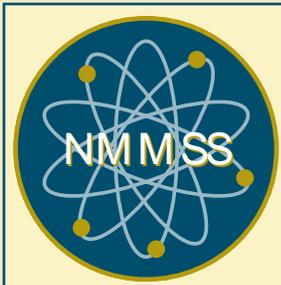


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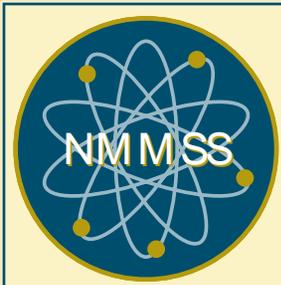
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- NMMSS Monthly Closing
  - By the 5<sup>th</sup> business day after Inventory is Due except September Reconciliation.
    - Inventories are due by the 15<sup>th</sup> of the following month (or 1<sup>st</sup> business day after the 15<sup>th</sup> if on weekend or holiday).
      - Close generally 22<sup>nd</sup> to the 24<sup>th</sup>.
        - » Results in timely distribution of reports to facilities, field offices and headquarters.
        - » This is helping the recipients have the final reports they need to meet their schedules and not use preliminary reports.



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- Past year NMMSS has consistently closed within these times except September (Reconciliation) and October.
  - 2006 January, February and March averaged 23 days from end of month.
  - 2005 averaged 27 days.
  - 2004 averaged 38 days.
  - 2003 averaged 48 days.