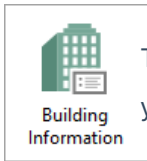


# Building Information

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The instructions in this article relate to **Building Information**. The icon may be located on your [StrataMax or GLMax Desktop](#) or found using the [StrataMax Search](#).

The **Building Information** function is for recording general information for each property or company information in GLMax. There is a customisable 'Favourites' menu, so you can decide what important property information is viewed or required to be updated based on user/company requirements, plus notes and photos can also be accessed from here. Some fields are read-only as they contain data from other menus in StrataMax. When entering the property Address the automatic address lookup will automatically suggest and auto-populate an address for you. Click and make adjustments to the information recorded in each field as required and save.

Be sure to check out the **Building Information** video on our [StrataMax Videos](#) page as well. Also view our [Frequently asked questions](#) page for a little more help.

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## Building Information | Security Setup

The ability to *Edit* in **Building Information** is controlled by permissions in **Security Setup**. This provides control over who can and can't edit building information to ensure data accuracy. We recommend the 'Building Info - Edit Display' permission has restrictions applied.

1. Search or select **Security Setup**.
2. Select user or Group name as required.
3. Locate 'Building info - edit display', right click to adjust security permissions and *Close*.

## Building Information | Overview

The fields available to report in **Building Information** can also assist with processing other areas in StrataMax, some examples of these are;

- Basic information about the plan, such as the plan name, type, and number.
- Building Information holds the property address and uses the automatic address looking, as well as who the Body Corporate or Strata Manager is.
- It controls functional configurations such as: the deposit slip and how credit card fees are

processed, as well as how creditor payments are configured for payment and the use of the Invoice Hub.

- The financial year start and end dates are stored here, as well as the date that the plan was registered.
- Storing of key meeting dates such as the last and next general meetings, along with the history of each.

This section provides brief explanations for each element of Building Information and how to access this menu.

The screenshot shows a web application window titled 'Building Information - STRATAMAX ONLINE HELP 1521'. The interface includes a 'View' dropdown menu (1), an 'Edit Views' icon (2), an 'Export to Excel' icon (3), and a search bar (4). The main form is titled 'Building Registration' and contains the following fields and annotations:

- Status: Active (5)
- State, Legislation & Type: State (QLD), Type (S.F.P.), Regulatory Module (Accommodation)
- Body Corporate Name: STRATAMAX ONLINE HELP
- Building Long Name: StrataMax Online Help
- Address: 172 Varsity Parade, Varsity Lakes, QLD 4220
- Australian Business Number: 62 096 505 949
- Building Short Name: SMOH
- Plan Number: 11
- CTS Number: 11
- Date of Registration of Plan: 22/02/2019
- Property Type: (empty)
- Registered Address: (empty)
- Extra Address Details: (empty)
- CMS Registered: (empty)
- CMS Approved: (empty)

Annotations include a warning icon (5) next to the Status field, a star icon (6) next to the Building Long Name field, and a star icon (7) next to the Date of Registration of Plan field. A red circle (8) is placed over the 'Save' button, and a red circle (9) is placed over the 'Close' button. A red circle (10) is placed over the 'Notes' button.

1. **View:** Navigate between the different Views configured for your company. All fields available in Building Information can be displayed if 'All Fields' is selected.
2. **Edit Views:** To edit the View items, refer to Edit View below.
3. **Export to Excel for multiple buildings:** Will provide the option to tag one/multiple properties and produce data to excel for the *View* you have selected.
4. **Search Bar:** There is a search bar which allows you to type the name of a field or category, and the displayed items will be adjusted to show only fields containing the letters entered.
5. **Warning icon:** This icon means the field has been set as a Policy & Comments field, a Company Requirement.
6. This is the comment entered for the field in Policy & Comments.
7. **Notes:** Refer to Notes below.

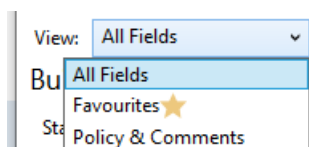
8. **Report:** Produces a PDF report to screen on the property selected.
9. **Save:** Will save any changes made in the Building Information menu.
10. **Close:** To close the Building Information menu.

View history on edits or changes made in **Building Information** from **Search Building Info History**.

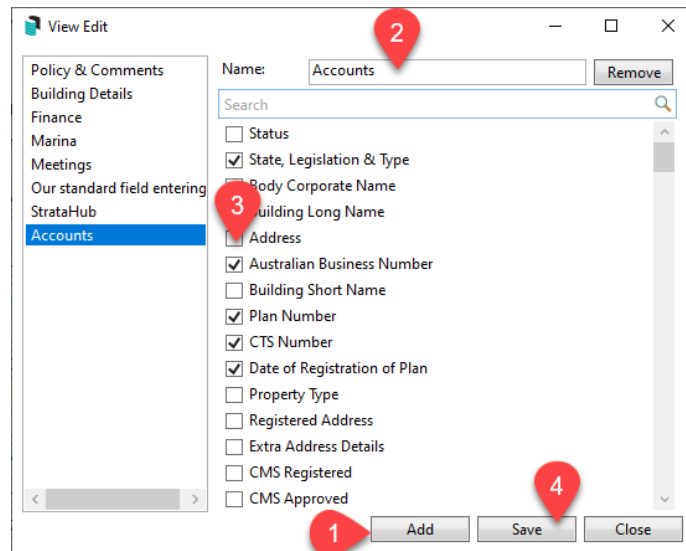
## View Edit | Create Customised Views

There are three standard *Views* available in the View Edit window: 'All Fields', 'Favourites', and 'Policy & Comments'. Click the *Edit Views* button to edit and create your own customised *Views* for specific fields, which also export when using the *Export to Excel* function. The *Views* can be configured for each of your departments or roles, with an 'Accounts' view with the financial information fields selected, or a 'Manager' *View* with fields pertaining to meetings and general property information for example. This function has a permission in **Security Setup** called 'Building info - edit display'. If your Building Information screen is blank or the fields are not as expected, check the *View* selected.

Create a customised View or Favourites View for any regularly produced reports on Building Information to only report the fields in that View.



1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Click on pencil icon next to *View*.
3. Click *Add*.
4. Enter a Name.
5. Tick the fields you would like displayed in your created view.
6. Click *Save*.



## View Edit | Delete Customised Views

1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Click on pencil icon next to *View*.
3. Locate View name and click *Remove*.
4. Click *Save*.

## View Edit | Policy & Comments

*Policy & Comments* provides the ability to configure and easily report on important fields, with users prompted if the fields are left blank. By selecting *Policy & Comments* and running the Excel report, this will offer a quick reporting option on company required data. The fields and supporting comments set in *Policy & Comments* is generally configured by your StrataMax Administrator.

1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. From the View selection, select *Policy & Comments*.
3. Click on pencil icon next to *Policy & Comments*.
4. Tick the required fields and enter a supporting comment next to each field to provide details on the information required to be entered. Users will be prompted to enter data into this field and a comment will be listed next to the field.
5. Click *Save*.

The screenshot shows a 'View Edit' window with a sidebar on the left containing categories like 'Policy & Comments', 'Building Details', 'Finance', 'Marina', 'Meetings', 'Our standard field entering', and 'StrataHub'. The main area shows a list of fields with checkboxes. The 'Property Type' field is checked and has a red box around it. A tooltip for this field reads 'Required for Maintenance decisions'. At the bottom are 'Add', 'Save', and 'Close' buttons.

Property Type

Resort

Required for Maintenance decisions

If *Policy & Comments* is the 'View' selected, click on the Excel report option to only report on your company required fields.

## Setting up Favourites

The Favourites option offers a customisable view so that all your regularly used fields are displayed for easy viewing, as well as quick reporting to Excel. To set a category / field as a Favourite, click on the star icon next to the field. Each field selected will be viewable only for your username when you have Favourites selected as the View. Your selected Favourites will also be available for quick view on the StrataMax Tool bar by hovering on the info icon.

1. Search or select ***Building Information***.
2. View all fields and click the star icon next to your regularly used fields to save them as a Favourite.
3. To display only your Favourite fields, select 'Favourites' from the View drop down selection in the top left corner.

A blue 'Info' icon is available to the right of the *Building Selector*, which when clicked will open the 'Favourites' view in ***Building Information***.



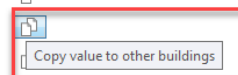
## Copy value to other buildings

Certain data fields, such as *Overdue Levy Interest Rate* and *Overdue Interest Start Date*, have the ability for the data entered into the field to be copied into the Building Information in another property or across your entire portfolio. The copy icon will be displayed next to the field, and when clicked you can select/tag the buildings to copy the data to.

1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Search/locate the field required and ensure data is entered to be copied.
3. Click on the copy icon (this will copy data immediately).
4. In the Building Selection screen, tag the buildings and click *Select* button to copy data to the selected buildings.

### Levies

Minimum Arrears Amount	<input type="text"/>	★	📄
Overdue Levy Interest Rate	<input type="text"/>	★	📄
Overdue Levy Interest Rate (2)	<input type="text"/>	★	📄
Overdue Interest Start Date	<input type="text"/>	★	📄
Interest Days	<input type="text"/>	★	📄
Higher Interest Days	<input type="text"/>	★	📄
Grace Days	<input type="text"/>	★	📄
Basis for Setting Entitlements	<input type="text"/>	★	📄
Entitlement Factor	<input type="text"/>	★	📄



Click the *History* button in **Building Information** to review any changes made to buildings using the 'Copy value to other buildings' option.

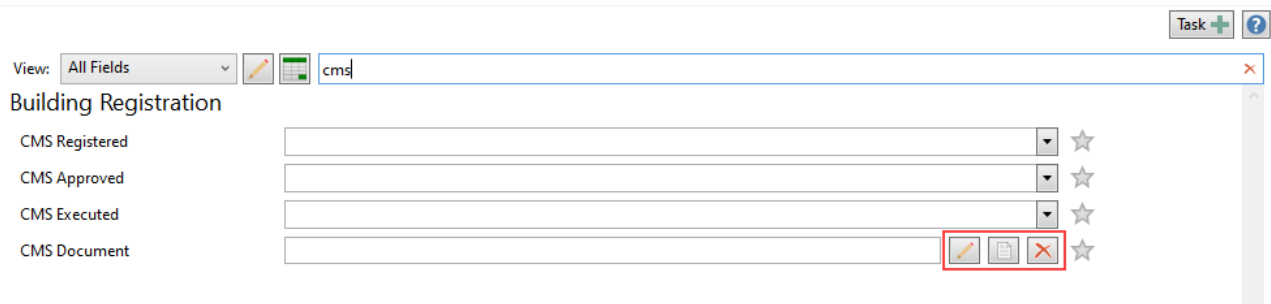
## Community Management Statement (CMS) Document Attachment

Attaching the CMS (which can be included in other areas in StrataMax) and the other related CMS fields is available here. When this document is attached to this field, it will allow it to appear in Document Inclusion for *QLD Certificates* by default.

Click the pencil icon on the CMS Document field to launch DocMax, where you can attach the CMS document. The notepad icon will view this document, and the red cross will delete the document from

this field.

The other CMS fields are date reporting only fields.



The screenshot shows a software interface with a search bar at the top containing the text 'cms'. Below the search bar is a section titled 'Building Registration'. This section contains four rows, each with a text input field and a star icon to its right. The rows are labeled 'CMS Registered', 'CMS Approved', 'CMS Executed', and 'CMS Document'. The 'CMS Document' row has a red box highlighting three icons: a pencil (edit), a document (upload), and a red 'X' (delete).

## Number of Lots (All) | Lot Type Editor

The 'Lot Type Editor' screen is accessed from the *Number of Lots (All)* field in **Building Information** and used to amend the 'Lot Type' and 'Lot Purpose'. This will affect the corresponding fields in the **Building Information** screen.

The *Enable Charge Class Change* button is password protected and managed by the StrataMax Support Team.

### Lot Type

The *Lot Type* field has four options:

1. **Standard:** The default type and should be used in most instances. The lot will be counted towards the 'Number of Lots (Standard)' and 'Number of Lots (All)' fields in **Building Information**. It will be considered active as well, so will also count towards the 'Number of Active Lots' field.
2. **Car Space:** Used for car spaces. The lot will only be counted towards the 'Number of Lots (All)' field in **Building Information**. It will not be considered active (represented by a red cross under the *Active* column), so will not count towards the 'Number of Active Lots' field. The *Lot Purpose* field will also disappear.
3. **Storage Space:** Used for storage spaces. The lot will only be counted towards the 'Number of Lots (All)' field in **Building Information**. It will not be considered active (represented by a red cross under the *Active* column), so will not count towards the 'Number of Active Lots' field. The *Lot Purpose* field will also disappear.
4. **Resubdivided:** Should be used after the lot entitlements have been set to zero/nil and reallocated as part of resubdivision or staged development, and the lot needs to be extinguished (see [Change Existing Lot Entitlements](#) for more info). If the lot has '1' or more in the *Contribution* or *Interest Entitlements* fields, the 'Resubdivision' option can still be selected, but it will not count towards the 'Number of Lots (All)' field. The lot will still be considered active as well, so will also count towards the 'Number of Active Lots' field. The *Lot Purpose* field will also disappear.

Levy Notices & Correspondence are not sent to lots with a lot type of Resubdivided.

The screenshot shows the 'Lot Type Editor' window. At the top is a table with columns: Active, Account Code, Charge Class, Lot Type, Lot Purpose, Lot, Unit, Contribution Entitlement, and Interest Entitlement. The 'Lot Type' column is highlighted with a red box. Below the table, a summary section is also highlighted with a red box, showing: 'Number of Lots (Standard): 2', 'Number of Lots (Standard + Car Park + Storage): 3', and 'Number of Lots for StrataMax fees (Active): 1'. To the right of this summary are two buttons: 'Enable Charge Class Change' and 'Save Changes'. Below the summary is a 'Building Information' section with a search bar containing 'lot' and a 'Structural' section with a table of statistics: 'Number of Lots (Standard): 2', 'Number of Lots (All): 3', and 'Number of Active Lots: 1'. Each row in the 'Structural' table has an edit icon and a star icon.

Active	Account Code	Charge Class	Lot Type	Lot Purpose	Lot	Unit	Contribution Entitlement	Interest Entitlement
✓	02100001	Default	Standard	Residential	1	1	34.0000	0.0000
✗	02100002	Default	Car Space		2	2	66.0000	0.0000
✗	02100003	Default	Standard	Residential	3	3	0.0000	0.0000

Number of Lots (Standard): 2  
Number of Lots (Standard + Car Park + Storage): 3  
Number of Lots for StrataMax fees (Active): 1

Enable Charge Class Change Save Changes

Building Information - 100-000-0000-0000

View: All Fields lot

Structural

Number of Lots (Standard)	2		
Number of Lots (All)	3		
Number of Active Lots	1		

## Lot Purpose

The *Lot Purpose* field is only available if the *Lot Type* is set to 'Standard' and has four options. These do not affect the 'Number of Lots' fields, or whether the lot is considered active or not:

1. **Residential:** The lot will be counted towards the 'Number of Residential Units' field in **Building Information**.
2. **Commercial:** The lot will be counted towards the 'Number of Commercial Units' field in **Building Information**.
3. **Retirement Village:** The lot will be counted towards the 'Number of Retirement Village Units' field in **Building Information**.
4. **Other:** The lot will be counted towards the 'Number of Other Units' field in **Building Information**.

**Lot Type Editor**

Active	Account Code	Charge Class	Lot Type	Lot Purpose	Lot	Unit	Contribution Entitlement	Interest Entitlement
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	02100001	Default	Standard	Residential	1	15D	23.0000	0.0000
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	02100002	Default	Standard	Commercial	2	13D	23.0000	0.0000
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	02100003	Default	Standard	Retirement Village	3	11D	24.0000	0.0000
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	02100004	Default	Standard	Other	4	9D	23.0000	0.0000

Number of Lots (Standard): 4  
 Number of Lots (Standard + Car Park + Storage): 4  
 Number of Lots for StrataMax fees (Active): 4

Enable Charge Class Change Save Changes

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**Building Information**

View: All Fields number of

**Structural**

Number of Commercial Units	1		
Number of Residential Units	1		
Number of Retirement Village Units	1		
Number of Other Units	1		

Notes History Report Save Close

## Australian Business Number & Registered for BAS / IAS (GST)

When entering the *Australian Business Number (ABN)* a validity check is completed to ensure the ABN being entered is active. The building details will be displayed under the ABN field and it is important to check that this information matches the property details being setup. The current GST Registered status will also be displayed. It is recommended, at this install stage, the *Registered for BAS / IAS (GST)* field is set so not missed. GST will not be calculated when entering the financials in the *Opening Balance Setup* screen.

1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Search for BAS / IAS or GST.
3. Tick to register for one or more of the types based on information registered with the ATO.
4. Complete all required fields
5. Select *Save*.

The BAS or IAS must have valid ATO creditor details, including the BPAY CRN or EFT Reference for payments, and ensure that the BAS / IAS can finalised in the *Business Activity Statement* screen. The ATO's BPay CRN or EFT Reference, which is unique for each building, should be entered into the ATO's *Creditor Maintenance* record, which will then be displayed in this section in **Building Information**.

Building Information - BAS AND TAX - KEEP 21223

View: Favourites

### Building Registration

Body Corporate Name: BAS AND TAX - KEEP ★

Australian Business Number (ABN): 62 096 505 949 Branch:  ★

STRATAMAX PTY. LTD. (Active - Australian Private Company, GST Registered)

### Tax

Australian Company Number (ACN): 096 505 949 ★

Tax File Number: 120329936 ★

Registered for BAS/IAS (GST):  (Yes) ★

Simple BAS  
 Full BAS

GST: Quarterly  Net Style

PAYG Withholding: Quarterly

PAYG Instalment: Quarterly

PAYG Instalment Option 1 (Amount)  
 PAYG Instalment Option 2 (Rate)

PAYG Instalment Expense Account: 24205 INCOME TAX INSTALMENT ...

PAYG Instalment Amount: 55

PAYG Instalment Rate:

Don't Prepare BAS on or before: 30/06/2024

ATO Creditor Account: 08200003 AUSTRALIAN TAXATION ...

ATO Creditor's BPAY CRN: 26541666555466554

ATO Creditor's EFT Reference:

Override BPAY CRN for BAS invoices:

Override EFT Reference for BAS invoices:

Notes History Report Save Close

- **Simple BAS** - Reports:
  - G1 - Total Sales
  - 1A - GST on Sales
  - 1B - GST on Purchases
- **Full BAS** - Reports additional information and is used if the income is greater than \$10 million dollars annually. This also includes:
  - G2 - Export Sales
  - G3 - Other GST Free Sales
  - G10 - Capital Purchases
  - G11 - Non-Capital Purchases
- **GST Reporting Style** - Changing the Reporting style will update the GST transactions for reporting when saved.
 

Gross reporting will show the GST on Income & Expenses in a separate account on the Income and Expenditure Statement. If the *Show Generated Levies on Balance Sheet* configuration in **Levy Management** has been set, there will also be a GST account code included on the Balance Sheet for Gross Reporting.

Net reporting will report GST on the applicable Income or Expense account.

The reporting style will update reporting and transactions for the Current Year and Old Year if changed. If *Financial Year Audit* field is set to Y (Audit Done) for the prior year, then the accounts

will not adjust for the Old Year, only the Current Year will change GST reporting style.

- **Override BPAY CRN / EFT Reference** - the option to enter an override reference number is only required if the reference is **different** to the number stored on the Creditor in **Creditor Maintenance** (i.e. using the same Creditor for BAS and Income Tax or using Account Groups with the same Creditor for BAS).

## GST Reporting Style

To change the Income and Expenditure statement from Gross GST Reporting to Net Reporting follow the below steps.

1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Search for BAS / IAS or GST.
3. Amend the GST to *Net Style* or *Gross Style*.
4. Select *Save*, this will update the GST transactions.

This will update the GST on Income and Expense accounts, or on each individual income or expense account, depending on the reporting method selected. The reporting style will update reporting and transactions for the Current Year and the Old Year if changed. If the *Financial Year Audit* field is set to Y (Audit Done) for the prior year, then the accounts will not adjust for the Old Year; only the Current Year will change GST reporting style.

Budget information can be exported via the **Financial Statements**, which include all account codes in use. This information can then be used to create formulas to update each account to either include or exclude GST, depending on how the change is being applied.

## Account Group Buildings | ABN / TFN / GST & Number of Lots/Entitlements






Account Group information such as the ABN, TFN, GST Registered status and the Number of Lots/Entitlements is displayed in **Building Information** as Read Only. This information is set up from **Account Group Setup** for each individual account group. Each Account Group can be setup to report either separately for each tax or using a consolidated BAS. If each account group is to report separately, the Override BPay CRN or EFT Reference can be added to the specific account group to ensure that the Creditor Invoices will be processed correctly when the BAS is finalised.

A global report can be produced selecting these fields from **Building Information | Global Report (Export to Excel)**.

## Adding Meetings & Voting Details

Record and retain the history of the date, time, location and notice distribution dates for Annual General Meeting, Committee Meetings and Extraordinary General Meetings under the 'Meetings & Voting'

heading. Each meeting recorded here can also be linked to multiple documents, such as the Agenda, Meeting Materials, and Minutes. This information can also be accessed from [Search Meetings](#).

Meetings & Voting	
Annual General Meeting	Last Meeting: 29/07/22 10:00 AM Next Meeting: 29/10/22 12:00 AM Meeting Address: Byron Bay  ★
Voting Entitlements	Contribution <input type="text"/> ★
Meeting Notice Days	<input type="text" value="10"/> ★
Meeting Minutes Days	<input type="text" value="10"/> ★
Committee meetings in contract	<input type="text" value="10"/> ★
Committee Meeting	Last Meeting: 01/08/22 10:00 AM Next Meeting: Meeting Address: Meeting Room Kingscliff Hotel  ★
Extraordinary General Meeting	Last Meeting: 28/04/22 01:00 PM Next Meeting: Meeting Address: Benowa  ★
Voting Outside Committee Meeting	Last Meeting: 10/08/22 12:00 AM Next Meeting: Meeting Address: Courtyard  ★
Other Meeting	Last Meeting: 26/04/22 12:00 AM Next Meeting: 22/08/22 12:00 AM Meeting Address: Onsite Cafe  ★
Quorum Percent	<input type="text" value="15.00"/> ★
Quorum Special Resolution Date	<input type="text" value="09/05/2022"/> ★

1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Click *Meetings* button next to the meeting type.
3. Add all details (Location, Timezone, etc.) as required.
4. Under the 'Linked Documents' field, click the *Add Meeting Document* button to open the DocMax 'Select Document' window, to select and link a document to this meeting.
5. Once all fields are populated as needed, click *Save*.
6. Last Meeting & Next Meeting date will be displayed, and historical meetings can be viewed by clicking on the *Meetings* icon.

Meetings
- □ ×

Annual General Meetings
▼

Meeting Type	Annual General Meeting ▼		
Date	30/04/2024 ▼	00 : 00	Comments <span style="float: right;">[X]</span>
Location	<input type="text"/>		
Timezone	<input type="text"/>		
Notice Sent	<input type="text"/> ▼	Minutes Sent	<input type="text"/> ▼
Nominations Sent	<input type="text"/> ▼	Minutes Approved	<input type="text"/> ▼
<span style="background-color: #f0f0f0; border: 1px solid #ccc; border-radius: 5px; padding: 2px 5px; display: inline-block;">2113937-20231220 Forthcoming Meeting Notice [X]</span>			
Linked Documents:			
<span style="background-color: #f0f0f0; border: 1px solid #ccc; border-radius: 5px; padding: 2px 5px; display: inline-block; margin-right: 10px;">2225016-Notice of Annual General Meeting [X]</span> <span style="background-color: #f0f0f0; border: 1px solid #ccc; border-radius: 5px; padding: 2px 5px; display: inline-block; margin-right: 10px;">2254546-20240430 AGM Notice [X]</span>			
<span style="background-color: #f0f0f0; border: 1px solid #ccc; border-radius: 5px; padding: 2px 5px; display: inline-block; margin-right: 10px;">2293433-Minutes of Annual General Meeting [X]</span> <span style="background-color: #f0f0f0; border: 1px solid #ccc; border-radius: 5px; padding: 2px 5px; display: inline-block;">2299248-20240430 AGM Minutes [X]</span>			

Meeting Type	Annual General Meeting ▼		<span style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px 15px;">Save</span> <span style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px 15px; margin-left: 10px;">+ Add Meeting</span>
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The Committee Election Ballot Type can also be recorded, with options to select either Open or Secret Ballot as per the example below.

Building Information - STRATAMAX ONLINE HELP KEEP 300621

View: All Fields Committee Election

Meetings & Voting

Committee Election Ballot Type

Open Ballot  
Secret Ballot

Notes History Report Save Close

## Financial Year Audit (Audit Done)

Record if an audit is required, completed and the date of audit and Auditor Name. If *Audit Done* is ticked this will prevent any additional journals or transactions posting in the relevant Financial Year.

1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Search or locate the *Financial Year Audit* field under 'Other' heading.
3. Add the details as required and click *Save*.

Building Information - STRATAMAX ONLINE HELP KEEP 300621

View: All Fields audit

Other

Financial Year Audit	31/05/2023	<input type="checkbox"/> Audit Required	Auditor Name	<input type="text"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/> Audit Done	Audit Date	<input type="text"/>
	31/05/2022	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Audit Required	Auditor Name	Audits R Us
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Audit Done	Audit Date	11/10/2022

## Builder, Developer, Accounts Manager Assistant & Asset Manager

The Builder, Developer, Accounts Manager Assistant & Asset Manager fields adopt the Contact Card principle, whereby each contact will have an individual contact card, which can be selected across properties in your portfolio once it has been created and saved.

1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Search for the required field.
3. Click *Select* and then either:
  - Search from list to see if contact exists and click *Select* if located.
  - Click *Create Contact* if contact not located in list.
4. Click *Save*.

## Management

Account Manager

Account Manager Assistant

Lana Clarke

Ms Aluka River  
175 Varsity Parade  
Varsity Lakes QLD 4227  
accounts@stratamax.com.au

Select Clear

## Building Photos/Building Plans

To save building photos/plans for viewing in **Building Information**, the photo/s can be added to **DocMax** with the Category selected as 'Building Photos' for Building Photos or 'Building Plans' for Building Plans, these documents will then be viewable when clicking on the hyperlink to be directed to the record in **DocMax**.

1. Search or select **DocMax**.
2. [Add a document](#) using your preferred method and save for each property as required, with the *Category* set as either 'Building Photos' or 'Building Plans' depending on the type of document being saved.

To view the saved documents in StrataMax:

1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Using the search bar, type in 'Photo' or 'Plans' for quick navigation to the *Building Photos* or *Plans* field.
3. Click on the hyperlink to view the saved record.

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View: All Fields Search

Committee	ABC Strata	Body Corp. Manager	i	☆	
	Candessa Ashbury	Committee Member	i		
	Mr Alfie Andrews	Chairperson	i		
	Steven Jobs	Building Manager	i		
Strata Renewal Committee Established	■ (Not Set)			☆	
Interim or Final Occupation Certificate Date				☆	
Building Photos	Add a photo using the Building Photos category in DocMax			☆	
Building Plans	Add a plan using the Building Plans category in DocMax <a href="#">Building Plans Building Plans 11</a>			☆	
Bank Accounts	Bank	BSB	Account	Balance	☆
	SCM	124-367	123456789	39215.81	

Notes History Report Save Close

## 'StrataPay Only' Setting – Building Information

This field setting is used when you want to exclude one or more plans from your portfolio from accessing the Owners Portal/StrataMax website for any reason. Including this field with a 'Y' (Yes) will prevent the building from being available to view on the Portal, and will also affect Invoice Hub approvals.

## Building Information | Local Report

A local report is available for the property selected.

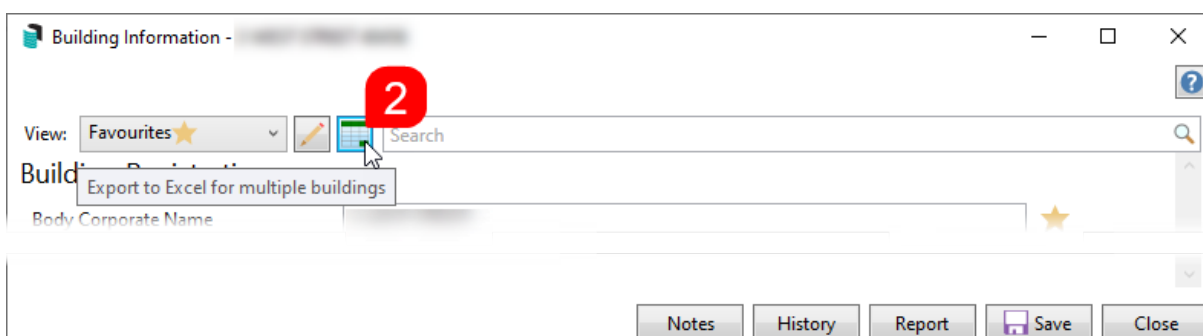
1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Click the *Report* button in the bottom right.
3. The report will be produced to screen for printing/emailing or saving as required.

## Building Information | Global Report (Export to Excel)

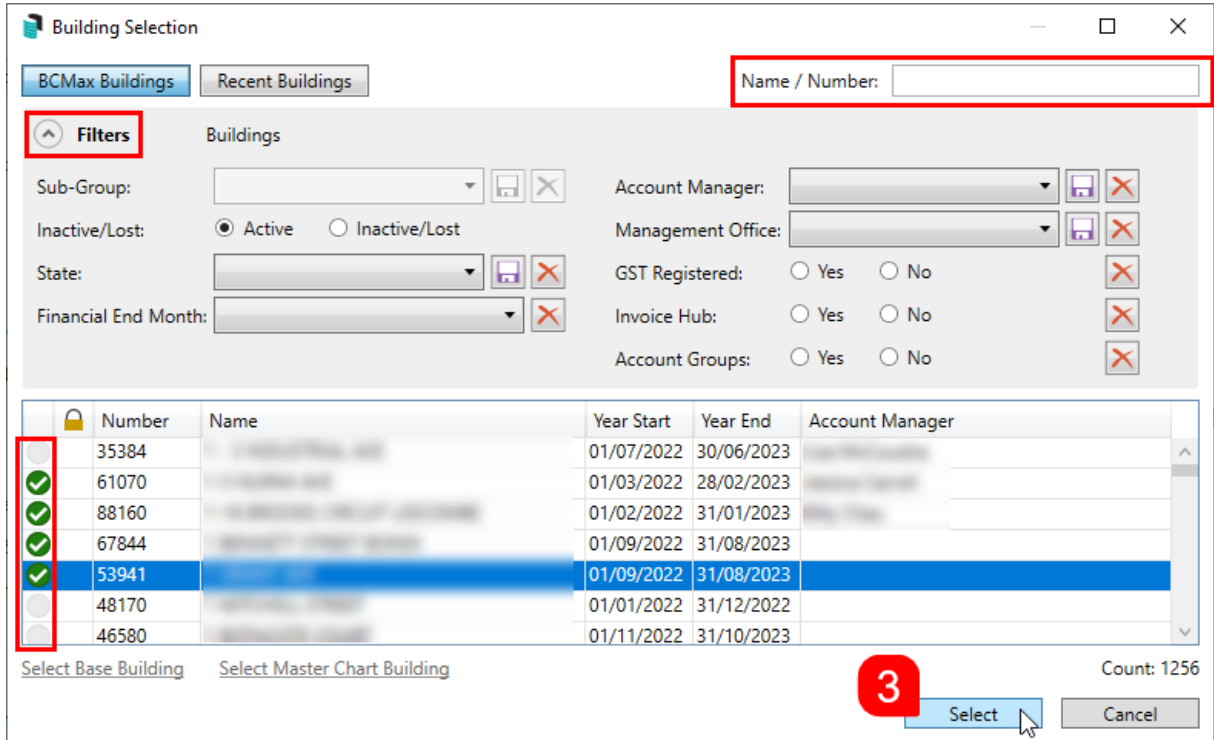
Any fields in **Building Information** can be exported to an Excel report, where filters can be used to view the data in numerous ways, and formulas can be used to modify the data. This export can be used to create a list of buildings, displaying the building name, number, number of active lots, account manager, if the **Invoice Hub** is active/enabled or not, and many more.

The export will include any fields that are visible in the *View* that is selected at the time the *Export to Excel* button is clicked. So, you should use a *customised view* or *Favourites* view to produce an export with fields to suit your needs. For regular reporting on fields that are not setup in a *View*, use the Search Buildings function available from the search bar or menu icon, as this allows one off reporting and saved searches.

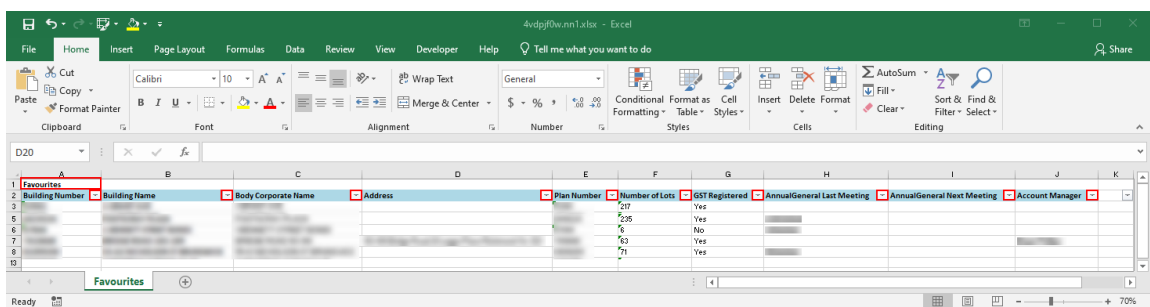
1. Search or select **Building Information**.
2. Make sure that the required *View* is selected, then click the *Export to Excel...* icon in the top left.



3. When the 'Building Selection' window appears, you can use the *Name / Number* field to search for a building or use the different *Filters* to narrow down the list to the required buildings. Tag the required buildings and click *Select*.



- The Excel sheet will open with the *View* name in cell A1, with all fields included in the *View* assigned to each column, with filters for each column ready in place for your convenience.
  - To save the report, make sure to use *File > Save As* so you can choose the save location and file name. If you just use the *Save* function, the report will save with a random name ('zabplprf.cfz.xlsx' for example) in a hidden temporary folder.



## Building Information | Notes

This is for storing notes relevant for the particular property. There is a search bar on the top to quickly search stored details. The *Subject* list is made up of all prior *Subjects* used when a note is entered. *Categories* can be saved so they are available from the drop-down arrow & may also be deleted if required.

- Search or select **Building Information**.

2. Click on *Notes*.
3. Click *Add* to add a note for the Building Information screen, enter a *Subject* and select the *Category* as required.
4. Add your notes to the notepad area of the screen or copy and paste from the source of information.
5. Click the 'X' in the top right when finished and you will be asked if you want to save the note, select *Yes*.
6. Further information on **Notes** is in the [Notes](#) article.


## Building Information | Certificate Info

Information for *this building only*, which can be edited, added or deleted from **Certificates**/cogwheel / **Info Editor**, is also available to amend in **Building Information**. The available fields will be state-specific to the certificate type.



The screenshot displays the 'Building Information' application window. At the top, there is a 'View: All Fields' dropdown and a search bar containing 'cer'. Below this, there are several fields: 'Cert Approval' with a checkbox for '(No)', 'Interim or Final Occupation' with a dropdown menu, and 'Certificate Date'. A red box highlights the 'Certificate Info' section in the left-hand navigation pane. The main area contains a list of fields under the heading 'Strata Schemes Management Act 2015'. These fields include: 'Sealing Clause', 'Other Payable to Person', 'Other Payable to Reason', 'Other Payable to Next Amount', 'Other Payable to Next Due', 'Other Payable to Balance', 'BMC Name', 'BMC Address for Notice', 'BMC Contribution Details', 'Capital Works Funding Proposal', 'Has a strata renewal committee been established?', 'Brief details of proposed renewal project', 'Amenities and services amounts payable (Section 117)', 'Particulars of Outstanding Orders (11A)', 'Strata Scheme includes an exclusive supply network', 'By-laws' (with a text area containing '-Laws Text By-Laws Text By-Laws Text By-Laws Text'), and 'Nature of relevant services provided by the exclusive supply network'. At the bottom of the window, there are buttons for 'Notes', 'History', 'Report', 'Save', and 'Close'.

## Valid Combinations / Building Registration

The State, Type and Regulatory Module options will display for valid types that dependent on the options selected. For example, if QLD is the State, only valid QLD Type and Regulatory Modules will be

available for selection, and if NSW is selected as the State, only NSW valid options will be available for selection. The Type selection list incorporates the full name and abbreviation. Click on [Valid Combinations.xlsx](#)  to view an Excel report of the Valid Combinations available in StrataMax.

## Building Registration

Status	Active	
State, Legislation & Type	State	QLD 
	Type	Building Format Plan (B.F.P.)
	Regulatory Module	Accommodation
Body Corporate and Community Management Act 1997		

## Management Office Function

The Management Office field allows for buildings to be associated with a specific Management Office. This is often used when a Management Company has multiple offices, and allows for buildings to be assigned to a office, which can be used for filtering and reporting. The *Building Selector* allows for the list of buildings to be filtered to a specific office, once filtered will only show selected office for processes and reporting. The management office field can also be output on various reports such as Management Fees Report, TRMax Recoveries (Excel) and Searches can have the field added to include in reports.

A separate Letterhead can be set if required to be different by management office, please refer to our article on [Manager Maintenance](#) for further details on setting up multiple manager records.

To create Management Offices follow the below steps:

1. Search or select ***Building Information***.
2. Locate the Management Office field.
3. Click on the [...] icon
4. Click on the *Add* button and enter the required details.
5. Click on the *Save* button.

To assign a Management Office, follow the below steps:

1. Search or select ***Building Information***.
2. Locate the 'Management Office' field.
3. Select the Management Office from the dropdown list.
4. Click on *Save*.

Note: Use the '*copy value to other buildings*' to allow to update easily across the portfolio.

## Change Financial Year End Date

The financial year dates of a building are set when a building is first setup in StrataMax. In some scenarios a building may require the financial year end date to be changed, which can be done within Building Information in some scenarios. Changing a financial year does not update budgets, levies, management fees etc., therefore update these as required after changing the financial year.

Changing a Financial Year End will not change Old or Historic Years.

If a financial year end date needs to be changed to a date that has already passed; please log a case with our support team providing the building number and required dates.

## Shortening a Financial Year

To change a financial year to less than 12 months; in **Building Information** edit the Financial Year End date and select Save.

## Extending a Financial Year

If a financial year is set to more than 12 months, back dated and monthly financial statements may report incorrectly as some transactional data is stored by month.

To change a financial year to more than 12 months; in **Building Information** edit the Financials Year End date and select Save. A warning will appear regarding the above.



View: All Fields



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### Other

**Financial Year**

Start: 01/07/2023

End: 31/10/2024



The financial year end date is more than 12 months after the start date and can cause back dated financial reporting to be incorrect.

Financial Year Audit

31/10/2023

Audit Required

Auditor Name



Audit Done

Audit Date

Notes

History

Report

Save

Close