

# Active is: Ariba Standard Account User Guide

SAP Ariba Network User Guide for  
Standard Account

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## Introduction to Ariba Network Standard Account

In order to improve efficiency and bring higher quality of service to our suppliers, AllianzGI is moving to a fully digitized end-to-end Source-to-Pay solution from SAP Ariba. This change is being implemented in phases and will require suppliers doing business with AllianzGI to join the Ariba Network. More detailed information about this effort can be found in the information below.

By partnering with **SAP Ariba** and implementing **Ariba Network, standard account via interactive email**, this initiative indicates a shift to paperless and automated business transactions.

➤ **What is standard account?**

Standard account on Ariba Network gives you a fast, FREE way to do business with your customers via interactive emails.

➤ **What does this mean for you?**

Transacting on Ariba Network via a FREE standard account will allow you to meet your customer's requirements to join them on Ariba Network with the option to avoid fees.

➤ **What are the benefits?**

[Standard account](#) provides access to quickly transact with SAP Ariba customers for FREE, improve customer retention, and get paid faster.

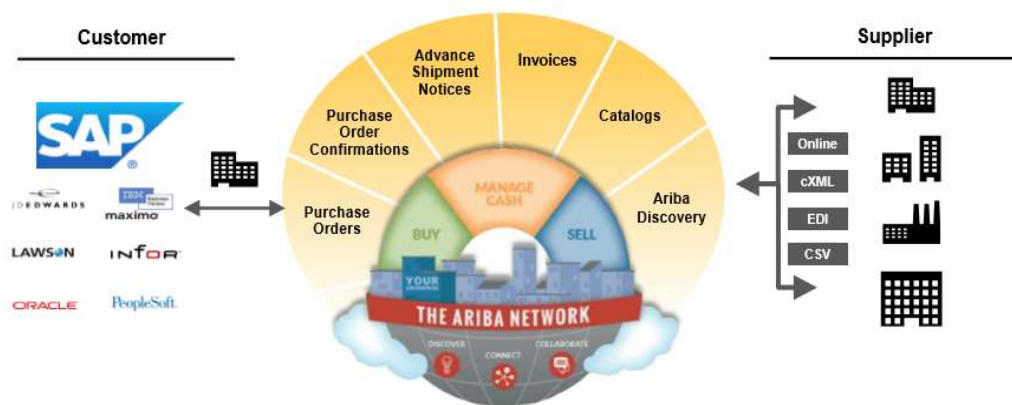
➤ **Do I need to upgrade to Enterprise Account?**

There is no need to upgrade, unless you are ready for advanced capabilities such as support for catalogs, back-end integration or to manage larger document volumes through online access.

## Introduction to Ariba Network Standard Account

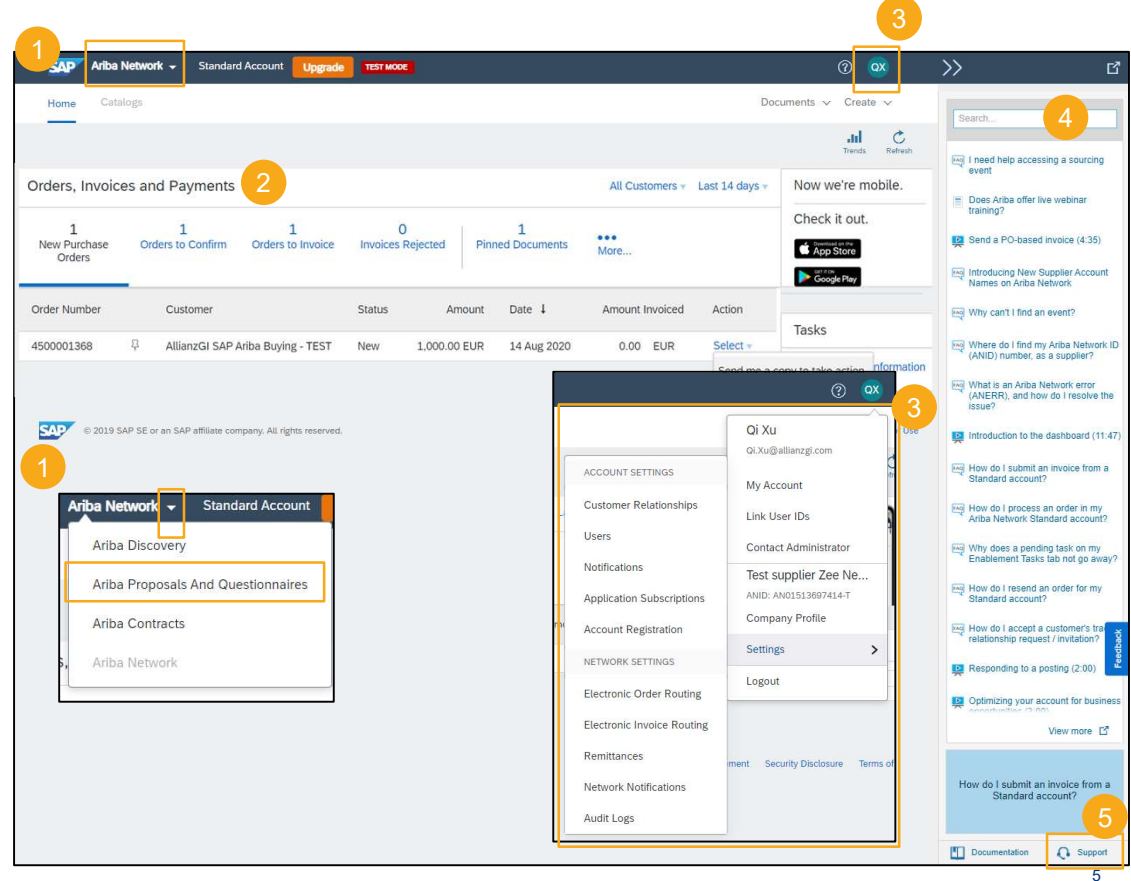
The benefits of Ariba Network Standard Account:

- FREE for all basic transactions
- Create validated, electronic invoices and other business documents within seconds
- Improve invoice accuracy and get paid faster
- Receive real-time invoice status notifications
- Increase business with existing and future customers using Ariba Discovery
- Promote your company to other customers on Ariba Network
- Email notification and online download provide access to invoices for your local archiving
- Enjoy a single, unified user experience using one account for order fulfillment, selling, and mobile access



## Standard Account Dashboard Navigation – Ariba Network Page (1/2)

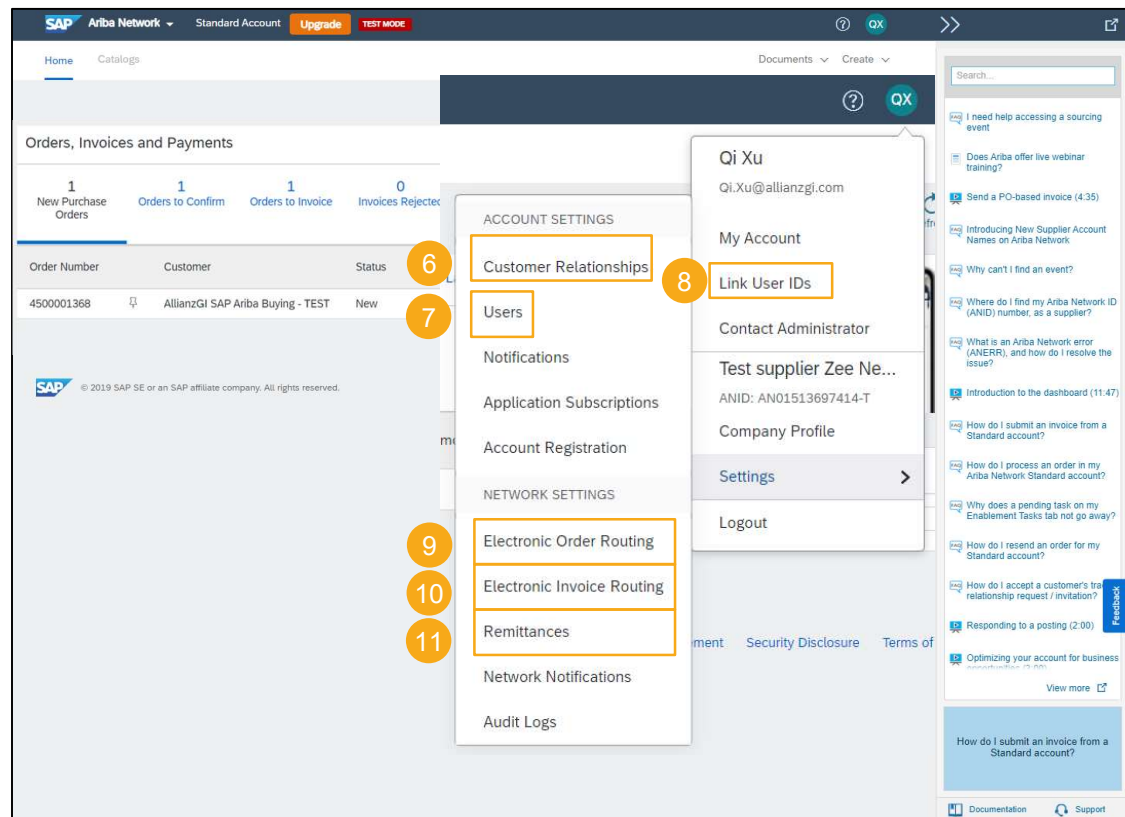
- 1 Ariba Network dashboard, with the drop down menu you could switch to “Ariba Proposals and Questionnaires”, where you could submit/ maintain your master data.
- 2 Check your Orders, Invoices and Payments.
- 3 Manage your account and company profile with the drop down menu under your name.
- 4 Ariba Help Center: search for the questions you may have.
- 5 Access Stand Account level support options



The screenshot displays the SAP Ariba Network Standard Account dashboard. The interface includes a top navigation bar with the SAP logo, 'Ariba Network' dropdown, 'Standard Account', 'Upgrade', and 'TEST MODE' buttons. A user profile dropdown is visible in the top right corner. The main content area features a 'Home' tab and a 'Catalogs' section. A table titled 'Orders, Invoices and Payments' shows various transaction counts and a list of orders. A right sidebar contains a search bar and a list of help topics. A bottom sidebar shows account settings and network settings. Numbered callouts (1-5) highlight specific navigation elements: 1 points to the 'Ariba Network' dropdown, 2 points to the 'Orders, Invoices and Payments' section, 3 points to the user profile dropdown, 4 points to the search bar in the right sidebar, and 5 points to the 'Support' link in the bottom right corner.

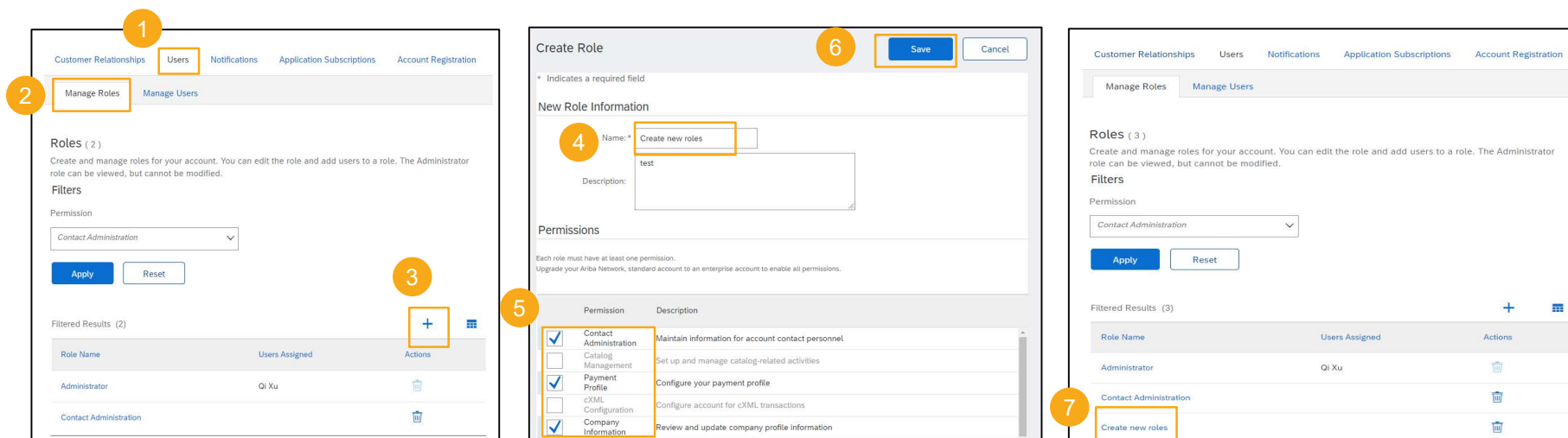
## Standard Account Dashboard Navigation – Ariba Network Page (2/2)

- 6 Customer Relationships:**  
View your Trading Relationships with customers.
- 7 Users:**  
Manage users, roles, and corresponding access rights.
- 8 Link User IDs:**  
If you have multiple user accounts, you can link your user IDs together. By linking your user IDs you can:
  - Log in to all your accounts using one username and password
  - Switch between your multiple accounts
- 9 Electronic Order Routing**  
This is where you can set or edit your order routing options for different document type
- 10 Electronic Invoice Routing**  
This is where you can set or edit your invoice routing options for different document types.
- 11 Remittances**  
This is where you can create, view, and edit remittances as well as create acceptance rules and set notifications.



## Manage User and Roles: Create and Assign Roles

- Step 1-2** To access role setting, click your name on the top right – Settings – Users – Manage Roles, you can see current existing roles. You can also apply filters to see the existing roles for certain permission/ access rights.
- Step 3** To create new roles, click the plus sign.
- Step 4-6** Enter the name, description, and select the relevant premissions for the role, click Save. (As you are working within a Standard Account, there will be a number of permissions that cannot be selected and are greyed out.)
- Step 7** The newly added role appears, to assign users to the role, or to adjust the permissions, click the role's name.
- Note** Only the Ariba Administrator can create roles and users.



The screenshots illustrate the process of creating and managing roles in the Allianz Global Investors system. The first screenshot shows the 'Manage Roles' page with a list of existing roles and a plus sign to create a new one. The second screenshot shows the 'Create Role' form where a new role named 'Create new roles' is being created with a description 'test'. The third screenshot shows the 'Manage Roles' page after the new role has been created, with the 'Create new roles' role listed at the bottom.

**Step 1:** Click on the 'Users' tab in the top navigation bar.

**Step 2:** Click on the 'Manage Roles' link in the left sidebar.

**Step 3:** Click on the plus sign (+) to create a new role.

**Step 4:** Enter the role name 'Create new roles' and description 'test' in the 'New Role Information' section.

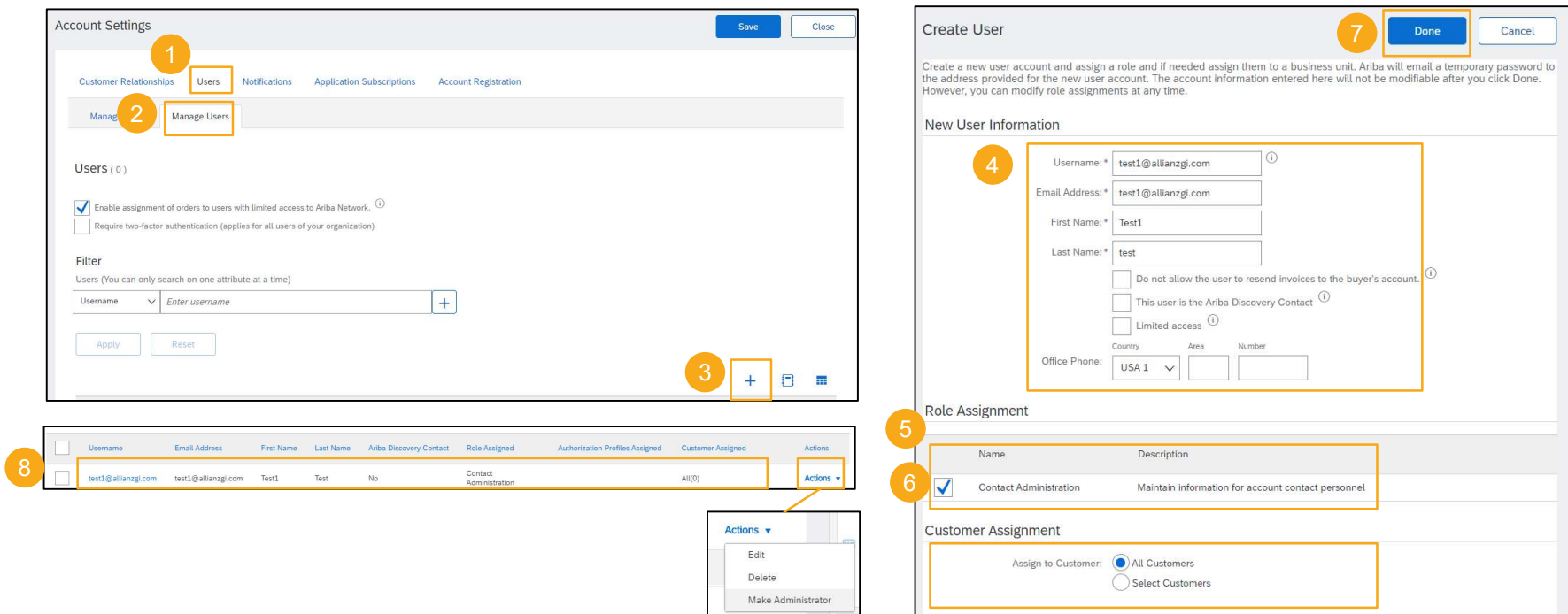
**Step 5:** Select the relevant permissions for the role. The permissions listed are: Contact Administration, Catalog Management, Payment Profile, cXML Configuration, and Company Information.

**Step 6:** Click on the 'Save' button to create the role.

**Step 7:** The newly added role appears in the 'Manage Roles' list. Click on the role name to assign users or adjust permissions.

## Manage User and Roles: Create User

- Step 1-3** To access user setting, click your name on the top right – Settings – Users – Manage Users, you can see current existing roles.  
To create new roles, click the plus sign.
- Step 4-7** Enter the new user information, you can also assign roles and selected customers at this step. Click „Done“ to send out the user invitation.
- Step 8** The newly added user will be then shown up on the user list, click „Actions“ you can then make the user as Administrator



The screenshot illustrates the process of creating a new user and assigning roles in the Allianz Global Investors system. The interface is divided into two main sections: 'Account Settings' and 'Create User'.

**Account Settings (Left Panel):**

- Step 1:** The 'Users' tab is selected in the top navigation bar.
- Step 2:** The 'Manage Users' button is highlighted.
- Step 3:** The 'Add User' button (represented by a plus sign) is highlighted.

**Create User (Right Panel):**

- Step 4:** The 'New User Information' section is shown, containing fields for Username, Email Address, First Name, Last Name, and Office Phone. The 'Do not allow the user to resend invoices to the buyer's account' checkbox is checked.
- Step 5:** The 'Role Assignment' section is shown, where the 'Contact Administration' role is selected.
- Step 6:** The 'Customer Assignment' section is shown, where the 'All Customers' radio button is selected.
- Step 7:** The 'Done' button is highlighted to complete the user creation.

**User List (Bottom Panel):**

- Step 8:** The newly created user is listed in the 'Users' table. The 'Actions' dropdown menu is shown, with the 'Make Administrator' option highlighted.

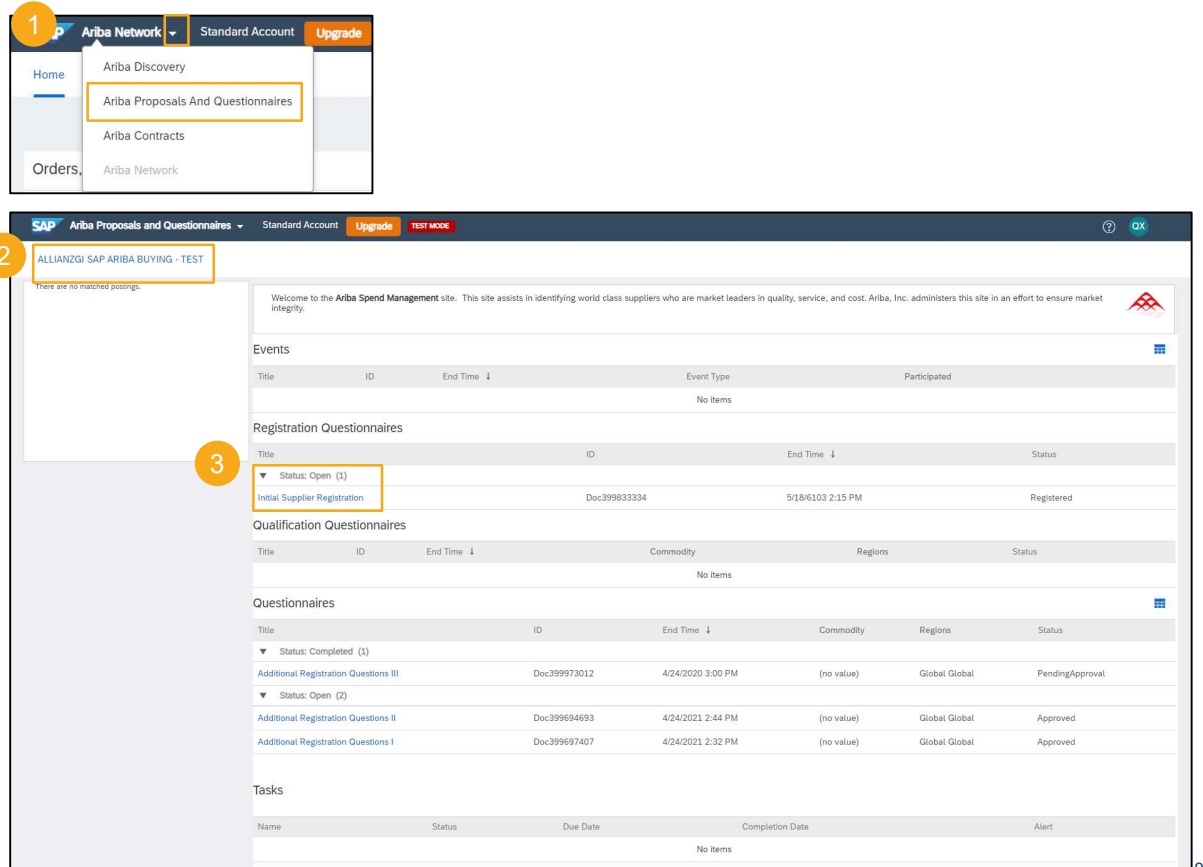
Username	Email Address	First Name	Last Name	Ariba Discovery Contact	Role Assigned	Authorization Profiles Assigned	Customer Assigned	Actions
test1@allianzgi.com	test1@allianzgi.com	Test1	Test	No	Contact Administration		All(0)	Actions



## Standard Account Dashboard Navigation – Ariba Proposals and Questionnaire

**Note** To submit your registration questionnaire, or to update your Supplier Masterdata (Company, bank, tax, and contact person information) with AllianzGI, please use “Ariba Proposals and Questionnaires”. For more onboarding related guidance, please find in [Ariba Network Onboarding User Guide](#).

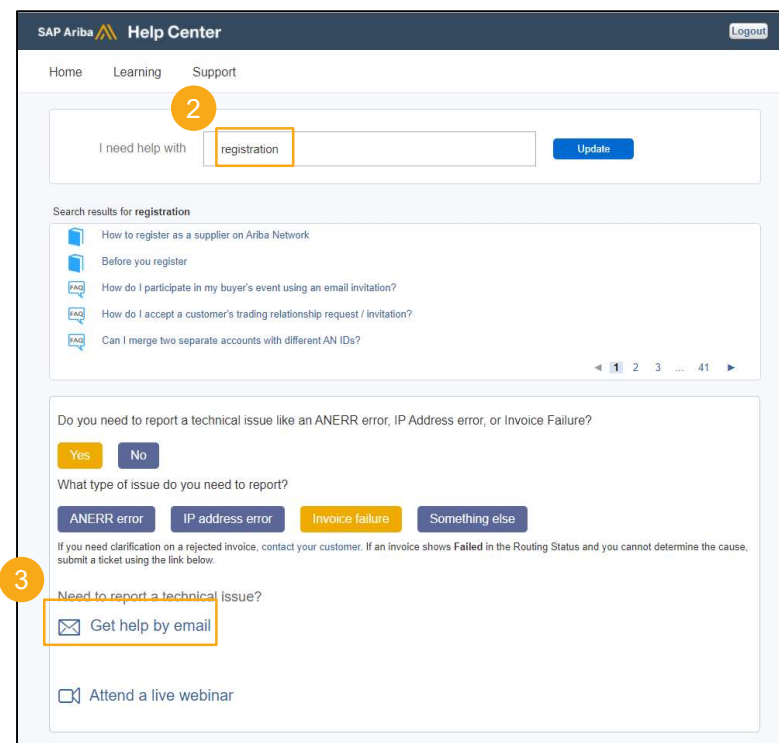
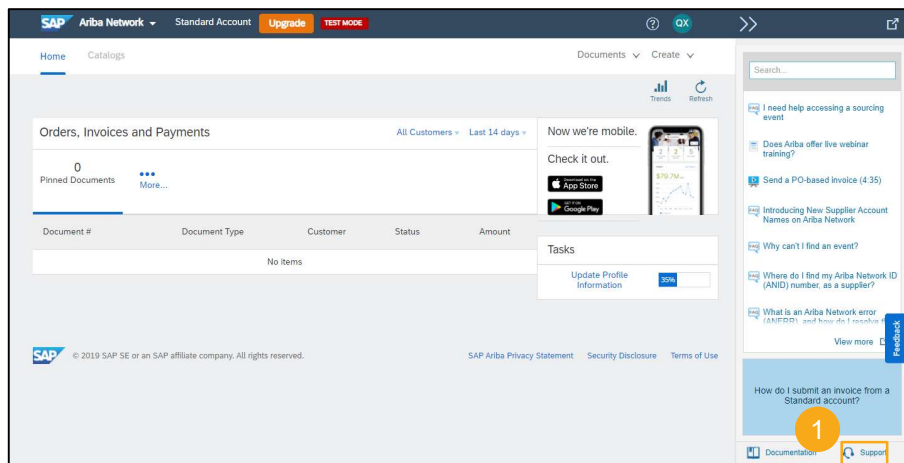
- 1 Click the drop down menu next to „Ariba Network“, select „Ariba Proposals and Questionnaires“.
- 2 You can find all your customer's questionnaires in this section.
- 3 Find the questionnaire, click in to edit.



The screenshot shows the SAP Ariba Proposals and Questionnaires dashboard. The top navigation bar includes 'Ariba Network', 'Standard Account', and 'Upgrade'. A dropdown menu is open under 'Ariba Network', showing options like 'Ariba Discovery', 'Ariba Proposals And Questionnaires' (highlighted with a red box and callout 1), 'Ariba Contracts', and 'Ariba Network'. Below this, the main content area is titled 'ALLIANZGI SAP ARIBA BUYING - TEST' (callout 2). It contains several sections: 'Events', 'Registration Questionnaires', 'Qualification Questionnaires', and 'Questionnaires'. The 'Registration Questionnaires' section is expanded, showing a table with columns: Title, ID, End Time, Status, and Participated. The table lists one item: 'Initial Supplier Registration' with ID 'Doc399833334', End Time '5/18/6103 2:15 PM', and Status 'Registered'. The 'Questionnaires' section is also expanded, showing a table with columns: Title, ID, End Time, Commodity, Regions, and Status. It lists three items: 'Additional Registration Questions III' (ID: Doc399973012, Status: PendingApproval), 'Additional Registration Questions II' (ID: Doc399694693, Status: Approved), and 'Additional Registration Questions I' (ID: Doc399697407, Status: Approved). The 'Tasks' section at the bottom is empty.

## Get Ariba Support in Person via Email or Phone Call

- Note** You can request Ariba Email or Phone support with Standard Account, please be encouraged to contact Ariba, especially you have account related or technical questions.
- 1 Click „Support“ at the lower right corner, you will be directed to Ariba Help Center
  - 2 Key in the topic you are looking for, you can find some supporting documents
  - 3 If the documents doesn't help, by selecting some fields, you can select „Get help by Email“ or „Get help by phone call“. After filling out your problem description and contact information, you will be contacted shortly.



## Difference between Ariba Enterprise Account and Standard Account

Enterprise Account	Standard Account
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enterprise was previously known as Full Enablement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Standard was previously known as Light Enablement</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recommended for organizations with high transaction and financial volume</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recommended for organizations with low transaction and financial volume</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Process POs and invoices directly on the Ariba Network</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Email-based transaction method for invoicing and PO reception</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Repository of past Ariba orders and invoices</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No fees charged by Ariba</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supplier-managed catalogs and Priority customer support</li> </ul>	Check <a href="#">Ariba Network Stand Account Dashboard</a> for more guidance.
AllianzGI will not cover <a href="#">Ariba fees</a> associated with Enterprise accounts.	<a href="#">SAP Ariba Customer Support</a>

## Frequently Asked Questions

### What document types are supported for this free account?

Suppliers transact unlimited documents such as orders, order confirmation (OC), advance ship notices (ASN), and service entry sheets (SES), PO-invoices using PO-Flip (convert orders into an e-invoice with the simple click of a button), non-PO invoices and credit memos, invoice status notifications, payment proposals, and remittance details.

### Am I required to register on Ariba Network to use Standard Account?

Yes. You will be sent an interactive email from your buyer. To respond you must register for a free standard account. This free account is not the same as a full-use Ariba Network account. You only need to upgrade to a full-use account on Ariba Network when you determine that you desire the additional functionality.

### Can I access my Ariba Network Standard Account and full-use account from the same user ID?

Yes. You can easily toggle between your Standard Account and full-use account by [linking your user IDs](#).

## Frequently Asked Questions

### What is an ANID number, and how does it impact how supplier fees are calculated?

An Ariba Network Identification (ANID) number is a unique identifier of an Ariba Network account. Suppliers may maintain multiple ANIDs for various reasons. For each of these ANIDs, purchase orders and invoices – as well as transaction (monetary) volume – are counted for each customer relationship to determine when the thresholds are reached for supplier fees. Once the supplier reaches the chargeability thresholds in at least one relationship, transaction and subscription fees are assessed across all relationships within the same ANID. Suppliers with multiple ANIDs may roll up their accounts into a “multi-org” parent-child relationship to take advantage of per-relationship caps.

Each ANID is associated with one account. However, some companies may have more than one ANID if they have multiple departments, branches or subsidiaries.

Supplier locations associated with the same supplier in your SAP Ariba procurement or invoicing solution can have the same Ariba Network ID.

Suppliers might have multiple Ariba Network accounts, for example for each subsidiary or location.

Supplier locations associated with different suppliers cannot have the same Ariba Network ID. When you load or manually enter your data, your SAP Ariba solution validates each supplier location’s Ariba Network IDs and generates a warning message if the same Ariba Network ID is specified for supplier locations associated with different suppliers.

## Frequently Asked Questions

### How do I invoice a purchase order if I lose the email notification?

If you misplace a purchase order (PO) email notification, you have the following options:

- Resend the PO email: Log in to your Ariba Network standard account. In the PO list on the home dashboard of your account, click Select > Send me a copy to take action in the Action column next to the PO.
- Request a manual copy of the PO from your customer: After you have a copy of the PO, you can create and submit a non-PO invoice.

### How do I create documents against purchase orders from my customer?

To process a purchase order, you need to click the Process Order button in the purchase order email notification. After you register or log in to your Ariba Network standard account, you are taken to the purchase order details page, where you can create documents like order confirmations, ship notices, and invoices against the purchase order.

## Frequently Asked Questions

### How do I add purchase orders to my existing Ariba Network Account?

If you've previously registered a standard account or full-use account on Ariba Network to transact with a different customer, you have the option to add the transactions with your new customer to your existing account.

To add your new purchase orders to your existing account:

- In the purchase order email notification, click Process order and then click Log in on the standard account landing page.
- Log in with the administrator username and password for the existing account.

### More guidance regarding your supplier onboarding or sending an Invoice?

Please find the user guide for:

- [Ariba Network Standard Account: Create Invoice](#)
- [Ariba Network Standard Account: Unit of Measurement](#)
- [Ariba Network Standard Account: Supplier Onboarding User Guide](#)

## Useful Links and Supplier Support

### Administrator Quick-Start Guide

- Set up your company profile
- Manage roles and users
- Configure your account including order and invoice routing

<https://www.ariba.com/resources/library/library-pages/ariba-network-for-suppliers-administrator-quick-start-guide>

### SAP Ariba Supplier Support

<https://www.ariba.com/support/supplier-support>

### Overview of Ariba Network (Video: 4:07)

[https://sapvideoa35699dc5.hana.ondemand.com/?entry\\_id=1\\_rb3g78qk](https://sapvideoa35699dc5.hana.ondemand.com/?entry_id=1_rb3g78qk)

### SAP Help Portal

- Search for documentation for any questions you may have

<https://help.sap.com/viewer/index>

### Change your account administrator (Video 1:36)

[https://sapvideoa35699dc5.hana.ondemand.com/?entry\\_id=1\\_he8szmim](https://sapvideoa35699dc5.hana.ondemand.com/?entry_id=1_he8szmim)

### SAP Trust Center

- Find the information you need on security, privacy, and compliance.

<https://www.sap.com/about/trust-center/certification-compliance.html>

### Ariba Network Registration and Onboarding with AllianzGI

- Registration/ onboarding Configuration
- General Ariba Network Questions

[Supplier-Enablement@allianzgi.com](mailto:Supplier-Enablement@allianzgi.com)

### AllianzGI Business Support

- Business related questions with AllianzGI

[S2P-ServiceDesk@allianzgi.com](mailto:S2P-ServiceDesk@allianzgi.com)

### AllianzGI Supplier Information Portal

- Find more supplier related information

<https://allianzgi.com/ariba>



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