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QuickBooks Premier 2010/11:

Features and benefits

Industry specific editions incorporate tools and reports designed to meet your specialised needs, while fast multi-user capability and performance help increase your business efficiency.

The new features in QuickBooks Premier 2010/11 QBi series are:

- View all your crucial business information in one spot with the new Company Snapshot
- Work faster with the new Easy Data File Clean Up
- Perform bank reconciliations even when your accountant is working on your data file
- Now includes 28 Industry-specific Charts of Accounts
- Windows®7 compatibility – 32 & 64bit

Including the strong feature set of Pro, plus:

Includes 3 licenses with the ability to have multiple installations by item (additional charges for extra licenses may apply)

Up to 100 price levels by Item or by Fixed Percentage

Link Sales Orders, Estimates and Purchase Orders

Closing Date Exception Report

Industry specific solutions

Reversing Journals

What's new in QuickBooks Premier 2010/11

QuickBooks 2010/11 incorporates a number of major changes to the software - you'll see many of these changes right away when you open QuickBooks for the first time. A new company snap shop tool allows you to view all your crucial information all from the one screen, i.e. bank account details, customer and supplier accounts due and income and expense trend. The new and improved data clean up tool will allow data files to be run more efficiently than ever. With a new work area design and updates to many of the tools you use on a daily basis enabling you to access most tasks with only a couple of clicks. There are also many improvements you won't see -- such as a completely new database structure and many

enhancements to the underlying code. But you'll soon recognise the improvements in stability, security and performance resulting from these changes.

Behind the scenes

Although you won't be able to see most of them, major enhancements to the underlying structure and function of the software have made QuickBooks 2010/11 more stable, more secure, and more flexible than ever. Some of the key improvements are outlined below.

A new QuickBooks SQL database provides enhanced stability, and can scale with a business as it grows. This powerful, industry-standard SQL (Structured Query Language) database uses client-server technology in multi-user mode to coordinate and manage access to the company file. The SQL database is created during installation and managed by QuickBooks, so you will realise the benefits without even needing to know it's there.

A new location for company and sample files means you no longer require Administrator access to work with QuickBooks.

The audit trail is always on in QuickBooks 2010/11 (The audit trail is switched on when a company file is upgraded). All the additions, deletions, and modifications made to transactions in your data file are automatically tracked. This ensures that an accurate record of your data is maintained.

Homepage Customisation

The QuickBooks 2010/11 Homepage Customisation feature gives you the ability to manage confidential account balances as well as identify company files and users by customizing your homepage.

Controlling access to your confidential account balances is easy with the new Hide/Show preference. Simply switch your Account Balance previews to 'Off' to ensure only you are the only one who can access account balances.

Quickly and easily identify multiple company files and users by selecting different colors for your homepage. Helping to ensure users work on the right company file, your business can take advantage of increased efficiency and accuracy.

Industry Specific Chart of Accounts

You can now select from 28 Chart of Accounts, meaning setting up and managing your company file is as easy as possible. A localised Chart of Accounts tailored to your specific industry improves data integrity and strengthens business management.

Sales Order Functionality

The ability to track Sales Orders (backorders) for your clients, then turn these directly into invoices

Google Desktop

Quickly find the customer, supplier or financial information that you're looking for in QuickBooks or on your computer. Just type in a word or phrase that you're searching for and you'll quickly get a complete list of files that best match your search.

TECH SPECS

Recommended

- 1.8 GHz Intel Pentium IV (or equivalent) with 512 MB RAM (or 1 GB RAM for Windows Vista™)
- 1024 x 768 resolution with small fonts High speed internet access

Minimum

- Windows 2000/XP/Vista™*
- 500 MHz Intel Pentium II (or equivalent) with 256 MB of RAM
- Windows Vista™ users: 1.2 GHz Intel Pentium III (or equivalent) and 1 GB RAM
- 1 GB of disk space for QuickBooks installation
- Internet Explorer 6.0 required
- At least 256 colour SVGA video
- 800 x 600 resolution with small fonts
- Works with any printer supported by Windows 2000/XP/Vista™
- 24 x CD-ROM
- All online features/services require Internet access with at least a 56 Kbps modem
- Microsoft .NET Framework Common Language Runtime 1.1 (provided on CD, requires an additional 150 MB)

* The 64 bit versions of Windows XP, Windows Vista and Server 2008 operating systems are not supported

Multi User Requirements

Multi-user mode is optimised for Microsoft Windows 2000 Server or Windows Server 2003 operating systems, and for Windows 2000/XP Pro/Vista**

**Not all versions of Window Vista are supported. Support is provided for Windows Vista Business and Windows Vista Ultimate only.

Integration Requirements

Microsoft® Word and Excel Integration requires Microsoft® Word and Excel 2000, 2002, 2003 or 2007.

Integration limited to export only.

Compatible with Reckon Retail Point of Sale 2009/10 Professional and Lite versions upon release. Reckon does not support Adobe Acrobat 9.0.

Kind regards,

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	QuickBooks EasyStart	QuickBooks Accounting	QuickBooks SmallBus	QuickBooks Plus	QuickBooks Pro	QuickBooks Premier	QuickBooks Enterprise
Unlimited transactions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Invoice, pay bills & track expenses	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Track and prepare GST	✓ ¹	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Easy to set up and access help	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable company file	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
12 months updates and upgrades ²		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Import bank statements ³		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Microsoft Office intergration		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Reports Centre		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Track and manage inventory			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Advanced inventory features					✓	✓	✓
Microsoft Outlook intergration					✓	✓	✓
Estimates, quotes & job costing					✓	✓	✓
Multicurrency enabled					✓	✓	✓
Multi-user enabled					✓ ⁴	✓	✓
Multiple licences						3 ⁵	10 ⁶
Multiple price levels per item						✓	✓
Advanced reporting tools						✓	✓
Industry-specific versions						✓	✓
Enhanced multi-user security features							✓
Multi-site							✓
Multi-company reporting							✓
Intrepid Payroll™ - online payroll solution				✓			
Intrepid Backup™ - online backup solution				✓			

1 GST Reporting on cash basis only. GST 101 report not available in EasyStart.

2 For full versions and upgrades of QuickBooks Accounting, Small Business, Plus, Pro and Premier; free 12 months QuickCARE membership. Visit www.quicken.co.nz for more details.

3 Check with your financial institution to see if they support this feature.

4 QuickBooks Pro includes one licence – you must purchase multiple copies for a multi-user environment.

5 Three licences included, additional licences required for up to 5 multi-users.

6 Ten licences included, additional licences required for up to 30 multi-users.

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