

Clear Audit Trail.

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Agenda

What does the Clear Audit Trail option do?

Criteria

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Why haven't my transactions cleared?

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[The Clear Audit Trail option](#)

Clear Audit Trail

What does it do?

- Removes transactions from the audit trail that meet specific criteria
- Posts an opening balance journal for the transactions that are removed
- Creates an audit trail history

Common questions

Have I got to?

When?

How often?

Pros / Cons

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Criteria

- Dated on or before the date you specify
- Must be dated prior to your current financial year
- Fully paid
- Bank reconciled
- VAT reconciled
- CIS reconciled
- Gift Aid reconciled
- If allocated, all linked transactions must meet all of the above criteria



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Criteria – linked transactions must also meet the criteria

Transaction	Date	Amount	Amount Paid	Bank Rec	VAT Rec
SI	13/12/21	100.00	100.00	-	Y
SR	12/01/22	100.00	100.00	N	-

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Preparation

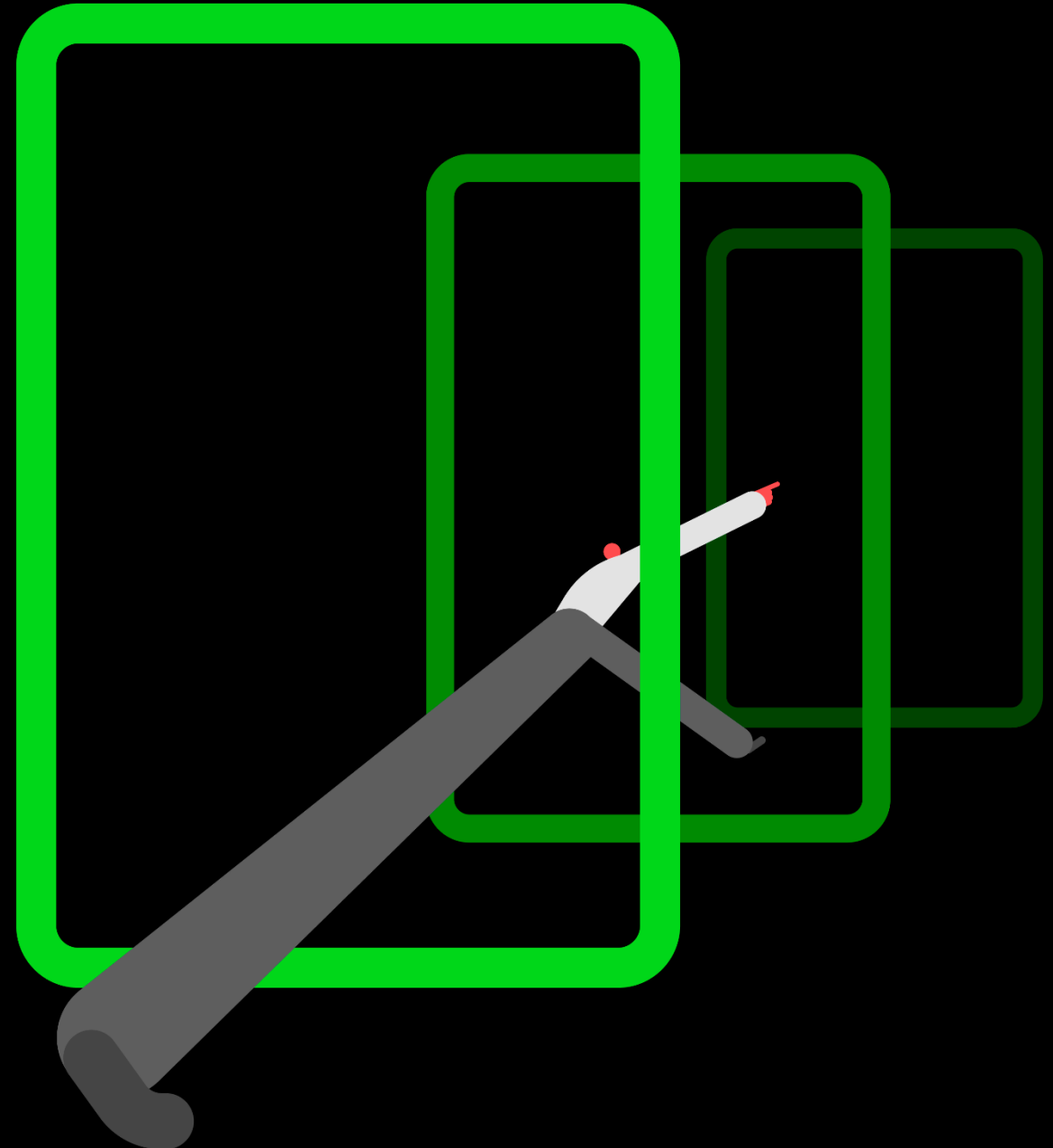
- Check your data
- Back up / Archive your data
- Print your reports (if required)
- Allocate transactions
- Reconcile your bank accounts – or switch off reconcile on the relevant bank account
- Reconcile your VAT Return



Demonstration.

Tip: Think first!

- **Are you sure?**
- **When to clear up to?**



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Why haven't my transactions cleared?

1. What's the transaction number?
2. Transactions > check the criteria!
3. Do all linked transactions meet the criteria?

Help Centre > [Why has Clear Audit Trail not removed some transactions?](#)

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Common questions - recap

Have I got to?

When?

How often?

Pros / Cons

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Key Topics

Lock Date – prevent back dated transactions **Wednesday 19 October 2pm**

Stop users from backdating transactions to a previous period.
If you've run your month end or year end reports the last thing you want is someone to backdate a transaction which would impact on your figures.

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