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# Event Accounting?

What's that and how will it impact Assets in R12?



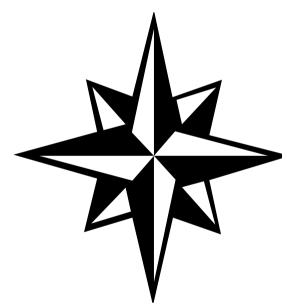




# **High-Level Overview**



- Depreciation (Once) > Create Journals (Once)
- Depreciation (Multiple) > Rollback Depreciation (Multiple)Create Journals (Once)
- Depreciation (Multiple) > Create Accounting (Multiple)
- Event Accounting vs. Monthly Accounting
  - What's an event?
  - Impact to Transaction History
  - Asset Retirements / Deletions
  - Impact to Month-End
  - Incremental JEs
- Other New Features that contributes to Event Accounting
  - Auto Depreciation Rollback
  - Create Accounting
  - Subledger Accounting
- Month-End Close Processing Possibilities
- Great Sources for Asset Information







# Accounting Process Evolution





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Release 9 – 10: Depreciation was run once and in a hard close status, no option to soft close. Journals were created once at month-end after running depreciation.

Release 11 – 11i: Introduction to soft close in Oracle Assets. Ability to run depreciation without closing the period. If needed run a program to rollback depreciation and make adjustments or additions. Re-run depreciation – these steps could be performed as many times as needed. Once depreciation was run > create journals to account for all of the activity performed during the month.

Release 12: Introduction of auto rollback depreciation and create accounting. Ability to run depreciation without closing the period as often as needed during the month. Create journals as often as needed during the month.





# Event Accounting vs. Monthly Accounting





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Monthly Accounting: Create accounting once at month-end to account for all of the activity performed during the month

Event Accounting: Create accounting as needed throughout the month for all events/activity or specific events/activity performed from the last time accounting was created





# **Event Accounting**

Assets now has event accounting, meaning that every transaction is treated as a new event to the assets. The impact on assets are as follows:

- Audit trail will no longer show voided transaction types if changes occur in the month an asset was added
- No longer forced to delete assets in the period it was added, due to the event accounting Oracle treats the addition and retirement as two separate events, so now Oracle allows assets to be retired in the period added
- **Event accounting also allows for transferring accounting to GL multiple times in a period.**





# What's an Event?

Oracle has defined the specific event classes and types that can occur within Oracle Assets:

**Event Class Event Type** 

Additions All

Adjustments All

CIP Additions All

CIP Adjustments All

CIP Category Reclass All

CIP Retirements CIP Reinstatements

CIP Retirements CIP Retirements

CIP Revaluations All

CIP Source Line Transfers All

CIP Transfers All

CIP Unit Adjustments All

Capitalization Capitalization

Capitalization Reverse Capitalization

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# What's an Event?

**Event Class Event Type** 

Category Reclass All

Deferred Depreciation All

Depreciation All

Depreciation Adjustments All

Inflation Revaluation All

Reserve Transfers All

Retirement Adjustments All

Retirements Reinstatements

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Revaluation All

Source Line Transfers All

Terminal Gain and Loss All

Transfers All

Unit Adjustments All

Unplanned Depreciation All

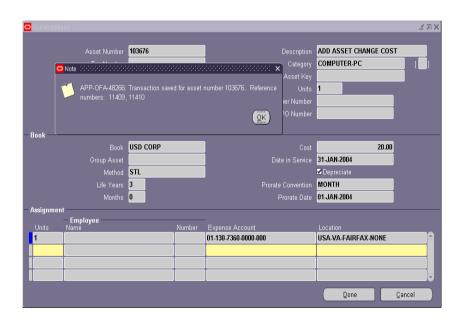
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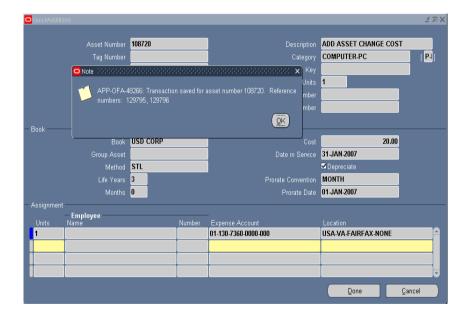




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Prior to R12 R12









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VISION ENTERPRISES

Asset Additions Report

Report Date: 02-DEC-2009 07:04

Currency: USD

Period: Jan-07 to Jan-07

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Currency: USD
Book: USD CORP
Company: 01

Asset Type: Capitalized Asset Account: 1560 Department: 130

Department 130 Totals:

Reserve Asset Date Placed Deprn Life Year-To-Date Initial Deprn Transaction Account Number - Description In Service Method Yr.Mo Initial Cost Depreciation 3.00 0.00 1660 108682 - ADD ASSET CHANGE COST 31-JAN-2007 STL 20.00 0.00 129780 Reserve Account 1660 Totals: 0.00 20.00 0.00

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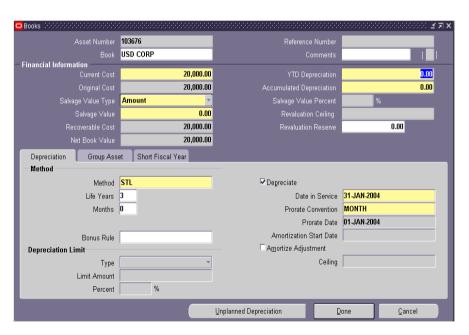
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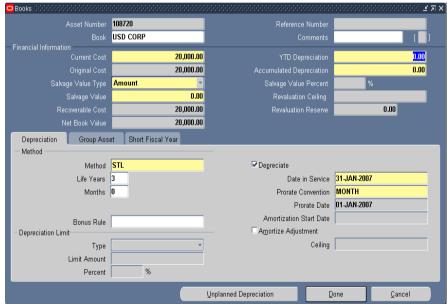




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### Prior to R12

VISION ENTERPRISES Asset Additions Report Report Date: 23-NOV-2009 22:27 1 of

Period: Jan-04 to Jan-04 Currency: USD

Book: USD CORP Company: 01

Asset Type: Capitalized Asset Account: 1560 Department: 130

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1660	103676 - ADD ASSET CHANGE COST	31-JAN-2004 STL	3.00	20,000.00	0.00	0.00	11411
	Reserve Account 1660 Totals:		_	20,000.00	0.00	0.00	





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# Impact to Transaction History

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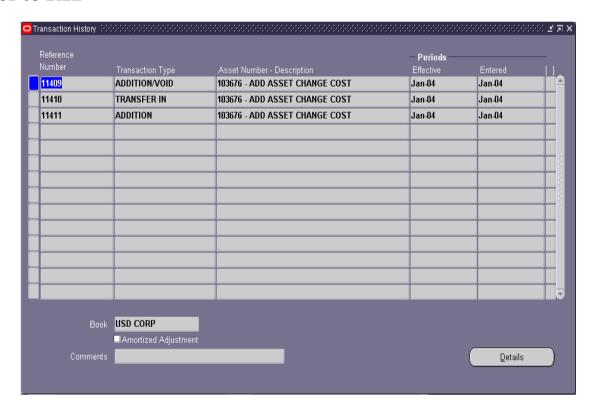
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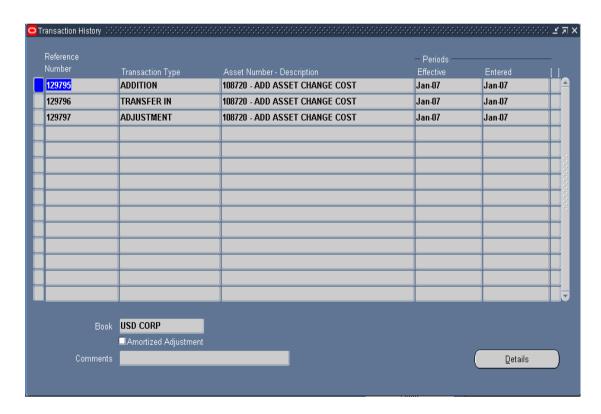
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Additional Impact: Asset Category defined with a default of 1 month – need to update assets when added to the system:

### Prior to R12

- Run Asset Additions Report
- Identify Assets with 1 month life
- Update assets to actual life
- Re-run Asset Additions Report
- New life should be reflected on report

### **R12**

• The change of life is a new event and will not appear on the Asset Additions Report.

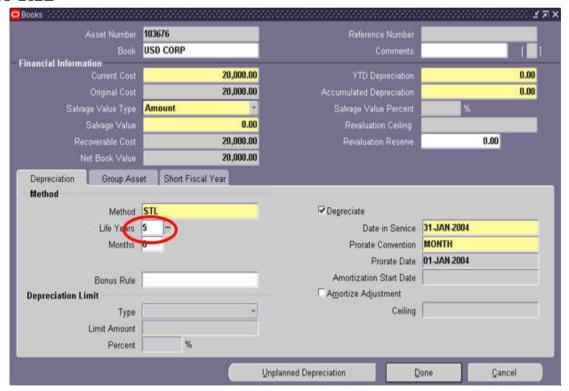
The Asset Additions Report will always reflect the life as 1 month





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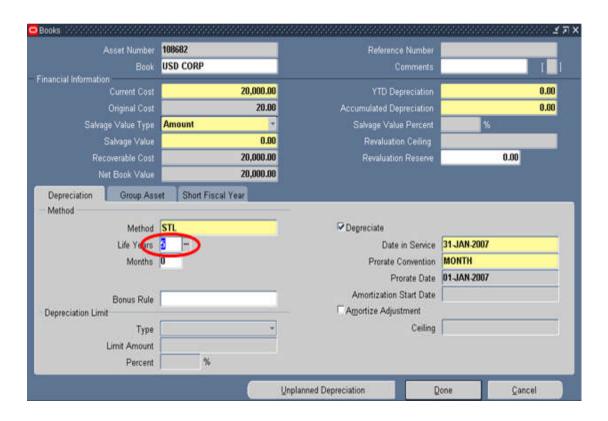
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Date Placed	Deprn	Life		Year-To-Date	Initial Depr	n Transaction
In Service	Method	Yr.Mo	Initial Cost	Depreciation	Reserv	ve Number
31-JAN-2004	STL	5.00	20,000.00	0.00	0.00	11412
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### **R12**

VISION ENTERPRISES

Currency: USD Book: USD CORP

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Asset Type: Capitalized Asset Account: 1560 Department: 130 Asset Additions Report Report Date: 04-DEC-2009 17:09 Period: Jan-07 to Jan-07 Page: 1 of 1

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Scenario: Asset added in the system and needs to be removed:

### Prior to R12

- Query Asset in Asset Workbench
- Select Open
- Delete asset by selecting the Red X from the toolbar

### OR

- Query Asset in Asset Workbench
- Select Books
- Adjust the cost to zero
- Retire in next period

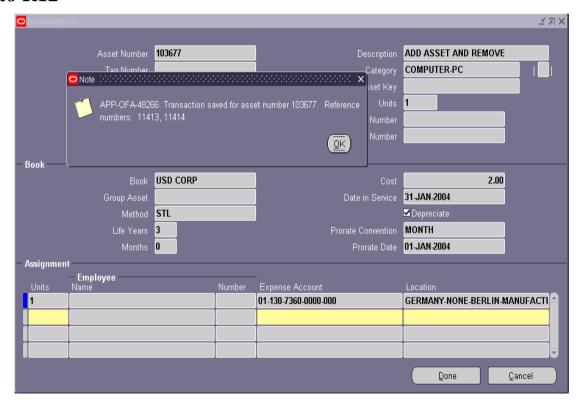
- Delete as the above (NOTE: no other transactions can be performed on asset prior to deleting otherwise create accounting will error fixed in Patch 8554742)
- Retire asset in same period added (different event Oracle will allow)





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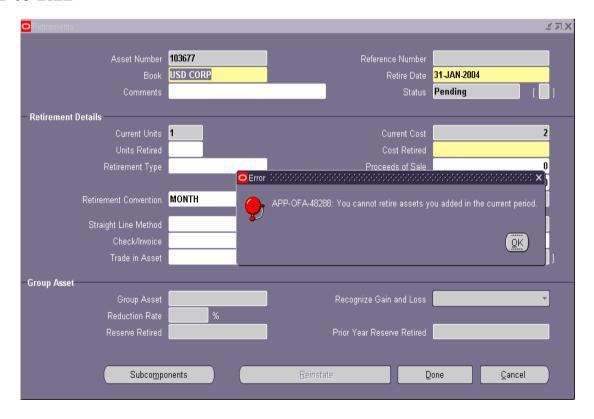






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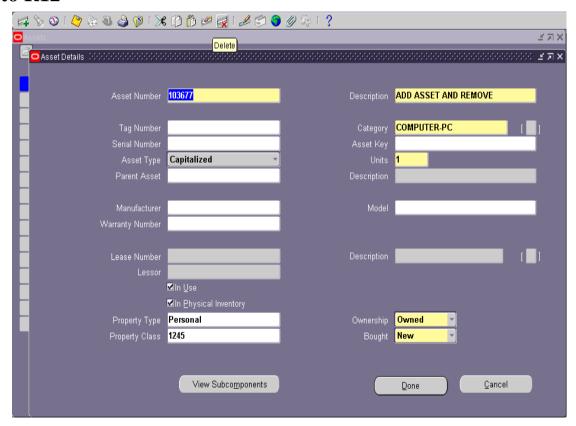






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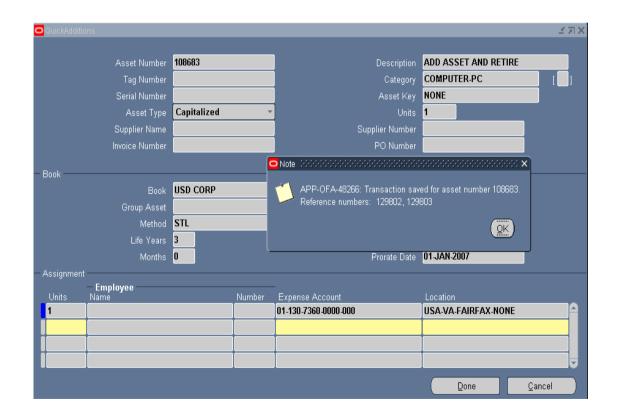


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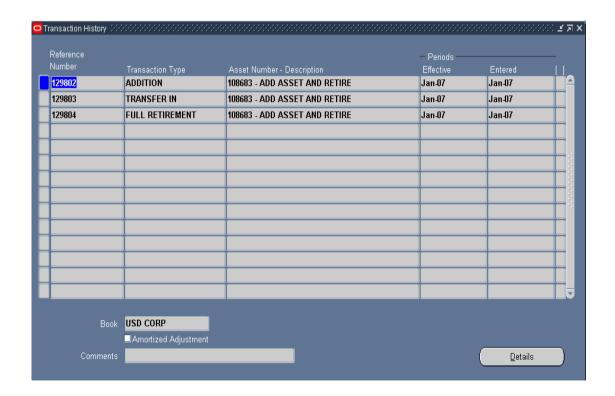
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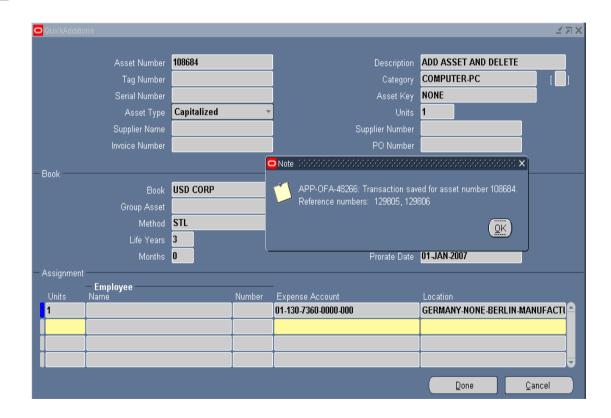
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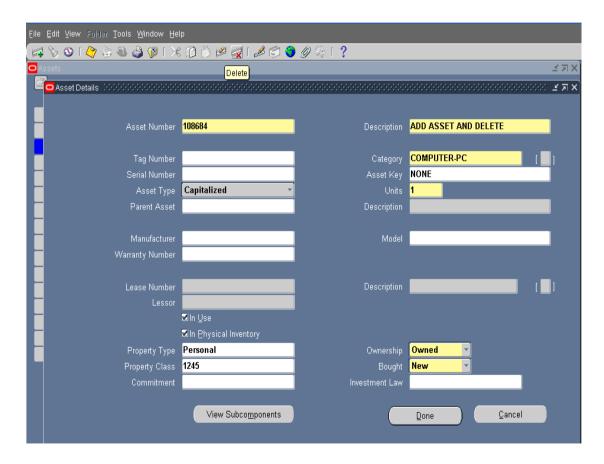
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# Impact to Month-End

### Prior to R12

- Big push at month-end to process all activity
- Run depreciation (depending on the number of assets, process could take several hours)
- Create Journals for business units to see impact to budgets

- Eliminate/Reduce big push at month-end
  - Ability to run depreciation, create accounting and post journals throughout the month
  - Business units can see the majority of the impact prior to month-end close
- Reduce processing time at month-end and spread it out over the month by running depreciation at the beginning of month and throughout the month
- Allows incremental processing





### Prior to R12

Journals created one-time for all activity

- Allows multiple creation of journals
  - Each new creation of journals will only include new events/activity since the last time the create accounting was performed for the specific event
- If depreciation is run at the beginning of the month and journals are booked. If an adjustment is made to an asset, Oracle will rollback the depreciation and re-calculate depreciation when the run depreciation process is generated. Oracle will book the net impact of the adjustment to depreciation.





### Prior to R12

VISION ENTERPRISES Currency: USD Book: USD CORP

Company: 01

Expense Account: 7360 Reserve Account: 1660

Period: Jan-04

Journal Entry Reserve Ledger Report

Report Date: 23-NOV-2009 22:39

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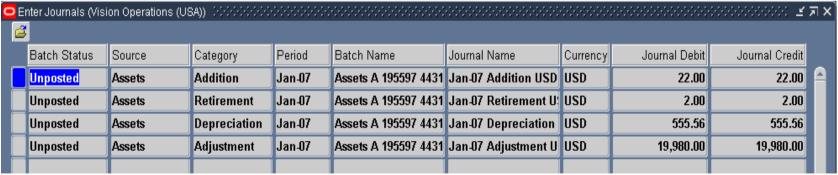
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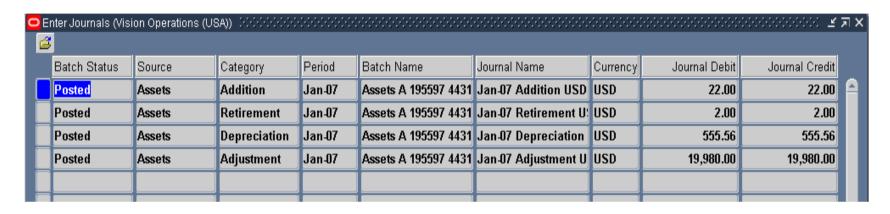












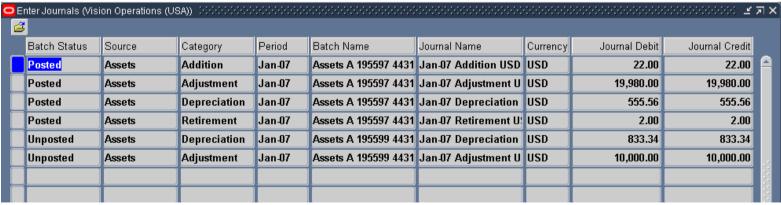




#### Incremental Journals

**R12** 









# Other New Features that contribute to Event Accounting





## Automatic Depreciation Rollback





#### Auto Depreciation Rollback

In Release 12, you will no longer be required to run the Rollback Depreciation process in order to make corrections to assets. After running depreciation (not closing the period) when a correction/change is required, simply choose the asset to modify. Oracle will automatically rollback depreciation for this single asset. Make your modifications and when you re-run depreciation, Oracle will re-calculate depreciation based off of the modifications made to the asset.

The features to rollback depreciation and rollback journal entries that are in R11i are no longer available in R12.

Allows for better utilization of system resources and less processing required.

#### **Notes:**

This new feature should save time spent rolling back depreciation in order to make corrections.

Critical Patch 6812211 – fix data corruption when process is kicked-off





### Create Accounting





#### Create Accounting

Create Accounting process is now used in Assets – journals are created not by a period, but by events and a date. This means that you can:

- create accounting on the 15<sup>th</sup> of a month for all transactions performed at that time and then create accounting again at the end of the month.
- create accounting for specific events, such as retirements, additions, adjustments, etc.
- daily processing of assets

This allows for clients to view accounting prior to month end for events that will greatly impact the books.





#### What's an Event?

Oracle has defined specific Process Categories (Events) that can be run during Create Accounting in Oracle Assets:

<u>Process Category</u> <u>Process Category</u>

Additions Depreciation

Adjustments Depreciation Adjustments

CIP Additions Manual

CIP Adjustments Reserve Transfers

CIP Category Reclass Retirements Adjustments

CIP Retirements Retirements

CIP Revaluation Revaluation

CIP Source Line Transfers Source Line Transfers

CIP Transfers Terminal Gain and Loss

CIP Unit Adjustments Third Party Merge

Capitalization Transfers

Category Reclass Unit Adjustments

Deferred Depreciation Unplanned Depreciation

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### Subledger Accounting





#### Subledger Accounting

More flexible than Account Generator. Account Generator allowed journals to be defined by one of three levels (Asset, Book, or Category). Subledger Accounting allows the defining of how journals will be created for each accounting event and each journal line for that event.

**Example:** 

**Event Class: Additions Event Type: All** 

#### **Journal Lines:**

- Addition Bonus Depreciation Expense
- Addition Bonus Depreciation Reserve
- Addition Cost
- Addition Cost Clearing
- Addition Depreciation Expense
- Addition Depreciation Reserve
- Addition Depreciation Reserve Counter Balance for Bonus
- Addition Depreciation Expense Counter Balance for Bonus





## Month-End Close Processing Possibilities





#### Month-End Close Processing Possibilities

The introduction of Event Accounting along with Subledger Accounting, Auto-Rollback of Depreciation and Create Accounting will allow you to account for asset activity any way you require, for example:

- 1. Process as you did in prior release monthly processing of depreciation and journals
- 2. Process depreciation at beginning of month then process all other transactions, at month-end run depreciation for new activity and adjustments and create journals
- 3. Periodically process depreciation and create accounting for specific or all events/activities throughout the month
- 4. Daily process depreciation and create accounting for all events/activities throughout the month

NOTE: No matter how you process – the last run of create accounting after the hard close of depreciation should include all events/activities to ensure that one was not missed





## Great Sources for Information





#### Asset Special Interest Group (SIG)

FREE to join group: Assets SIG



Meetings (Semi-Annual)

- OAUG Conference
- OpenWorld Conference

http://assetsig.oaug.org

LinkedIn: <a href="http://www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=2202521">http://www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=2202521</a>





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Offer Product Solutions for Oracle Assets:

- AssetCross<sup>TM</sup> Automates the transferring of assets between depreciation books
- AssetTie<sup>TM</sup> Automates the reconciliation processes between:
  - Fixed Assets and General Ledger
  - Corporate and Tax books





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#### Questions?

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