ACH Quick Reference Guide





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What are ACH Transactions?

ACH, Automated Clearing House transactions are a fast, efficient method for making and receiving payments. ACH allows you to create electronic payments and deposits and securely complete those transactions when and where you want in as little as a few hours. It's the cost-effective way to handle routine transactions and can be used for a wide variety of payments and deposits, including direct deposit of payroll and payments to vendors. Your business can easily add ACH transactions to your financial toolbox. To get started, all you need to do is give us a call today.

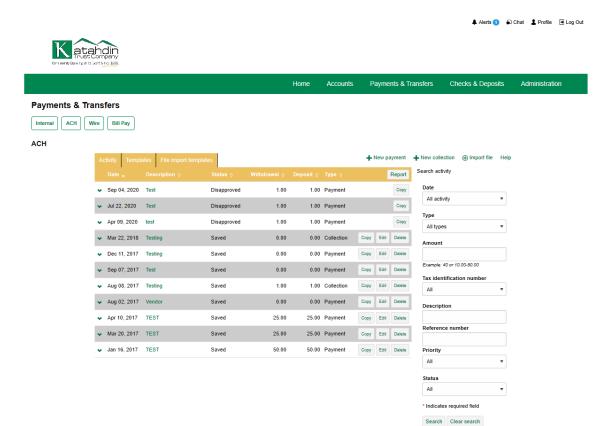
Getting Started (Options)

Select ACH

Under Payments & Transfers, you'll find a powerful suite of options for managing ACH transactions.

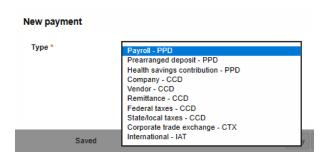
From the ACH screen, you'll quickly be able to research individual ACH activities, create new payments, copy existing payments, create a collection, create templates, and review transfers and templates created by employees.

By using templates, you'll expedite your most common transactions by simply updating future dates and amounts. It's the secret to managing large batch files that take place on a recurring basis, like payroll. You can import transfers from your accounting software and even convert files that are not NACHA formatted.



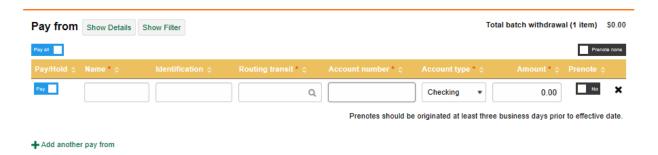
Creating a New ACH Transfer

Setting up a new ACH transfer only takes a few minutes and you have several options available for adding them. Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers**. Select **ACH**. You can choose to use the New payment option, you can set up a template to store the transaction's basic information, or you could import a file exported from your account software. Selecting **+ New payment** helps simplify the setup process by offering a wide variety of the most common ACH types to get you started. Payment types include:

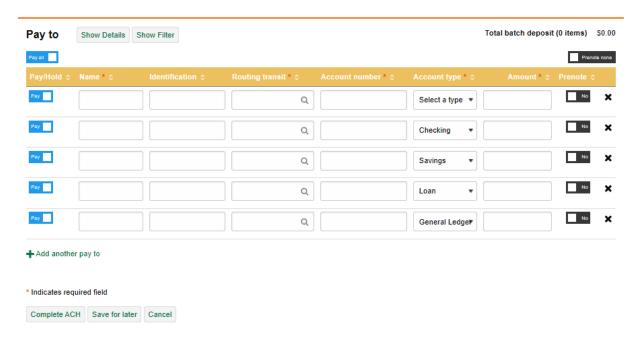


Once a payment type is selected, it serves as a guide for entering the specific information required for the type of ACH transfer you've selected. Enter the date or dates you want your transfer to take place.

Next, select the accounts you want the money transferred from. You also have the option of splitting the funds into multiple accounts and transferring different amounts into each.



Next, complete the information for each account the money will be transferred to. You can include prenotes and add descriptions for each account. Each individual transaction also includes a hold option which allows you to stop or hold back the processing of an individual transaction without deleting the information or delaying the remainder of the batch. Once completed, you can immediately process the batch by selecting **Complete ACH** or you can **Save for later** to make changes at a later time.



Creating a New ACH Collection

Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers**. Select **ACH** and then **+ New Collection** and select the collection type:



Once a collection type is selected, it serves as a guide for entering the specific information required for the type of ACH transfer you've selected. Enter the date or dates you want your transfer to take place.

Next, select the accounts you want the money transferred from. You also have the option of splitting the funds into multiple accounts and transferring different amounts into each.

Next, complete the information for each account the money will be transferred to. If you are unsure about routing/transit number, you can simply look it up by entering the name. Then, just select it from the list. You can include pre-notes and add descriptions for each account. Each individual transaction also includes a hold option which allows you to stop or hold back the processing of an individual transaction without deleting the information or delaying the remainder of the batch. Once completed, you can immediately process the batch by selecting **Complete ACH** or you can **Save for later** to make changes at a later time.

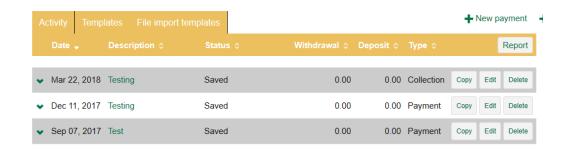
Inquire into an ACH Payment or Collection

You can easily find the status or view the details about previous transactions. Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfer**, then **ACH**, and click the **Activity** tab. Your most recent transactions appear in the window. However, you are able to use the **Search activity** function to find transfers matching your information by date, type, tax identification number, description, reference number, priority or status. Click **Search** and all transfers matching your information will appear in the list and include the description, date, current status, withdrawal amount, deposit amount, and type. Selecting the description will display the details. When finished, return to your list for your next inquiry.

Modify an ACH Payment or Collection

Quickly make changes to any of your transfers that have a status of saved or pending. Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers** and then **ACH**. From the list, click **Edit** for the appropriate transfer from the list.

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Editing a transfer will allow you to change the description, tax identification number, effective date, Pay from and Pay to accounts, frequency, and amount of the transfer. You can **Complete ACH** or **Save for later**. You may be prompted for a one-time password to complete the ACH.



Establish a New ACH Transfer Using an Existing ACH Transfer

Once a transfer has been processed, whether it was creating using the New ACH Transfer option or imported from a file, the specific transfer information remains stored in the system and is available to change and reuse for any future transactions you might be making. This means the basic information is only entered once, simplifying the setup process and saving time every time you make a transfer.

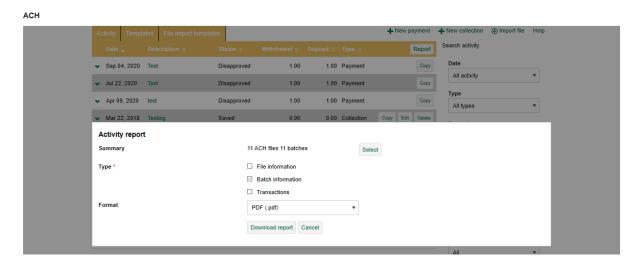
Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers** and then **ACH.** From the list, click **Copy** for the appropriate transfer from the list.

Editing a transfer will allow you to change the description, tax identification number, effective date, Pay from and Pay to accounts, frequency, and amount of the transfer. You can **Complete ACH** or **Save for later**. You may be prompted for a one-time password to complete the ACH.

Click **Return to ACH activity** to return to the ACH Activity list or click **Save as template** to initiate the process of establishing a new template based on the transfer that you just established.

Generating Transfer Reports

To print or export your transactions, sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers** and then **ACH.** Select the **Report** icon. In the next screen, choose the type of report or export you wish to generate. Each report includes issued by and approved by information for the transactions, giving you an audit trail for the transfer.



Report Type Examples:

File Information



Batch Information

Batch List KATAHDIN TRUST COMPANY									age 1 of 1
Batch#	SEC	Transfer Description	Company Name	Effective Date	Item Count	Status	Reference Number	Credit	Debit
1	PPD	Test	Ronald Duck	09/04/2020	2	Disapproved	08e43a7881	\$1.00	\$1.00
1	PPD	Test	Ronald Duck	07/22/2020	2	Disapproved	0f6483abde	\$1.00	\$1.00
1	PPD	test	Ronald Duck	04/09/2020	2	Disapproved	f1942e8bdd	\$1.00	\$1.00
1	PPD	Test	Ronald Duck	09/07/2017	2	Saved	2a845918be	\$0.00	\$0.00
1	PPD	TEST	Ronald Duck	04/10/2017	2	Saved	8ae450a82c	\$25.00	\$25.00
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Transactions

All Transactions KATAHDIN TRUST COMPANY								
Transfer Description:	TEST							
Transfer Type:	Payment - Payroll							
Company Name:	Ronald Duck							
Issued By:	Accounting							
Reviewer's Name:								
Review Date and Time:								
Placement Date and Time	12/28/2016 03:35:04							
Batch# SEC Recipie	nt Name	Effective Date	Status	Account Number	Account Type	Amount	CR/DR	RT
1 PPD Operation	g Account Chec	01/16/17	Saved	****7180	Checking	\$50.00	DR	011202392
1 PPD Ronald	Duck	01/16/17	Saved	****7180	Checking	\$50.00	CR	011202392

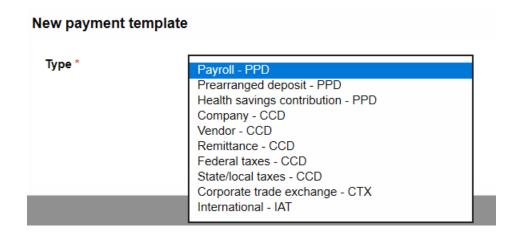
All reports can be downloaded as a PDF or CSV by selecting Format and Download report.

Establish a New ACH Template

The ACH transfer system provides easy-to-use templates for many transfer types, including payroll, tax payment, consumer debits and credits, cash concentrations, disbursements, and vendor payments. ACH Transfer templates enable you to automatically define information about the receiving institution and to add multiple ACH transfers using easy to use templates. You can leverage all templates at any time, without having to reestablish each transfer one at a time. Any time you generate or process a new template, the system requires approvals in order for it to process transfers as accurately as possible.

Note: To establish templates based on NACHA standard or non-NACHA (fixed width or delimited) file formats, use the ACH File Import Template function.

Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers** and then **ACH.** Select the **Templates** tab. The system will display a list of available templates. Click **+ New payment template** and select the new payment template type from the dropdown menu:



Type a template name, select the Tax identification number, and a template group from the dropdown menus. Click repeat for recurring transfers.

Assign user access to specific users or to all current and future users.

Enter the Pay from and Pay to accounts, amounts, account type and information. Review the information and click **Save** to store the template.

Edit an ACH Template

From the **Templates** tab, click **Edit** for the template you want to edit. In the Description section, modify the Template name, Template group, From account, and To amount as needed. You can also modify user access as needed. Click **Save** to store the template.

Import a NACHA File Using an Existing Template

Import ACH Transfer functionality for NACHA files enables you to import a stored NACHA transfer file against a stored template. The system validates the transfer type and amount range (total transfer amount (stipulated in a selected template against the values in the imported ACH file. If the validation fails, the system displays an error message and the import process cannot continue.

Note: ACH users who do not have access to stored templates can only import files without using a template.

Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers** and then **ACH.** Click the **Import file** hyperlink. Select **NACHA**, click **Browse**, and select the file to upload. Select the appropriate **Template** from the dropdown list and click **Continue**. Click **Review ACH** and review details. Once confirmed, click **Complete ACH**.

Import a Non-NACHA File Using an Existing Template

Import ACH Transfer functionality for Non-NACHA files enables you to import a stored transfer file against an existing template. The ACH transfer system validates the tax identification number, transfer type, and amount range (that is, total transfer amount) stipulated in a selected template against the values in the imported ACH file. If the validation fails, the system displays an error message and the import process cannot continue.

Note: ACH users who do not have access to stored templates can only import files without using a template.

Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers** and then **ACH.** Click the **Import file** hyperlink. Select **Non-NACHA**, click **Browse**, and select the file to upload. Select the appropriate **Template** from the dropdown list and click **Continue**. If the system prompts you, type the Effective date and click **Continue**. Review and click **Complete ACH**.

Import a NACHA File Without Using a Template

Import ACH Transfer functionality for NACHA files enables users to import a stored NACHA transfer file without validating it against the fields stored in an existing NACHA template.

Note: ACH users who do not have access to stored templates can only import files without using a template. The import process does not display the **Template** field for these users.

Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers** and then **ACH.** Click the **Import file** hyperlink. Select **NACHA**, click **Browse**, and select the file to upload. Select **Import without using a template** from the **Template** drop-down list. Select the appropriate ACH transfer type from the **Type** drop-down list. Click **Review ACH** and review the transfer details. Click **Complete ACH** to finalize.

Import a Non-NACHA File Using a New Template

Import ACH Transfer functionality for non-NACHA files enables users to import a stored transfer using a new template. This system validates the transfer type and any other applicable information. If the validations fails, a message displays and the import process cannot continue.

Note: ACH users who do not have access to stored templates can only import files without using a template.

Sign in to Business Online and select **Payments & Transfers** and then **ACH.** Click the **Import file** hyperlink. Click the **+ Import File** hyperlink. In the Import file section, select **Non-NACHA**, click **Browse**, and select the file to upload. Select **Create a new template** from the **Template** drop-down list and click **Continue**.

Complete the template name, Tax identification number, template group, select the appropriate Insert decimals into amounts option, select delimited or fixed width, type the number of header and footer rows to exclude, select the text qualifier, and select all appropriate columns.

Assign user access to specific users or to all current and future users. Click **Continue**. Type the Effective date and click **Continue**.

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