Maintain Operational Forecast in Grid View

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PURPOSE

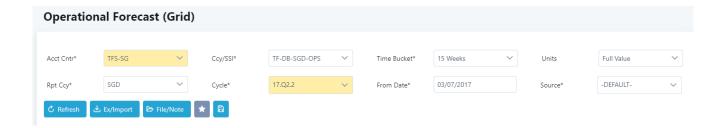
This document gives detailed procedure on maintaining operational forecast in Grid view.

WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?

Operational Forecast (Grid) enables user to update forecast in grid view.

PROCEDURE

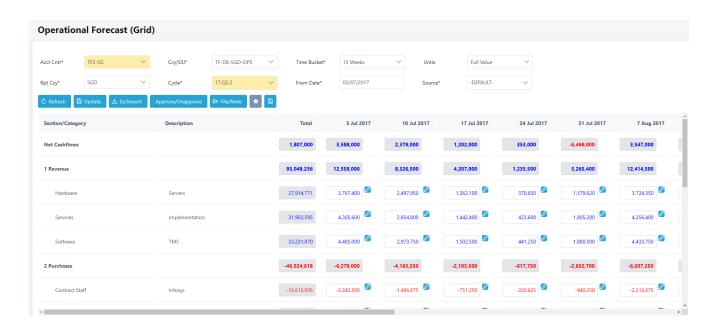
1. Click Cash Management > Forecasting > Operational > Grid. The screen below will be displayed.



- 2. Select the **Accounting Centre** to maintain. Make sure not to select the group, characterized by a '+' sign before the name. Amending is not allowed for an accounting centre group.
- 3. Select the **SSI**. Make sure not to select the group, characterized by a '+' sign before the name. Amending is not allowed for a SSI group.
- 4. Next, select the **time bucket** to update forecast. Time bucket is user definable. To set up time bucket, <u>click here</u>.
- 5. Unit is Full Value by default. It can be update to

thousands or millions too, no decimal places are allowed.

- 6. Choose the **Reporting Currency**; make sure that it is the same as the SSI currency.
- 7. Select **forecast cycle** in the Cycle field. Default cycle has no specific cycle dates, forecast can be update on any dates. See Forecast Cycle or more information.
- 8. From date is defaulted to the start date of the selected forecast cycle. If the selected cycle is Default, the From date is 1-Jan-2000. Select the **From Date** from which you want to maintain the forecast. The date can be future or past date.
- 9. Choose the **forecast source** to update forecast from different source or purpose. You can leave it as Default if only one source of forecast is to be updated. See Forecast Source for more information.
- 10. Click **Refresh**. The system displays forecast data up to 15 columns at a time.

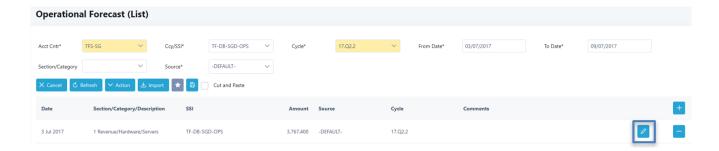


- 11. Amend the forecast values in the cells directly.
- 12. Click Update when done.
- 13. To update a comment in the forecast cell, click the Edit

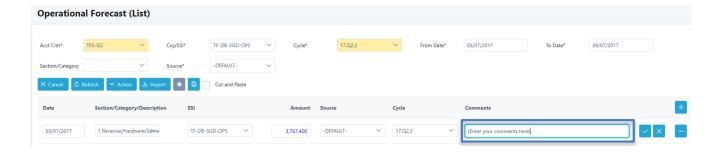
button next to the cell.

| Section/Category | Description | Total | 3 Jul 2017 | 10 Jul 2017 |
|------------------|----------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Net Cashflows | | 1,807,000 | 3,588,000 | 2,379,000 |
| 1 Revenue | | 93,049,236 | 12,558,000 | 8,326,500 |
| Hardware | Servers | 27,914,771 | 3,767,400 | 2,497,950 |
| Services | Implementation | 31,902,595 | 4,305,600 | 2,854,800 |

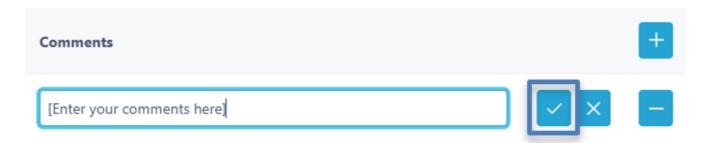
14. You will be taken to the Operational Forecast (List) page.



15. Click the **Write** button, then enter your comment in the **Comments** column. The **Comments** text box allows up to 100 characters. This field is optional.

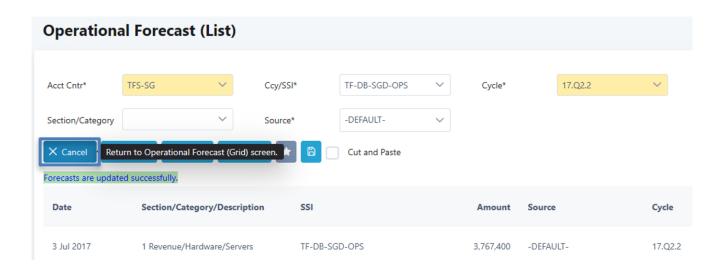


16. Click the Check button to save the update.

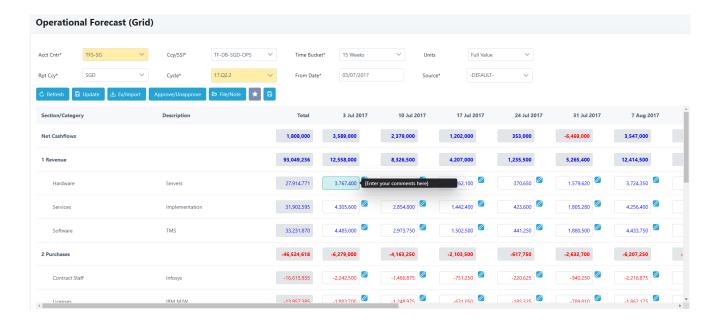


17. To return to the Operational Forecast (Grid) page, click

the Cancel button.



18. The forecast cell with the updated comment will appear in light grayish cyan. Hover over the cell to view the comment.



Limitation: Exporting or importing operational forecast (grid) will drop the existing comments added to the forecast cell. Any existing comment added to the existing forecast cell will be overwritten after import.

REQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

FAQ01. I cannot make the changes on the operational forecast.

Authorization is needed to amend the operational forecast. Contact your administrator to grant you rights

RELATED INFORMATION

<u>Viewing Operational Forecast</u>

<u>Maintain Operational Forecast in List View</u>

Importing Operational Forecast (Grid)

Importing Operational Forecast (List)

Cut and Paste List of Operational Forecast

CHANGE HISTORY

| Date | Ву | Changes |
|-------------|----------|---|
| 15-Feb-2008 | - | Created. |
| 28-Jul-2015 | CS | Included section for FAQ. |
| 21-Jan-2016 | Clarissa | Rewritten. Reformatted. |
| 6-Jun-2018 | Anuja | Updated instruction in step 1 and latest screenshots. |
| 25-Nov-2019 | Lуга | Updated screenshots. |
| 13-Jun-2023 | TS | Updated to W6 instructions and screenshots. |
| 21-Jan-2025 | TS | Updated instructions for adding forecast comments. |