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Slide notes: We will now demonstrate how we generate new Financial Periods.


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Slide notes: We can generate new Financial Periods as required at any time, by selecting "Generate New Periods" from the Period wizard.


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Slide notes: We get some reminders from the system about Period Start Dates, Real Periods, etc.


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Slide notes: And we can choose to generate a single new Period, or 12 or 13. Most commonly we choose the option to generate 13 Periods for a new Financial year.


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Slide notes: The system generates the Periods and they can now be found listed on the Main Period record.


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Slide notes: The Main Period record is offered automatically, because this is where we will adapt the Descriptions for the new Periods, and if necessary, also the start dates and 'real' status.


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Slide notes: The New Periods will be found right at the end of the list of Periods on the Main record, and we can start putting our Period Descriptions here.


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Slide notes: The system will automatically put the start dates for each new Period based on a monthly cycle, but if it is not correct according to our needs in any particular case, then we will change it.


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Slide notes: All new Periods that have been generated will have a 'real' status of 'y', and if any of these new Periods will be a 13th Period then we will change that line as well.


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Slide notes: In this Company, the Financial Year end is at February, so after this Period we will make a 13th Period.


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Slide notes: And in a moment we will return to this line to change the 'real' status for this 13th Period.


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Slide notes: Now that we have completed the Period Descriptions, it is easy to change the 'real' status for the 13th Period to ' $n$ '.


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Slide notes: Because of the 13th Period, in this case we have to perform some Start Date changes as well. The 13th Period is usually indicated with a single day, i.e. the last day of the 12th Period.


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Slide notes: Now we have the situation that the following months are all out by a month on their Starting Dates, so we just change them.


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Slide notes: The exercise is now completed. We have 13 new Periods, and all Descriptions, Start Dates and 'real' statuses are correct, so we save the Main Period record.


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