



HCSS Accounting Release Notes

V 2.1

1. Reports

Enhancements have been made to a number of reports in v2.1:

- a. Financial>Transaction List Report
- b. Budget Holders>BvAvC
- c. Financials>Trial Balance
- d. Consolidated Trial Balance

And 2 new report have been added

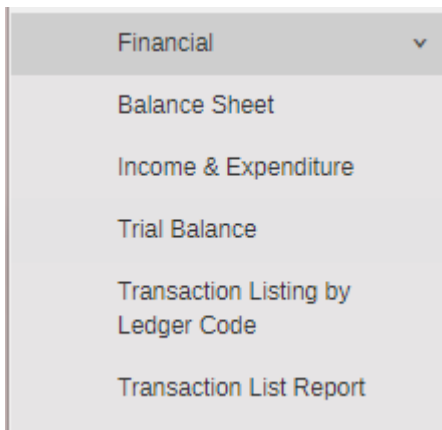
- e. VAT>Download Previous VAT Return
- f. VAT> Download Previous VAT 126

Details of these are given below.

a. Financial>Transaction List Report

An additional column has been added to the Transaction List Report to show the CFR Code and Description.

Go to Reports>Financial>Transaction List Report



The following screen will appear

Transaction List

i Info - Your report will automatically download once generated. Please check your download folder.

Period From	Period To	Financial Year
Select a Period ▾	Select a Period ▾	2017 ▾
Ledger Codes		
Select Ledger Codes		
		<input type="button" value="Reset"/> <input type="button" value="Generate"/>

Select the period range you wish to run the report for.

Note: the report will be for the Year that you are in based on the Year displayed at the top of the screen

Click on **Generate** to run the report. It will be exported to Excel and be available in your downloads

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	AA	B
Ledger	Transac	Transac	Transaction	Date	Item	Debit	Value	T Value	Transac	Contact	Contact	Counter	Cost Ce	Cost Ce	Fund Ci	Fund Ci	CFR Co	CFR Co	Analysis	Analysis	VAT Co	VAT Co	Debit	Credit	Period	Created	D
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The additional columns showing CFR Code and Description can be seen.

b. Budget Holders>BvAvC

The Export to Excel format for the BvAvC now exports the values as numbers

Go to Reports>Budget Holders> BvAvC



The following screen will appear

BvAvC Report

i Expected Outturn Report will be run for Current Year and through to Period 12 any Selection Criteria will not be applied

Period From:
 Period To:
 Financial Year:

Exclude Zero Balances
 Show Inactive Codes
 Show Ledger Codes
 Show Fund Codes
 Show Analysis Codes

Cost Centre:
 Cost Centre Group:

Type:

Select the period you wish to run the report for.

Note: the report will be for the Year that you are in based on the Year displayed at the top of the screen

Click on Submit to run the report

The report will display on the screen

BvAvC Report

Expected Outturn Report will be run for Current Year and through to Period 12 any Selection Criteria will not be applied

Period From: 0 Period To: 5 Financial Year: 2017
 Exclude Zero Balances Show Inactive Codes Show Ledger Codes Show Fund Codes Show Analysis Codes
 Cost Centre: Cost Centre Group:
 Type:

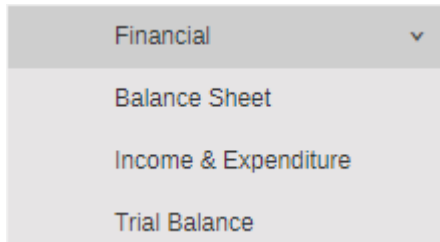
% of Budget Spent	Comparative Budget	Expected Outturn					
▼ ES							
Cost Centre	Current Budget	Current Budget to Date	Actuals	Committed	Total	Difference	% of Budget Spent
E0101 <i>i</i>	758130.64	314224.31	309780.27	0.00	309780.27	448350.37	40.86
E0102 <i>i</i>	25460.06	10544.11	4554.89	0.00	4554.89	20905.17	17.89
E0301 <i>i</i>	196142.07	81700.92	128825.17	0.00	128825.17	67316.90	65.68
E0302 <i>i</i>	198991.45	82533.34	34763.13	0.00	34763.13	164228.32	17.47

Select Export to Excel, all the values are correctly exported as numbers to 2 decimal places

c. Financial>Trial Balance

The Export to Excel format for the Trial Balance now exports the values as numbers

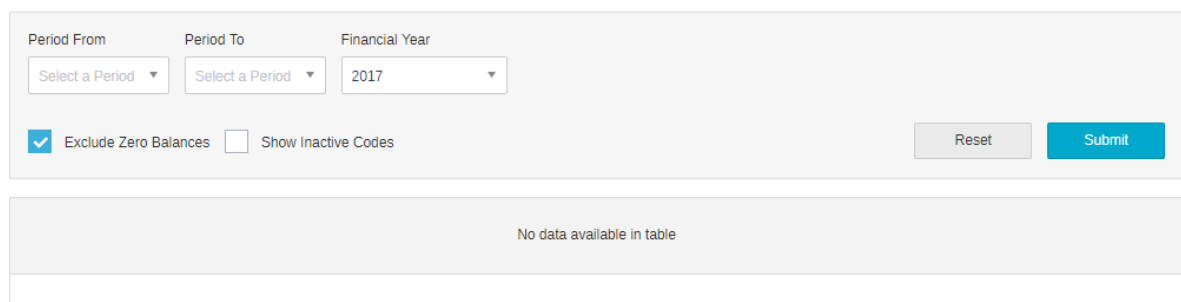
Go to Reports>Financials>Trial Balance



A screenshot of a dropdown menu with the following items: Financial (selected), Balance Sheet, Income & Expenditure, and Trial Balance.

The following screen will appear

Trial Balance Report



A screenshot of the Trial Balance Report form. It includes three dropdown menus for 'Period From', 'Period To', and 'Financial Year' (set to 2017). There are two checkboxes: 'Exclude Zero Balances' (checked) and 'Show Inactive Codes' (unchecked). 'Reset' and 'Submit' buttons are also visible. Below the form, a message states 'No data available in table'.

Select the period you wish to run the report for.

Note: the report will be for the Year that you are in based on the Year displayed at the top of the screen

Click on **Submit** to run the report

The report will display on the screen

Select Export to Excel, all the values are correctly exported as numbers to 2 decimal places

d. Consolidated Trial Balance

The Export to Excel format for the Consolidated Trial Balance now exports the values as numbers

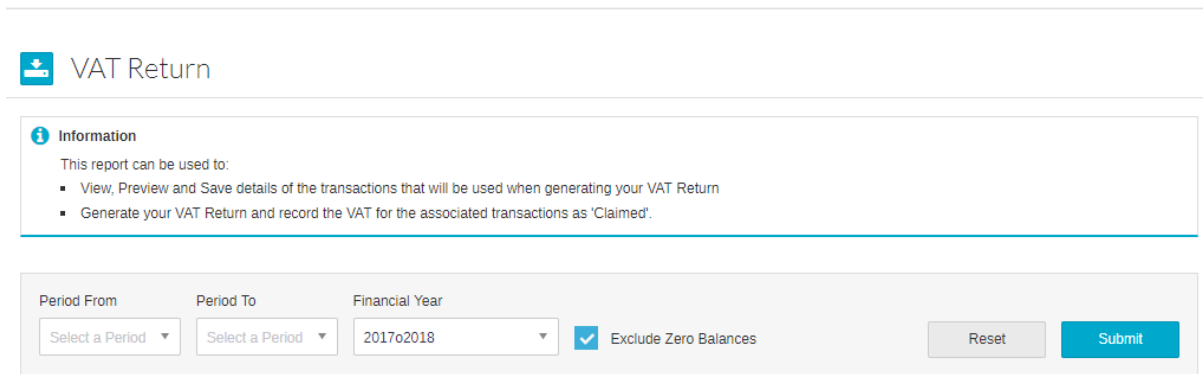
e. Previous VAT Return

An enhancement to the existing VAT Return now allows previously claimed PDF VAT Reports to be downloaded.

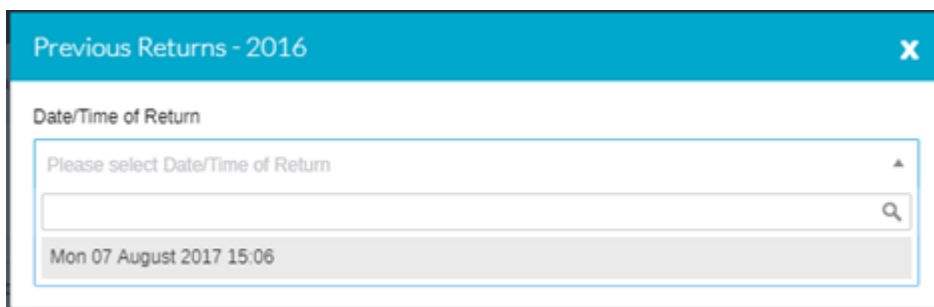
Go to Reports>VAT>VAT Return



The following screen will appear:



Click on  next to the title
A select box will appear giving a drop down list of all previous VAT Returns



Select the return you wish to download and click on **Download PDF**

f. Previous VAT 126

An enhancement to the existing VAT 126 now allows previously claimed PDF VAT Reports to be downloaded.

Go to Reports>VAT>VAT 126



The following screen will appear:

 VAT 126

Information

This report can be used to preview and save the transaction details for use in your VAT 126 Return.

- When you are satisfied that the detail is correct, you can generate a final version of the list to print and record the associated VAT as 'Claimed'.
- Please ensure that all relevant VAT Codes have been selected (and that other codes are not included).


Note

- Any VAT code changes made through the VAT Journal will not be included and should be added manually.
- To include extra lines for this in the printed report, choose the 'Include extra page for manual adjustments' option before you Generate and Print your Return and Claim VAT.

Period From: Period To: Financial Year:

Include extra page for manual adjustments

VAT Codes *

Click on  next to the title
A select box will appear giving a drop down list of all previous VAT 126

Previous Returns - 2016 ✕

Date/Time of Return

Please select Date/Time of Return

Select the return you wish to download and click on **Download PDF**

2. Logo for Purchase Order

a. Defaults>Upload Logo for PO

A new template has been added for Purchase Orders which allows the uploading of a school logo

Go to System Setup>Defaults>Miscellaneous (Previously named Tolerances)

Default Settings

Auto Generation Purchases Sales Petty Cash Bank Accounts **Miscellaneous** Email

Enable Tolerance Checking on VAT
 Enable Transaction Date Warning

Tolerance Mode: Stop on Error

 Date Older Than: 0

Check to Pence: 0.03

Request confirmation of Bank Account selection when Submitting Cash Book Journals

Attach Report Logo

A new option is available on the tab to attach a Report Logo. Tick the box and click on the  to upload your logo. The file must be either .jpg, .jpeg or .png

When your logo is saved you will see the name of the file next to the paperclip.

Attach Report Logo

 Logo_2017_logo.jpg

Click on **Save**

Go to the Purchases Tab and click on the drop down list for Default Order Template

Select Purchase Order with Logo

Default Settings

Auto Generation	Purchases	Sales	Petty Cash	Bank Accounts	Miscellaneous
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check Budgets	Treatment of preferred Suppliers in supplier drop down box
Check Budget Action Warn	Show First
Aged Creditor Period Thresholds (days overdue) 30	Default Order Template PO - Purchase Order With Logo
	Default Requisition Template

Click on **Save**

b. Stationery Details>Purchase Order with Logo

A new template is available in Stationery Details, Purchase Order with Logo

Go to System Setup>Stationery Details

Click on the drop down list and select Purchase Order with Logo

Stationery Details

Select Template: Purchase Order With Logo	Add Custom Text: Please advise of inability to supply or other queries. A Delivery Note showing Order Number must accompany the goods. Please quote the Order Number on the Invoice Issued subject to standard terms and conditions a
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Save Cancel

LOGO

Purchase Order

To Test School Testshire County Council Test Square Testington Testshire T35 T3R FAO: Test Contact	
From	Delivery Address

The custom text from the Default Purchase Order is copied across and can be amended if required.

Remember to click on **Save** if any changes are made

c. Transactions>Orders>Purchase Order

When a new Purchase Order is created and emailed to a supplier the Logo will be shown. Any existing Purchase Orders downloaded again will be updated to include the logo.



Purchase Order

To
ALLGOOD LTD
Test Building
111 Tester Lane
Testing Busiess Park
Testington
Testshire
T3S T3R
FAO:

From
Jane Gibson Accounting Test School
My good old test School

VAT Number 123456789

SK11 6AB

Delivery Address
Jane Gibson Accounting Test School
My good old test School

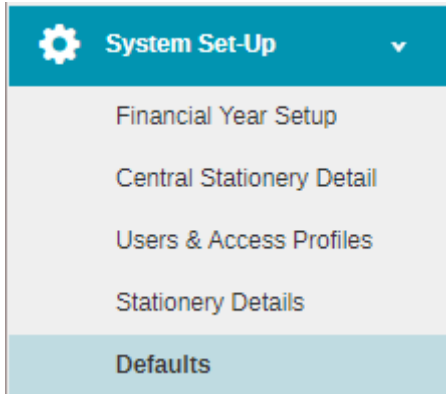
VAT Number 123456789 SK11 6AB

3. Default Sales Credit Note

a. Defaults>Sales

A new template has been added for a Default Sales Credit Note.

Go to> System Setup>Defaults>Sales



The following screen will appear

Default Settings

The image shows a 'Default Settings' screen with a 'Sales' tab selected. On the left, there are three input fields for 'Aged Debtor Period Thresholds (days overdue)' with values 30, 60, and 90. On the right, there are dropdown menus for 'Default Debtor Letter', 'Default Sales Invoice Template' (set to 'SO - Default Sales Invoice'), 'Default Sales Credit Note Template' (set to 'SC - Default Sales Credit Note'), and 'Default Customer Email Template'. There is also a checkbox for 'Attach scanned signature'.

Select Default Sales Credit Note from the dropdown for Default Sales Credit Note Template

Click on **Save**

b. Stationery Details>Default Sales Credit Note

A new template is available in Stationery Details, Default Sales Credit Note

Go to System Setup>Stationery Details

Click on the drop down list and select Default Sales Credit Note

Stationery Details

Select Template: Default Sales Credit Note ▼

Add Custom Text:

Save Cancel

Sales Credit Note

To
Test School
 Testshire County Council
 Test Square
 Testington
 Testshire
 T35 T3R
 FAO: Test Contact

From Credit Note No. **CRED1**

Add any required custom text and click on **Save**

C. Transactions>Sales Credit Note

When a new Sales Credit Note is created a PDF will be available to download by clicking on the PDF link. It will also be possible to download a PDF for an existing Sales Credit Note

+ Sales Credit Note

Reference	Date	Contact	Description	Nett Value	VAT Value	Total	Pdf	Status
<input type="checkbox"/> CN45646	17/11/2017	Caravan Club	Credit	£50.00	£0.00	£50.00		Ready to Receipt

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Sales Credit Note

To
Caravan Club
 Test Building
 111 Tester Lane
 Testing Busiess Park
 Testington
 Testshire
 T3S T3R
 FAO:

From
Jane Gibson Accounting Test School
 My good old test School

 VAT Number 123456789

 SK11 6AB

Credit Note No. CN45646
Credit Note Date 17/11/2017

Description	Nett	VAT	Total
Credit	50.00	0.00	50.00

Nett	50.00
VAT @20%	0.00
Total	50.00

This Credit Note can be set against a future Invoice.

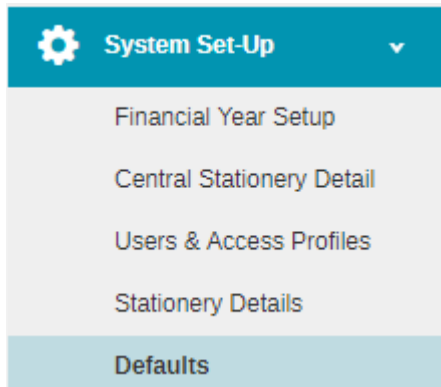
Raised By: Jane Gibson
Signature: _____
Authorised Signature
Date: 17 NOV 2017

4. Optional Cash Book Warning

a. Defaults>Miscellaneous

A new tick box has been added on the Miscellaneous tab (Previously named Tolerances) allowing a warning to be shown when posting a Cash Book Journal identifying which Bank Account the journal is being posted against.

Go to System Setup>Defaults>Miscellaneous



The following screen will appear:

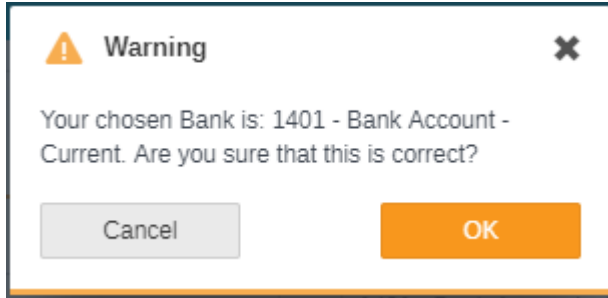
Default Settings

Auto Generation	Purchases	Sales	Petty Cash	Bank Accounts	Miscellaneous	Email
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable Tolerance Checking on VAT						
<input type="checkbox"/> Enable Transaction Date Warning						
Tolerance Mode: Warn on Error						
Date Older Than: 0						
Check to Pence: 0.05						
<input type="checkbox"/> Request confirmation of Bank Account selection when Submitting Cash Book Journals						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Attach Report Logo						
<input type="checkbox"/> Logo_2017_logo.jpg						
<input type="button" value="Cancel"/>						<input type="button" value="Save"/>

If you wish to activate the warning click in the tick box and then on **Save**

b. Transactions>Journals>Cash Book Journal

When you add a new cash book journal a warning will appear on **Submit** or **Submit and Add Another**



Clicking on **OK** will post the journal to the chosen bank account, clicking on **Cancel** will close the warning and take you back to the Cash Book Journal and allow you to change the bank account.