# Buy A&M Documents - Laserfiche

The Buy A&M Laserfiche repository allows viewing and print access to historical purchasing and invoice information for purchasing documents formerly housed in the Buy A&M System. Limited access to the repository will be granted to Buy A&M participating Member's, and will provide users with the ability to research or audit purchases executed through this system.

## **Laserfiche Hierarchy**

The hierarchy for storage of Buy A&M information in Laserfiche is:

System: BAM

**Attachments:** All attachments

Fiscal Year: FYnnnn

**Document Type:** Invoices, Purchase Orders, Bids

Buy A&M Org: AM01, AM02, etc Vendor: Vendor Name

**Document Number:** multiple formats

There are a few exceptions to this hierarchy:

- Attachments All attachments are stored in a single folder, regardless of where they were originally attached. This is due to fact that a single attachment can belong to multiple documents.
- Receipts Receipts are not documents within Buy A&M, therefore they are not documents within the
  Laserfiche repository. Receipt information will be included with the PO document and any
  attachments associated with receipts will be notes as shortcuts on the PO document and stored in the
  attachments folder.
- Quotes Quotes only exist as a part of a Bid and are not true documents in Buy A&M. To store the
  quote information in Laserfiche, a Quote 'document' has been created containing all relevant
  information; these created documents will be listed under the specific Bid document.

Shortcuts to related attachments will be listed below each document.

Based on that hierarchy, a PO issued by System Offices (AM01) in FY 2018 would be stored:

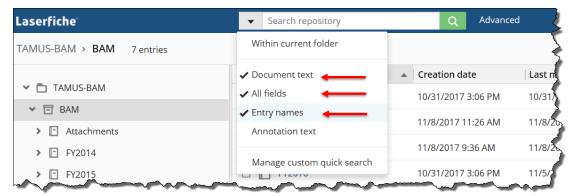


## **Search the Laserfiche Repository**

While a user can drill down through the hierarchy, the search capabilities in Laserfiche allow a user to find a document easily without knowing exactly where it is stored.

The user can search the entire Repository by the following:

- Click the arrow on the search pane
- Then select multiple options on the search window
- –And- not selecting 'Within current folder'

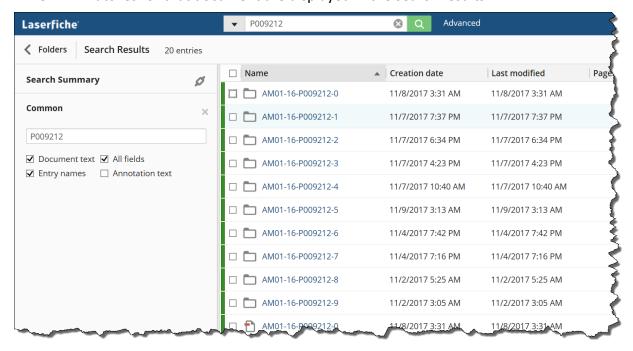


These changes will remain in effect until the user changes them again.

## **Search by Document Number**

To search for documents by document number, do the following:

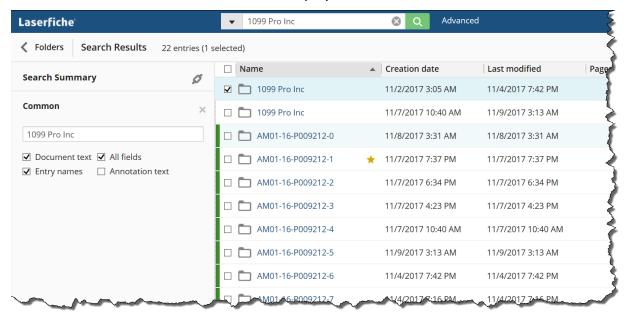
- Enter all or part of a document number
- Click the magnifying glass icon
  - o All matches for that document are displayed in the search results



## **Search by Vendor Name**

To search for documents by vendor name, do the following:

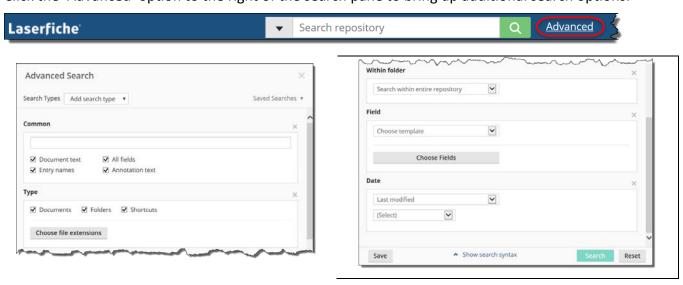
- Enter all or part of a vendor name
- Click the magnifying glass icon
  - o All matches for that document are displayed in the search results



Note: Because both Invoices and PO's are associated with vendors, both document types will be displayed when searching by vendor name.

#### **Advanced Search**

• Click the 'Advanced' option to the right of the search pane to bring up additional search options:

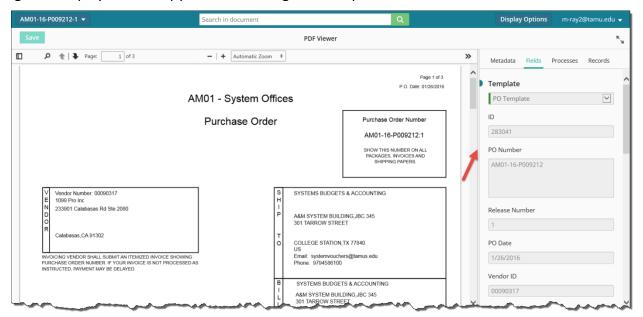


While the simple search will work for most cases, the advanced search provides the option of searching based on template fields and saving a search for repeated use.

## **Viewing Documents**

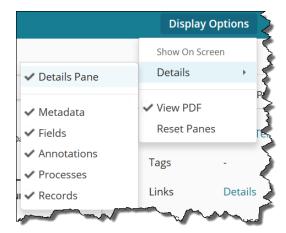
Once the search results are displayed, the user can select the document to display it. Because PO numbers are unique with the BAM environment, typically, only a single PO will be displayed. For Master Orders, the original PO number will be displayed and appended by '-nnnn', where 'nnnn' is the release number off the Master Order. In BAM, the original PO number and the release number were separated by a colon (:).

Selecting a PO displays a PDF copy of the PO along with template fields related to this PO.



To change the display distribution between the fields and the document, the bar between the two can be pulled to the left or right.

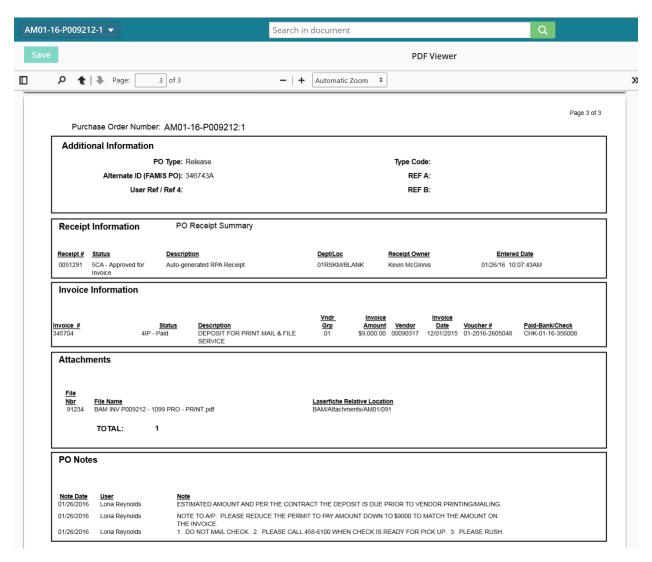
- Click on the Display Option
- Then click Details and uncheck 'Details Pane'



The details pane can be removed from the view completely.

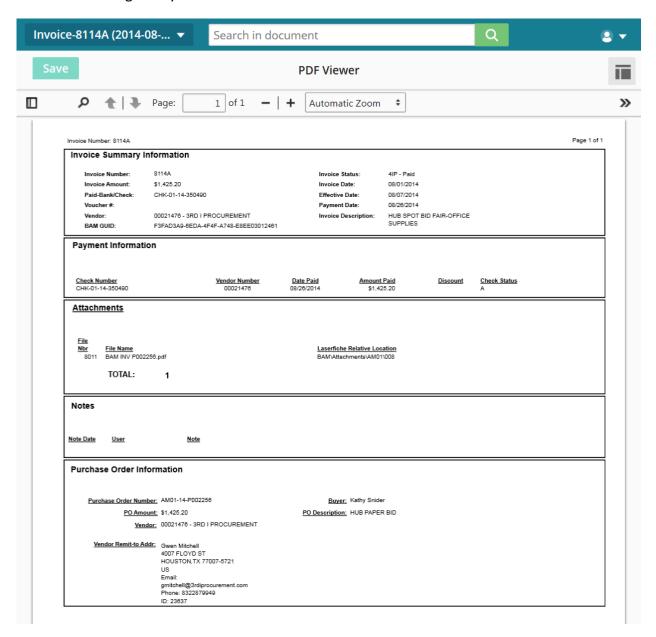
The PO document in Laserfiche, is virtually the same as the PDF version in BAM. An additional page has been added to each PO containing:

- Receipts listing of all receipts created
- Invoice listing of all invoices including payment information
- Attachments listing of all attachments related to this PO
- Notes listing of any notes entered on the PO in BAM



While invoices in BAM were documents, they did not exist as true socument in the same manner as a PO. For Laserfiche, a printable document has been created containing information from BAM related to the invoice:

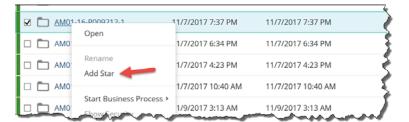
- Invoice Summary basic invoice information
- Payment –specific information related to payments made to vendors
- Attachments listing of all attachments related to this invoice
  - This would include the actual vendor invoice
- Notes listing of any notes entered on the invoice in BAM



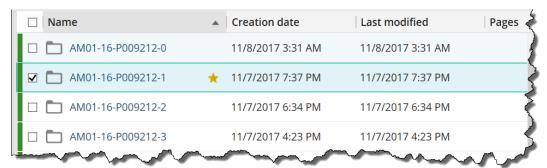
#### **Favorites - Starred Documents**

Users can mark documents for easy retrieval at a later date.

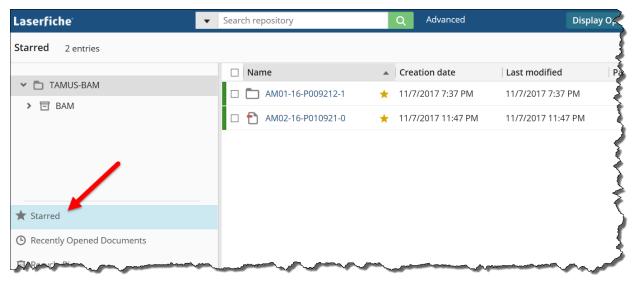
- Right-click on a document
- Select 'Add Star'



Once a document has been marked with a 'Star' as indicated below, it will be retrieved when the 'Star' option is invoked.



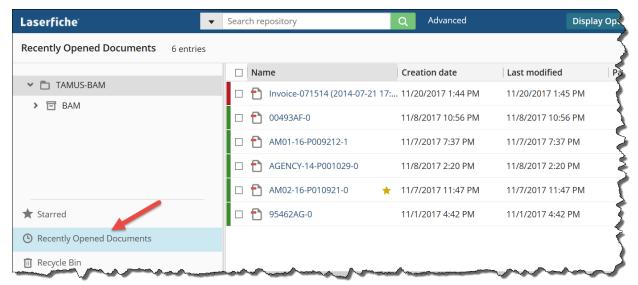
- Select the 'Starred' option on the main display
- Any starred documents will be displayed.



• Starred documents are specific to each user, so each user is able to maintain a listing of documents that they feel will be needed on a repetitive basis.

## **Recently Opened Documents**

In addition to starred documents, the eleven most recent documents can be quickly accessed from the Folder Browser by choosing Recently Opened Documents.



## **Printing Documents**

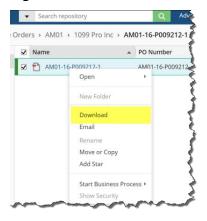
To print a document, it must first be downloaded from Laserfiche. To download a document:

• Select the 'Download' icon in the upper right portion of the screen.



#### <u>Or</u>

Right-click on the document and select 'Download'



A download window will be displayed:



- Select 'Electronic File'
- Click 'Download'. A prompt will be displayed giving the user the choice to open or save the document:

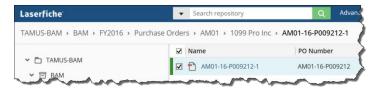


If the 'Open' option is selected, the document will open in Adobe and can then be printed from there.

## **Emailing a Single Document from Laserfiche**

Documents may also be emailed from Laserfiche. To email a document:

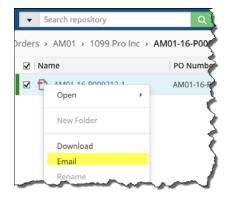
Select the document to be emailed



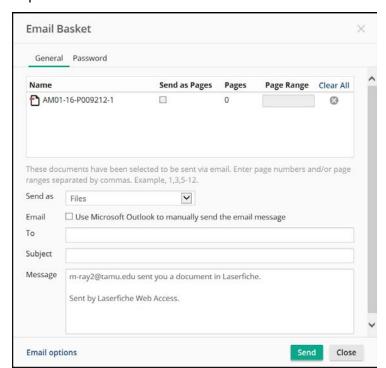
Select the 'Email' icon in the upper right portion of the screen



· - Or - Right-click on the document and select 'Email'



This will open a window to create an email:

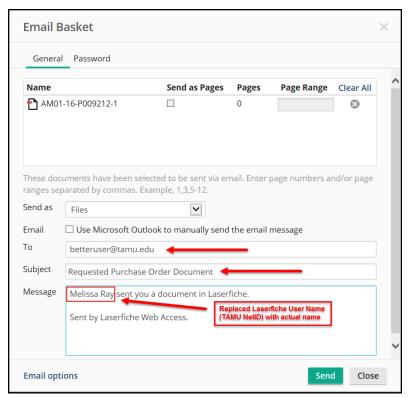


User has the option to send the document as a file or a link.



 Do not use the link option to send to recipients that do not have access to the Buy A&M Laserfiche Repository. The link will require that the recipient login to access the file(s).

Once the Email Basket window is displayed, the user can add the recipient's email, add a subject line and customize the message:



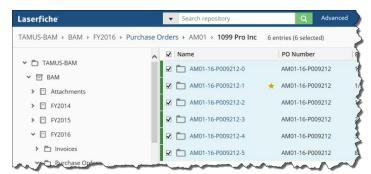
Once the edits have been completed, clicking 'Send' will send the email. Once the email has been sent, a confirmation message will be displayed in Laserfiche:



## **Emailing Multiple Documents from Laserfiche**

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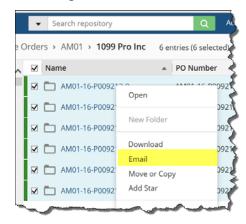
Select the documents to be emailed



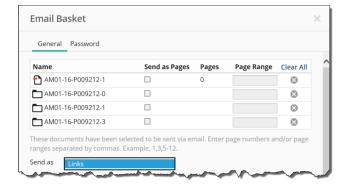
Select the 'Email' icon in the upper right portion of the screen



• - Or - Right-click on the document and select 'Email'



Emailing multiple documents through Laserfiche only provides the option to send as links:

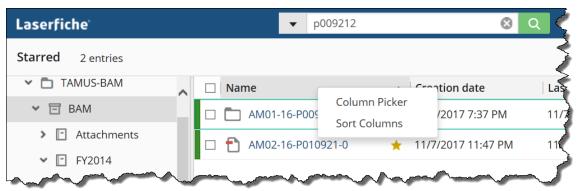


With this in mind, a better option would be to download the files and email them manually.

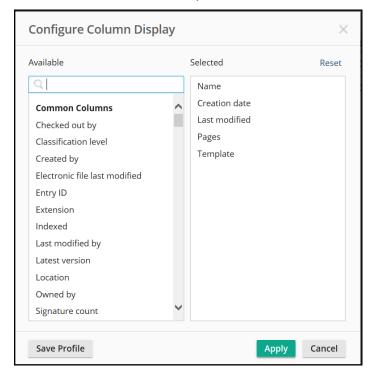
# **Customizing the Columns Displayed**

Users may also choose to customize the columns displayed in Laserfiche:

Right-click on the column headings to display the options:



• Select the 'Column Picker' option to select the columns to display:



By selecting one of the Templates, the user can add columns that are specific to that template.

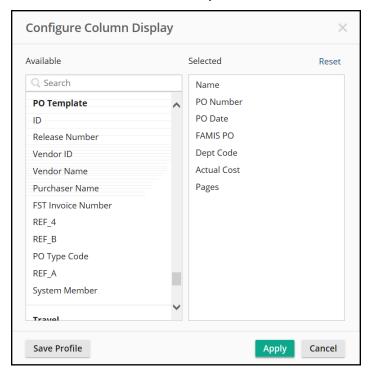
- Click an item in either list
- Drag it from one side to the other
  - This will move items from the 'Available' list to the 'Selected' list or
  - Move items from the 'Selected' list to the 'Available' list.

To change the order of the columns:

- Click an item within the 'Selected' list
- Drag item up or down to create the order desired.

Once all items have been moved:

• click 'Save Profile' to save this profile:



• Enter a name for the new profile in the window:



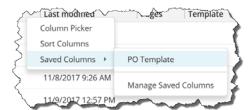
These column headings also now apply to this folder. To revert back to the original settings:

- Right-click on the column headings
- Select 'Column Picker' again
- Once the 'Configure Column Display' window is shown
  - Click 'Reset' to go back to the original headings:



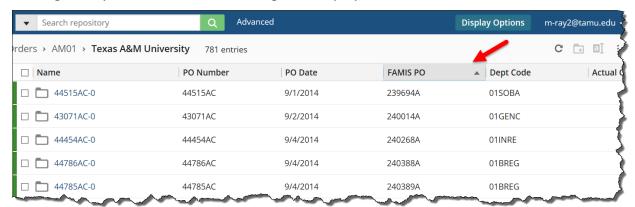
To use a saved configuration

- Right-click on the column headings
- Select 'Saved Columns'
- Then select the desired configuration

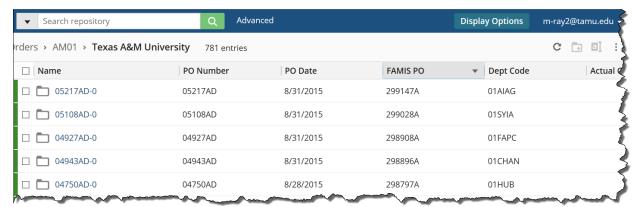


As the user drills down further into the folder, these headings remain. The columns will not be populated until the user has navigated down to the document level (where the templates have been used).

• Clicking on any of the columns will change the display to be sorted based on that column:



Clicking the column again will change the sort order:



The changes to the column headings will remain in effect for this user until they are changed.

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