

End of Year Checklist

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Reconcile Accounts	1
Bank accounts and clear old unpresented cheques	
Foreign Banks	
Credit Cards	
 Petty Cash/Cash Drawer 	
Bank Loans	
Electronic Clearing (Justify why not zero?)	
Un-deposited Funds (Justify why not zero?)	
Debit/PayPal/Bit Coin and other	
 Clear Suspense. Payroll Clearing and POS Clearing (Justify why not zero?) 	
Reconcile Debtors and Creditors	2
 Write off Bad Debts after client reviews 	
 Reconcile to Balance Sheet 	
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 Review Advanced Deposits and show link to orders 	
 Review outstanding orders 	
 Review Returns and Credits – apply to invoices or clear 	
Reconcile Pension	3
 Reconcile unpaid pension liability to B/Sheet Pension Liability 	
Check Pension Expense validate it equals Payments if not why?	
 Review annual Pension for Payment Summaries 	
Clear Suspense. Payroll Clearing and POS Clearing (Justify why not zero?)	
Reconcile PAYROLL Withholding	4
 Reconcile unpaid Payroll liability report to B/Sheet Payroll Liability 	
 Check Payroll Liability paid for the year equals Payroll Summary YTD Tax 	
Check Payroll reports paid for the month/quarter = Payroll Summary Monthly/Qt	tr
Reconcile Payroll Tax	5
Reconcile Payroll Tax for the Year	



Prepare Payment Summaries (Refer to Payroll EOY Guide)	
Prepare payment summaries, save PDFs,	
Reconcile Loan Accounts and Inter-Company Loans	6
Review Directors Loan	
Reconcile Inter-Company Loans ensuring balances are the same	
Reconcile Inventory	7
 Write off obsolete stock (File report for future reference) 	
Check Average Cost of stock at Stock-take	
 Check Stock-take Balance against B/Sheet Stock on Hand Balance 	
Reconcile Sales Tax Control Accounts	8
■ If Cash – Reconcile outstanding Sales tax to the Agency	
■ If Accrual – Reconcile outstanding Sales tax to the Agency paid on YE report	
Review Assets Bought and Sold Within the Financial Year	9
Review last year Depreciation Schedule for assets to write off or sold	
 Review all assets purchases in the year have date of purchase, value and full description 	
Provide Information to the Client	
Profit and Loss Statement YTD	
 Last Year Analysis Profit and Loss YTD 	
 Balance Sheet at Year End (Point Out – Bank Balance, Debtors, Creditors, Loans, Inventory) 	
 Summary of Outstanding Debtors and Creditors 	
Project/Job Profitability	
Provide Information to the Accountant	
 Profit and Loss Statement YTD 	
Balance Sheet at Year End	
Trial Balance at Year End Trial Balance at Year End	
 Receivables and Payables Reconciliation Summary at Year End 	
Inventory Value Reconciliation Report at Year End	
Copy of all Sales Tax Returns for the Year	
Copy of Financed Documents	
 Backup of client's file and login and password 	



EOY Adjustments	10
 Enter Journals provided by the Accountant 	
 Compare Profit and Loss and Balance Sheet with Accountants Financials 	
Start a New Financial Year	11
 Take a copy of the file and store in a 'years' folder for easy access 	
 Roll over the file ensuring to flag, if required, keep prior year data 	