



Uniform Residential Appraisal Report

Hybrid and Desktop Appraisal Forms

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Goals for the addition of 1004 Hybrid/70H and 1004 Desktop/70D forms

- Provide forms to support appraisal modernization testing activities
- Provide form language alternatives that align with appraisers' obligations for hybrid and desktop appraisals
- Align the appropriate updated Appraiser Scope of Work, Limiting Conditions, and Certification language to the correct assignment type

Assignment Definitions

- **Hybrid:** An appraisal assignment consisting of a desktop appraisal for which the scope of work includes reviewing a recent interior/exterior property data report.
- **Desktop Appraisal:** An appraisal assignment for which the scope of work does not include field work by the appraiser and does not include reviewing a recent interior/exterior property data report.
- **Traditional Appraisal:** An appraisal assignment for which the scope of work includes an interior and exterior personal, onsite inspection of the subject property completed by the appraiser who signs the appraisal report, and the effective date of the appraisal is the date of inspection.

Multiple scopes / certifications

Certifications aligned to the specific appraisal assignment type

	Data collection method	Certification
Traditional Fannie Mae 1004 Freddie Mac 70	Physical inspection of the interior and exterior of subject property by the appraiser	Appraiser performed a complete visual inspection of the interior and exterior areas of the subject property
New Hybrid Fannie Mae 1004 Hybrid Freddie Mac 70H	Physical inspection of the interior and exterior of subject property by a third party or an appraiser Virtual inspection of the interior and exterior of subject property by a third party or an appraiser using tools such as Skype, FaceTime, or others to allow remote viewing	Appraiser may not have performed a personal inspection of the subject property; relying on subject property information from property data report
New Desktop Fannie Mae 1004 Desktop Freddie Mac 70D	No physical inspection appraiser uses prior URAR or hybrid, MLS, public record data, or other sources	Appraiser did not perform a personal visual inspection of the subject property at the time of the desktop report

Multiple scopes / certifications

Certifications aligned to the specific appraisal assignment type

	Data collection method	Certification
(to be retired) Test Form Fannie Mae 1004P Freddie Mac 70H (July 2019)	Physical inspection of the interior and exterior of subject property by a third party or an appraiser	Appraiser may not have performed a personal visual inspection of the subject property
Temporary* COVID-19 exterior-only	Physical inspection of the exterior of subject property by the appraiser	Appraiser performed a personal visual inspection of the exterior of the subject property from the street (revised Certifications)
Temporary* COVID-19 desktop	No physical inspection appraiser uses MLS, public record data, other online sources	Appraiser did not perform a personal visual inspection of the subject property, but relied on third-party data sources (revised Certifications)

*For COVID-19 flexibilities, see [Fannie Mae LL-2020-04](#) and [Freddie Mac Bulletin 2020-05](#)



Examples of updates to the appraisal forms

Hybrid Form (1004 Hybrid/70H)

Updated URAR Form Header Sample

Uniform Residential Appraisal Report <u>(Hybrid)</u>				File #
The purpose of this summary appraisal report is to provide the lender/client with an accurate, and adequately supported, opinion of the market value of the subject property.				
Property Address	City	State	Zip Code	
Borrower	Owner of Public Record	County		

Updated URAR Form Footer Sample

Does the property generally conform to the neighborhood (functional utility, style, condition, use, construction, etc.)?	YES	NO	IF NO, describe

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Hybrid Form (1004 Hybrid/70H)

Updated URAR Form SCOPE OF WORK Sample

SCOPE OF WORK: The scope of work for this appraisal is defined by the complexity of this appraisal assignment and the reporting requirements of this appraisal report form, including the following definition of market value, statement of assumptions and limiting conditions, and certifications. The appraiser must, at a minimum: (1) obtain and review adequate and reliable information for the subject property including, but not limited to, property data based on interior and exterior property data collection, public and/or private data records, and information as described by the appraiser in the appraisal report perform a complete visual inspection of the interior and exterior areas of the subject property, (2) research, verify, and analyze adequate and reliable data from public and/or private sources for the subject market area including data for each comparable property reported inspect the neighborhood, and (3) inspect each of the comparable sales from at least the street, (4) research, verify, and analyze data from reliable public and/or private sources, and (5) report his or her analysis, opinions, and conclusions in this appraisal report.

Hybrid Form (1004 Hybrid/70H)

Updated URAR Form STATEMENT OF ASSUMPTIONS AND LIMITING CONDITIONS Sample

STATEMENT OF ASSUMPTIONS AND LIMITING CONDITIONS: The appraiser's certification in this report is subject to the following assumptions and limiting conditions:

1. The appraiser will not be responsible for matters of a legal nature that affect either the property being appraised or the title to it, except for information that he or she became aware of during the research involved in performing this appraisal. The appraiser assumes that the title is good and marketable and will not render any opinions about the title.
2. The appraiser has ~~provided included~~ a sketch floor plan in this appraisal report, which was completed as part of the property data report that ~~to~~ shows the approximate dimensions of the improvements. The sketch floor plan is included only to assist the reader in visualizing the property and understanding the appraiser's determination of its size.
3. The appraiser has ~~relied on data provided by third-parties in this appraisal report. Such data may include, but is not limited to, flood maps, multiple listing real estate services, tax assessment records, public land records, satellite imagery, virtual street views, property data services, surveys, engineering reports, and property data aggregations.~~ After examination of the data and data sources, the appraiser has used only the data he or she considers reliable ~~examined the available flood maps that are provided by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (or other data sources) and has noted in this appraisal report whether any portion of the subject site is located in an identified Special Flood Hazard Area. The appraiser makes no guarantees, express or implied, regarding the accuracy of this data~~ Because the appraiser is not a surveyor, he or she makes no guarantees, express or implied, regarding this determination.

Hybrid Form (1004 Hybrid/70H)

Updated URAR Form APPRAISER'S CERTIFICATION Sample

APPRAISER'S CERTIFICATION: The Appraiser certifies and agrees that:

1. I have, at a minimum, developed and reported this appraisal in accordance with the scope of work requirements stated in this appraisal report.

2. I ~~did not~~ performed a ~~complete personal~~ visual inspection of the ~~interior and exterior areas of the~~ subject property as part of this appraisal assignment. I reported the condition of the improvements in factual, specific terms, relying on subject property information from the property data report. I ~~identified and~~ reported the physical deficiencies that could affect the livability, soundness, or structural integrity of the property.

Desktop Form (1004 Desktop/70D)

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Although the new 1004 Hybrid/70H and 1004 Desktop/70D forms are available, they will only be used in a small number of appraisal reports for testing purposes.

The traditional 1004/70 form remains unchanged and will still be used the majority of the time.

Please, as always, make sure to communicate with your client to ensure you are using the correct form for the assignment.



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