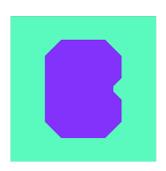


BEYOND Manufacturer Group Type



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Preface

This documentation contains information on how to install and operate **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type** in your Business Central environment.

This documentation is intended for experienced users of Business Central. Additional knowledge of third-party software products may be required to set up **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type**.

Read this documentation in full to set up **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type** and work with it professionally. Pay particular attention to the tips, information and safety instructions contained in the documentation. Inform your employees about the proper use of **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type** and keep the documentation in a place that is accessible to your employees.



Manufacturer

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1.0	04.01.2023	Jannic Weidel	Initial version of the documentation
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Access		public	

General Information

This documentation contains important information that you must observe when following the descriptions. The information is highlighted as notes and arranged according to type and importance. The notes are listed below in ascending order of importance:

O TIP

This represents **no risk**. In addition to the classic clicking on options, Business Central also offers the option of using so-called shortcuts. Shortcuts are key combinations with which you can also execute the desired action in the user interface. By using shortcuts, you can work faster and more effectively. Try the key combination and you will be surprised how much faster you can work.

6 NOTE

This represents **no risk**. This note contains important information on the correct use, configuration or operation of the software. Follow these instructions to avoid inefficiencies and unnecessary support tickets. For example, this note can show you that an option is hidden and tells you how to proceed if you want to show it again.

1 IMPORTANT

This represents a **low risk**. This notice refers to non-critical issues that may lead to undesired behavior or configuration problems. May affect user experience or functionality if not considered.

A CAUTION

This represents a **medium risk**. This notice indicates a potential problem that could affect system stability or data integrity.

Failure to comply may result in errors, loss of performance or partial service interruptions. The errors caused by non-compliance only affect the app itself and prevent you from working with data within the app.

A WARNING

This represents a high risk. This notice indicates an immediate and serious risk to the productive system.

Failure to observe this warning may affect the entire system. There is a risk of loss of critical data or total system failure, leading to prolonged downtime. It may not be possible to restore the data and a backup must be imported.

Beyond Manufacturer Group Type is an extension for Microsoft Dynamics 365 Business Central.

Beyond Manufacturer Group Type is used to store and maintain additional data (manufacturer, group and type) on service items. After installation, the columns **Manufacturer**, **Group** and **Type** are added to the service item list and as fields of the same name on the service item card.

This information allows you to categorize your service items and expand the filter functions in the service item list.

The latest version of this documentation can be found at the following link: Beyond Manufacturer Group Type Documentation.

The examples described in this documentation represent only a part of the possibilities that the **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type** solution offers you. If you have a specific case that you would like to map via the solution, please feel free to contact us.

6 NOTE

No dependencies from or to other apps

No dependent applications are required to use **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type**, i.e. you do not need to install any additional applications.

Assign User Permissions

The following description shows how to assign user permissions for the **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type** extension. The permission sets provided are:

Permission Set	Description
BYD MGT ALL	This permission set enables the use of the Beyond Manufacturer Group Type extension.

To assign the permission set for **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type** to a user, proceed as follows:

- 1. Open the search function from the role center (ALT+Q).
- 2. Search for **Permission Sets** and click on the appropriate search result.
- 3. The **Permission Sets** page is displayed.
- 4. Select one of the above permission sets from the list.
- 5. $\underline{\text{Click Related}} > \underline{\text{Permissions}} > \underline{\text{Permission Set by User}}$ in the menu bar.
- 6. The Permission Set by User page is displayed.
- 7. Show the filter area (SHIFT+F3) and pick Extension Name and the value Beyond Manufacturer Group Type as filter criteria.
- 8. The list is filtered to the permission sets of **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type**.
- 9. Select the check box on the right side of the page for the user or users to whom you want to assign the permission set.

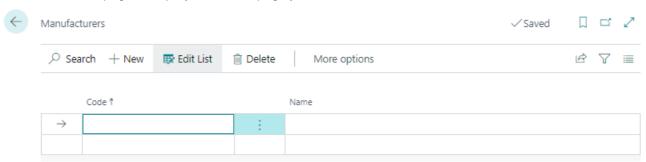
You have assigned a permission set for **Beyond Manufacturer Group Type** to a user. Note that users with the **SUPER** permission set have all rights, i.e. you do not need to give this user any additional rights.

Create Manufacturer

This chapter describes how to create a manufacturer for service items. You can use this manufacturer to categorize service items and filter by this manufacturer.

To create a manufacturer, proceed as follows:

- 1. Open the search function from the role center (ALT+Q).
- 2. Search for Manufacturer and click on the appropriate search result.
- 3. The Manufacturer page is displayed. On this page you will find all created manufacturers.



- 4. To create a manufacturer, click **New** in the menu bar.
- 5. Enter a code and the name of the manufacturer.

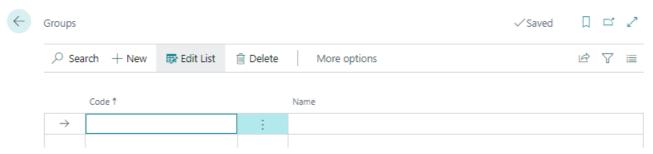
You have created a manufacturer. You can assign the manufacturer to a service item. For more information on how to categorize a service item, see the Categorize Service Items chapter.

Create Group

This chapter describes how to create a group for service items. You can use this group to categorize service items and filter by this group.

To create a group, proceed as follows:

- 1. Open the search function from the role center (ALT+Q).
- 2. Search for **Groups** and click on the corresponding search result.
- 3. The **Groups** page is displayed. On this page you will find all the created groups.



- 4. To create a group, click **New** in the menu bar.
- 5. Enter a code and the name of the group.

You have created a group. You can assign the group to a service item.

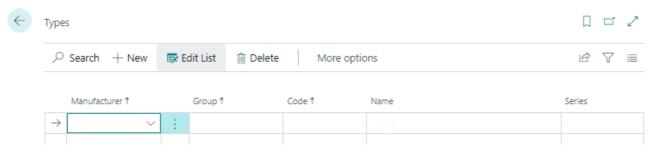
For more information on how to categorize a service item, see the Categorize service items chapter.

Create Type

This chapter describes how to create a type for service items. You can use this type to categorize service items and filter by this type.

To create a type, proceed as follows:

- 1. Open the search function from the role center (ALT+Q).
- 2. Search for **Types** and click on the corresponding search result.
- 3. The **Types** page is displayed. On this page you will find all created types.



- 4. To create a type, click **New** in the menu bar.
- 5. Specify the manufacturer associated with the type and the group.
- 6. Enter the code and the name of the type.
- 7. You can optionally enter a series in the column.

You have created a type. You can select the type for a service item as soon as you have stored the configured combination of manufacturer and type for the service item.

For more information on how to categorize a service item, see the Categorize Service Items chapter.

Categorize Service Items

This chapter describes how you can categorize service items using information on manufacturer, group and type. For the following description, we assume that information on manufacturers, groups and types already exists in the system.

For more information on how to store this information in the system, see:

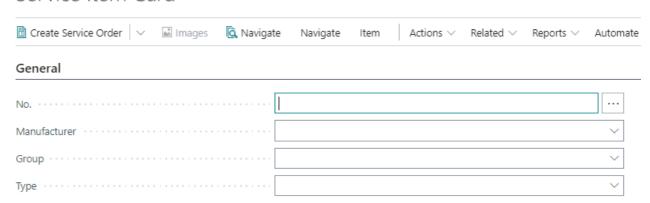
- Create Manufacturer
- Create Group
- Create Type

Follow these steps to categorize a service item:

- 1. Open the search function from the role center (ALT+Q).
- 2. Search for **Service Items** and click on the appropriate search result.
- 3. The **Service items** list is displayed.
- 4. To categorize a service item, open the service item card.



Service Item Card



- 5. On the service item card, under the **Manufacturer** field, specify the appropriate manufacturer of the service item.
- 6. Under the **Group** field, specify the corresponding group of the service item.
- 7. Under the **Type** field, specify the corresponding type of the service item.

You have categorized the service item.

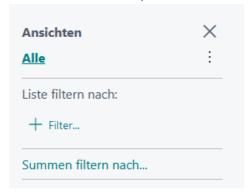
You can filter the display of service items based on the information. For more information, see the chapter Filter Service Items by Manufacturer, Group or Type.

Filter Service Items by Manufacturer, Group or Type

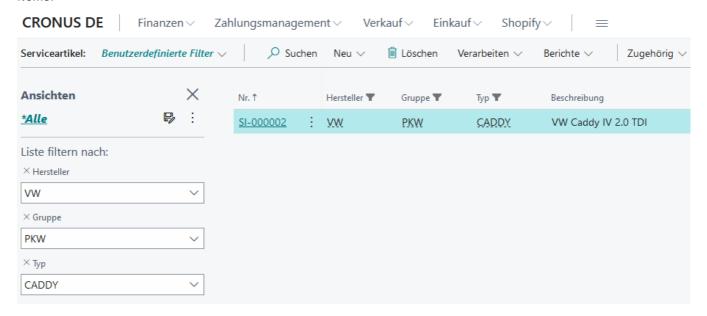
This chapter describes how to filter the display in the service item list so that only service items of a certain manufacturer, group and/or type are displayed.

To filter the service items, proceed as follows:

- 1. Open the search function from the role center (ALT+Q).
- 2. Search for **Service Items** and click on the appropriate search result.
- 3. The **Service Items** list is displayed.
- 4. To show the filter area, click the filter icon or press the SHIFT+F3 on the keyboard.



- 5. Click on the plus symbol to define a filter.
- 6. You can use the information from the **Manufacturer**, **Group**, and **Type** fields to narrow down the display of service items.



You have defined a filter and thus narrowed down the display of service items.

To delete the applied filter, click the **Reset Filter** option or press the **CTRL+ALT+SHIFT+F3** on the keyboard.