

We offer a number of predefined and bespoke training packages to help you get the most out of Sigma software. Whether you are new to the system and want to start with the basics, or a super user who wants to put into practice a new system feature, we have a course to suit you.

All our training courses are delivered by our expert Software Training team, and can be held in the comfort of your own office or at our onsite facility in Milton Keynes.

A typical training day runs from 9am to 3.30pm, allowing for a half-an-hour lunch.

The following is a list of our predefined courses, please speak to your Account Manager for more information about which sessions will provide the best training for your use of the system.

Course Code	Subject	Description	Approx Length
G1	Introduction to Sigma	 Logging in and out Set preferences Navigate Sigma Overview of available activities Understanding the tree selector Help available 	45 minutes
G2	Searching	Understanding some of the search methods, including:Tree selectorItem finderMulti-list selector	30 minutes
G3	Advanced searching	 Understanding the advanced searching methods, including: Global search Store searches Custom searches Custom searches Advanced item finder searches 	30 minutes
G4	Creating and amending stored searches	 Creating a stored search Understanding the icons, including amending and delegting Amending stored search in the custom search 	30 minutes
G5	Estate management	 View supply points, sites, accounts, meters Create supply points, sites, accounts, meters Edit data Remove data Use the set up wizard 	2 hours

General

Course Code	Subject	Description	Approx Length
		 View and extract data such as lists of sites, meters and accounts Amend data in bulk e.g. adding addresses, meter numbers and channel ID Change contracts and account numbers individually and in bulk 	
G6	Adding information in bulk	 Add sites, meters, accounts etc in bulk using a CSV file format 	30 minutes
G7	Overview activities	 View the overview screens, including: Events overview Performance overview Period summary overview Site overview 	30 minutes
G8	Energy Viewer	Viewing the components of Energy ViewerSetting up users	30 minutes

Administration

Course Code	Subject	Description	Approx Length
A1	Administration	 Admin dashboard Create new users and roles Restrict access to particular sites Reset passwords 	45 minutes
A2	Admin data management	 Amend items in drop down menus Add items to drop down menus 	15 minutes

Billing

Course Code	Subject	Description	Approx Length
B1	Manual bill entry	 Introduction and searching Overview View bills Enter manual bills View EDI bills View the account history screen Customise the screen 	2 hours
B2	Bulk bill entry	 Set-up Sigma for bulk billing Load EDI files in batches Understand the validation Check the batch and load bills into Sigma View and delete EDI bills Remove a batch 	2.5 hours
В3	Bill view	 Search and view Sigma bills. This is for those who only view bills but do not enter them. 	30 minutes

Course Code	Subject	Description	Approx Length
В4	Bill validation	 Add validation for manual and/ or bulk bills Amend and remove validators 	30 minutes
В5	Advanced bill validation	Add property keys to link into validatorsAdd advanced bill validators	30 minutes
В6	Template editor	Understand the layoutCreate, amend and delete bill templates	30 minutes
В7	Managing billing queries	 Create, update and close a query Print and search Report on queries Add new categories 	45 minutes
В8	Accounts Link	 Understand what Accounts Link is for. To link to your existing finance system to add payment bills. Choose the bills for export Run a summary report and export bills View previous exports 	1 hour
В9	Importing historic bills	Create the CSV fileImport the file	1 hour

Metering

Course Code	Subject	Description	Approx Length
M1	Meter readings	 Input, export and delete individual readings Import and export readings in bulk Energy Viewer 	1 hour
M2	Half hourly data	 Set-up meters Import half hourly data Schedule imports or half hourly data View gaps in data Common reports for data Browse metering data Export meter readings 	2 hours
M3	Browsing	Browse graphs of metering data	30 minutes
M4	Data monitoring	 Setting up strategies including data gaps, overdue data and unexpected data Setting up profiles including fixed and dynamic profiles Using the data monitoring activity to work through notifications 	2 hours

Reporting

Course Code	Subject	Description	Approx Length
R1	Basic reporting	Run reportsView reportsCommon reports	1.5 hours
R2	Associated data	 Understand associated data, i.e. floor area, population Set-up associated data Common reports using associated data Use the associated data wizard 	45 minutes
R3	Degree days	 Import degree days Set-up degree days Common reports using degree days 	1 hour
R4	Cost definitions	 Understand cost definitions i.e. day rate, day and night rate Set-up cost definitions Common reports using cost definitions 	30 minutes
R5	Monitoring points	 Understand monitoring points i.e. grouping items together to allow certain reports to run Set-up monitoring points Use the wizard to set-up Edit and delete Common reports and using monitoring points 	1 hour
R6	Scheduling	• Schedule reports to run at a later date or to reoccur at defined intervals	30 minutes
R7	Property keys	 Understand property keys. They are used to store any user specific information such as PPU rates, VAT codes and financial information. Set-up individual property keys in bulk Validate bills using property keys Search using property keys 	30 minutes
R8	Budgeting	Create a budget groupCreate a budgetManage the budget	1 hour
R9	Monitoring and targeting	 Monitor data Set targets Common monitoring and targeting reports 	1 hour
R10	Regression	 Use the period comparison report Create a correlation View the regression, CuSUM and control charts 	1 hour

Sigma Energy Intelligence

Course Code	Subject	Description	Approx Length
E1	Creating a report	Overview of Energy IntelligenceCreate a reportCopy and amend default reports	3 hours
E2	Creating a dashboard	 Add existing or newly created reports to a dashboard 	30 minutes
E3	Creating a KPI report and dashboard	Create a KPI reportCreate a KPI dashboard	30 minutes
E4	Creating a storyboard	 Creating a storyboard using existing and newly created reports 	30 minutes

Sigma Tenant Billing

Course Code	Subject	Description	Approx Length
Τ1	Introduction and billing	 Logging into Sigma Searching methods Understanding the tenant billing components Pre-checks and reports Initiating the bill run Checking, approving and issuing bills Printing and savings bills Creating a file for accounts 	1 day
Т2	Change of tenancy and maintenance	 Change of tenancy Moving tenants in and out Charging options Viewing historical data Maintenance Reporting 	1 day

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