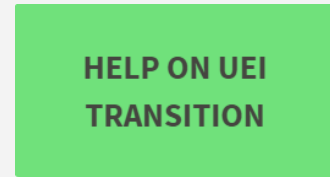


## Are you ready for the April 4, 2022 transition from the DUNS Number to the Unique Entity Identifier (SAM) in SAM.gov?

Today	On April 4, 2022
Both DUNS and Unique Entity ID (SAM) appear in SAM.gov and other IAE systems.	Government awards will be completed and reported using the Unique Entity ID (SAM)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● DUNS Number is authoritative</li><li>● Unique Entity ID (SAM) is available, not authoritative</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Unique Entity ID (SAM) is authoritative</li><li>● DUNS Number is not available</li></ul>



Select above to get more help

### Tips

- [Learn more](#) about Unique Entity ID (SAM) in FPDS, eSRS, FSRS, FAPIIS, and CPARS.
- CAGE code will NOT be affected by this transition.
- Know your Unique Entity ID (SAM) before April 4, 2022. DUNS Numbers will no longer be accepted or visible at our sites at that time.

### Overview of Changes

The federal government is changing the unique identifier used by entities from the D-U-N-S® Number to the Unique Entity ID (SAM), generated by SAM.gov. On April 4, 2022, the D-U-N-S® Number will be removed and the Unique Entity ID (SAM) will be the authoritative identifier. This ID is used within SAM.gov and other government award and financial systems to identify a unique entity. The transition to the Unique Entity ID (SAM) is a [federal governmentwide initiative](#).

### What Do I Need to Do?

- New contractors and assistance recipients registering before April 4, 2022:** Get your [DUNS Number](#), then select [Get Started](#) in SAM.gov. As part of registration, you will be assigned a Unique Entity ID (SAM).
- If you already have an active or expired registration:** You already have a Unique Entity ID (SAM) and do not need to take action. Learn how to [view your Unique Entity ID \(SAM\)](#). If your renewal is upcoming, use the normal process to [renew your entity](#).
- If you are a prime awardee:** [Learn how to search](#) for another entity's identifier, or request your subawardee's Unique Entity ID (SAM) directly from them. *You cannot request a Unique Entity ID (SAM) for your subawardee.*
- Subcontractors and subrecipients who use the DUNS Number for reporting:** Get a Unique Entity ID (SAM) before April 4, 2022. Select [Get Started](#) at SAM.gov, then choose Get Unique Entity ID. *Your prime cannot request one for you.* We recommend sharing your Unique Entity ID (SAM) with the primes who need it to report subaward activities.
- Anyone with ad hoc reports or saved searches:** Add Unique Entity ID (SAM) fields and remove DUNS Number fields from your [ad hoc reports](#) and [saved searches](#) in SAM.gov *as soon as possible*. If you do not update your reports and searches, they will not work after April 4, 2022.
- Learn about the latest SAM.gov software updates** [here](#). In preparation for the April 4, 2022 transition, some pages in SAM.gov entity registration were updated.