

This flag means that changes are permitted in the customizing settings of the client. Changes are automatically recorded in a transport request.

It is also possible to export customizing settings independently of the automatic recording from the client, by manually creating or recording a transport request.

In a productive client, settings that can be maintained as “current settings” are excluded from automatic recording. Current settings (such as exchange rates, posting periods, and so on) are maintained without recording the changes.

This variant can be used for customizing clients.

No changes allowed

This flag means that changes in the customizing settings of the client are not permitted.

However, customizing settings can be exported from the client by manually creating or recording a transport request.

In a productive client, customizing settings that can be maintained as “current settings” are excluded from the client lock. This means that current settings (such as exchange rates, posting periods, and so on) can always be maintained in the productive client.

This variant can be used for productive clients, demonstration clients, and training clients.

Changes without automatic recording, no transports allowed

This flag means that changes are permitted in the customizing settings of the client. However, the changes are not automatically recorded in a transport request.

No manual transport of customizing settings is possible from the client.

This variant can be used for pure test clients.

Cross-Client Object Changes

This feature controls in which clients you are allowed to maintain client-independent objects.

It makes sense not to allow client-independent maintenance, if the objects to be maintained are exclusively application objects (all client dependent) or client-related customizing objects. In this case (for example, in a test client), you must ensure that client-independent functionality cannot be changed.

Client-independent functions include all client-independent customizing objects (e.g. factory calendar, definition of price list conditions, printer controls). But in particular they also include all objects of the SAP repository (programs, function modules, screens, dictionary objects etc.).

Changes to repository and cross-client customizing allowed

There are no restrictions on the maintenance of client-independent objects for the client when this setting is used. Both client-independent customizing objects and objects of the SAP repository can be maintained.

Use this setting in the customizing and development client only.

No changes to cross-client customizing objects

Client-independent customizing objects cannot be maintained in the client with this setting.

Only use this if the development client is separate from the customizing client.

No changes to repository objects

With this setting, objects of the SAP repository cannot be maintained in the client.