

Podcast Script: Application Performance Tips

Welcome to this 60-second Sugar snippet. My name is Susie Williams and today's topic is Tips and Tricks for getting the best performance out of your Sugar application.

First of all, change your theme to Sugar Lite. Sugar Lite has smaller web pages that appear much faster on the screen.

Collapse all "Related Items" panels on the Lead, Account, Opportunity and Contact screens. If you need to review the data, you can expand them, but it is fastest to leave them collapsed when working as it avoids additional trips to the server to get the data.

Remove dashlets from your home page. Keep just one or two important dashlets that you use and remove the others. Also, make sure you limit any lists to 5 records displayed to reduce the amount of data retrieved from the server.

When you use the Global Search function, include only the necessary modules in your global search. Only use the global search when you don't know which module contains your item. Otherwise, it's faster to search from within the module itself.

Make use of the Search, Advanced Search, and Saved Search operations instead of a report wherever possible.

If you are going to edit a record, there is a picture of a notepad that takes you directly to the Edit View, instead of having to click on the record and then click on "Edit".

And finally, make use of the Last Viewed items across the top of the toolbar.

And that's your 60-second Sugar snippet. Goodbye!