Supplier Explorer Refresher Training and Enhancement Review
Accessing Explorer

Single Sign-On

Supplier Search Databases & Resources

Welcome to UCs Explorer Professional platform for supplier search and diversity data enrichment, provided by Proprietary and Confidential. See links below to access Explorer or review resources. (Please note: Explorer Professional is now accessed using EDU/Oracle EDU credentials.)

For further Supplier search assistance, contact your Campus Supplier Diversity Coordinator.

Supplier Professional Resources

- Explorer Login: Explore Professional
- Quick Reference Guide: Basic Information (PDF)
- Search Training: Diverse Buyer Search Training (PDF)
- Basic Training: Campus Administrator Training Materials

The Cal amounts search platform is operated by the State of CA Department of General Services.

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What is it? A user interface to search SIO’s:
DIVERSE SUPPLIER DATABASE

1+ million suppliers, 1.7 million certifications from over 350+ agencies

FIND AND MONITOR
- MINORITY OWNED
- WOMEN OWNED
- VETERAN OWNED
- SMALL OWNED
- SERVICE-DISABLED
- LGBT OWNED

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Why use it?

• LOOK UP YOUR SUPPLIERS
  • Suppliers used by your company
  • Shared supplier lists for specific commodities
  • Check up on status of suppliers for reporting

• FIND NEW SUPPLIERS
  • Add suppliers to meet diversity requirements
  • Build Pre-qualified diverse supplier lists

• GET UPDATES ON YOUR DIVERSE SUPPLIERS
  • Notifications on changes
  • New certifications or status changes

• TRACK SUPPLIERS YOU MEET
  • Add to “My Suppliers” list
  • Follow suppliers for updates
Explorer Professional - Product Enhancements

New Vendor Layout
- Displaying information in a logical, tabular format vs. a single scrollable page.

Enhanced Supplier Discovery
- "Power-Search" Functionality in Explorer Professional.
- TrustIQ is now live! Have confidence that the suppliers you find are up to the job!
Explorer Professional- Vendor Layout
Explorer Professional- Power Search

POWER SEARCH: Enhanced and Robust *product-based* search.

*Power Search utilizes information from the digitized indexing of over 1M+ diverse suppliers’ website.*

**What does it mean for users?**

When searching in Explorer, not only are you searching for products/services of which we have tie to the vendor profiles in Explorer, but you are also searching through their websites for related product/service information.

**How often is the information updated?**

Each quarter supplier.io will index information from vendor’s websites. We can only do this for vendors with which we have their website/URL stored.

**Will users see a difference in the system?**

This enhancement involves no UI changes. But rather the vendors included in a search result will now include vendors that have similar products/services listed on their website.

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Explorer Professional - TrustIQ

TrustIQ can help you find “qualified” vendors easily.

TrustIQ scores help evaluate a supplier’s ability to deliver products and services to corporations. The score ranges from 1 to 5, with 5 being the highest. This score is calculated using supplier.io’s proprietary data and US Business Census data.

A company’s TrustIQ is calculated using three factors:

1. Experience: How many large companies are known to utilize the company? The higher the score, the more experience the company has doing business with corporations.

2. Stability: How long has the company been in business? Older firms tend to display greater stability, and have higher scores.

3. Size: How large is the supplier? Larger suppliers have higher scores. This can be useful when scale is important in an engagement.

Note: TrustIQ should not be interpreted as a predictor of a company’s past, present, or future performance.

Supplier Profile

Stability
This company has been operational over 15 years. The average projected 3-year survival rate such companies is over 88%.

Scale
This business has more than 1000 employees. Fewer than 0.25% of US firms grow to this size.

This company has experience in the following industries:
- High Tech & Technology
- Financial Services
- Insurance
- Manufacturing
- Healthcare
- Manufacturing & Energy & Utilities
- Automotive & Parts
- Business Services
- Food & Beverage

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System Walkthrough
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