



ROSS Module Summary

Catalog

Resource Ordering and Status System (ROSS)

File Administration Resource Status Window Help

Catalog User: SROUSSOPOULOS @ ID-NIC

Catalog Equipment

Category

Category Name	Created By
Engine	ID-NIC
Mobile Commissary	ID-NIC
Mobile Food Service	ID-NIC
Mobile Laundry	ID-NIC
Mobile Shower	ID-NIC
Office Support	ID-NIC
Service - Equipment Rental	ID-NIC

Catalog Item

All Local GACC NICC

Name	Created By	Code
Engine, Type 1	ID-NIC	
Engine, Type 1 or 2	ID-NIC	
Engine, Type 2	ID-NIC	
Engine, Type 3	ID-NIC	
Engine, Type 3, 4, 5, or 6	ID-NIC	
Engine, Type 4	ID-NIC	

Catalog Item Information

Name * Engine, Type 1 Group of Items

Mnemonic/NFES Code

Supplemental Form * Not Applicable

Reminders Features Keywords

Are additional personnel needed?

Description

ROSS Catalog Managers use the Catalog module to maintain a reference list that is accessed by Data Administrators who classify or qualify resources (*see Resource Item module information*). This same reference list is used by Dispatchers to clearly identify the resources ordered to support an incident (*see New Request module information*). There are five catalogs—Aircraft, Crews, Equipment, Overhead and Supplies. The Supply catalog includes all NFES Catalog items. Each Catalog is further divided into Categories (e.g., Airtanker, Fixed Wing and Helicopter) and Catalog Items (e.g., Airtanker—Type 1).

The Aircraft, Equipment and Supply Catalogs each contain one or more categories for services (e.g., temporary flight restrictions, bus rental, dust abatement, meals, lodging) which are not resource items and are not statused in ROSS but may be ordered in support of an incident.



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The Catalog module is an integral component of the ROSS application and its maintenance affects all Dispatchers—many of the application modules are viewed in the context of Catalog. However, access to the module itself is limited to a small group of ROSS Users with the role of Catalog Manager. Proposed changes to the Catalog must be examined carefully to make sure that functionality is not impacted.

The national Catalog is maintained at NICC. When Catalog Managers are identified and trained, GACC and Local Dispatch access to the Catalog module will be implemented. These dispatch offices will then have the ability to create and maintain catalog items of local interest (e.g., skidgens, bombardiers).

The Catalog module is related to the Person, Resource Item, Contract, Resource Status, Roster, New Request, Quick-Fill, Pending Request, Travel, Incident Resources, Request Status, Personal Settings (Notification) and Reports modules.

Data Information:

Data Element	Data Definition
Catalog	One of five divisions of the catalog module (i.e., Aircraft, Crews, Equipment, Overhead and Supplies).
Category <i>grid</i>	A list subdividing a given catalog. For example, the Equipment catalog includes the Engine and Dozer categories.
Catalog Item <i>grid</i>	A list of items within a given catalog category. For example, the Engine category includes Engine catalog items of Type 1, Type 2, Type Any, etc.). The grid may be viewed for All ROSS catalog items, for those created by NICC or for those created by the Catalog Manager's GACC or Local Dispatch.
Catalog Item Name	Term(s) describing an individual catalog item (e.g., Crew, Type 1). Required field.
Mnemonic/NFES code	A four-letter mnemonic code denoting an Overhead catalog item (e.g., CRWB for Crew Boss) or a five-digit number signifying an NFES supply item (e.g., 00030 for Battery, AA). These may be used to filter catalog items in the New Request module. Required field for Overhead and NFES Supply catalog items.



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Supplemental Form	Drop-down menu indicating which, if any, supplemental form is required when requesting the selected catalog item (e.g., infrared flight, food service, TFR).
Group of Items	Check-box indicating that the selected catalog item is composed of several other items. Used for configurations (e.g., overhead team, engine strike team) and to aggregate items so they may be ordered quickly (e.g., a list of supplies).
View on Resource Status Screen	Check-box indicating that a supply service classified as the selected catalog item may be stasured in ROSS.
Track Associated Requests	Check-box indicating that the selected supply or service catalog item is tracked in ROSS (i.e., it must be released from an incident and tracked back home). When unchecked, requests for the item will be filled and closed in ROSS. (E.g., radios kits are tracked, gloves are not).
Orderable in Quantities > 1	Check-box indicating that multiples of the selected service catalog item may be ordered on one request (e.g., 20 meals on one 'S' number).
Reminders	Hints to Dispatchers for the selected catalog item. For example, the reminder for a Single Engine Airtanker is "Has SEMG been identified for airtanker base?" Reminders are displayed in the New Request module.
Features	Attributes for a selected catalog item that may be added in the Resource Item module and requested in the New Request module. For example, Engine Type 6 features include all wheel drive, winch, and compressed air foam.
Keywords	Reference word(s) that may be used to filter catalog items in the New Request module. For example, the keyword 'finance' may be used to return all Overhead positions within the finance function.