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Harness the power of e-Payments in Sage 50 Accounts

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What are we covering in today's webinar?

- What are e-Payments?
- Enabling e-Banking
- Installing the plug-in
- Extracting the e-Payment file
- Supplier payments with Modulr



What are e-Payments?





What are e-Payments.

With Sage 50 Accounts e-Payments you can automate your supplier payments by creating a payments file that can be imported into your bank's electronic banking software.

- E-Payments can be used with a number of compatible banks.
- An e-payment plug-in is used for these banks to extract the data in the correct format for your specified bank.
- They can be used with CIS subcontractors.
- In v28.1 and above they can also be created from the Batch supplier payments window.
- They cannot be used with
 - Foreign currency transactions
 - Imported payment on account transactions.



Enabling e-Banking





Enabling e-Banking.

- Settings > Bank defaults > Enable e-Banking.
- Enter bank details within the bank details tab of the bank record.

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Install the e-Banking plug-in

- Weblinks > Sage e-Banking.
- Lists all compatible banks and available plug-ins.
- Download the correct plug-in for your banking software.

Note: Some banks may have multiple plug-ins



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Configure e-Banking

- Select your e-Banking plug-in within Bank Type.
- Drop down lists all installed plugins.
- If the only option is 'Not Selected' the plug in has not installed.

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Configure e-Banking

- E-Banking needs to be configured. The configuration screens can differ depending on your banking provider.
- Configuration includes settings to be used if using the statement reconciliation service.

Note: however bank feeds is now the preferred option

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How to process e-payments



Configure e-Banking

- Settings depend on what plug-in you are using.
- The directory can be configured to the location you wish to save the payment files to.

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Supplier setup





Supplier setup

Enter bank details for each supplier.

Change the payment method to BACS/SEPA

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Processing payments

- Supplier payments are processed as normal.
- The reference will be populated with (BACS) automatically.
- This reference needs to remain unchanged to be extracted by the e-Payment file.

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Extract the e-Payment file





Extract the e- Payment file.

- To extract the payment file, from within Bank go to payments and then e-Payments.
- A list of all payments which meet the e-Payment criteria will be displayed.
- Here you can select which transactions to send to the payment file.

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Supplier Payments via Modulr





Supplier Payments via Modulr.

Salary and Supplier Payments offers an alternative, secure way to pay your employees and HMRC, with the added advantage that it links directly to your Sage 50 Accounts and Payroll software.

Simply <u>apply for a Salary and Supplier Payments</u> <u>account</u>, which is an e-money account provided by <u>Modulr</u>. You can then transfer funds into your Salary and Supplier Payments account, ready to make payments.

For more information check out the Supplier payments hub

<u>https://my.sage.co.uk/public/help.aspx#/customer</u> /support/accounts/hub/supplier-payments/videos







- The e-Payments feature is a great time saver. You can upload a payments file to your banking software rather than having to key them in again.
- This can work if there is a compatible banking plug-in supplied by your bank.
- Files can be uploaded direct to your banking software.
- Supplier Payments through Modulr is a great alternative if your bank does not have a supported plug-in.





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