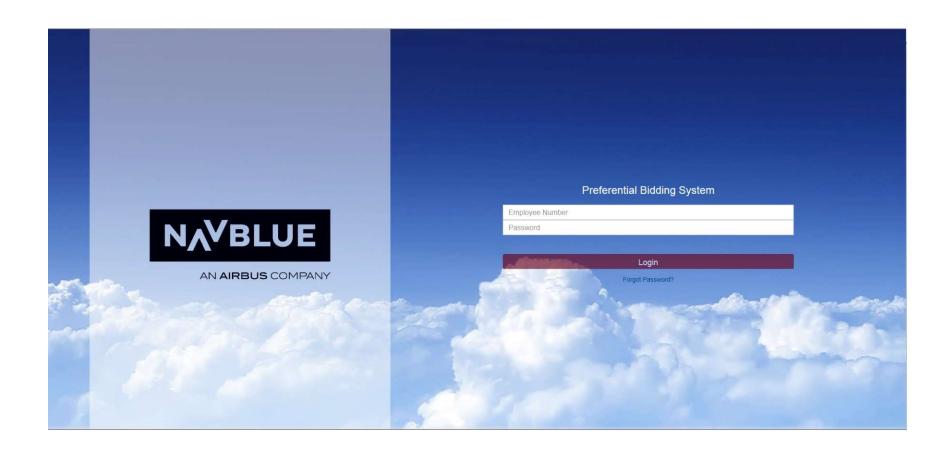
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The Preferential Bidding System



Important Note

The data that the NAVBLUE uses is downloaded into data storage within the computer browser called Cache.

If you are using a personal device, we suggest that every month, before making any changes to your bid, clear the Cache to ensure you are running the latest version.

Keep in mind that some systems offer the option to clear the history, if this option is available, we recommend clearing both.

For instructions on clearing or refreshing your browser's cache visit https://www.refreshyourcache.com

BID Preference System Login

- 1. Open My Envoy Air
- 2. Go to **Departments**
- 3. Click Flight Service
- 4. Click **PBS**, **Bidding & Seniority Lists**
- 5. Click **Bidding System Login** to open PBS
- 6. Click **BID Preference System** to open NAVBLUE.

Data Synchronization

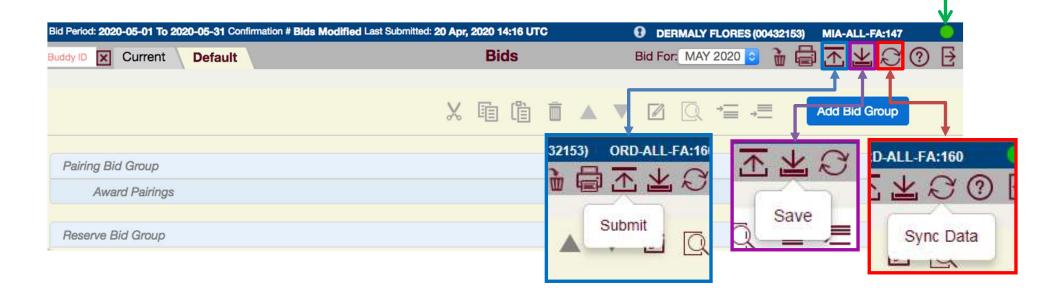
Synchronization ensures that bid period information is up-to-date while the bid period is open. After bidding is closed and awards are published, you must sync data to view your published results.



- Automate on Start Up (A) Check this box to automatically sync the data. To save this or any setting you must click the Logout button when you exit the application.
- **Select Period(s)** (B) this lets you choose how many periods of data you want to sync. The system is defaulted to sync the last two periods.
- **Click on a period name (C)** to select or deselect it from synchronization. The checkmark beside the name indicates that it will be synced.

On-line Mode

You are online if the circle in the top right corner is **green**. Ensure you are **online** when working in the NAVBLUE PBS-Schedule.



When online, the **Submit, Save** and **Sync Data** buttons are available.

On-line Mode – Save vs Submit

- Save bid does not submit your bid. This functionality will store your bid on your personal device if your browser is not set to clear the cache when logging off.
- Only you can see your saved bid. Saved bids cannot be accessed between multiples browser or different devices.
- If you have saved your bid, never clear your browser data before submitting your bid or you will lose all your work.
- If no bid is submitted the system will use whichever bid is active
 (current/default). If no bid is active, the system will use the system-generated
 award pairing bid from the default bid.
- You will automatically be logged out of the application after 30 minutes of inactivity. Any changes will not be kept unless they have been submitted.
- Always submit your bid and note the confirmation number before logging out.