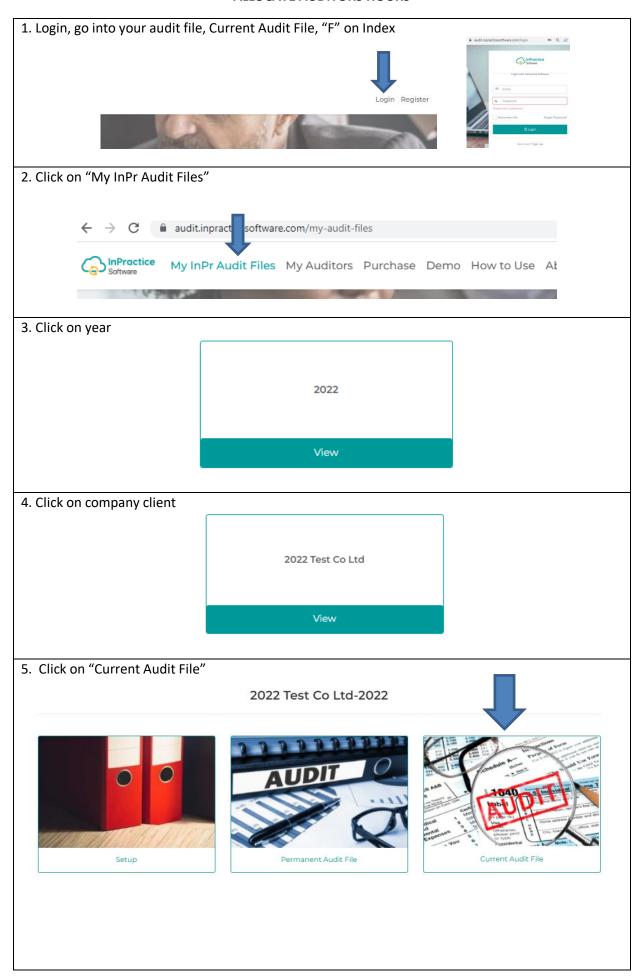
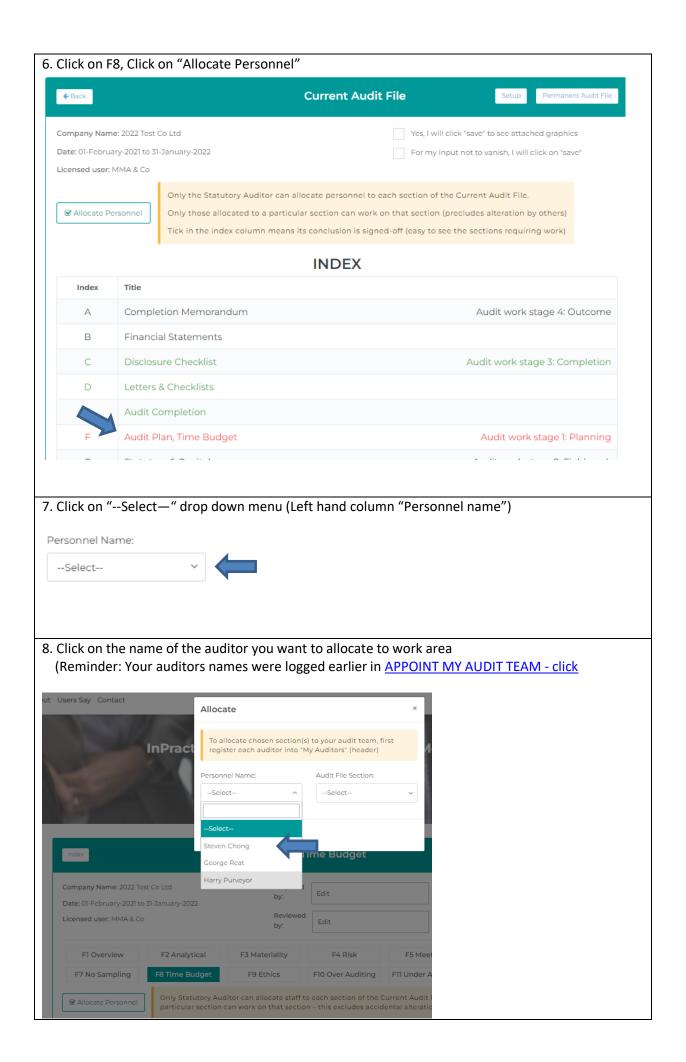
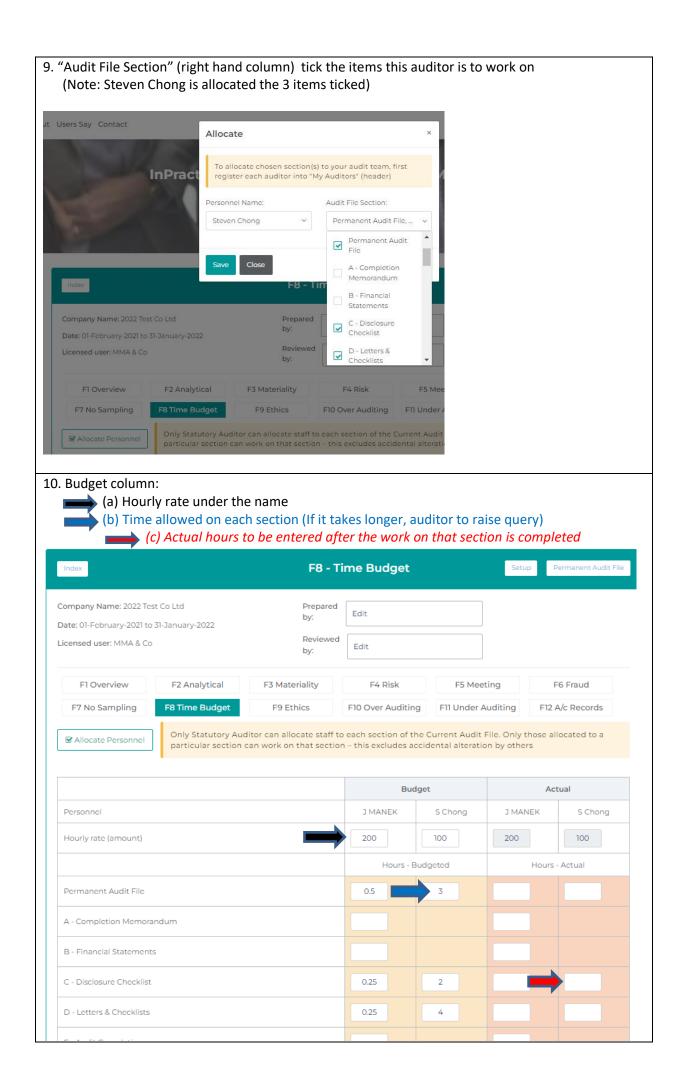
# **ALLOCATE AUDITORS HOURS**







#### 11. F8 feature is the commercial magic of this software! Log the actual hours to see the surplus or the shortfall. J - Debtors & Prepayments 12 20 K - Stock & Long Term Contracts 1 L - Bank & Cash 1 10 M - Creditors & Accruals 9 2 N - Taxation O - Nominal Ledger - Extraction - Trial Balance 2 P - Payroll 5 Q - Profit & Loss Account 7 R - Related Party Transactions 1 5 CC -DD-14 61 Field Work (Hours) 52 22 40 Field Work (Amount) 13000 1400 1650 15250 2100 3000 Overall Cost 16,050 20,350 AUDIT FEE INVOICE: Budget Agreed by: 16,000 Actual: SURPLUS/WRITE-OFF Signed: Upload Signature Browse -4,350 Budget: SURPLUS/WRITE-OFF Date: DD/MM/YYYY

Every audit practice needs to make a surplus for taking the risk of being in audit business. Covering just the cost of salaries, rent and overheads does not provide a cushion for tough years such as covid times, economic downturn or disaster.

## A – FEE QUOTE

Your budget estimates a £16,000 audit fee. Your client can afford to pay £12,000.

Print F8 to discuss the time estimate for each audit work section.

Is the the client prepared to reduce your audit work time by doing:

Debtors aged analysis? Bank reconciliation statement?

Aged creditors analysis? Investment values? Stock take valuation?

# **B – PAYROLL CONTROL**

Use F8 to agree time targets with your audit team. Your audit team then can see whether they need to alert you for any aspects that will need more than the budgeted time.

## C – ACTUAL HOURS – SURPLUS OR SHORTFALL

No surplus after actual hours? Renegotiate the audit fee using F8 specifics.

#### D - REGULATOR

Your audit regulator asks to see how you complied with the Auditing Standard on audit planning and control. Show them your F8. That should produce a favourable outcome.