

G AFIP Enrollment Process - Purge Process

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Fingerprint imaging records are maintained in the AFIP database by the vendor. The vendor sets a counter to determine when a record reaches 36 consecutive months of inactivity and is eligible for purge.

The vendor identifies these participants in the AFIP database, and then completes the following:

- Downloads the fingerprint imaging records onto a tape
- Deletes the fingerprint imaging records from the AFIP database
- Produces an AFIP purge report listing the fingerprint imaging records that were deleted from the AFIP database
- Provides a copy of the AFIP purge report to the AFIP Central Office

The [AFIP central workstation](#) operator is responsible for maintaining the AFIP purge report for future reference.