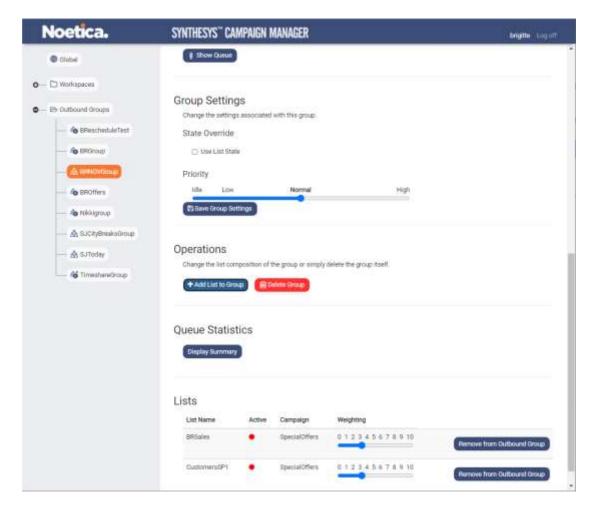
# **OUTBOUND GROUPS**







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#### **OUTBOUND GROUPS**

Outbound Groups are used to present agents with a combination of calls from multiple outbound lists when handling calls in the Agent Portal.

### **Group Permissions**

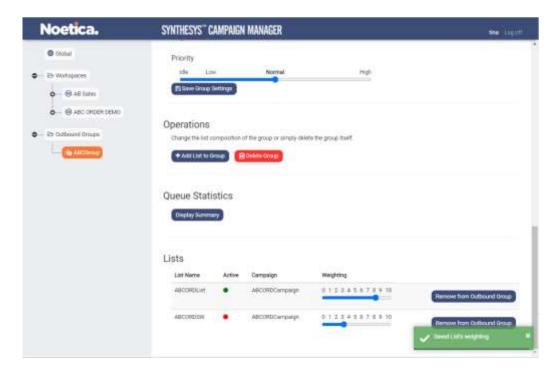
The groups and associated call list details that a user can view in the Campaign Manager will depend on the permission assigned to the individual user, or allocated user role.



Users with permission to all workspaces and all call lists, will be able to view details for all groups and call lists that form part of the group.

For users who have been granted permission to selected workspaces only, with access to some (but not all) call lists within the group, the Group will be visible, but the pane on right hand side of the group will remain blank.

For users who do not have permission to any of the workspaces that contain the lists within a Group, the Group will not be visible at all.

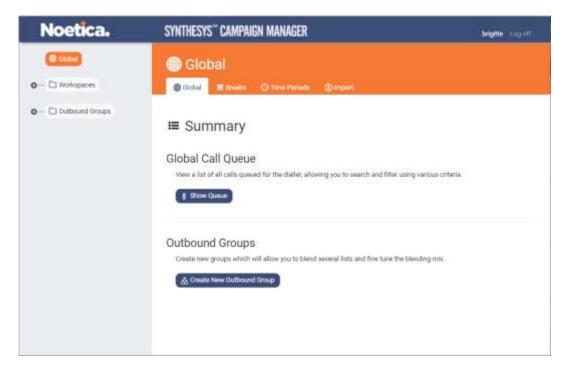




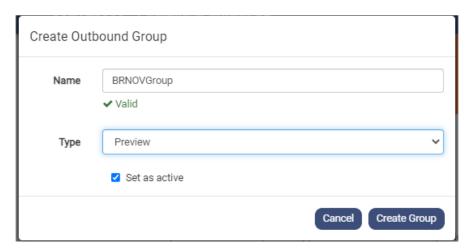
## Adding a new Outbound Group

Outbound Groups are created and managed at Global level in the Campaign Manager.

- Select Global in the tree on the left of the Campaign manager.
- Click the **Create New Outbound Group** button in the *Outbound Groups* section, in the Global page on the right.



- Enter a Name for the new group in the Create Outbound Group dialog.
- In the **Type** field, select either **Preview** or **Predictive**, reflecting the type of group that you wish to create.

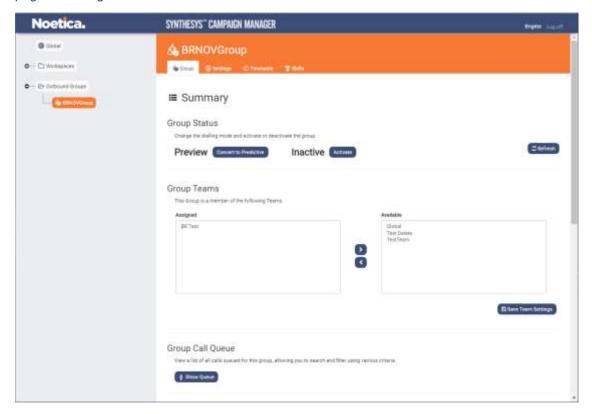


• Tick the **Set as Active** box, to activate your group immediately.



# **Outbound Group View**

When selecting an outbound group in the tree structure on the left of the Campaign Manager, the page on the right will show the title for the selected and associated details.



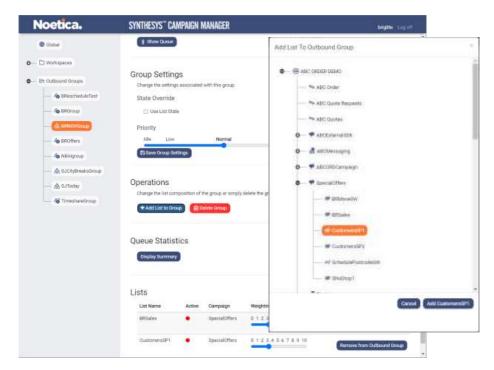
Options	Description		
TABS			
Settings	Shows the outbound properties available for the group		
Timetable	Used to set the times during which the list is active.		
Skills	SABRE™ (Skills & Ability Based Routing Engine) allows routing of Inbound and Outbound activity to users based on their skill and competence level.		
SECTIONS			
Group status	Used to convert outbound groups from preview to predictive and vice versa, and to activate or deactivate groups.		
Group Teams	Used to select the team(s) to which the selected group should be assigned.		
Group Call Queue	Enables users to view and manipulate calls queued for the selected group.		
Group Settings	When ticking the <b>Use List State</b> box, the list state of Active or Inactive will be used, and only calls from active/ non-expired lists within the group will be dialled. Moving the <i>Priority</i> slider, the priority setting for the selected group can be changed from idle to medium or high priority.		
Operations	Used to assign call lists to the group, and to delete a selected group.		
Queue Statistics	Shows a summary of statistics for calls queued to the selected group.		
Lists	Shows the call lists assigned to the group and associated details.  Moving the weighting slider, determines the ratio of calls from each list to be presented to agents at run time. Lists can be removed from groups using the Remove from Outbound Group button.		



## Adding Call Lists to Outbound Group

Call lists are assigned to outbound groups at global level.

- Select the outbound group that is to be assigned the call lists.
- Click the Add List to Outbound Group button in the Operations section, and select the call list that you want to add, under the relevant workspace and campaign.
- The Add List button will change, displaying the name of the call list that you have selected.



- Click the Add (List name) button, to add the call list to the Lists section, showing all call lists
  assigned to the selected group, including their list state (active/ inactive) and the campaign
  associated with each list.
- To remove a list from the group, click the **Remove from Outbound Group** button.

#### Use List State option

By default calls from both Active and Inactive lists within the group will be dialled, as long as the lists are on active time periods (Timetable) and non-expired.

 Ticking the Use List State box, you can override this state, so only calls from Active/ nonexpired lists will be dialled.

#### Setting a Weighting of calls to present

Each call list within a group can be assigned a weighting, to determine the ratio of calls that are presented to the agents from each list within the group.

• Use the weighting slider, to set the number of calls that are to be presented from each list at run time in the Agent Portal.

#### **Setting Group Active Times**

Use the **Timetable** tab at the top right of the Group dialog, to set the group active date and time, during which calls from the lists within the selected group will be presented to agents at run time.