<b>SubTotals</b>	This button creates a subtotal for the Total Material Burden Cost column.
<b>Calc All</b>	This button allows Total Material Burden Cost to be calculated without using Maintain Records in situations where a set of Materials records are generally the same each period and only costs change. In this case, vendors would clear the Total Material Costs, enter the new costs, and press Calc All to recalculate the Total Burden Cost for each Materials record. <b>Note:</b> If any of the entries associated with the Total Material Costs and/or blue Multiplier column is left blank for a particular record, the Total Burdened Costs are not recalculated for that record.
<b>Reset Record Cnt</b>	This button allows the utility to update the number of rows on the work sheet when manually adding, copying, or deleting rows.
<b>Help</b>	This button provides the definitions and formatting associated with correctly filling in the fields.
<b>Reset Sheet</b>	This button clears the worksheet of all data.



To add a Materials Costs record, follow these steps:

1. If the sheet contains data, click **Reset Sheet** (highlighted in figure 22).
2. Click **Maintain Records** (shown by the arrow in figure 22).

The Materials Costs - EDIT form displays, as shown in figure 23.

**Materials Cost - EDIT**

Record: 1

CLIN/SLIN: 0001 01 % or Rate and Code: 3.00 CFP CLIN FEE PERCENTAGE

Contractor Type: CONS

Subcontractor Name: ACS DEFENSE, INC. Sub Cage Code: 55162

Purchase Date: 04/16/2012

Consumption Code: C

Purchase Order #: 55

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	1	2	3	4	5

Description: Training Materials

Unit Cost: 22.68 Quantity: 93.00

Multiplier: 1.00000000 Default

Total Material Cost: 2109.24 Fee: 63.28

Total Material Burden Cost: 2109.24

OK Close

*Figure 23 – Materials Costs EDIT Form*

3. Use the Tab key to fill in the fields according to the following criteria

**Note:** See appendix A for comprehensive field definitions:

- a. **CLIN/SLIN** (highlighted):
  - (1) **Box 1:** Select from the CLINs listed in the Lookups table.
  - (2) **Box 2:** Enter the 2-diget SLIN.
- b. **% or Rate and Code** (highlighted):

- (1) Box 1 displays the percentage for the CLIN selected in CLIN/SLIN box 1.
  - (2) Box 2 displays the Fee Code related to the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.
  - (3) Box 3 displays the Fee Code description related to the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.
- c. **Contractor Type:** Use down arrow to select.
  - d. **Subcontractor Name:** Use down arrow to select.
  - e. **Sub Cage Code:** Use down arrow to select.
  - f. **Purchase Date:** Must be less than or equal to today's date.
  - g. **Consumption Code:** C = Consumable; R = Returnable.
  - h. **Purchase Order#:** Contractor identifier; 20 character maximum.
  - i. **Description:** Item name or description.
  - j. **Unit Cost:** Maximum amount 999,999,999.99.
  - k. **Quantity:** Maximum amount 999, 999.99.
  - l. **Multiplier:** Use down arrow to select calculation percentage.
  - m. **Total Material Cost:** Maximum amount 99,999,999,999.99.
  - n. **Fee:** Non-changeable field.
    - (1) **If** Fee Code = CFP **THEN** Fee = Total Material Burden Cost \* CLIN%.

**Note:** FRPH is not used for Materials.

- o. **Total Material Burden Cost:** = Cost \* Multiplier.
4. Upon completing all fields, click **OK**, then **Close**.
  5. To edit a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 22).
    - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
    - b. Edit the appropriate field(s).
    - c. Click **OK**, followed by **Close**.
  6. To delete a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 22).
    - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
    - b. Click the delete record button (-) on the navigation bar.
    - c. When prompted by the deletion confirmation, click **Yes**; then click **Close**.

### 4.7 OTHER DIRECT COSTS SEGMENT

The Other Direct Costs (ODC) segment sheet enables vendors to record information associated with the ODC segment on the eCRAFT Summary Record. The sheet may contain zero or more entries of ODC information as part of the report. Vendors can add, update, and delete records via the ODC - EDIT form by clicking Maintain Records, as shown by the arrow in figure 24.

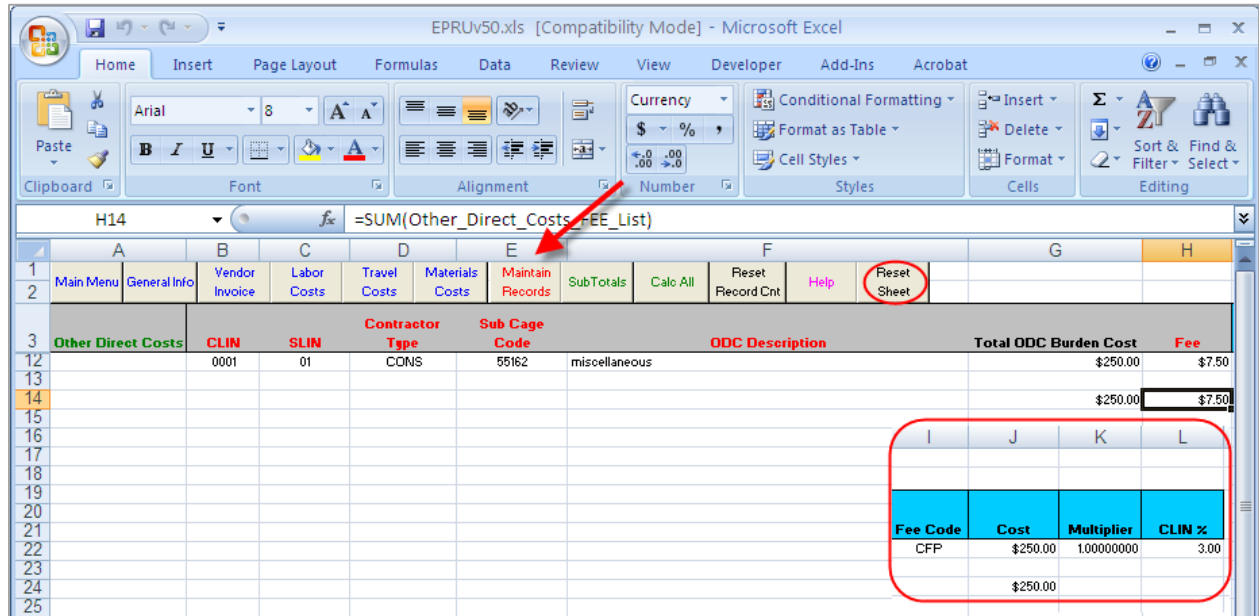


Figure 24 – Other Direct Costs Segment Sheet

Table 9 – Button Functions for Other Direct Costs Segment Sheet

BUTTON	FUNCTIONALITY
<b>Maintain Records</b>	This button enables the user to add, update, and delete records associated with the ODC segment via the <i>Other Direct Costs - EDIT</i> screen.
<b>SubTotals</b>	This button creates a subtotal for the Total ODC Burden Cost column.
<b>Calc All</b>	This button allows Total ODC Burdened Cost to be calculated without using Maintain Records in situations where a set of ODC records are generally the same each period and only costs change. In this case, vendors would clear the blue column header Costs, enter the new costs, and press Calc All to recalculate the Total ODC Burden Cost for each ODC record. <b>Note:</b> If any of the entries associated with the blue Cost and/or Multiplier column is left blank for a particular record, the Total ODC Burden Costs are not recalculated for that record.
<b>Reset Record Cnt</b>	This button allows the utility to update the number of rows on the work sheet when manually adding, copying, or deleting rows.
<b>Help</b>	This button provides the definitions and formatting associated with correctly filling in the fields.
<b>Reset Sheet</b>	This button clears the worksheet of all data.

To add, edit, or delete an ODC record, follow these steps:

1. If the sheet contains data, click **Reset Sheet** (highlighted in figure 24).
2. Click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 24).

The Other Direct Costs - EDIT form displays, as shown in figure 25:

*Figure 25 – Other Direct Costs EDIT Form*

3. Fill in all required red and green-text fields according to the following criteria:

**Note:** For comprehensive field definitions, see appendix A.

a. **CLIN/ SLIN** (highlighted):

- (1) **Box 1:** Select from the CLINs listed in the Lookups table.
- (2) **Box 2:** Enter the SLIN.

b. **% or Rate and Code** (highlighted):

- (1) Box 1 displays the percentage for the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.
- (2) Box 2 displays the Fee Code related to the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.
- (3) Box 3 displays the Fee Code description related to the CLIN selected in the CLIN/SLIN box 1.

- c. **Contractor Type:** Use down arrow to select.
- d. **Subcontractor Name:** Use down arrow to select.
- e. **Sub Cage Code:** Use down arrow to select.
- f. **ODC Description:** Item name or description.
- g. **Multiplier:** Percentage used to calculate Total ODC Burden Cost.
- h. **Cost:** ODC charge, not to exceed 99,999,999,999.99.
- i. **Fee:** Non-changeable field.

(1) If Fee Code = CFP THEN Fee = Total ODC Burden Cost \* CLIN%.

**Note:** FRPH is not used for ODCs.

- j. **Total ODC Burden Cost:** = Cost \* Multiplier.
4. Upon completing all fields, click **OK**, then **Close**.
  5. To edit a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 24).
    - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
    - b. Edit the appropriate field(s).
    - c. Click **OK**, followed by **Close**.
  6. To delete a record, click **Maintain Records** (as shown by the arrow in figure 24).
    - a. Use the forward (<) or back (>) arrows on the navigation bar to locate the correct record.
    - b. Click the delete record button (-) on the navigation bar.
    - c. When prompted by the deletion confirmation, click **Yes**; then click **Close**.

#### 4.8 PREPARING THE ECRAFT SUMMARY SHEET

The eCRAFT Summary Sheet is a compilation of all the ePRU segment sheets. In order to prepare the eCRAFT Summary Sheet, vendors must first create the summary via the Build Summary button and then review the report for accuracy. For reviewing purposes, vendors can convert the file into a readable format that uses the Internet Explorer (IE) browser via the Write and View Browser File button. (If IE displays any errors, see appendix D for instructions on configuring your IE compatibility settings.) If vendors notice any discrepancies, they must return to the particular segment(s) that contains the error(s) to update the segments, then rebuild the eCRAFT Summary Sheet. Vendors must click Write eCRAFT File to generate the final XML report for Code 59. Additionally, vendors can click the Write Data File button to export a final eCRAFT Summary Sheet to use as a template for future reports.

The button functions for the eCRAFT Summary Sheet follow in table 10:

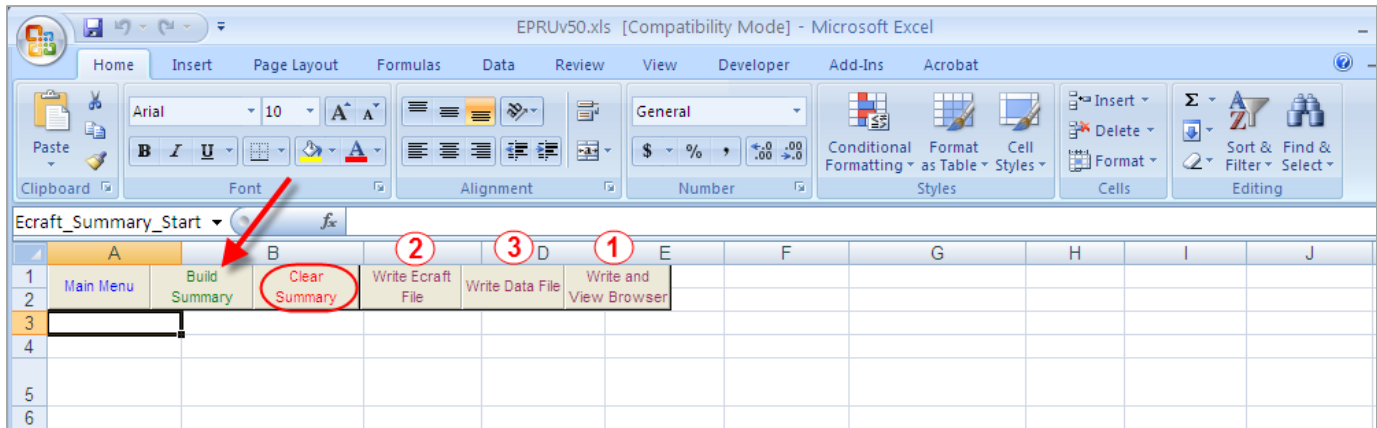
**Table 10 – Summary Sheet Button Functions**

BUTTON	FUNCTION
<b>Build Summary</b>	This button takes the data from the General Information, Labor, Travel, Vendor, etc. sheets and places it on the Summary sheet.
<b>Clear Summary</b>	This button removes all information from the summary sheet.
<b>Write Ecraft File</b>	This button generates the file that would be electronically transferred to the eCRAFT Database Management System for upload.
<b>Write Data File</b>	This button allows vendors to export a template of the summary sheet that can be imported for later use via the Import Data File button on the ePRU main menu.
<b>Write and View Browser</b>	This button enables vendors to generate a viewable XML file that uses a style sheet that can be printed for record-keeping purposes.

To prepare an eCRAFT Summary Sheet, follow these steps:

1. Click **eCRAFT Summary** on the ePRU Main Menu page (see figure 9).

The eCRAFT Summary Sheet displays, as shown in figure 26:



**Figure 26 – eCRAFT Summary Sheet**

2. If the sheet contains old data click **Clear Summary** (highlighted).
3. Click **Build Summary**, as shown by the arrow, to populate the sheet with your data, as illustrated in figure 27:

Main Menu		Build Summary	Clear Summary	Write eCRAFT File	Write Data File	Write and View Browser File														
General Information		Contract #	DUNS	Task Order #	Report #	Report Start Date	Report End Date	Project Leader	Project Leader Email	Date Report Prepared	Commitments	Vendor Comments	EPRU Version							
		N6604-04-D-560E	1729128	1	1	04/18/2012	04/27/2012	Jones Bob	Jonesb@email.com	04/20/2012			5.00							
Labor Costs		CLIN	SLIN	Contractor Type	Sub Cage Code	Category Code	Key Category	Employee Name	Contractor Cost Center	Site	Reg Hrs	Compusted OT Hrs	Uncompusted OT Hrs	Allocated Cost	Total Labor Burden Cost	Fee	Fee Code			
		0001	01	CONS	5582	ANI	N	Jones Bob		GOVT-SITE	40.00	0	0.00	N	\$49.50	\$149	CFP			
Travel Costs		CLIN	SLIN	Contractor Type	Sub Cage Code	Start Date	End Date	Origin	Destination	Traveler's Name	Travel Mode	Total Travel Burden Cost	Fee	Fee Code						
		0001	01	CONS	5582	04/18/2012	04/27/2012	PVO	Dallas	Jones Bob	FLANE	\$403.70	\$12.11	CFP						
Materials Costs		CLIN	SLIN	Contractor Type	Sub Cage Code	Purchase Date	Purchase Order #	Description	Quantity	Unit Cost	Total Material Cost	Consumption Code	Total Material Burden Cost	Fee	Fee Code					
		0001	01	CONS	5582	04/18/2012	55	training Materia	93	\$22.68	\$2,109.24	C	\$2,109.24	\$63.28	CFP					
Other Direct Cost		CLIN	SLIN	Contractor Type	Sub Cage Code	JDC Description	Total DDC Burden Cos	Fee	Fee Code											
		0001	01	CONS	5582	miscellaneous	\$250.00	\$7.50	CFP											
Vendor Invoice		Invoice #	Invoice Date	POP Start	POP End	Total Invoice Amount														
		N778H223	04/30/2012	04/16/2012	04/27/2012	\$333,922.00														
Totals Summary		VI Total																		
			\$333,922.00																	
		Total Fee/Burden Cos																		
			\$2,813.93																	
		Hours Total																		
			40.00																	

Figure 27 – eCRAFT Summary Report

4. To review the existing report in a readable format (see appendix B for a sample report), click **Write and View Browser** on the menu bar, as shown under number 1 in figure 26.

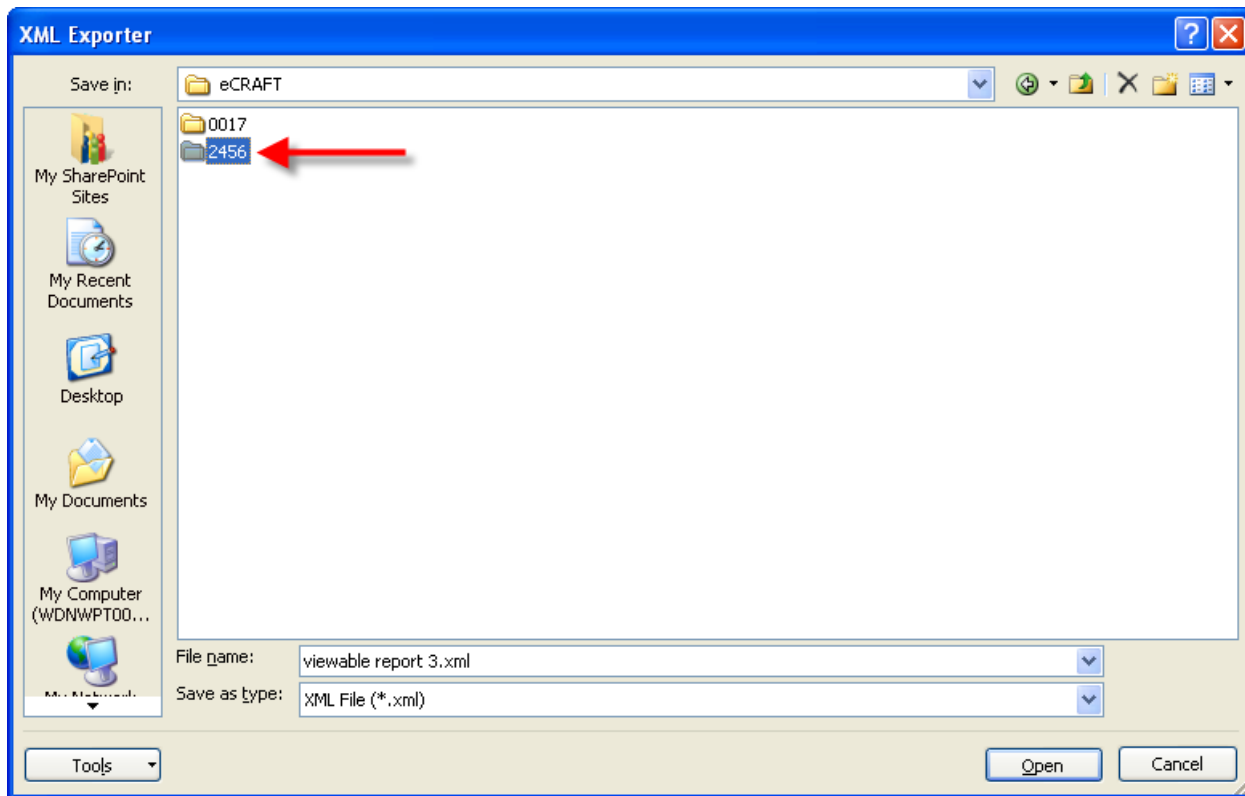
**Note:** If you receive an IE error message, see appendix D for configuring instructions.

- a. When prompted by the XML Reporter dialog box, in the **File Name** field, write a file name; then click **Save**.
- b. Click **OK**, followed by **Yes**.

5. To generate the XML file for Code 59, click **Write eCRAFT File** on the menu bar, as shown under number 2 in figure 26.

- a. If error messages display related to any of your segments, click Yes or No.
- b. If you clicked No (indicating the existence of errors), return to the appropriate section(s) to correct the error(s).
- c. Re-click **Build Summary**
- d. Re-click **Write eCRAFT File**.

The XML Exporter displays, as shown in figure 28:



*Figure 28 – XML Exporter*

6. Click on the appropriate contract folder to open it, for example 2456, as shown by the arrow.
  - a. Click on the appropriate task order folder to open it, if you set up your file system as recommended.
7. Name your file in such a way as to facilitate locating it, for example, according to contract number and task order and/or the date.
8. Click **Save**.
9. To keep a template of the existing eCRAFT summary to utilize for future reports, click **Write Data File** on the menu bar, as shown under number 3 in figure 26.
10. When the **Text Delimited Exporter** displays follow steps 6 through 8.

**Note:** Use the Import Data File button on the ePRU Main menu to access template files created using the **Write Data File** button.





**APPENDIX A – FIELD DEFINITIONS**

**General Information Segment Definitions**

The vendor must submit a single segment of general information as the header block of a vendor report. This information provides the context for the report and provides the information necessary to link it to the contract and task order in eCRAFT.

<b>Report Field</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Edits</b>
Contract Number	Like N66604-99-D-0A12 with the elements being UIC (6 alphanumeric) – FY (2 numeric) – CODE (1 alphanumeric) – NUMBER (4 alphanumeric). The string includes the delimiting dashes. Alpha characters are in upper case.	Contract must have been awarded.
Vendor DUNS	Alphanumeric string minimum length 9 max length 13.	Vendor DUNS must match the number identified on the Contract document.
Task Order Number	Numeric string left zero filled, length 4. Completion “C” Contracts must have task order ‘0001’.	Task Order must have been awarded
Vendor Report Number	Text max length 4. -Vendor format	A left justified integer that meets the following conditions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Equals 1 for the first report submitted for a task order or</li> <li>• Is one more than the last previously submitted report if this report is a new report or</li> <li>• Matches a previously submitted report number that was rejected by the eCRAFT system or the COR.</li> </ul>
Period from date	MM/DD/YYYY	Valid date less than or equal to period to date.
Period to date	MM/DD/YYYY	Valid date greater than or equal to period from date.
Contractor Task Order Project Leader -Person COR/PI would contact with	String max length 60	May be blank but you are advised to fill in this field.

<b>Report Field</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Edits</b>
questions.		
Project Leader email address	String max length 60	May be blank but you are advised to fill in this field otherwise you will not receive any notifications.
Date Report Prepared	MM/DD/YYYY	May be blank. If not, it must be a valid date.
Commitments -Used to identify costs committed but not reported.	Alphanumeric string max length 80	May be blank.
Modifications and Comments -Communication field to COR/PI.	Alphanumeric string max length 80	May be blank.

Note 1: For the following sections, dollar fields may contain a dollar sign, commas and decimal points. Hours fields may contain commas and decimal points. Either dollar or hours fields may contain negative numbers. To represent negative dollars, place the negative sign (-) before the dollar sign (\$).

Note 2: Functional SLINs (AA SLINs) must always be reported by SLIN. The parent CLIN may not be reported in any cost segment of the report.

**Vendor Invoice Segment**

The vendor may submit zero or more segments of Vendor Invoice information as part of the report. Vendor Invoice information does not necessarily relate directly to other information contained within a specific vendor report.

<b>Report Field</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Edits</b>
Invoice Number	Alphanumeric string max length 20. The vendor controls actual contents and format except for max length.	May not be blank and must not already have been submitted unless the vendor report containing the invoice is a resubmission of a previously rejected report. In this case, the information about the invoice currently on file will be replaced with the resubmitted information.
Invoice Date	MM/DD/YYYY	Valid date.
Performance period start	MM/DD/YYYY	Valid date less than or equal to performance period end.
Performance period end	MM/DD/YYYY	Valid date greater than or equal to performance period start.
Total amount	99,999,999,999.99	Valid dollar amount. May be 0 or negative.

**Labor Costs Segment**

The vendor may submit zero or more segments of Labor Costs information as part of the report.

<b>Report Field</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Edits</b>
CLIN -Contract Line Item Number.	Upper case numeric length 4, left zero filled.	May not be blank. The CLIN must be awarded.
SLIN -Sub Line Item Number	Upper case alphanumeric length 2.	May be blank. Required to report at this level only if stated specifically in Task Order. If reporting at the SLIN level, the SLIN must be awarded and you may not also include an entry for the parent CLIN in this segment of the report.
Emp Type -Code to represent who the employee works for.	Uppercase string max length 5.	Must be a valid Employee Type as published on the eCRAFT Web site.
Labor Category -Valid labor category in Contract/Task Order.	Uppercase string max length 5.	Must be a valid Labor Category Code included in your task order award.
Key category	Uppercase alpha length 1.	“Y” or “N”
Employee Name -Contractor may use employee identifier code.	Mixed case string of max length 60.	May be blank. Required for Key categories.
Contractor Cost Center -Contractor identifier for their internal CC. (e.g. CC 01) -Subcontractor identified by name.	Mixed case string of max length 20.	May be blank.
On Site or Off Site Designator	Uppercase string of max length 10.	Must be a valid On Site / Off Site Designator as published on the eCRAFT Web site.
Straight Time Hours Worked	Max amount 9999.99	Valid number. May be 0 or negative.
Over-time Hours (compensated)	Max amount 9999.99	Valid number. May be 0 or negative.
Uncompensated Hours	Max amount 9999.99	Valid number. May be 0 or negative.

Allocated Costs *	Uppercase alpha length 1.	“Y” or “N”.
Total Burdened Cost	Max amount 99,999,999.99	Valid number. May be 0 or negative.
Fixed or Base Fee	Max amount 99,999,999.99	Valid number. May be 0 or negative.

\*Used only when a Subcontractor does not break-out costs by labor category because wage determinations, due to the Service Contract Act (SCA), are reported and propriety data may be at risk. Cost is allocated to labor category instead of actual cost and field is set to “Y”.

**Travel Costs Segment**

The vendor may submit zero or more segments of Travel Costs information as part of the report.

Report Field	Format	Edits
CLIN	Upper case numeric length 4; left zero filled.	May not be blank. The CLIN must be awarded.
SLIN -Sub Line Item Number	Upper case alphanumeric length 2.	May be blank. Required to report at this level only if stated specifically in Task Order. If reporting at the SLIN level, the SLIN must be awarded and you may not also include an entry for the parent CLIN in this segment of the report.
Start date of travel	MM/DD/YYYY	Valid date less than or equal to end date of travel.
End date of travel	MM/DD/YYYY	Valid date greater than or equal to start date of travel.
Origin	Mixed case string of max length 60	May not be blank.
Destination	Mixed case string of max length 60	May not be blank.
Employee Name	Mixed case string of max length 60.	May not be blank.
Travel Mode	Uppercase string max length 10.	Must be a valid Travel Mode as published on the eCRAFT Web site.
Total burdened cost	Max amount 99,999,999.99	Valid number. May be 0 or negative.

**Material Costs Segment**

The vendor may submit zero or more segments of Material Costs information as part of the report.

<b>Report Field</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Edits</b>
CLIN	Upper case numeric length 4; left zero filled.	May not be blank. The CLIN must be awarded.
SLIN -Sub Line Item Number	Upper case alphanumeric length 2.	May be blank. Required to report at this level only if stated specifically in Task Order. If reporting at the SLIN level, the SLIN must be awarded and you may not also include an entry for the parent CLIN in this segment of the report.
Date of material purchase	MM/DD/YYYY	Valid date.
Purchase Order Number -Contractor identifier	Mixed case string max length 20. The vendor controls the content and format of this field. Subcontractor may be identified by name.	May not be blank.
Item name	Mixed case string max length 60	May not be blank.
Quantity Purchased	Max amount 999,999.99	Valid number. May be 0 or negative.
Unit cost	Max amount 999,999,999.999	Valid number *. May be 0 or negative.
Total cost	Max amount 99,999,999,999.99	Valid number. May be 0 or negative.
Consumption code	Alpha length 1	Must be a valid Consumption Code as published on the eCRAFT Web site.
Total Burdened Cost	Max amount 99,999,999,999.99	Valid number. May be 0 or negative.

\* note three digits to the right of the decimal point.

**Other Direct Costs Segment**

The vendor may submit zero or more segments of Material Costs information as part of the report.

<b>Report Field</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Edits</b>
CLIN	Upper case numeric length 4; left zero filled.	May not be blank. The CLIN must be awarded.
SLIN -Sub Line Item Number	Upper case alphanumeric length 2.	May be blank. Required to report at this level only if stated specifically in Task Order. If reporting at the SLIN level, the SLIN must be awarded and you may not also include an entry for the parent CLIN in this segment of the report.
ODC Description	Alphanumeric string max length 60	May not be blank.
ODC Cost	Max amount 99,999,999,999.99	Valid number May be 0 or negative.

## **APPENDIX B – XSL FILE**

### **eCraft XML Style Sheet File**

The ecxml.xsl file describes the presentation format used by the eCraft Periodic Report Utility (EPRU) to display the eCraft Task Order Exchange xml transaction in a browser. A text line specifying a style sheet is placed in a xml transaction, and the style sheet uses the information in the transaction to display selected information in a browser format.

Style Sheets are currently supported by Microsoft's Internet Explorer 5.0 browser or later (for problems displaying the style sheet using Internet Explorer, see appendix D) . An XSL style sheet specifies the presentation of a class of XML documents by describing how an instance of the class is transformed into an XML document that uses the formatting vocabulary. For background information on style sheets, see the [WWW.W3C.ORG](http://WWW.W3C.ORG) web site for the specification on style sheets resource page.

The format presented in the EPRU is only one method of presentation of the eCraft Task Order Exchange xml transaction and is intended to view the data as it would be placed into the eCraft Database on upload, as shown in figure X:



General Information Segment														
Contract #: N66604-04-D-560B Task Order #: 0001 DUNS: 1729128 Report #: 0001 Date Report Prepared: 04/30/2012 Report Start Date: 04/16/2012 Report End Date: 04/27/2012 Project Leader: Jones Bob Project Lead Email: Jonesb@email.com Commitments: Vendor Comments: EPRU Version: 5.00														
Vendor Invoice Segment														
Invoice #	Invoice Date	POP Start	POP End	Total Invoice Amount										
N778H223	04/30/2012	04/16/2012	04/27/2012	\$ 333,922.00										
TOT:				\$ 333,922.00										
Labor Cost Segment														
CLIN/SLIN	Contractor Type	Sub Cage Code	Labor Cat	Key Cat	Emp Name	Cost Center	Site	Reg Hrs	Comp Hrs	UnCp Hrs	Allc Cost	TLB Cost	Fee	Fee Code
000101	CONS	55162	AN1	N	Jones Bob		GOVT-SITE	40.00	0.00	0.00	N	\$ 49.50	\$ 1.49	CFP
TOT:								40.00	0.00	0.00		\$ 49.50	\$ 1.49	
Travel Cost Segment														
CLIN/SLIN	Contractor Type	Sub Cage Code	Start	End	Origin	Destination	Emp Name	Mode	TTB Cost	Fee	Fee Code			
000101	CONS	55162	04/16/2012	04/27/2012	PVD	Dallas	Jones Bob	PLANE	\$ 403.70	\$ 12.11	CFP			
TOT:									\$ 403.70	\$ 12.11				
Material Cost Segment														
CLIN/SLIN	Contractor Type	Sub Cage Code	Pur Date	Pur ORD	Description	Qty	Unit Cost	Total Mat Cost	Cons Code	TMB Cost	Fee	Fee Code		
000101	CONS	55162	04/16/2012	55	Training Materials	93.00	\$ 22.68	\$ 2,109.24	C	\$ 2,109.24	\$ 63.28	CFP		
TOT:								\$ 2,109.24		\$ 2,109.24	\$ 63.28			
Other Direct Cost Segment														
CLIN/SLIN	Contractor Type	Sub Cage Code	ODC Description	OTB Cost	Fee	Fee Code								
000101	CONS	55162	miscellaneous	\$ 250.00	\$ 7.50	CFP								
TOT:				\$ 250.00	\$ 7.50									
Vendor Invoices = \$333,922.00 Total Fee and Total Burden Costs = \$2,896.82 Total Hours = 40.00														

Figure 29 – XSL Style Sheet

**APPENDIX C – DTD/XML FILE**

**eCraft Document Type Definition File**

The ecxml.dtd Document Type Definition (.DTD) file describes the valid elements of an Extensible Markup Language (xml) transaction used with the Electronic Cost Reporting and Financial Tracking (eCraft) system and generated by the eCraft Periodic Report Utility (ePRU). These elements describe the type of data and their hierarchical structure of each element within the transaction. This file describes the rules that are used to generate a valid Task Order Exchange transaction, which can be loaded into the eCraft database.

In turn, the file can be used as the specification for generation of a valid eCraft xml transaction through other means (i.e. reports generated from an accounting system, output from other utilities, etc.) The ecxml.dtd defines data tags used to encapsulate each record and data elements within the records of eCraft xml transaction.

In general, the eCraft Task Order Exchange transaction is comprised of a Vendor Report, an electronic copy of the financial information associated with a contract. The Vendor Report is required, at a minimum, to have a General Information Segment. Optionally, 0 or 1 Vendor Invoice, Labor Cost, Travel Cost, Material Cost and Other Direct Cost Segments may be included, but are not required. Each of these segments is required to contain at least one record, when define in the transaction, but may have many records. These records are comprised of data elements (tagged data), which must be used.

See the [WWW.W3C.ORG](http://WWW.W3C.ORG) web site for the specification on XML and DTDs. The eCraft/CMS Software Design and Requirements specs describe the Vendor report, Segments and Data Elements defined in the xml transaction. Below is a summary hierarchy of Task Order Exchange Transaction. Consult the ecxml.dtd for the complete structure of the transaction.

```

ECRAFT_TASK_ORDER_EXCHANGE (ECRAFT_VENDOR_REPORT)
  ECRAFT_VENDOR_REPORT (
    GENERAL_INFORMATION_SEGMENT,
    VENDOR_INVOICE_SEGMENT?,
    LABOR_COSTS_SEGMENT?,
    TRAVEL_COSTS_SEGMENT?,
    MATERIAL_COSTS_SEGMENT?,
    OTHER_DIRECT_COSTS_SEGMENT?)

    GENERAL_INFORMATION_SEGMENT (
      CONTRACT_NUMBER,
      VENDOR_DUNS,
      TASK_ORDER_NUMBER,
      VENDOR_REPORT_NUMBER,
      PERIOD_FROM_DATE,
      PERIOD_TO_DATE,

```

TASK\_ORDER\_PROJECT\_LEADER,  
PROJECT\_LEADER\_EMAIL,  
DATE\_REPORT\_PREPARED,  
COMMITMENTS,  
MODIFICATIONS\_AND\_COMMENTS)

VENDOR\_INVOICE\_SEGMENT (VENDOR\_INVOICE\_RECORD+)

VENDOR\_INVOICE\_RECORD (  
INVOICE\_NUMBER,  
INVOICE\_DATE,  
PERFORMANCE\_PERIOD\_START,  
PERFORMANCE\_PERIOD\_END,  
TOTAL\_AMOUNT)

LABOR\_COSTS\_SEGMENT (LABOR\_COST\_RECORD+)

LABOR\_COST\_RECORD (  
CLIN,  
EMPLOYER\_CODE,  
LABOR\_CATEGORY,  
KEY\_CATEGORY,  
EMPLOYEE\_NAME,  
COST\_CENTER,  
ON\_OR\_OFF\_SITE,  
STRAIGHT\_TIME\_HOURS,  
COMPENSATED\_OVER-TIME\_HOURS,  
UNCOMPENSATED\_HOURS,  
ALLOCATED\_COST\_FLAG,  
LABOR\_TOTAL\_BURDENED\_COST,  
FIXED\_OR\_BASE\_FEE)

TRAVEL\_COSTS\_SEGMENT (TRAVEL\_COST\_RECORD+)

TRAVEL\_COST\_RECORD (CLIN,  
TRAVEL\_START\_DATE,  
TRAVEL\_END\_DATE,  
TRAVEL\_ORIGIN,  
TRAVEL\_DESTINATION,  
EMPLOYEE\_NAME,  
TRAVEL\_MODE,  
TRAVEL\_TOTAL\_BURDENED\_COST)

MATERIAL\_COSTS\_SEGMENT (MATERIAL\_COST\_RECORD+)

MATERIAL\_COST\_RECORD (  
CLIN,  
PURCHASE\_DATE,  
PURCHASE\_ORDER\_NUMBER,  
PURCHASE\_ITEM\_NAME,  
PURCHASE\_QUANTITY,  
ITEM\_UNIT\_COST,

PURCHASE\_TOTAL\_COST,  
CONSUMPTION\_CODE,  
PURCHASE\_TOTAL\_BURDENED\_COST)

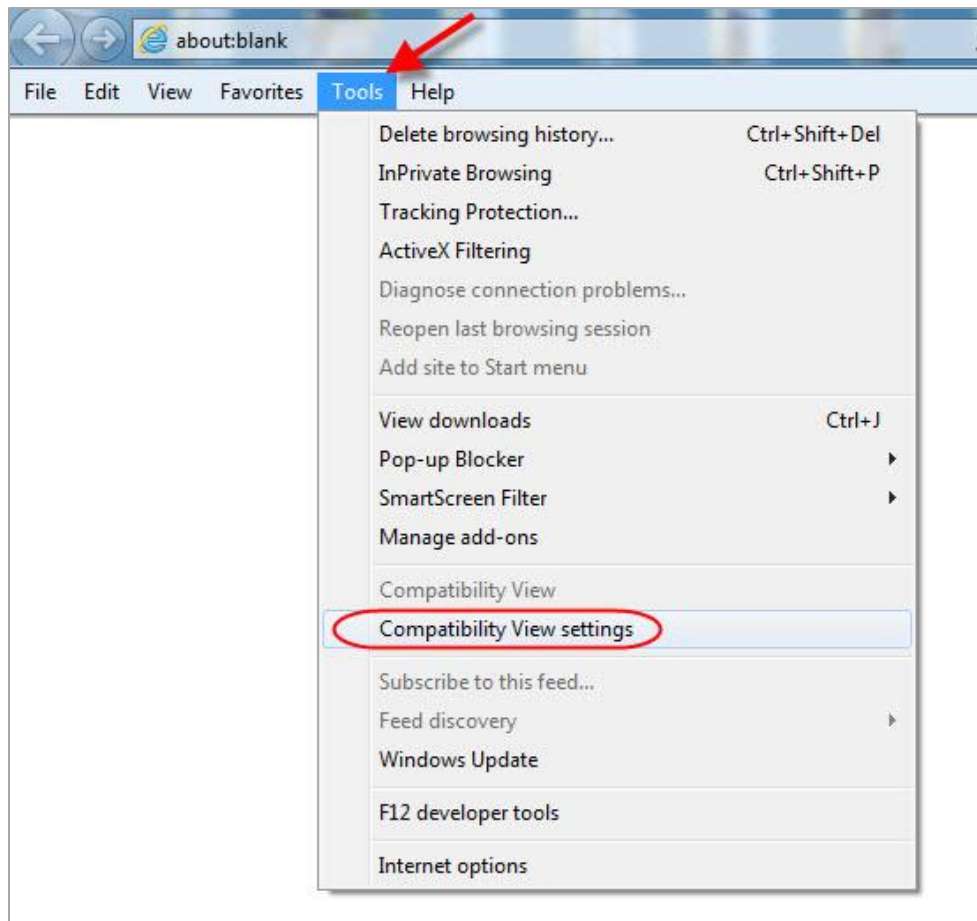
OTHER\_DIRECT\_COSTS\_SEGMENT (OTHER\_DIRECT\_COST\_RECORD+)  
OTHER\_DIRECT\_COST\_RECORD (  
CLIN,  
ODC\_DESCRIPTION,  
ODC\_TOTAL\_BURDENED\_COST)



**APPENDIX D – CONFIGURING IE COMPATIBILITY SETTINGS**

If you encounter errors with Internet Explorer (IE) while loading the viewable ePRU XML report on the eCRAFT Summary sheet, you must configure the compatibility view settings in IE according to the following directions:

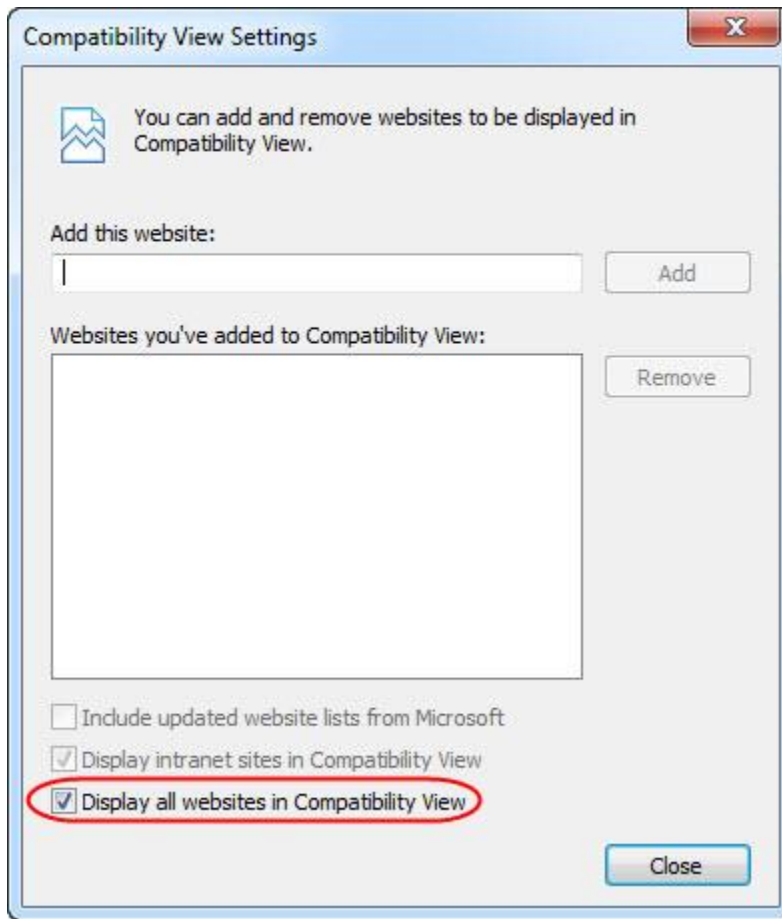
1. Open IE.
2. From the menu, bar select **Tools**, as shown by the arrow in figure 29:



*Figure 30 – Accessing IE Tools*

3. Click **Compatibility View Settings** (highlighted).

The Compatibility View Settings page displays, as figure 30 shows:



*Figure 31 – Compatibility View Settings Page*

4. Place a check in the **Display all websites in Compatibility View** checkbox (highlighted).
5. Click **Close**.