



Quick Setup Guide

Time Required: Less than 10 minutes

Prerequisites: SimpleKPI account (free 14-day trial available)

https://app.simplekpi.com/trial



Overview

This guide will take you from no data to a fully functional Sales KPI Dashboard in 5 simple steps. Sales dashboards are one of the quickest areas to see performance gains from KPI tracking.

What You'll Accomplish:

- Set up team organization and comparisons
- Select the most impactful sales metrics
- Engage your team with individual targets
- Automate data collection for real-time insights
- Create visual dashboards that tell your sales story

Step	Action	Time	Outcome
1	Set Up Groups	1-2 min	Enable team comparisons
2	Choose KPIs	2-3 min	Focus on key metrics
3	Add Users	2-3 min	Drive engagement & accountability
4	Add Data	2-3 min	Ensure accurate tracking
5	Build Dashboard	3-4 min	Visualize performance

Step 1: Setting Up Groups (Optional)

Purpose: Organize teams for side-by-side performance comparisons

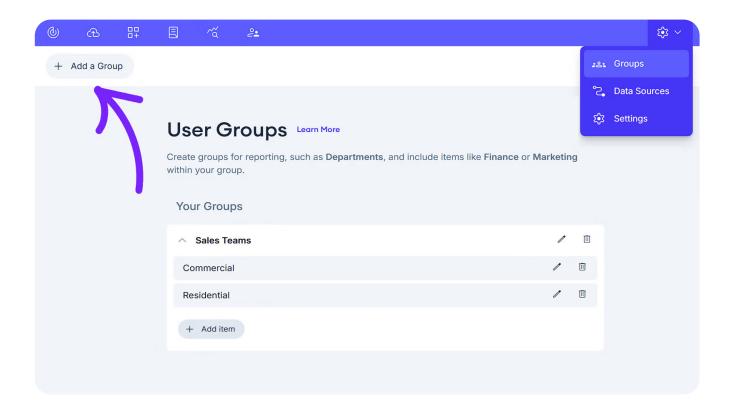
When to Use:

- Multiple locations (e.g., "New York" vs "LA")
- Different products or services
- Team functions (e.g., "Commercial" vs "Residential")

Skip if: Single team with uniform processes

Action Steps:

- 1. Navigate to Groups tab
- 2. Click "Add a Group"
- 3. Create group category (e.g., "Locations")
- 4. Add group items (e.g., "East Coast", "West Coast")



Benefits:

Compare performance across teams/locations

Answer questions like "Is our East Coast team keeping pace with West Coast?"

Easy to refine later without affecting existing data

Step2: Choosing Your KPIs

Purpose: Select metrics that drive sales performance

Essential Sales Metrics to Start:

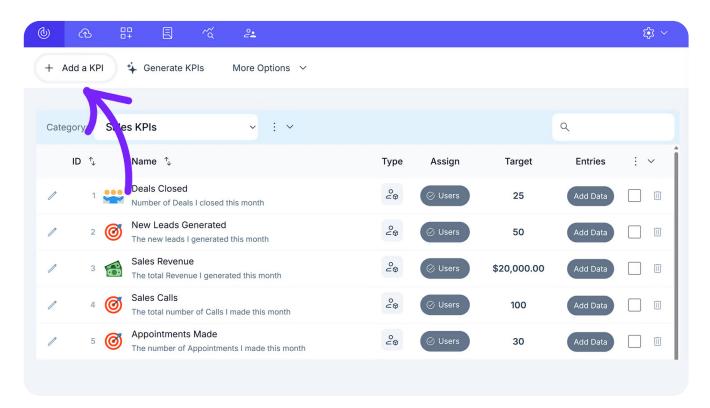
- Number of Deals Closed
- Number of Appointments Made
- Number of Sales Calls

Action Steps:

- 1. Go to **KPI tab**
- 2. Click "Add a KPI" button
- 3. Enter KPI name
- 4. Select tracking frequency (daily or monthly recommended)

Calculated KPIs (Advanced):

- Appointment Conversion Rate:
- (Deals Closed / Appointments Made) × 100
- Call Conversion Rate: (Appointments / Calls Made) × 100
- Average Deal Size: Total Revenue / Deals Closed



Benefits:

- Focus team attention on key performance drivers
- Identify efficiency vs. activity patterns
- Benchmark individual and team performance

Step3: Adding Your Users

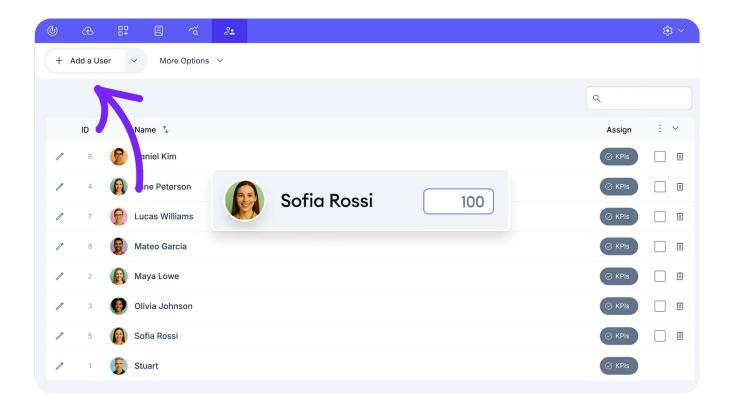
Purpose: Enable individual tracking and team engagement

Benefits of User Tracking:

- Ownership: Reps take responsibility for their results
- Gamification: Leaderboards and points drive competition
- Motivation: Real-time visibility boosts performance

Action Steps:

- 1. Navigate to Users tab
- 2. Click "Add a User" button
- 3. Enter user details
- 4. Assign to Groups (if created in Step 1)
- 5. Click "KPI" button to assign metrics
- 6. Set individual targets



Benefits:

- Real-time performance visibility for each rep
- Individual target setting and tracking
- Friendly competition through leaderboards

Step 4: Adding Your Sales Data

Purpose: Populate your dashboard with sales data

Action Steps:

For Manual Entry:

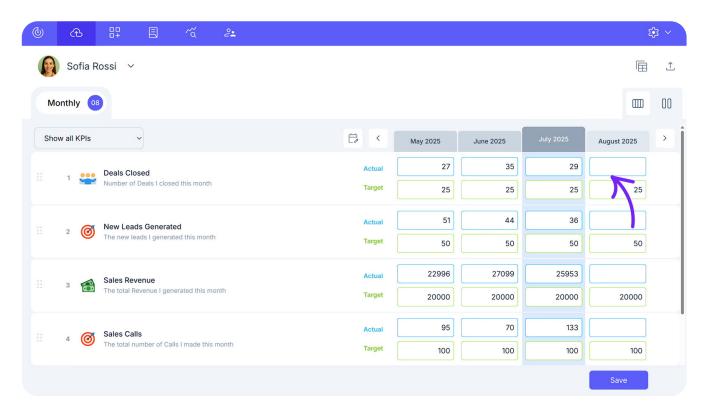
- 1. Go to Data tab in your SimpleKPI account
- 2. Input numbers directly into fields

For Spreadsheet Upload:

- 3. Go to Data tab
- 4. Click "Upload Spreadsheet"
- 5. Select formatted file

For Automation:

- 6. Go to Data Connections tab
- 7. Select your CRM/tool connector
- 8. Follow setup wizard



Benefits:

- · Real-time dashboard updates
- Reduced manual work and errors
- Trusted, accurate business reflection

Step 5: Building Your KPI Dashboard

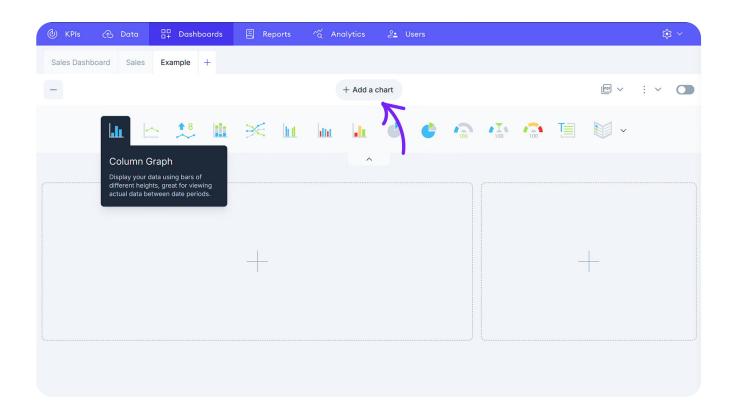
Purpose: Create visual story of your sales performance

Recommended Chart Types:

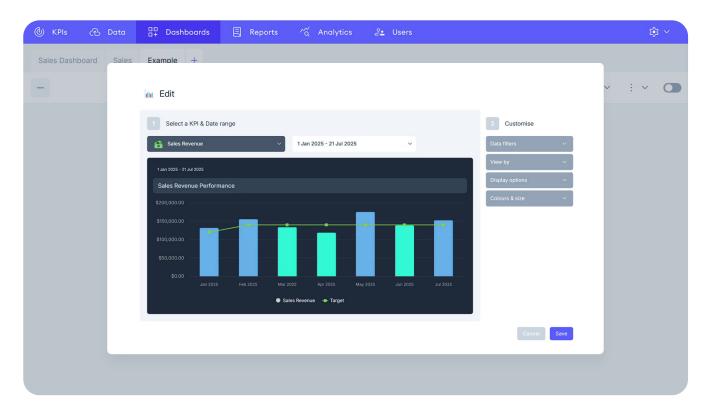
Step	Action	Time
Trend Graph	The Big Picture	Sales revenue vs. targets over time
Area Chart	Team Comparison	Deals by team/group performance
Gauge Chart	Efficiency Check	Conversion rates at-a-glance
League Table	Motivation	Top performer rankings

Action Steps:

- 1. Click Dashboards tab
- 2. Click "Add a Chart" button
- 3. Select chart type from menu
- 4. Choose KPI to display
- 5. Set date range
- 6. Customize filters and colors
- 7. Save and position on dashboard



Step 6: Building Your KPI Dashboard



Adding a Sales KPI Chart



The complete Sales KPI Dashboard