## Create a New Bank

To create a new bank definition in Petro-Data, you will first need to create a new GL account number for this bank. After the GL account is created, you will either change an existing AP Link Code or add a new one.

The Default Link Code in the system will always be '1'. This cannot be changed. You can add other link codes and select them as needed.



Step 2 Jobber, Master File Maintenance, Locations Change the bank for any existing locations. You can also create a new location for the bank, if needed.	
<ol> <li>Enter the location number. At this point, you can also add a new location, if needed.</li> <li>Change EFT Bank if you will use this account for Vendor EFTs.</li> <li>Change Bank if you will use this account for payments and deposits. This account is also used for Purchases of type Charge &amp; COD.</li> <li>Click Exit.</li> </ol>	GL Accounts       Consignment /Tax Data         Location:       11         Eft Bank       2         10200-001       Cash in Bank - New Bank         Bank       3         10200-001       Cash in Bank - New Bank         GL Acct. Rec.       11000-100
<ul> <li>Step 3 AR, Release to General Ledger, Link Codes, GL Link Code File Maintenance</li> <li>Update an existing Link Code or add a new one.</li> <li>Change the AR Link code only if it affects the bank for deposits.</li> </ul>	
<ol> <li>Enter the link code. You can also add a new link code if needed.</li> <li>Change the field GL Bank.</li> <li>Click Exit</li> </ol>	File Maintenance       Image: Content of the second s

<b>Step 4</b> AP, Release to General Ledger, Link Code File, AP Link Code File Maintenance	
<ol> <li>Enter the link code. You can also add a new link code if needed.</li> <li>Change the bank description.</li> <li>Change the field for GL Regular Checks.</li> <li>Change the field for GL Manual Checks.</li> <li>Click Exit.</li> </ol>	GL Link Code File Maintenance         GL Link Code         Link Description         Bank 1         GL Regular Checks         10200-001         GL Manual Checks         10200-001         GL AP Account         20500-100         Accounts Payable - Jobber         GL Credit Card         11100-100         GL Adjustments         20600-100         Intercompany Fuel Expense
<ul> <li>Link Code Notes:</li> <li>If you are changing banks but will need to write checks on 2 different accounts for a short time, we recommend that Link Code 1 be set to your new permanent account.</li> <li>Create Link Code 2 for the old bank account that will be phased out.</li> <li>If you are changing banks and will immediately discontinue using the old bank, just change Link Code 1.</li> <li>Remember to change your Link Codes when you need to assign a bank account.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>AP Bank Change Notes:</li> <li>Invoices entered before the bank change and have not been paid will still reference the old GL bank account.</li> <li>You can change it in the 'Approve to Pay' process. Individually change each invoice that will be paid by check. Select Option 'G' to change the GL Bank.</li> <li>Fuel invoices paid by EFT will use the bank account from the Link code used when you them in the EFT Input.</li> </ul>	

<b>Step 5</b> <i>Change C-Store Location and Department</i> Do this only only if C-Stores are defined in Petro-Data.	
<ul> <li>C-Store, File Maintenance, Locations, Add/Change Locations</li> <li>1. Enter each store number and change 'GL Bank Account'.</li> <li>2. The field is used for charge purchases and purchases paid by check.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li><i>C-Store, File Maintenance, Departments,</i> <i>Add/Change Department</i></li> <li>1. Enter each store number and Cash department for the deposit.</li> <li>2. Change the GL Debit account.</li> </ul>	