

From receipt to better decisions

Separate the new improvements from the earlier extension

A received batch needs a recorded inspection decision.

Quality management itself is not an October launch. The base extension became generally available in April 2026. The BC29 detail identifies prompts for self-assignment, automatic passed/failed quantities on Finish, assisted destination bins and navigation from a blocked transaction to its inspection. Use those improvements to make responsibility and the next action visible; an inspection result is not by itself proof of legal compliance.

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Check why an inspection is generated

Technical detail - Posting succeeds, but the expected inspection does not appear.

Inspect the template, enabled generation rule and effective integration permission together. Posting permission alone is insufficient. For source actions and automatic triggers, rules are evaluated by sort order and the first matching rule is used, so check overlapping conditions rather than merely adding another rule. Production scenarios require Premium. A useful setup check follows one representative receipt and the intended inspector permissions; this is a proposed check, not a test performed here.

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Finish and reinspection answer different questions

A result must be closed, or new tests are needed after corrective action.

Finish calculates passed and failed quantities using a positive sample size, otherwise the base quantity. Reinspection rebuilds test lines from the current template without copying entered test values. Do not treat the new inspection as a continuation with old measurements already filled in. Check the template version and enter fresh results appropriate to the new inspection; the software action does not determine whether the sampling approach is sufficient for the business.

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Configure the calculation before entering factors

The purchasing team wants repeatable emissions estimates on documents.

The BC29 addition is formula calculation on purchase documents, not the first sustainability journal. Enable purchase emissions and formulas, then configure the sustainability account, category/subcategory and relevant factors. Orders, invoices, credit memos and returns are covered. Identify who maintains factors and inputs before presenting the result as useful management information. A computed number is not an independently measured or certified footprint.

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A changed unit is not a conversion

Technical detail - The entered formula quantity uses a different unit from the supplier information.

Changing the formula unit does not convert inputs or recalculate the formula. Verify that quantity, factor and unit describe the same basis before calculation. Likewise, changing the purchase quantity changes per-unit emissions rather than the formula total. A useful controlled check records the original total and unit amount, changes the document quantity, and inspects both values instead of assuming the total followed the quantity.

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Follow partial posting and choose one input path

A delivery is invoiced in parts, while some emissions were entered manually.

Partial posting apportions emissions. Follow the posted portion and remaining document rather than comparing only a formula total with one invoice. Manual emissions and formula inputs are alternative paths, not inputs to combine on the same line. Purchase-document formulas do not support Water or Waste. Keep these boundaries visible in setup instructions so users do not infer coverage from a familiar sustainability field name.

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Choose the fallback at the location

An item has planning parameters but no stockkeeping unit for this location.

An existing SKU supplies the planning parameters. Without one, the location policy chooses Minimal, Item Card or Don't Plan. Item Card uses item parameters through a temporary SKU and records the fallback. Do not assume that missing SKUs always mean the item card wins, or switch every location to the same policy. Compare a representative item-location pair with and without its SKU and confirm which rule the planner actually intends.

Generally available from 1 April 2026, BC28 release family; exact cumulative build not established

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Separate no planning from no saved SKU

Technical detail - A location should be excluded, or users are prevented from creating persistent SKUs.

Don't Plan skips planning and overrides Components at Location. Preventing creation of persisted SKUs does not prevent temporary SKUs used by planning. Minimal also has documented exceptions involving Components at Location and the Order reordering policy; read those before selecting it as a universal fallback. These are different controls: whether planning runs, where parameters come from and whether a permanent master-data record is created.

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Preview the partner agreement, not just the document

A company wants purchase-order exchange through its electronic-document setup.

EDI exchange is public preview in BC29, not generally available. It extends E-Documents to order exchange and sending remittance advices, using Peppol BIS3 with extension options for other formats. This is not a promise that every partner or EDI standard works. Establish the core E-Document setup, then verify the partner format and connector arrangements. External access points can require separate contracts, fees and credentials; no provider is endorsed here.

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Make CI consume test outcomes

Technical detail - A hosted job reports that a test command ran successfully.

The AL command-line tool can execute server test codeunits with al runtests without an MCP server. Configure the target, company and authentication, and ensure the matching tests and dependencies are installed. Invocation success is not the same as data.success or each method result. The documented exit status is zero when no tests fail, otherwise one; inspect total and skipped counts as well. Sharing a connection across test groups does not install missing libraries or prove that a meaningful test selection ran.

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