Generally Accepted Appraisal Rules™

**GAAR helps lenders manage risk and meet regulatory standards faster and more consistently than a manual review ever could.**

**Enter the Collateral Era**
Credit-based cycles, like the one that fueled the recent mortgage boom, spin out of control. As the credit-based boom recedes, defaults are more common. In this environment, lenders need standardized collateral information to mitigate risk and meet regulatory compliance.

Collateral DNA’s Generally Accepted Appraisal Rules™, GAAR™, automates appraisal analysis with an innovative, rules-based engine.

**Why use GAAR?**
GAAR makes screening residential real estate appraisals for risk mitigation and regulatory compliance faster, simpler, and more reliable.

GAAR balances two competing pressures for underwriters. The industry standard calls for a quick appraisal review, but as collateral value becomes more important, lenders also need a painstakingly thorough review able to flag potentially overvalued or fraudulent appraisals.

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**Complete and consistent**
GAAR provides the solution—a complete, consistent, fast review of each appraisal, grounded in regulatory and industry expertise.

**Exception management**
With GAAR, lenders don’t have to touch the appraisal report unless the rules show a potential problem exists, freeing staff to manage only those exceptions flagged as risky.

**Compliance and Risk**

**GAAR Compliance Series**
The Compliance Series screens appraisals to meet regulatory standards and GSE underwriting guidelines, including Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac, USPAP, FIRREA, and more.

**GAAR Risk Series**
The Risk Series goes beyond regulatory compliance, identifying potentially overvalued properties, inconsistent appraisals, or simply risky lending scenarios. GAAR Risk flags properties that deviate from the neighborhood norm automatically.

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