



# What's New in Fannie Mae Connect?

## We're using your feedback to build an easier, faster tool

### Easier access to data

In mid-October, enhanced usability features launched in Fannie Mae Connect™. New, intuitive navigation provides greater ease of access, and users will enjoy superior Search functionality and expanded Help resources. Faster data downloads enable users to leverage business-critical data with greater efficiency.

- Users will find improvements to navigation, including a more intuitive Homepage layout, one-click to view most used reports, and fewer steps to faster data downloads.
- Search has been enhanced with new filters, and a newly expanded Help Center features more resources, easily available inside the platform.
- We've redesigned user's ability to provide feedback on how the Fannie Mae Connect platform and reports are working for our customers, so we can continue to improve the user experience.

### Your experience, simplified

In mid-November, improvements will deploy to streamline new user access for administrators and users. New user account provisioning will be simplified, and auto-generated emails inside the application will reduce administrator's time managing user access. Users will also benefit from new ease-of-access features.

#### For Users:

- Enjoy greater visibility into new, relevant data. View the entire Fannie Mae Connect report catalog, even reports that are not yet assigned to you.
- Request access to unassigned reports by clicking a new Request Access link. If access is granted, all reports in that category will be available to you.

#### For Administrators:

- Corporate Administrators will onboard users to Fannie Mae Connect more quickly, by assigning the user's role in Technology Manager.
  - User roles have been redefined in Technology Manager, mapped to report categories and reports in Fannie Mae Connect.
  - Report Administrators will no longer need to assign reports to users.
  - Simplified provisioning for new user accounts in Technology Manager will replace current 'Auto-Assign' feature in Fannie Mae Connect.
- When users request access to a new **default** report category, an automated email will be sent to **Corporate** Administrators with a link to Technology Manager to assign the access. Once complete, an automated email will be sent to the user on the status of their request.
- When users request access to a new **custom** report category, an automated email will be sent to **Report** Administrators with a link to the Fannie Mae Connect admin window, where they can make the change.
- Both Corporate and Report Administrators now have the option to unsubscribe from receiving access request emails from Fannie Mae Connect.