



# SnapEntry - User Manual

## What is SnapEntry?

**SnapEntry** is a desktop application designed to help you quickly update scores or values in Excel files with ease. It supports searching records and editing entries without manually opening Excel.

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## Getting Started/How to use

### 1. Launch SnapEntry

Double-click the SnapEntry.exe file to open the app.

### 2. Load Excel File

- Click the "**Load Excel File**" button in the sidebar.
- Select an Excel file (.xlsx or .xls).

### 3. Select Sheet

- Choose the correct sheet from the **Sheet dropdown**.
- The app will load the sheet.

### 4. Set Header Row

- Enter the row number where column headers are located (e.g., 2) in the "**Header headings rows:**" input.
- Press Enter or click outside the input to apply.

### 5. Choose Columns

- **Search column:** Column to search for a record (e.g., ID, RegNo).
  - **Entry column:** Column where the score/value will be updated. (eg., T1, Group, SE,)
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## Searching & Updating

### 1. Search for a Record

- Enter the search term (e.g., student ID) in the **Search** box.
- Matching records will appear in the table below.
- Click it or Press **TAB** or Press **ENTER** to select it.

## 2. Update Value

- Enter the new value in the **Entry** field.
  - Press **ENTER** or click the "**Enter**" button to save.
  - Previous entered entry will appear on, **Last Entry**
  - Updated entries are saved directly in the Excel file.
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## Tips

- **DOUBLE-CLICK** on a row in the table to auto-fill the search field.
  - Ensure Excel is **CLOSE** before updating to avoid file access errors.
  - You can switch between sheets anytime — just re-enter header and column selections.
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## Error Messages & Solutions

- **PermissionError**: Close the Excel file if it's open.
  - **MergedCell Error**: Ensure the Excel sheet has no merged cells in the header row or data area.
  - **Search not found**: Verify the correct column and search value.
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## Support

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