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The instructions in this article relate to *Income Tax.* The icon may be located on your *StrataMax Desktop* or found using the *StrataMax Search*.

Income Tax will assist with setup and reporting of details required to assist with lodgement of the income tax return. The information will be available to be sent as a report or extracted to Excel for a Tax Agent / Accountant to assist with lodgement to the ATO. There is also the option to view the current year to be prepared and reported for handover of a property to another manager.

Income Tax | Security

To access the *Income Tax*, the user must have permission set to 'Allow' for*Income Tax* under the 'FinancialReports' category in *Security Setup*.

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Income Tax Setup

Income Tax lodgement requires specific details, for transactions in the July - June tax year, to be totalled and then provided to the authorised lodging person. This information is used to correctly calculate the

income tax which can then be lodged and payment processed or refund received.

StrataMax does not assist with the calculation of the amounts for lodgement, but provides the tools to assist with reporting this information.

Correct setup of the specific accounts is required and can be completed in *Account Maintenance*. The accounts required for reporting will be determined by the transactions that are to be applied to the particular account and your accountant is often the most suitable person to assist with identifying these accounts and ensuring the setup is correct.

The areas that are provided for reporting on the Income Tax Report and Search are noted below:

- Income
- Non-Mutual Income
- Fully Claimable Expenses
- Partially Claimable Expenses
- PAYG Instalments (as reported on the BAS)

The *Account Maintenance* options available to assist with assigning to the correct tax reporting area:

- Income Accounts can be set as Non Mutual Income and can also be set as Non Claimable Income which will exclude being totalled in the Income.
- Expense Accounts can set be set with an Income Tax Expense Category which may be fully or partially claimable.

Account Maintenance -			×
Code 12900 Description BUILDING REPAIRS			0
Type Posting Account can be used to post transactions			
Account Type Expense Trading Fund Admin Fund			•
System Flag None 🔻			
Tax Code Default Default Default Tax Code: GST on Expense	s		
Non Mutual Income			
Non Claimable Income			
Income Tax Expense Category			
Comments			
Report Group			
Restrict Access			
Category 🔹			
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Building Information

• Set the *Tax File Number* (TFN) as this is **required** for completion of the Income Tax for the selected Building / Plan.

TIP: Locate where TFN's are missing using *Search Buildings* to select all of the portfolio and add display column TFN then restrict to TFN is empty. This will show all Buildings that will need an update for the TFN field to be completed in *Building Information*.

Buildings				
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Restrict To	Field	Condition	Value	
Columns	Building Name	▼ starts with	•	×
Sort Order	TFN	▼ is empty	•	
Advanced	Account Manager	▼ is equal to	•	• ×
4 records displ	ayed			
Building Number	Building Name	TFN ABN	Status	Account Manager

Master Chart Report

To assist with the classification of accounts to define the accounts for amending in the setup above, use the Local Accounts in teh Master Chart to see the current portfolio setup. Then the Export can be provided to an accountant / tax agent to help with classification.

- 1. Search or select Local Accounts.
- 2. Amend the search:
 - 1. Restrict to: Account Type is any of Revenue and Expense (see below for more options).
 - 2. Columns: Add Income Tax Expense Category / Non-Mutual Income / Non-Claimable Income.
 - 3. Refresh.
 - 4. Export.

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Restrict To	÷	Field		Condition		Value			
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Sort Order	-	Account Type	•	is any of	•	•	Revenue 🗙 E	xpense >	<
Advanced		Income Tax Expense Category	-	is equal to	•	•		. 2	
	_	Non Claimable Income	-	1		⊖ Yes ⊖ No			
	-	Non-Mutual Income	•	is equal to		○ Yes ○ No			
532 records o	displa	yed							
Account Code	Des	cription	Income Tax E	xpense Category	Non C	laimable Income	Non-Mutual	Income	Default Tax Code
01	LEVI	ES - ADMINISTRATIVE FUND							GST on Sales
0100	UTIL	ITY INCOME							GST Free Expense
011	DISC	COUNT - ADMIN FUND							GST on Sales
102	SPE	CIAL ADMIN. FUND LEVY							GST on Sales
1021	ADM	AIN FUND SPECIAL DISCOUNT							GST on Sales
103	INSU	URANCE LEVY							GST on Sales
1031	INC	URANCE LEVY DISCOUNT							GST on Sales

This will provide the Master Chart of Accounts and the current classification if any displayed in the added columns.

Income Tax Status

Income tax is designed to report information from each Building / Plan, to use for lodgement of the annual income tax return to the ATO. Once the reporting period has been completed and the information reviewed, this can be reported using *Income Tax Report* for a combined PDF Report or can be exported into Excel, using Search BAS, which may be easier to use for the person completing the lodgement.

- 1. Search or select Income Tax.
- 2. Select from options:
 - Current building: ensures only the Income Tax for the current selected building (noted at the top of the window) are displayed.
 - My Buildings (Account Manager): to select an individual Account Manager name and the properties they are listed for.
 - Management Office: select from drop down.
 - All Buildings: to tag individual or a subset of buildings.
- 3. Select to:
 - Show all all buildings based on above selection.
 - Show due only buildings that are due for review for the income tax year completed but not yet prepared.
- 4. Select 'Prepare to 30/06/**.
- Send the *Income Tax Report* to accountant / tax agent or use *Search Income Tax* for alternative Excel option to produce a report to provide to your Tax Agent or Account.

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O Current Building			 Show all 						0
 My Buildings (Account Manager) 			Show due only						v
Management Office		•							
 All Buildings 									
Building Name	Building No.	Account Group		Status	Latest Start Date	Latest End Date	Actions		
LATROBE LANE	558764			0	01/07/2023	30/06/2024	0/0+		
MERMAID LANE	587756			0	01/07/2023	30/06/2024	0/0+		
ONE HOUSE	131			0	01/07/2023	30/06/2024	0/0+		
THE ACCRUAL AVENUE	96322			0	01/07/2023	30/06/2024	0/0+		
WESTERN HEIGHTS	24323			0	01/07/2023	30/06/2024			
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Income Tax Amendments

Amendments to the reported totals in the Income Tax, can be completed by:

- Amending accounts in Account Maintenance.
- By excluding specific transactions on an individual Building / Plan.
- Adding new transactions on an individual Building / Plan, dated in the reporting period.

Global Amendments

Account Maintenance is used to update the reporting for Income Tax with the specific fields as outlined below. These should be reviewed and may be advised to be adjusted by an accountant or tax agent. These steps should also be used when there have been multiple individual transactions updated across the portfolio.

- 1. From either the Master Chart Building or the local building, search or select Account Maintenance.
- 2. From the Account Maintenance window, use the *Search* field from the Account code list to enter either the description or number of the required account code. Click the pencil icon to edit the account setup. Note the number cannot be changed.
- 3. Review the tax fields and updated accordingly:
 - Non-Mutual Income
 - Non Claimable Income
 - Partly Claimable Expense
 - Fully Claimable Expense
- 4. *Apply Changes to Master Chart & Buildings* will be ticked by default allowing this to globally update all Buildings. This setting should be considered and de-selected if the change should not affect the Master Chart or other buildings.
- 5. Click Save, then Close Account Maintenance.
- 6. Search or select Income Tax.
- 7. Select either
 - 'Delete and prepare to 30/06/20**' if the Income Tax was already prepared prior to the above amendments, or
 - 'Prepare to 30/06/20**' if the period has not be prepared already.
- Send Income Tax Report to accountant / tax agent or use Search Income Tax for alternative Excel option.

Prepare to 30/06/2024 Delete and prepare to 30/06/2024

Individual Amendments

Adding or removing specific transactions can be completed to an individual Building. These updates can then be applied and reports issued. If adjustments are made to multiple Buildings, use the Global Amendment instructions to update the complete portfolio if required.

Add Specific Transactions to Income Tax Reporting

After the reporting period is complete, transactions may still be added, updated and re-reported. This

may occur when information is not always available prior to the end of the Tax Year. i.e. Interest amounts to be included.

Add the required transactions / journals / adjustments to the select Building/s, ensure that the date is within the reporting period - i.e. Interest Income (Non-Mutual) for 30/06/20**.

Example

Journal Preparation Set - THE ACCRUAL AVI	ENUE 96322						- 0	×
Journal Set				Totals:	55.99 DR	55.99 CR	Balance	0.00
Date: 30/06/2024 Reason: Interest to 3	30.06.24	Frequency:	Ince Only 🔹	Auto Reverse	•] On Hold		- Add
Account	DR	CR	Invoice Code	Fund	Deta	ails	Explanati	on
> 001 2070 INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS		55.99		SINKING FU	JND Inte	erest to 30.06.24		×

- 1. Search or select *Income Tax*, then choose the required display settings.
- 2. Locate the Building / Plan for adjustment.
- 3. Select the appropriate action:
 - Edit Latest Income Tax Period, selecting 'Yes' to update with any new transactions if there have been changes.
 - Prepare a New Income Tax Period, if this has not yet been done for the current period.
- 4. Select the blue info icon in the top summary section to show the related accounts and totals.
- 5. Select the Account where the adjustment was applied (either Income or Non-Mutual Income in example above) to confirm is now correct.
- 6. Select Finalise once all amounts are as expected.

NOTE: The Print option is available, for the selected Building, to produce the Income Tax report.

Income Tax Report for 01/07/2023 to 30/06/2024 TFN 204 100 783			×
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Income \$4,360.87 ft PAYG Instalments \$0.00			-
Non Mutual Income \$360.87 ()			
Fully Claimable Expenses \$2,200.00 (1)			
Partly Claimable Expenses \$0.00			
Code Account Description Total Tax Total Ex-Tax			
2070 INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS - \$360.87 \$0.00 - \$360.87			
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Date Description Amount Tax Amount Ex-Tax Tax Code Reference Extra Details Invoice Reference Extra Text Related I	Description	Relate	d Acco
30/06/2024 Interest to 30.06.24 - \$55.99 - \$55.99 Not included in BAS 🗙 J0000091 0000002001			
30/06/2024 Interest 30.06.24 -\$152.44 -\$152.44 Not Included In BAS ➤ R0000001			
30/06/2024 Interest 30.06.24 -\$152.44 -\$152.44 Not Included In BAS ➤ R0000001			
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Print Delete Finalise Close

Delete Specific Transactions from Income Tax Reporting

- 1. Search or select *Income Tax*, then choose the required display settings.
- 2. Locate the Building / Plan for adjustment.
 - Select the appropriate action:
 - View latest Income Tax Period (a view of the last completed period).
 - Edit Latest Income Tax Period, selecting Yes to update with any new transactions if there have been changes.
 - Prepare a New Income Tax Period, if this has not yet been done for the current period.

Income Tax Status - 96322 THE ACCRUAL AVENU	E						—	\times
Current Building My Buildings (Account Manager) Management Office All Buildings		•	 Show all Show due only 					0
Building Name	Building No.	Account Group		Status	Latest Start Date	Latest End Date	Actions	
LANA RESORT 2024	1212			1			₿╱ᢒӚ	~
LATROBE LANE	558764			0	01/07/2023	30/06/2024		_
LOGAN TOWERS	54651			0	01/07/2025	30/06/2026	0/0+	
MERMAID LANE	587756			0	01/07/2023	30/06/2024	00	

- 3. Select the blue info icon in the top summary section to show the related accounts and totals.
- 4. Select the Account for adjustment.
- 5. In the bottom section, use the 'X' to delete the appropriate transactions.
- 6. Select 'Yes' to confirm to remove the transaction, repeat if required.
- 7. Select Finalise once all adjustments are complete.

NOTE: The Print option is available, for the selected Building, to produce the Income Tax report.

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Income Tax Re	port for 01/07/2023	to 30/06/202	4	TFN						0
Income	S	131,818.16 🄇	PAY	G Instalments	\$0.00					
Non Mutual In	come	\$0.00	3							
Fully Claimable	e Expenses	\$0.00	D							
Partly Claimab	le Expenses	\$0.00								
Code Accou	unt Description	Tota	l Tax	Total Ex-	Тах					
	- ADMINISTRATIVE									
	Description		Tax	Amount Ex-Tax			Invoice Reference	Extra Text	Related Description	Related A
	1/07/23 to 30/09/23 1/07/23 to 30/09/23				GST on Sales GST on Sales	00022 00022				
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							Print	Delete	Finalise	Close

Delete a Specific Income Tax Report

If transactions are excluded by mistake, the income tax may be deleted and then re-prepared to re-set all the totals and transactions for the reporting period.

- 1. Search or select *Income Tax,* then choose the required display settings.Locate the Building / Plan for adjustment.
 - Select the appropriate action (either option will offer the delete:
 - View latest Income Tax Period (a view of the last completed period).
 - Edit Latest Income Tax Period, selecting Yes to update with any new transactions if there have been changes.
- 2. Check the correct Building and period are displayed, then select 'Delete', click 'Yes' to 'Are you sure you want to delete this Income Tax Report' which will close and return to the Income Tax Status screen.
- Select 'Prepare a New Income Tax Period' to refresh all the details and include all transactions for the period.
- 4. Review and finalise to complete.

Manual / Incomplete Income Tax Reporting

Not all Buildings / Plans may provide the required information for the complete tax year. This is due to the information on StrataMax only being available for a portion of the current tax year. This often occurs when a new setup is completed and opening balances include/exclude details that may have to be manually collated from a prior manager/software records. For instructions on how to use *Local Transactions,* which will allow the data for transactions created for periods available in StrataMax, see here.

Examples:

- Building Financial Year: Jan 2024–Dec 2024, Tax Year: July 2023 June 2024
 Building installed with opening balances in Jan 2024. Problem: Data for July Dec 2023 is not available in StrataMax, extra reports will be required.
- Building Financial Year: May 2023–Apr 2024, Tax Year: July 2023 June 2024
 Building installed March 2024 with opening balances i.e. opening balance journal would cover period May 2023 March 2024. Tax year report would cover July 2023 June 2024, including opening balance, so may need to exclude opening balances from *Income Tax* and provide extra reports.
- Building installed without profit and loss figures from prior manager.

No data for period not installed in StrataMax. Two reports will need to be combined for tax year reporting.

Bank Reconciliation Summary Report

This report may also be used to clarify the Cash at Bank at a point in time for all bank accounts, including investment accounts. Review the article for *Bank Rec Summary Report*.

