Overview

This Job Aid will discuss how you can process a shopping cart using split-level distributions. Using splits gives you the ability to share the cost between different departments, funds, projects, and other chart fields. Split-level distributions require approvals from all shared accounting approvers. For example, if you shared the cost with another department on a non-catalog requisition, Department Level 1 Approvers from each department would have to approve before the requisition would move forward in the workflow.

NOTE:

Split distribution can only be used if all of the fund sources route to the same central office approvers. For example, funds 110 and 140 can be used on the same requisition. However, funds 110 and 520 cannot be used on the same requisition since 520 routes to SRA and 110 does not. Furthermore, fund 599 can not be used with any other fund on the same requisition.

Access SpearMart by navigating to https://my.fsu.edu/ and logging in with your MyFSU username and password, and then click the SpearMart Icon under MyFSU Links:

Once you have added what you intend to purchase to your shopping cart and have clicked on the Proceed to Checkout Button, Click on the Accounting Codes Tab.

Note: It’s best to create your splits at the line level vs. the header level, when practical.

Click edit to change the accounting at the header level.

OR

Click edit to change the accounting at the line level.
There are two options available when splitting distributions at the **header level**

1. % of Price
2. % of Qty

There are four options available when splitting distributions at the **line level**

1. % of Price
2. % of Qty
3. Amount of Price
4. Amount of Qty

For this example, we will create split distributions at the line level. After clicking on the **edit** button on line #1 in the previous screenshot, you will then see a pop up window with your chart field information for line #1 as shown below.

Use the scroll bar at the bottom to scroll all the way to the far right.

Next, click **add split** in the far right.

Now you have two splits on Line #1. Change the accounting for each split to what you desire.

Use the scroll bar at the bottom to scroll all the way to the far right.
Click the dropdown on the far right to select how you would like to split. For this example, we will split by % of price.

Next, enter the amount or % of the split for each distribution line. In our example, we selected split by % of price, so we entered 50 for each distribution line. Then click the **Save** button.

Notice on line #1, the message says "values have been overridden for this line" which means your accounting for line #1 now differs from your header. There is also a message at the header level that says, "Accounting Codes values vary by line."

You have successfully entered split distributions by % of price for line #1 sharing the cost between two different departments. To preview the workflow for this requisition, click on the **PR Approvals** tab.
JOB AID
Creating Split Distributions

To complete your order either click on the Submit Cart or Assign Cart button in the upper right corner of your screen. For additional help on either of these actions, see the Complete a Requisition or Assign a Shopping Cart Job Aid.