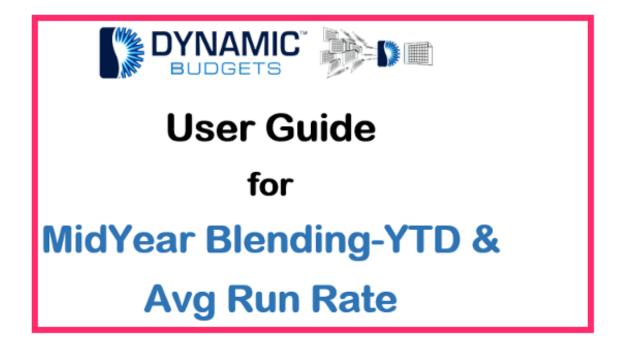
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MidYear Blending-YTD & Average Run Rate: Module Purpose This assumption is based on current financial information as a predictor of future performance. A run rate takes current performance information and extends it over a longer time period.



MidYear Blending-YTD & Average Run Rate

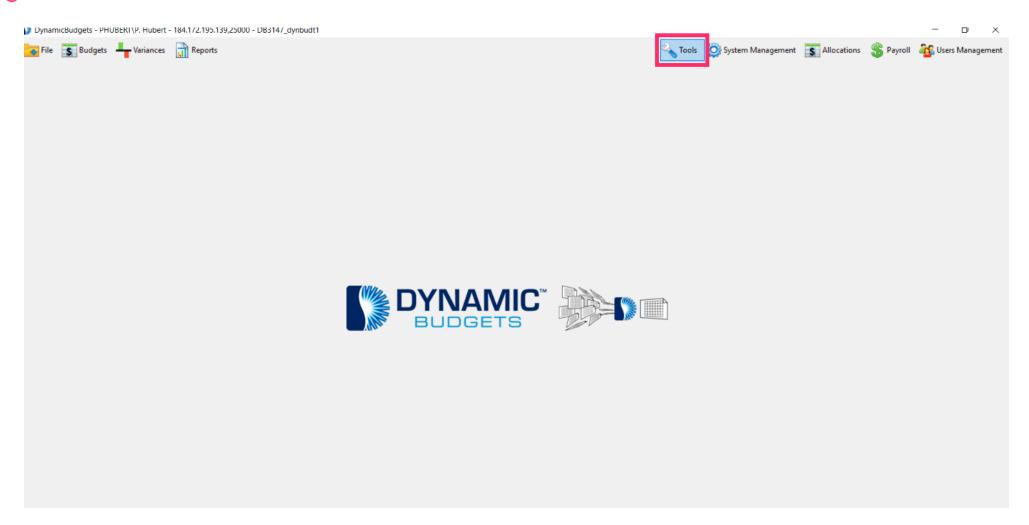
<u>Purpose:</u> This assumption is based on current financial information as a predictor of future performance. A run rate takes current performance information and extends it over a longer time period. Also, it can be helpful in the creation of performance estimates for companies that have been operating for short periods of time, such as less than a year, as well as newly created departments or profit centers.

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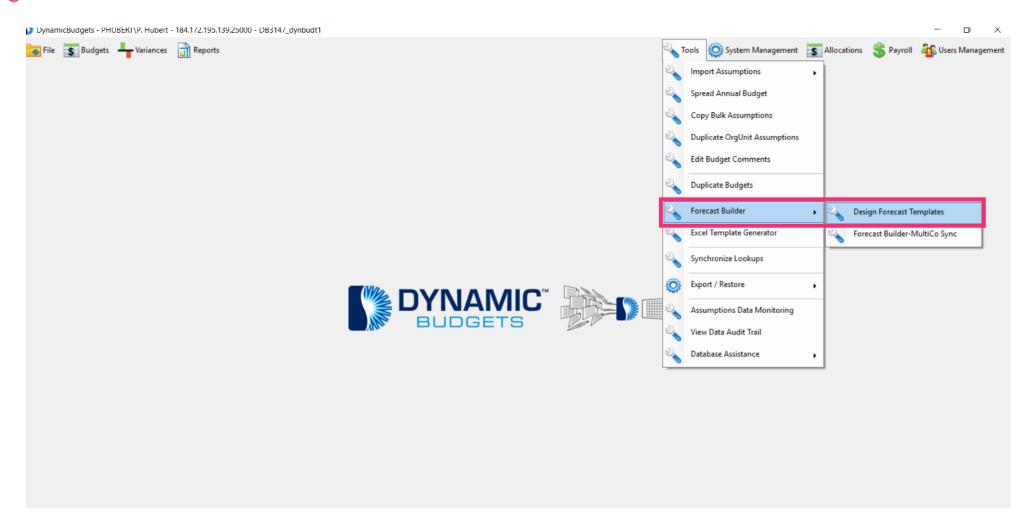


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• Click on Forecast Builder, Design Forecast Templates.

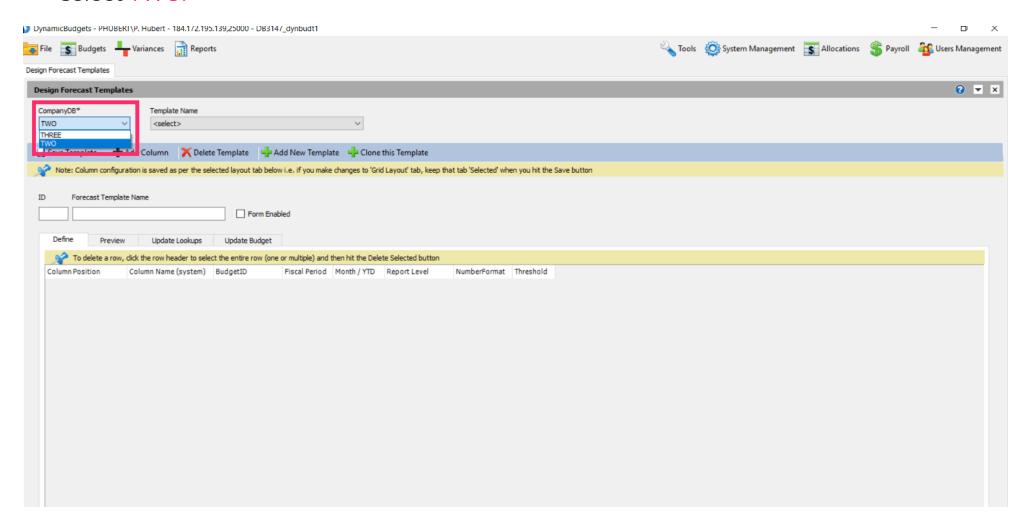


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Click on the Company DB dropdown menu. Select a company. In this example, we will select TWO.

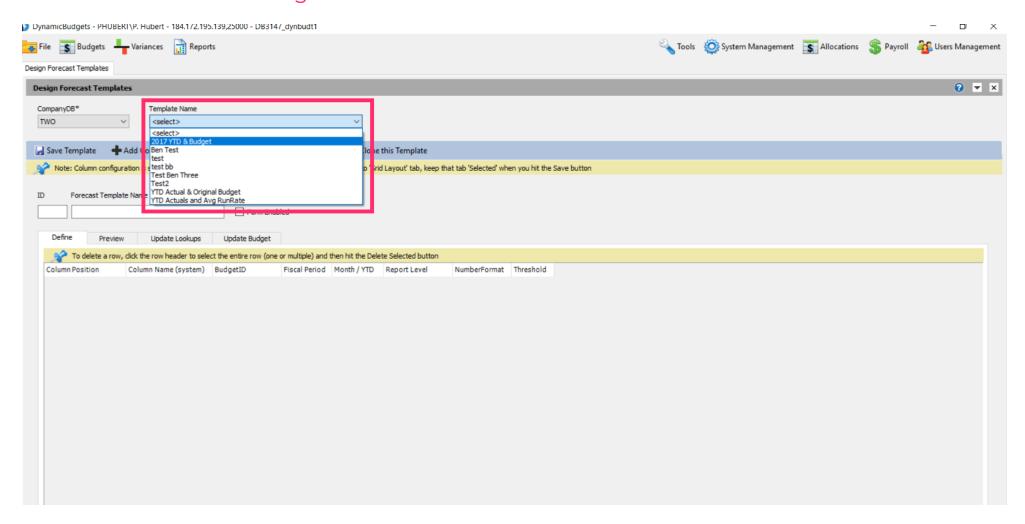


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Click on the Template Name dropdown menu. Select a template. In the example, we will select 2017 YTD & Budget.

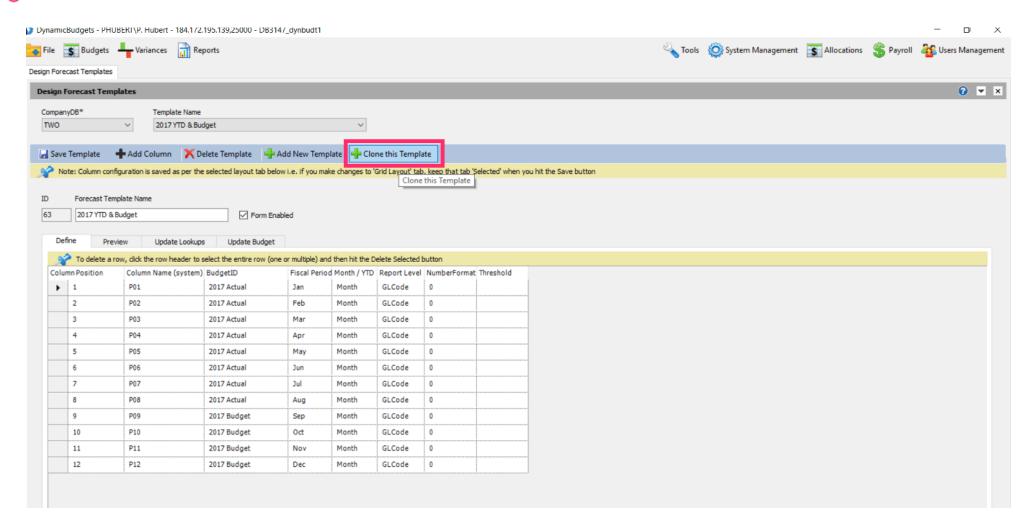


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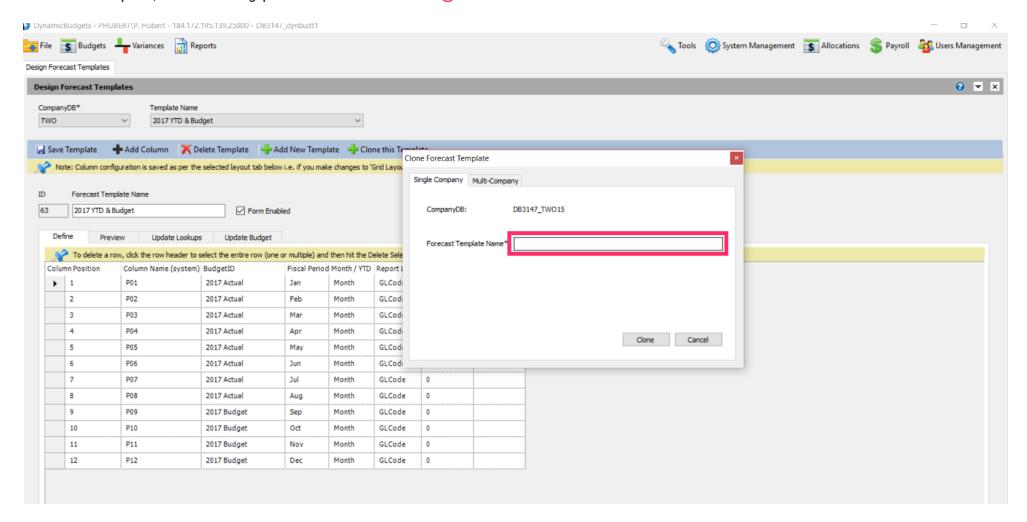


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Click in the Forecast Template Name box. Enter the new name of the template. In this example, we will type 2017 YTD & Avg Run Rate.

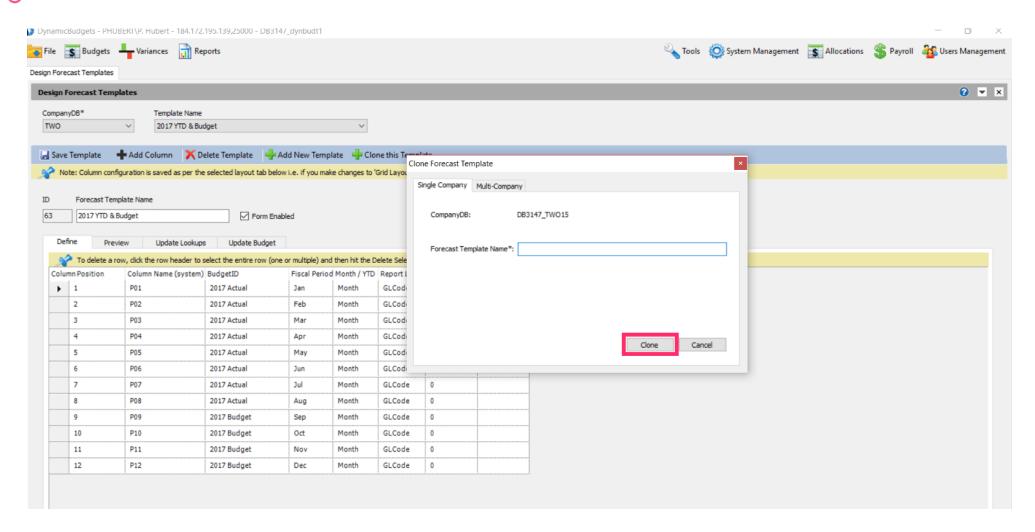


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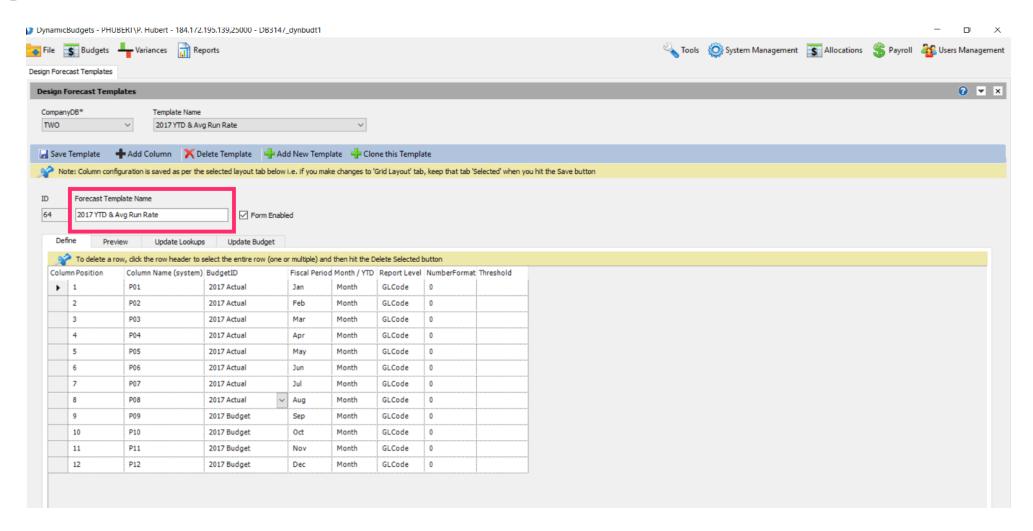


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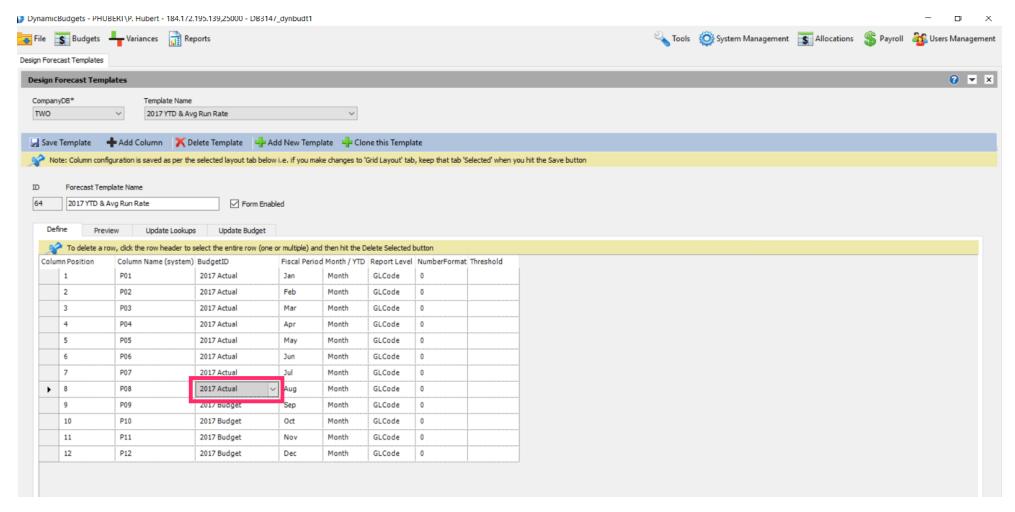


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In this example, the books are closed through August 2017; therefore we will use the 2017 actual as the budgetid through August 2017. Now, copy the 2017 Actual budgetid to the remaining months in this fiscal period. Use Shortcut: Control C, to copy

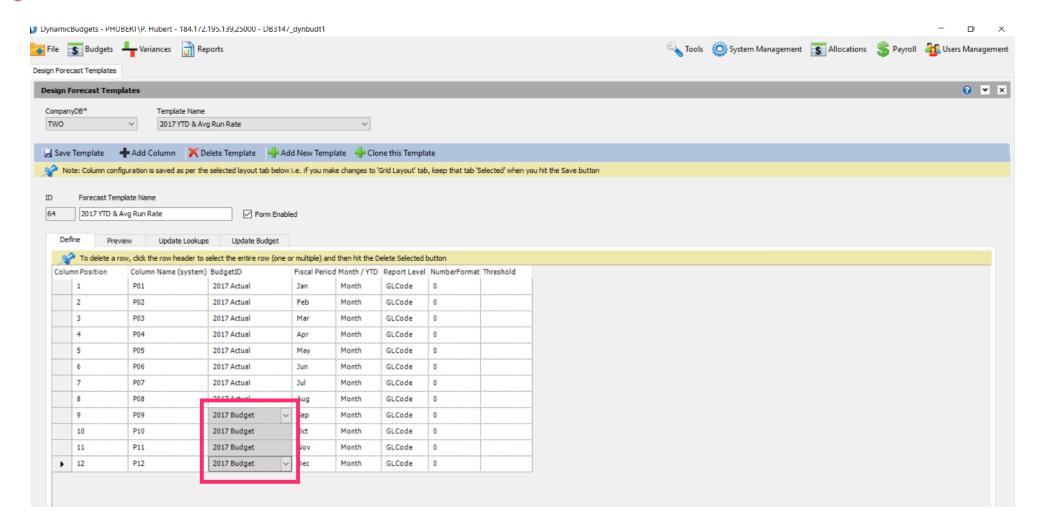


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Click in the budgetid cell for September, shift, down arrow to capture through December.

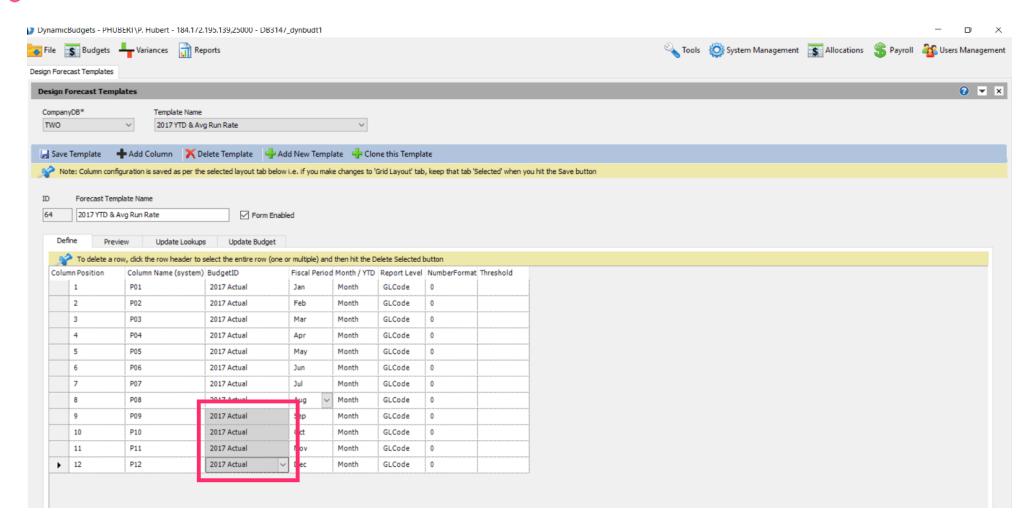


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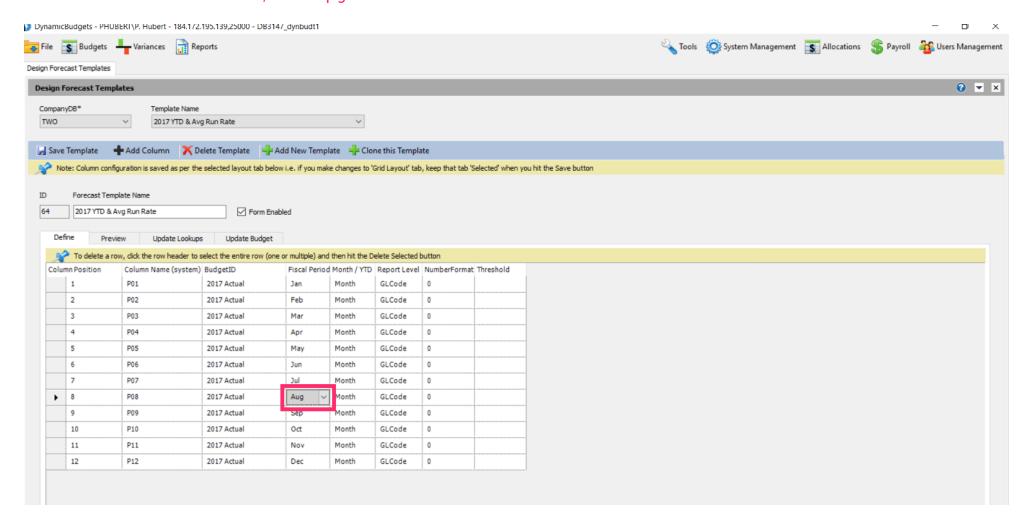


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Now make August the month for the remaining months in the fiscal period column. Use shortcut: Control C, to copy

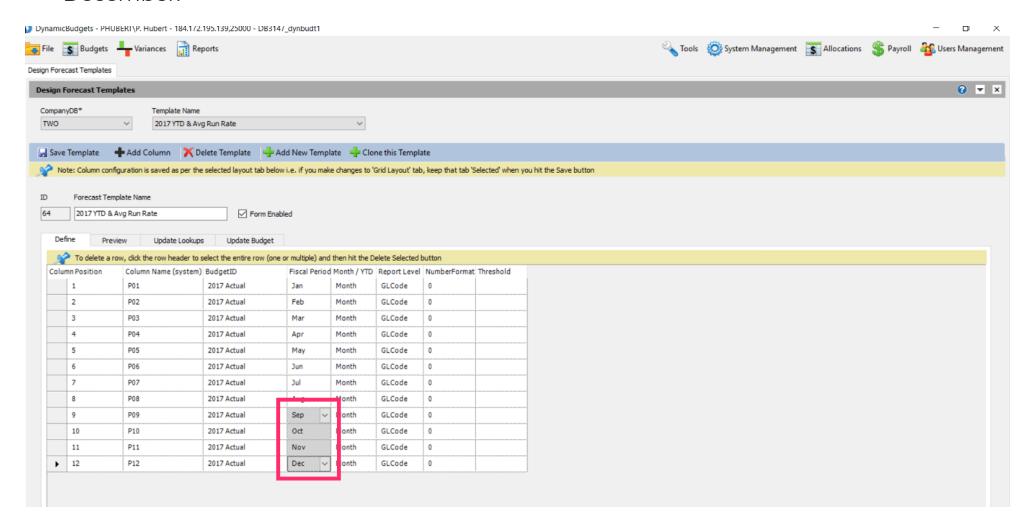


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Click in the fiscal period cell for September, shift, down arrow to capture through December.

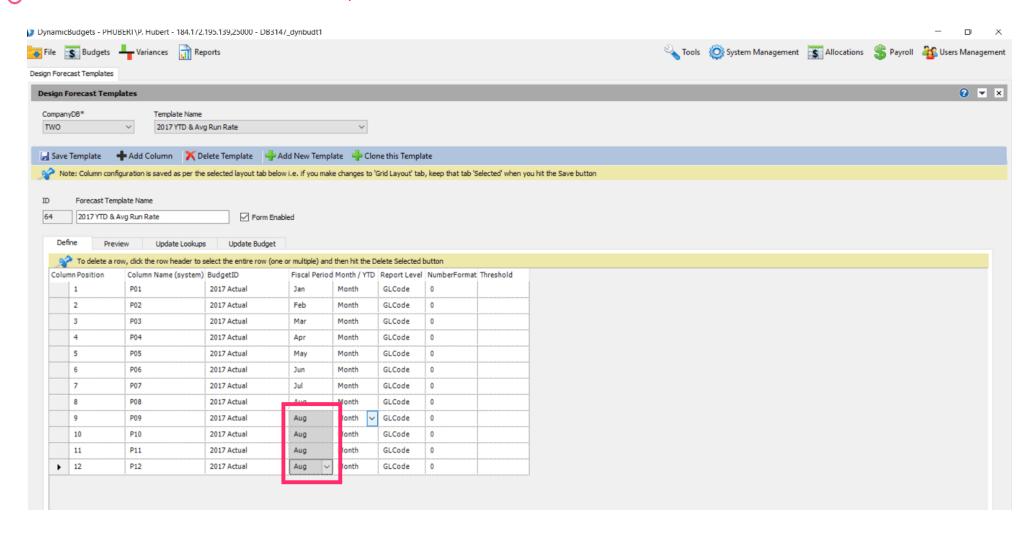


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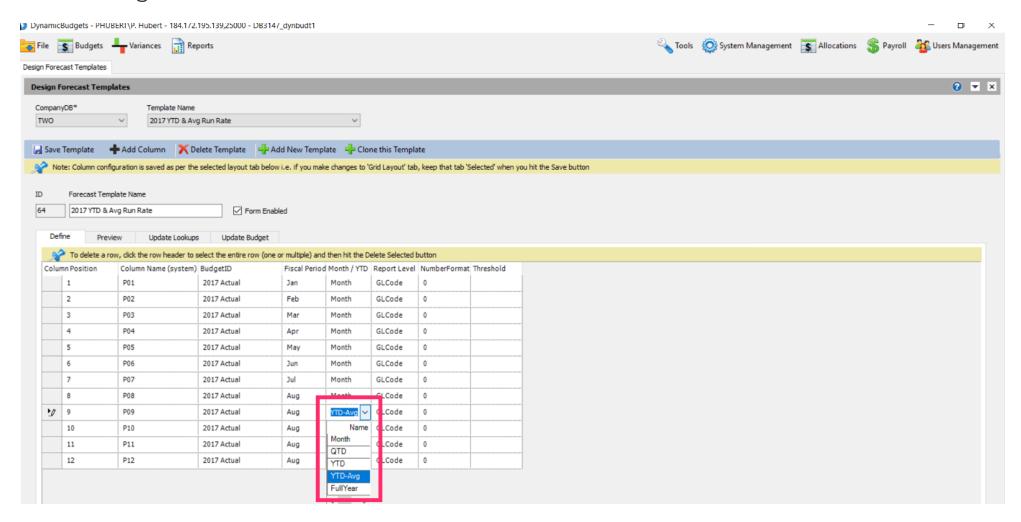


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Click on the Month/YTD dropdown menu. Select a forecast method. In this example, select YTD-Avg.

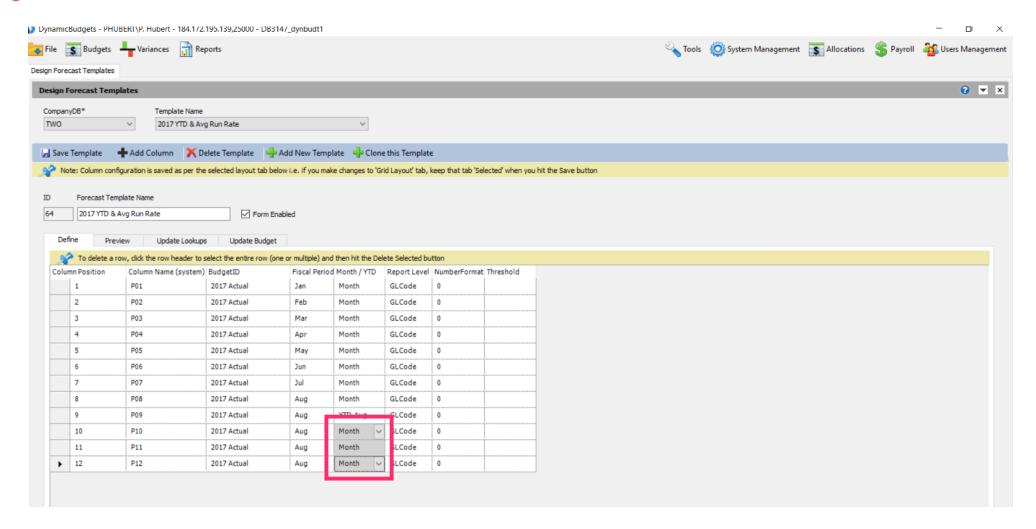


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Click in the Month/YTD cell for period 10, shift, down arrow to capture through period 12.

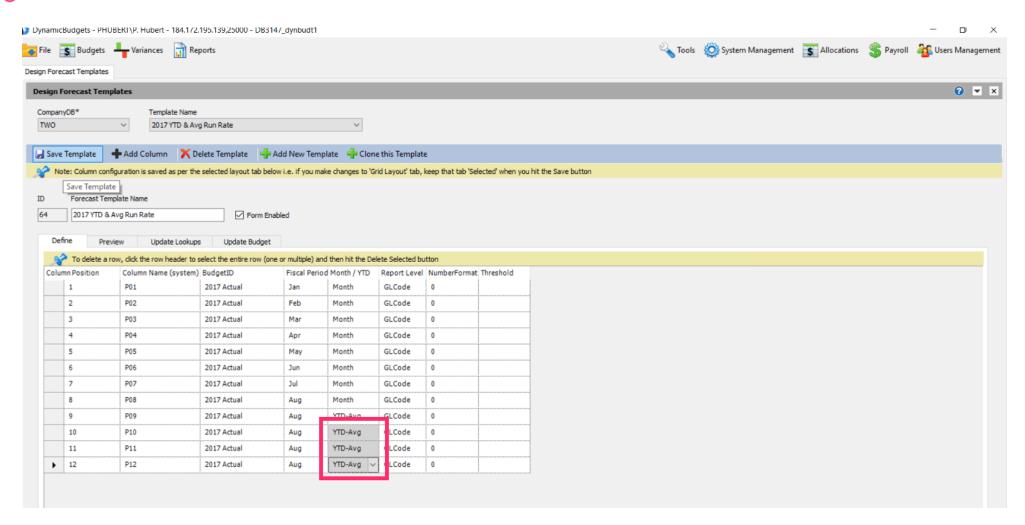


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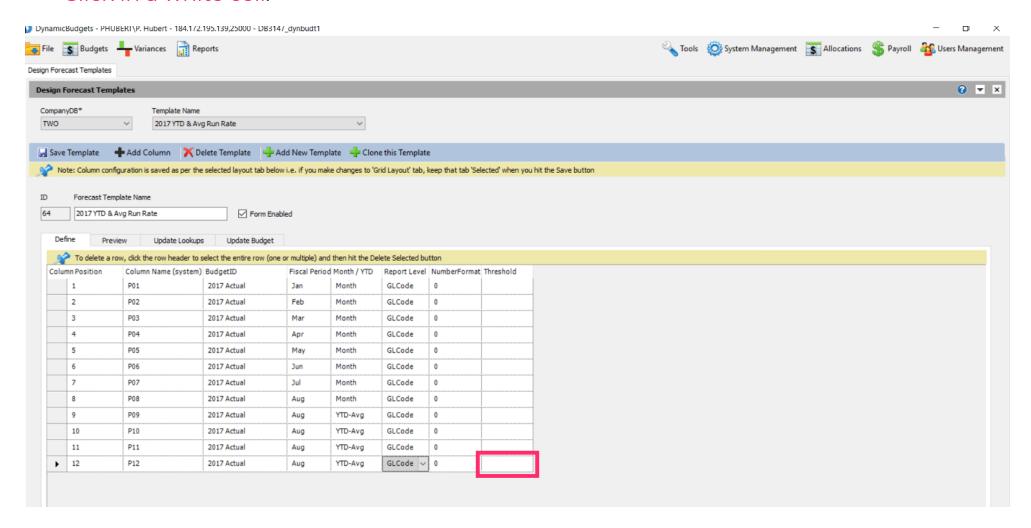


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Note: If you are on a grey cell, the change is not final until you move to a white cell. Now Click in a white cell.

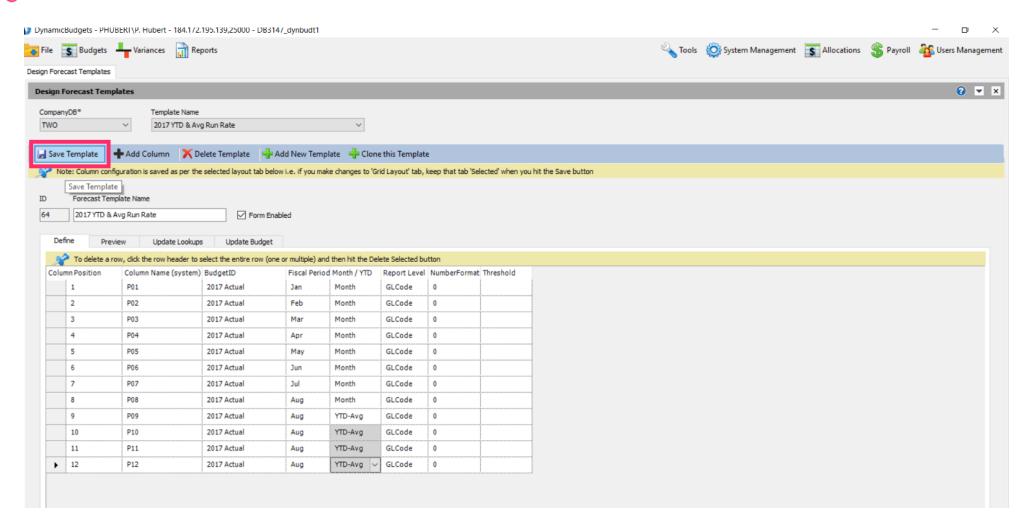


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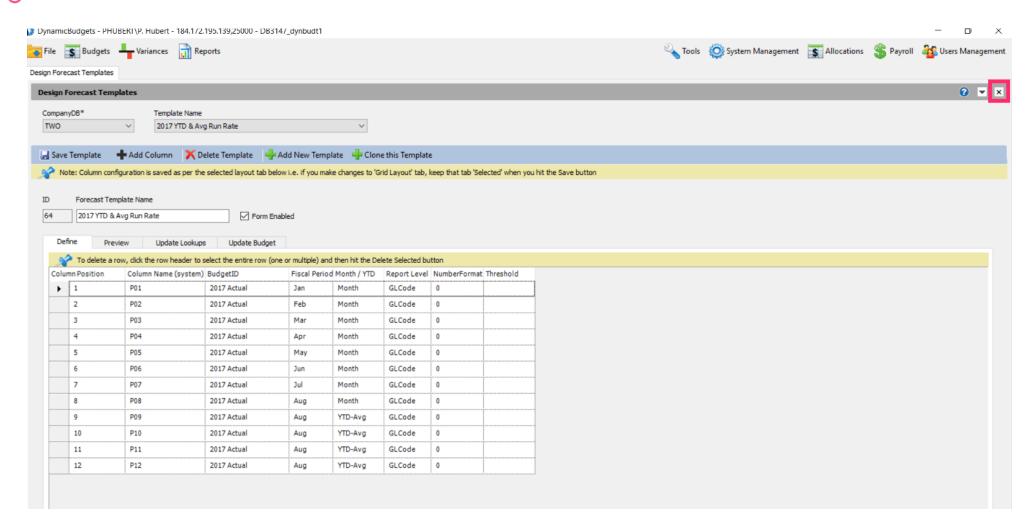


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Click on the X to close this screen.



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