

# Getting Started With API Management

**Scheer PAS API Management** is a software tool that allows you to manage and publish your APIs, enhance them with policies, control access and analyze their collected metrics.

To get started, you may want to read about:

- [The Concepts of API Management](#)  
Get an explanation of the API Management data model and its five primary elements: Organizations, Plans, APIs, Clients, and Policies.
- [API Types: Public vs. Private](#)  
Learn more about the differences of the two types of API, their advantages and common use cases.
- [Working With the API Management](#)  
Get to know the API Management user interface and learn about key features such as navigation, filtering, and access to main element detail pages.

## Related Pages:

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