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Last year Paul took over as Chair of the Implementation and Support SIG, this year there have been three well attended meetings of this SIG. These sessions have been themed around Testing, Upgrades and Archiving, the Upgrade session attracted almost 100 attendees. Paul has worked for Northern Foods for 16 years the early part of his career with them was spent in manufacturing management and operations support, including being part of a team that commissioned a new factory. In 1998 Paul was seconded to work on the SAP implementation for Northern Foods, initially involved with the design, configuration and implementation of the PP module (PP-PI) before moving into a support role. Paul has day to day responsibility for the Northern Foods SAP systems which are used by over 3000 users across over 30 sites heading up a team of managers and business analysts. This year Paul led the team through the reaccredited process to renew Northern Foods status as an SAP Customer Competency Centre