

Overview & introduction, business benefits & roadmap

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Challenge of Business Compliance Worldwide

Clear trend for an increasing number of digital compliance regulations worldwide...

GCC nations look to adopt VAT 'within a vear'

Six-nation GCC expected to introduce 5 percent valueadded tax at the start of 2018, senior UAE financial

official says.

New SingPass Mobile users to access govern services with fingerpr



SMEs forced into automation as Making Tax Digital goes live 02 Apr 2019 15:15



Making Tax Digital (MTD) is an umbrella term for a major digitisation of the UK tax system, which was introduced 1 April 2019 for VAT returns, with scope of automation ultimately expanding into main duties such as corporation and income tax.

ECONOMIC TIMES

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- **Every Country in the world mandates Legal Reporting**
- 1000+ Legal Reports are required worldwide
- Taxes predominate Legal Reports
- Legal Reporting gets impacted by political reforms and digitization

via the app directly in the future. INSIGHT: The Next Phase of Brexit-VAT and Customs **Duty Developments**

SAF-T - new reporting obligati_{Feb. 20, 2020, 12:01 AM} sweeping across Europe

Standard Audit for efficient trai authorities or e Portugal and h Luxembourg. Potentially, as in Norway.



For instance, they may be able to check their CPF balance and tax returns

Angola: Parliament Passes Introduction of Vat

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Luanda — The National Assembly this Thursday, in a global final vote, introduced the Code of Value Added Tax (VAT) in the country, which should boost the collection of public revenues related to consumption.

HINDU erally effective 1 January 2018. Malaysia to introduce sales and service tax after effectively scrapping GST

Among the newly enacted VAT provisions are the following items

measures that are part of the Budget Law 2018 (published in the official gazette on 29

- . Contrary to earlier plans for an increase in the VAT rate, the rate remains the same. There is no VAT rate increase in 2018.
- Future VAT rate increases have been delayed until 1 January 2019
- · Head-to-branch office charges will no longer be disregarded for VAT purposes when the head office (or the branch) belongs to a VAT group in Italy or in another EU Member State (thereby implementing the judgment of the Court of

Mandates B2G Tax Reporting $_{\rm s\ to\ recover\ VAT\ that\ was\ charged\ in\ error}$

T will change the way India does liance, moving from filling of tax reports to a model munication between the you as the tax payer and the

ed two new entities. GST Suvidha Provider (GSP) and Service Provider (ASP), whose roles are to facilitate the data communication to the GST system at GSTN in the required format

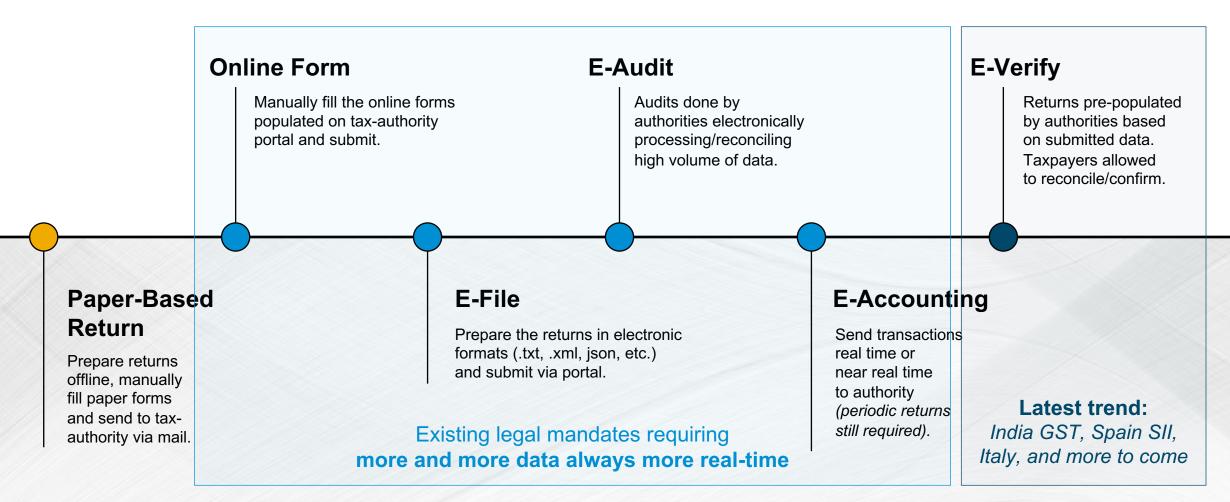
The tax data communication of the taxpaver to. The new process brings in a paradigm shift in the GST system shall be routed from the ASP via the GSP. Through this process, the government propose to collect details of Outward Supplies, ISD Details and GST

the indirect tax determination in India with the source of truth for the input tax credit shifts from the taxpayer's system to the GSTN system

Italy: New VAT measures, effective beginning 2018

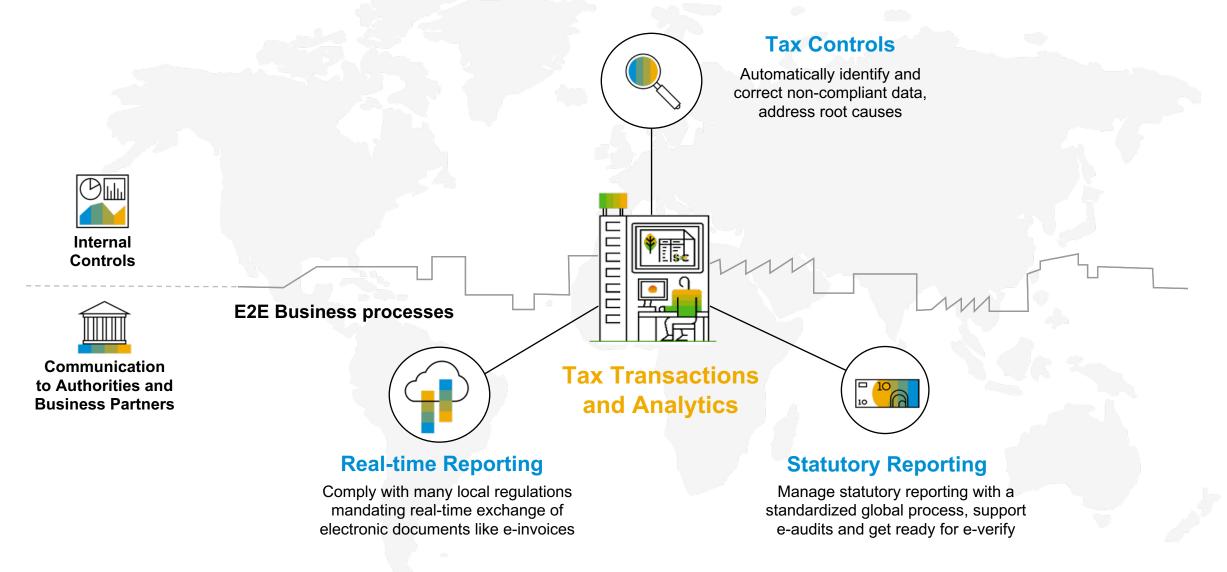
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...and regulations continue to evolve becoming more and more challenging!

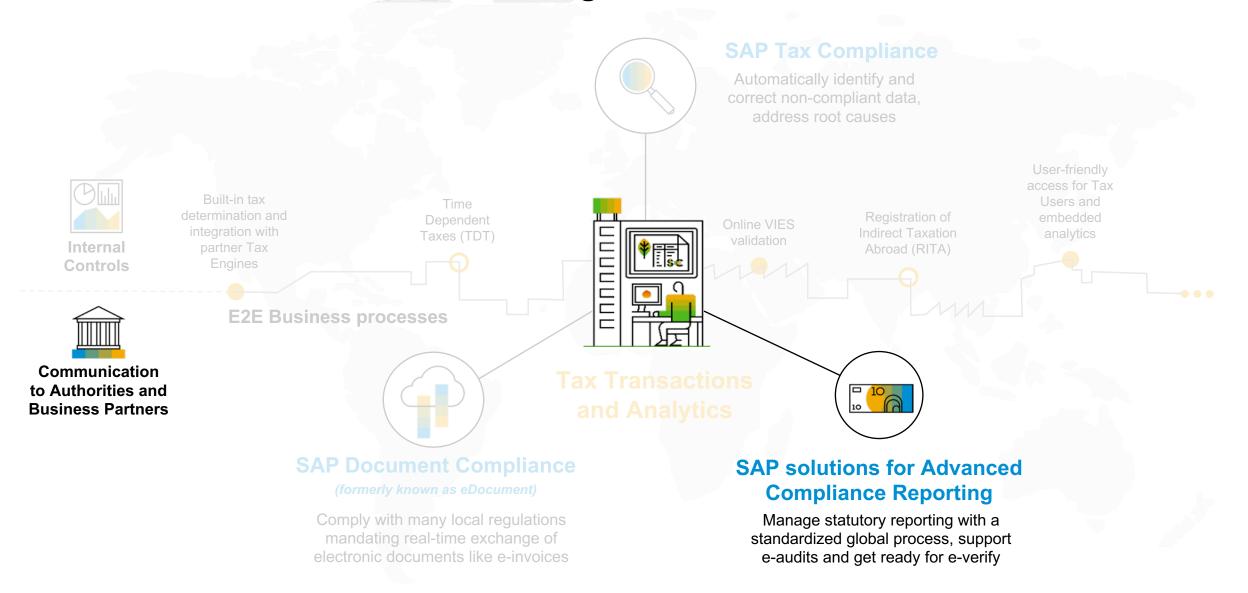


A future-proofing landscape/platform is now essential to remain compliant!

End-to-end Processes for Global Tax Management



SAP Solutions for Global Tax Management



VAT Periodic Return

Withholding Tax

EC Sales List

Financial Statement

Audit Files

VAT Sales and Purchase Ledger

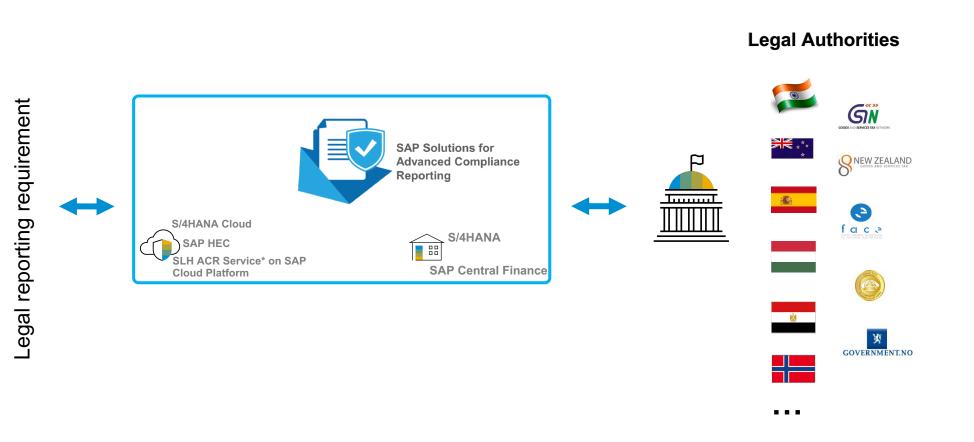
Balance of Payments

Asset Reporting

Transport Tax

Goods and Service Tax

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Next generation solution to manage statutory reporting worldwide enabling simple adoption of constant legal digital reforms while transforming the end-to-end process to enable standardization, efficiency and automation, provide full transparency on compliance status, fulfill audit trail requirements and reduce ongoing compliance costs.



End To End Reporting Process

- Out of the box reports
- Integrated correction run, follow up activities
- Integrated custom activity



One Technology Platform

- Create and Extend legal reports
- Reuse framework capabilities



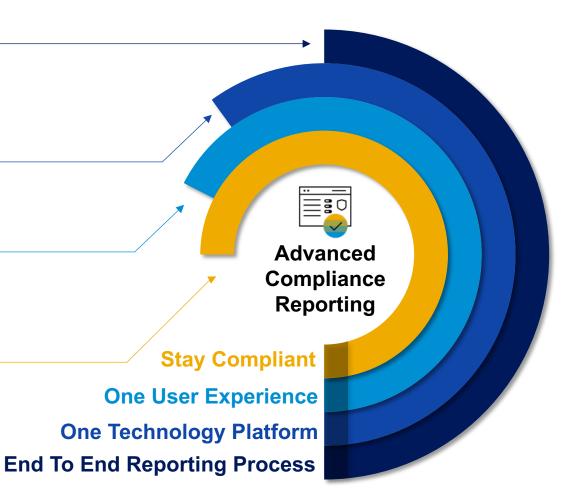
One User Experience

- Harmonized UI across countries
- Dashboard to monitor status
- Full audit trace and embedded analytics



Stay Compliant

- Due date tracking
- Correct once, report immediately
- Faster adoption of legal changes
- Minimal effort to enable online submission



Value Added legal reporting capabilities

Validate and Analyse

- File Preview in readable format
- Embedded Analytics
- ACR-Tax Compliance Integration

Collaboration

- Workflow for submission
- Collaboration via Co-pilot integration

Adjustments

- Manage Tax Items to adjust data selectionManual Adjustments
- Change Log

Preparation

- · Real time data retrieval and processing
- Ability to prepare reports in required formats (XML, TXT, PDF, JSON)
- End-to-End reporting process through Reporting Activities
- Flexible reporting levels

Transparency

- Single framework for all statutory reporting with dashboard to monitor status
- Global Compliance Dashboard
- Intelligent due dates based on holidays

Submission

- Direct connectivity to Authority
- Test Submission
- File Level Submission
 - Revert
- Manual Submission

Follow-up

- Tax Payble Posting
- Generate correction runs
- Clarification Process

Business Partner

- · Business Partner Correspondence
- Business Partner Reconciliation



Audit Readiness

- Audit Trail
- Adhoc reporting
- Attachments



Design Platform

- Extensibility Using Define Advanced Compliance Reports
- Build Additional reports inheriting Advanced Compliance Reporting capabilities
- Ready to use generic reports (VAT, WTH, Financial Statement, Cash Flow...)

ACR Solution Capabilities

Available Capabilities until 2020 FPS1

- Single framework for all statutory reporting with Fiori UX
- Reporting dashboard to monitor status
- Multiple legal output formats XML, XBRL, TXT, PDF forms, JSON, CSV
- Real Time Reporting based on CDS views
- Embedded Analytics
- Preview
- Manual Adjustments-Output format
- Electronic submission with Government Interfaces via ACR service
- Complementary compliance attachments
- Partner Correspondence
- Audit Trail
- Versioning of Legal Output Formats
- Incorporating Business Rules
- Flexible Reporting Levels
- End-to-End reporting process through Reporting Activities
 - Manage Tax Items
 - Enablement of Tax Payable Postings
- Extensibility Using Define Advanced Compliance Reports

- Scheduling
- Ad-hoc Reporting
- Co-Pilot enabling Collaboration
- Global compliance Monitor Reporting completion %
- Support Holiday calendar in defining Due date
- Generic Reports for VAT, Cash Flow Statement and Financial Statement, Withholding Tax Report
- Support for correction and clarification process
- File Level Submission
- Workflows for Approvals
- Integration with SAP Tax Compliance
- Enhanced Status Management during Electronic Submission of reports:
- Enhancements in Manage Tax Items for VAT
- Enhancements to extensibility possibilities via Define Advanced Compliance Reports
- Enhancements to Configuration Parameters

2021 and Later

- Preview of Large Files
- Manage Tax Items for Withholding Taxes
- Mail communication to business partners
- Segment as Reporting Level
- Reconciliation with Tax Authorities
- External Data incorporation for Reporting
- Additional KPI's on global compliance monitor
- E-signing of Legal Reports
- Support Excel format as legal output
- Advanced Scheduling
- Report due Notifications
- Manual Adjustment: Handling of calculated elements
- Access to Archive data for legal reporting
- Features based on requirements from future legal reports



Legal Reports via Advanced Compliance Reports



285 reports enabled in 51 countries



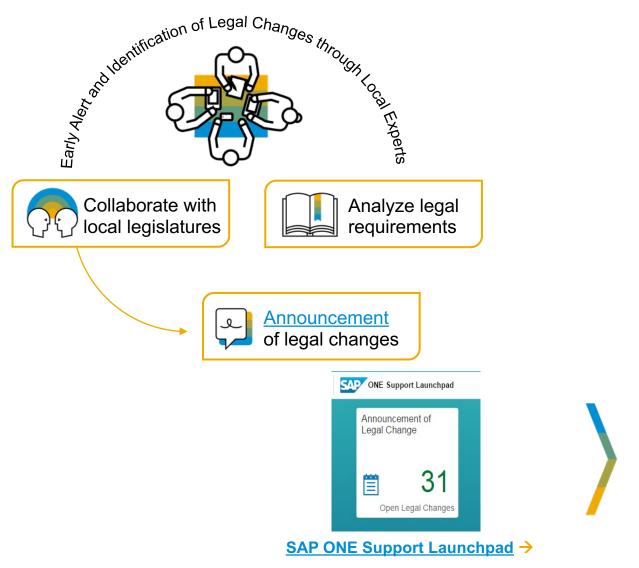
180 reports in Future Direction

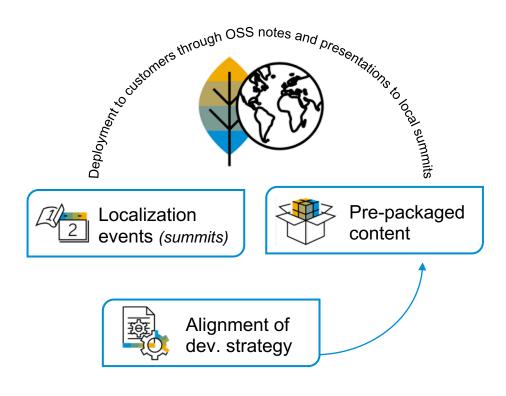
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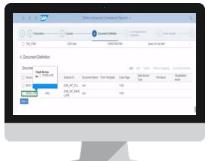
ACR SCOPE CONTENT: link to online documentation.

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Always up-to-date with the latest legal changes





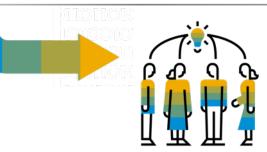


Continue investments to address new challenges

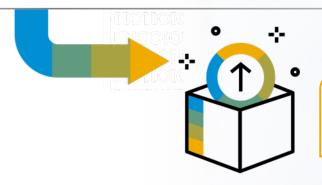


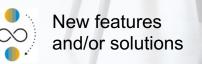






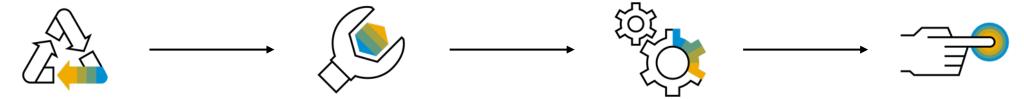






Design Time Tool

Deploy new reports in four simple steps



Create or Reuse

Reuse existing report definition or create from scratch

Configure

Modify by change data output form, specify corresponding partner, add new parameters, reuse xml schema, ...

Saved in Draft Mode

New report definitions will be stored as draft version and verified by system validations

Activate & Use

Once adjusted to business need the definition is ready for report generation in the Run Time Application

Extensibility scenarios



Reporting coverage in additional countries or industry specific requirements



Workflow-based approval process for compliance reporting

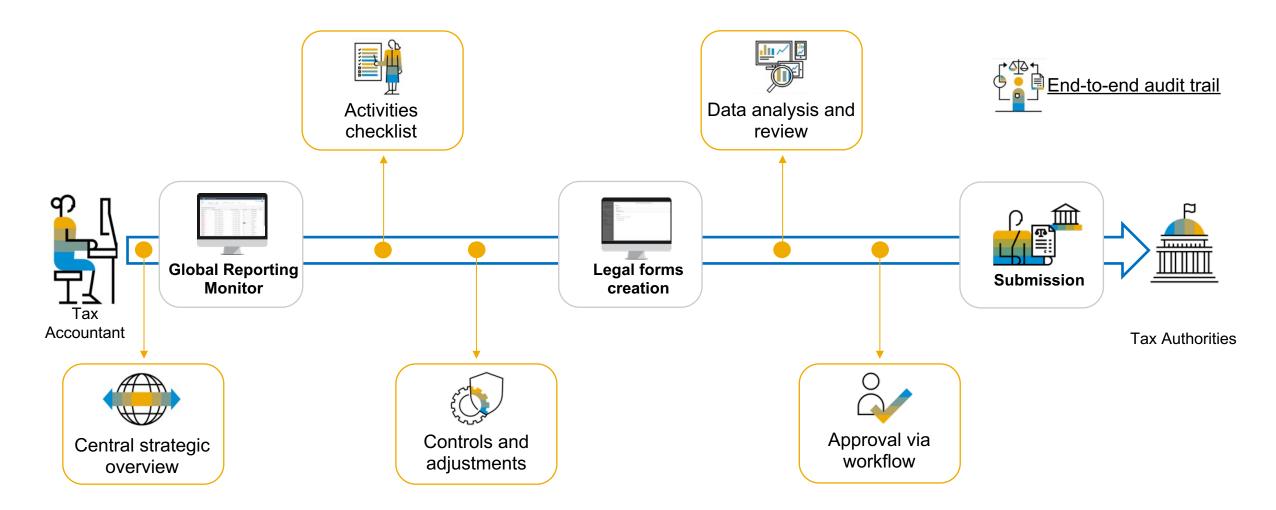


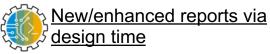
Audit reports when auditors banging on the door



For partners, develop/extend compliance reports to address customer-specific needs

SAP Solutions for Advanced Compliance Reporting at a Glance





Company-wide solution to prepare, generate and submit statutory reports worldwide

Solution Summary

 One Global Solution that addresses local statutory reporting requirements in the emerging digital world

It supports the end-to-end reporting process driving efficiency, standardization and simplification worldwide

 For ERP customers, ACR service is available to address specific needs (e.g. MTD, not full scope).

Value

- Comply: it supports worldwide requirements and the content is always updated with the latest legal changes
- Scale: ACR Design tool allows to extend report coverages (to other countries, domains, etc.) while leveraging all framework functionalities and user-experience
- **Evolve:** ACR is a next-generation solution ready to embed further automation (e.g. RPA) and respond to the latest requirements (e-verify)



Questions

Important Links

S/4HANA OP 2020 FPS2

ACR: https://help.sap.com/viewer/3cc1da1e1e364fadb9b1af653a9597d2/2020.002/en-US/4975ec570b01f032e10000000a441470.html

Reports: https://help.sap.com/viewer/3cc1da1e1e364fadb9b1af653a9597d2/2020.002/en-US/cafbe128fd2048a396ac24f4c0fe4a53.html

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ACR reports in Central Finance

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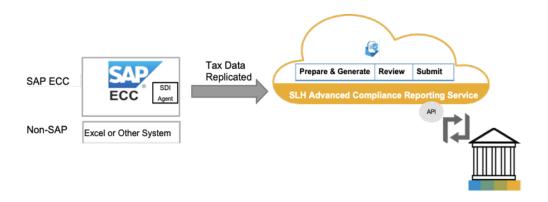
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Highlights on Product Availability and Scope

ECC – ACR Service

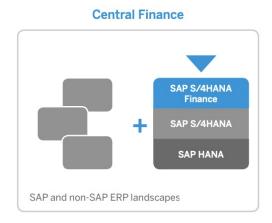


An SAP Cloud Platform based solution which provides end-to-end legal reporting capabilities for VAT report in Egypt, Saudi, UAE, UK and AU PTR.*

Approach:

- Data is replicated from the ECC system to Cloud Service where reports are prepared and submitted, if applicable
- Possibility to connect to multiple backend systems (SAP or non-SAP)

CFIN - Full scope



Advanced Compliance Reporting is supported in Central Finance, however some country reports require the implementation of AVL (Accounting View of Logistic Data).

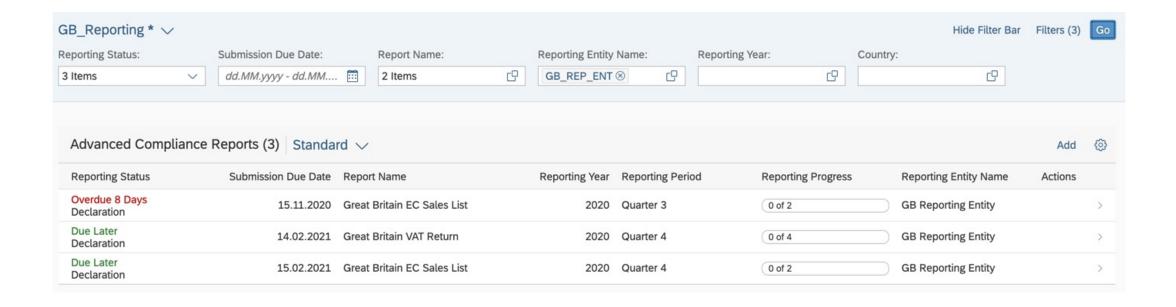
What is AVL?

Accounting View of Logistics Information allows to replicate a subset of logistics data from your source systems to the Central Finance system (purchase orders, sales orders, supplier/customer invoices – separate tables).

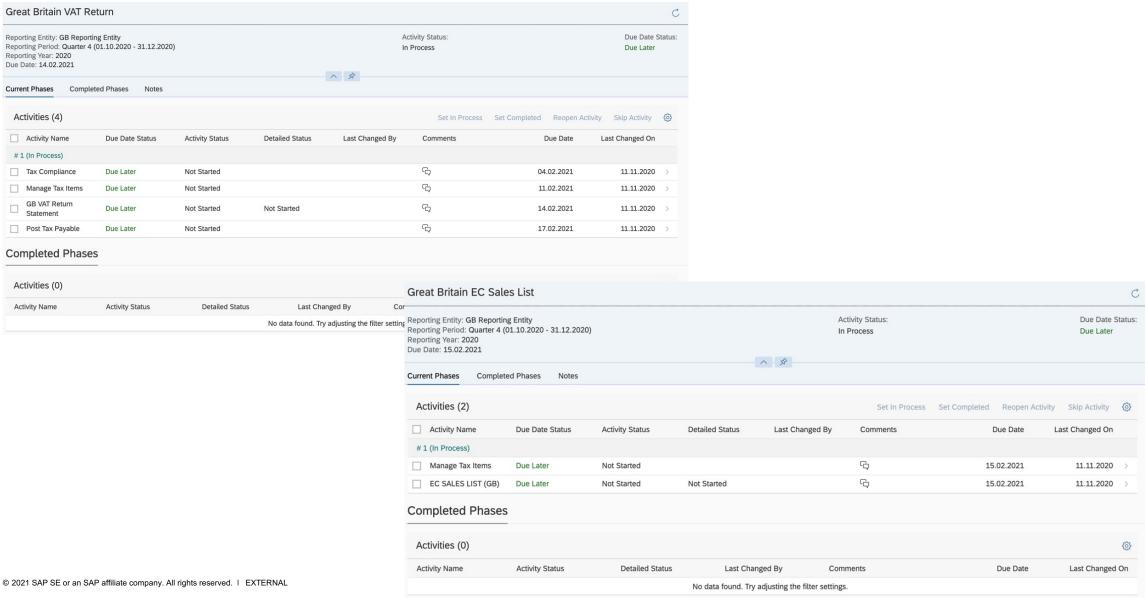
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Product Screenshots

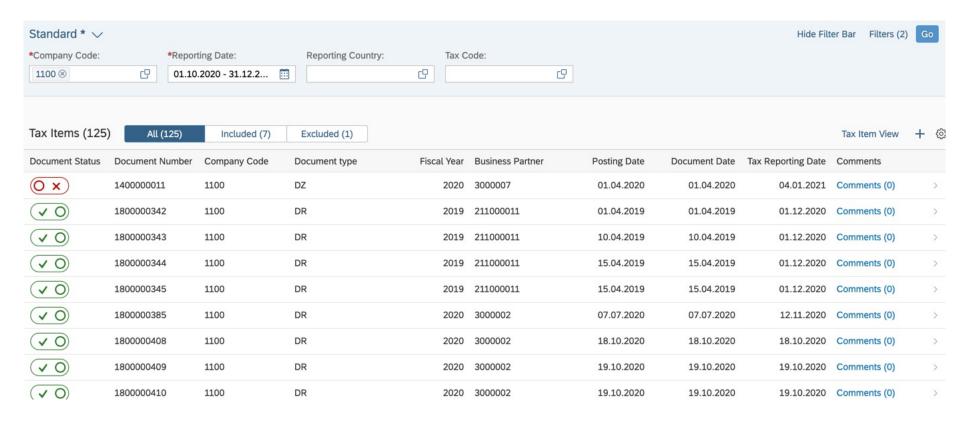
ACR Report dashboard for the Tax Accountant / Tax Experts



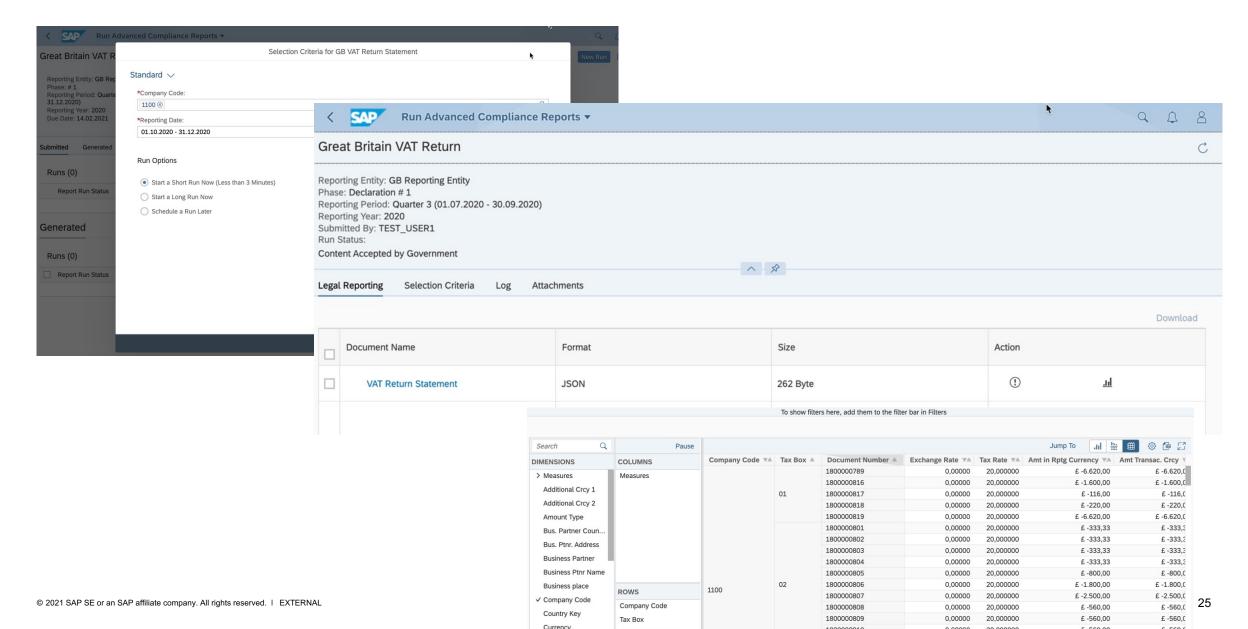
End to End Reporting Activities



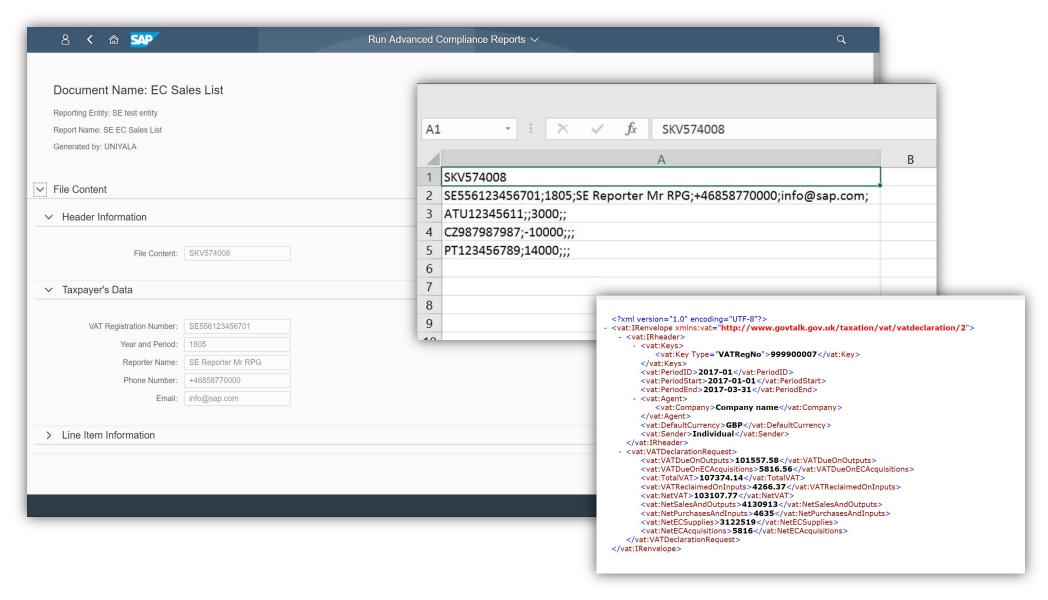
Manage Tax items for reporting



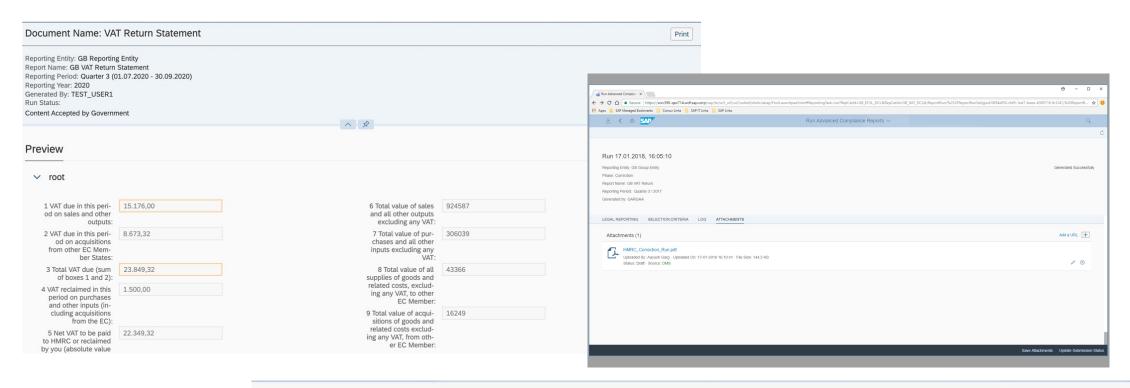
Prepare the report and Analyze



Data Preview



Last minute corrections



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