

FOAPAL STRUCTURE

FOAPAL is the acronym for **Fund / Organization / Account / Program / Activity / Location**

Each FOAPAL code has built-in logic that can often tell users what the code means and how it is intended report financial data.

Fund: Operating Funds – Each Fund Code has 6 digits used to identify the following, each section building upon the previous:

Fund Type		Program/Predecessor		Specific Designation	
1	2	3	4	5	6
11 = Operating		11 = Resident		0 = Undergrad	1 = Non-Payroll
12 = Special Purpose		12 = Online		1= Grad	2 = Payroll
31 = Auxil-Housing		13 = School of Law			
33 = Auxil-Univ. Services		14 = LUCOM			
38 = Auxil-General		22 = LUOA			
42 = External Grants					

Note: The white boxes in chart above provides just a small portion of fund logic examples.

Examples:

- 111101 Resident Undergraduate Non-Payroll
- 111102 Resident Undergraduate Payroll
- 111211 Online Graduate Non-Payroll
- 311001 Student Housing Non-Payroll

Organization: Each Org code uses 5 alpha-numeric characters. The first character *usually* identifies the Division:

A	Administration	H	Finance	N	Planning & Construction
B	Academics	J	Human Resources	P	Student Financial Services
D	Athletics	K	Information Services	Q	Student Affairs
E	Auxiliary & Campus Rec	L	Equity & Inclusion	R	Media/Communications
F	Enrollment Management	M	Physical Plant	S	Marketing
G	Spiritual Development			T	Development

Example: B3030 – History

- B: Academics Division
 - 30: School Sub-division
 - 30: Organization in School

NOTE: Fund Code + Organization Code = Budget Code

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Account: The Account is the natural classification where funds are allocated to and incurred.

Type	Account Title	Type	Account Title
50	Revenue	60	Payroll & Benefits
51	<i>Tuition & Fees</i>	61	<i>Payroll</i>
52	<i>Contra Revenue</i>	62	<i>Benefits</i>
53	<i>Contributions</i>	69	<i>Contra Payroll & Benefits</i>
54	Grants	70	Direct Expenditures
55	<i>Interest/Dividends</i>	71	<i>Contractual Services</i>
56	<i>Gains/Losses</i>	72	<i>Professional Development & Travel</i>
57	<i>Auxiliary</i>	73	<i>Supplies</i>
58	<i>Other Sources</i>	74	<i>Utilities</i>
		76	<i>Miscellaneous Expenses</i>
		79	<i>Non-Capital & Capital Expenditures</i>

Program: The Function/purpose of the transaction

10	Instruction	81	Auxiliary Enterprises
20	Research	85	Other Self Supporting Enterprises
30	Public Service	B0	Operation & Maintenance of Plant
40	Academic Support	R0	Revenue
50	Student Services	YY	Construction in Progress (Capital CIP)
60	Instruction Support		

Activity: Specialized tracking of projects/events. While these codes are typically established for a specific area's use, they can also be used cross-functionally in other divisions.

Location: Asset management consisting of the alpha-numeric building code and room number.

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INDEX CODES:

An Index Code is a 6-digit alpha-numeric code used to preset a combination of FOAPAL elements for ease of use, and often used to identify a “Budget Code”.

Budget Code = Fund Code + Organization Code

The typical budget code consists of a Fund Code indicator in the first field, followed by the Organization Code. The following is a list of frequently used fund code indicators that provide users insight to the fund code linked to a budget code:

Index Code Fund Indicator		
Code/Indicator	Description	Fund Code(s)
1	Resident Undergraduate	111101 / 111102
2	LUO Undergraduate	111201 / 111202
3	School of Law	111301 / 111302
4	LUO Graduate	111211 / 111212
5	Resident Graduate	111111 / 111112

Examples of Index Codes for Organization B3030-History:

- 1B3030 History, Resident Undergraduate
- 2B3030 History, LUO Undergraduate
- 4B3030 History, LUO Graduate
- 5B3030 History, Resident Graduate