

Sealed Bag Deposit Process

A presentation in the series Receiving and Depositing Revenue





Introduction

Context

NU Departments with external sales:

- Record earnings using NUFinancials with a Cash Receipt Ticket (CRT) that credits the revenue to an account (4XXXX) and
- Deposit earnings that include cash in a sealed bag in the NU bank account.
 Checks may also be deposited in sealed bags.

The process involves you, NUFinancials, and Depository Services (interacts with Chase Bank).



Introduction

Objectives

This presentation names and describes:

- The materials and equipment you need
- How to prepare cash, coins, and checks
- How to initiate a sealed bag bank deposit
- How revenue is credited to your chart strings



Gather materials and equipment

Deposits to Chase Bank from University departments consist of cash and checks only, because credit/debit card sales are handled via Automated Clearing House (ACH).

For checks and cash (bills and coins), you must have:

- Deposit bag
- Deposit ticket
- Calculator with tape (or Excel as a work around)
- Paper clips or rubber bands for bills and checks
- Envelopes or coin rolls for change
- Endorsement stamp

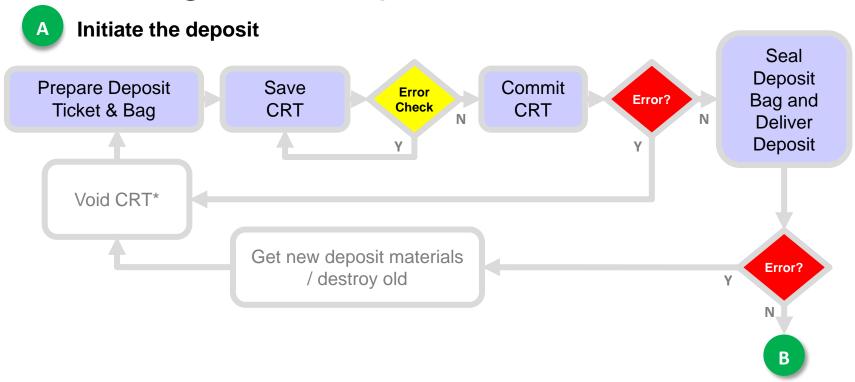


Prepare checks, cash, and coins

- Separate checks, cash, and coins.
- Count and subtotal each medium.
 - Use a calculator and print the calculator tapes.
 - Or use Excel, print the spreadsheet, and cut it into strips.
- Attach tapes/strips to checks, bills, and coins.
- Create a final tape totaling those three subtotals.



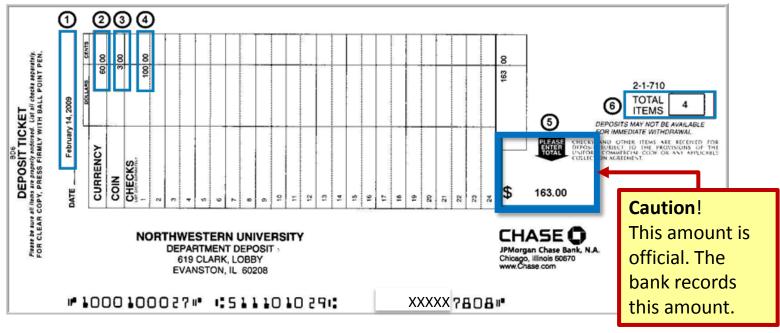
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*Only Depository Services can void CRTs.

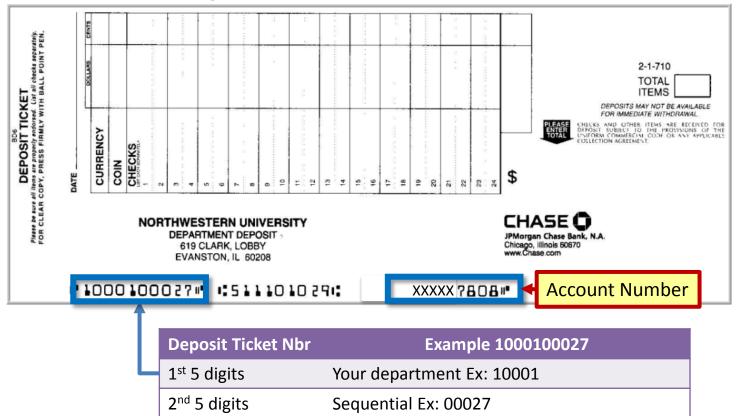


Prepare the deposit ticket





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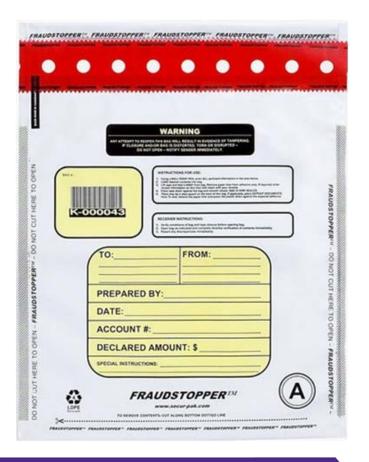




Prepare the deposit bag

Write the following:

- TO: Chase Bank
 S. Clark
 Chicago, IL 60603
- 2. FROM: Northwestern University Department Name and Address
- 3. PREPARED BY: Your name
- 4. Date
- 5. ACCOUNT #: XXXXX7808
- 6. Deposit amount





Create and save the CRT



After saving, a colleague should count and compare your totals to the deposit ticket and bag. If they match, commit the CRT.

Distribution Total: 612.75





Commit the CRT



COMMITTED

Save as Template





Date Entered: 12/28/2012

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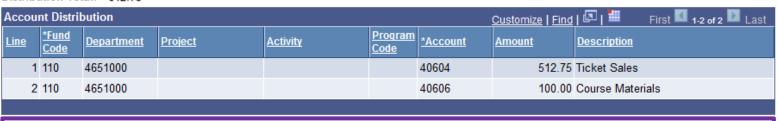
Committed:

Posting Status: Not Posted

After a colleague checks your work, either you or your colleague may commit the CRT.

Caution! Committing is final. No one can uncommit a CRT!

Distribution Total: 612 75



Overages or shortages, if any, are noted on the CRT, not in the bank deposit. Use account 40702.

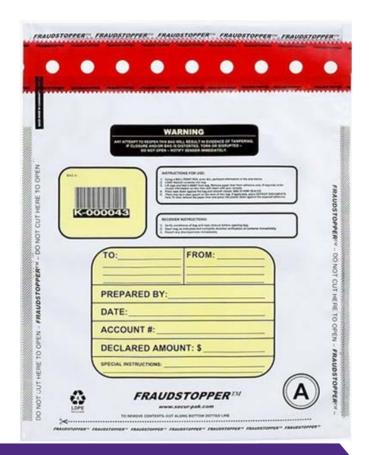


Load the deposit bag

Deposit bags may contain (as applicable)

- Cash in U.S. currency
- Checks drawn from U.S. banks
- Calculator tapes for bills, coins, and checks

If the bag contains checks only, write "CHECKS ONLY" on bag.





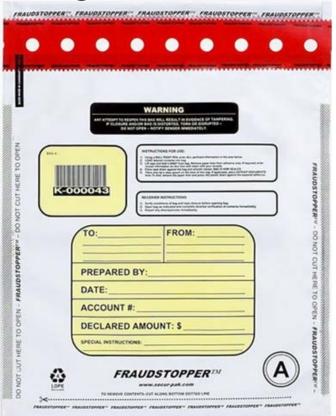
Seal and deliver the deposit bag

Seal the bag.

Keep the seal tab for your records.

Deliver the deposit bag.

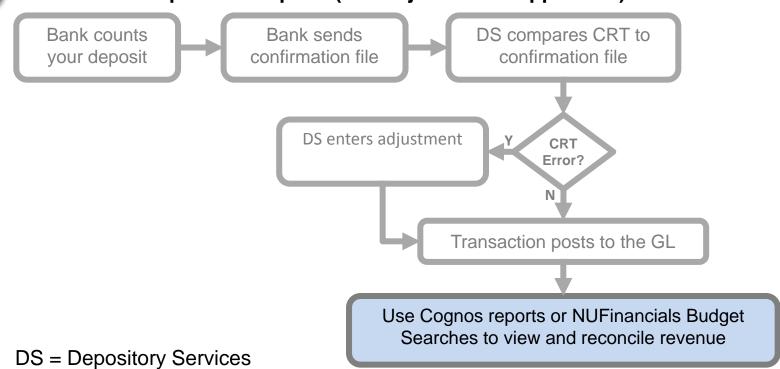
- Take the bag to Depository Services (DS) and <u>bring your Wildcard</u>.
- Or, arrange for armored car pickup.
- Retain the delivery receipt from DS or the armored car for your records.





Bank Deposit Process

B Journalize and post the deposit (and adjustment if applicable)





Summary: Initiate a sealed bag bank deposit

- ☐ Gather materials and equipment
- ☐ Prepare checks, cash, and coins
 - ☐ Count and wrap checks, bills, and coins
 - ☐ Compare count to sales receipts
 - ☐ Note the overages and shortages, if any
 - ☐ Have a colleague check your work
- ☐ Prepare deposit ticket and bag
 - ☐ Fill out the deposit ticket
 - ☐ Fill out the deposit bag

- Create and save CRT
 - ☐ Have a colleague check your work
 - Edit CRT as needed
- ☐ Commit the CRT
- ☐ Load the deposit bag
- ☐ Seal the deposit bag
- ☐ Deliver the deposit bag



End

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