Intuit QuickBooks Accounting
Pro and Premier Editions

QuickBooks Accounting 2009 enables small business owners to spend less time on routine tasks and more time on running their business. New and improved features help them be more productive, gain valuable insights about their business, get new customers and do business in a global economy.

QuickBooks Accounting Pro 2009 makes accounting easy with tools to organize finances all in one place. Users can complete tasks like paying employees[1], invoicing, bill tracking and check-writing, allowing them to stay on top of their business by seeing who owes them money and which bills are due.

QuickBooks Accounting Premier 2009 has all of the great features of QuickBooks Pro, plus industry-specific, timesaving, ready-to-use reports and business planning tools tailored to help companies grow. Users can monitor business performance, build forecasts and manage payables and receivables. Premier also includes tools for tracking inventory, creating purchase orders and setting pricing levels.
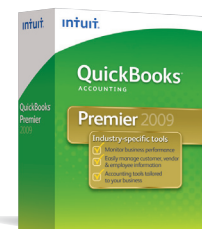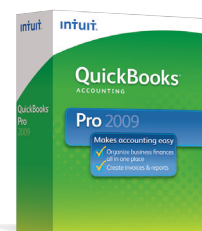
Key New Features and Enhancements

Save Time and Boost Productivity

- **Online Banking.** QuickBooks users can save time on data entry and increase the accuracy of their financial records by downloading transactions from their financial institution directly into QuickBooks[2]. With the improved QuickBooks Online Banking, small business owners can gain control of their cash flow by seeing which checks have cleared their accounts and which QuickBooks transactions are still pending, and get up-to-date account balances, all in one place.

- **Multi-User Features.** Employees no longer have to wait for others to finish in QuickBooks before they can start their own work. New enhancements enable QuickBooks users to run reports while others work simultaneously in the company file and locally backup data[3] while in multi-user mode. QuickBooks users can also now instantly communicate with co-workers with the new QuickBooks Messenger[4], and remotely log others out of the QuickBooks file as needed.

- **Accountant Tools.** QuickBooks 2009 makes it easier than ever for small businesses to work with their accountant. It includes new accountant-specific features such as Client Data Review, a collection of clean-up and review tools that can help save hours of finding and correcting client errors, and enhanced Accountant's Copy, with improved client data importing and added account mapping capabilities.

Gain Insights and Get Information

- **Company Snapshot.** No need to shuffle through endless reports to find out where your company stands. With the Company Snapshot QuickBooks users can view a real-time snapshot of their business in one easily accessible location, so they know which customers still owe them money, what bills they need to pay, and what they need to do by the end of the day. It's the fastest and easiest way to keep a pulse on what lies ahead.

- **Live Community.** QuickBooks users can now connect with the Intuit Small Business Community to get their questions answered by accountants and experts, as well as other small businesses like themselves, all from within QuickBooks[5]. With the new Live Community, users can get information about QuickBooks or general business advice, allowing them to make smarter business decisions.

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1 QuickBooks Payroll requires a subscription, EIN and Internet access. Additional fees apply to Direct Deposit.
2 Online services vary by participating financial institutions or other parties and may be subject to application approval, additional terms, conditions and fees.
3 Backing up QuickBooks data using the QuickBooks Online Backup Service must be done in single-user mode.
4 To use QuickBooks Messenger, you must be logged into the company file.
5 Internet access required.

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Get Customers and Do Business in a Global Economy

- **Free Website.** QuickBooks 2009 helps small businesses get online and reach new customers by enabling them to create a professional-looking and customized website for free[6]. A simple drag-and-drop interface makes it easy to create and update web pages. The package includes a three-page website and 12 months of free hosting. QuickBooks Premier users get access to over 2,000 web page templates and sample sites for 100 industries.

- **Multi-Currency.** Small businesses can now seamlessly manage their finances, customers, and vendors at home and abroad with support for multiple currencies. QuickBooks 2009 handles all international currency accounting automatically. Users can now download exchange rates right into QuickBooks[7] and process wire transfers and drafts easily online for more than 100 foreign currencies, powered by Intuit Payment Services.

New Pricing

For both new users and upgraders:

Intuit QuickBooks Accounting Pro Edition 2009	$199.95
Intuit QuickBooks Accounting Pro 3-User Edition 2009	$549.95
Intuit QuickBooks Accounting Pro 2-User Edition 2009 (QuickBooks.com only)	$379.95
Intuit QuickBooks Accounting Premier 2009 (and industry-specific editions)	$399.95
Intuit QuickBooks Accounting Premier 2-User Edition 2009 (QuickBooks.com only)	$749.95
QuickBooks Accounting Premier 3-User Edition 2009	$1,099.95
Pro Add-a-Seat Discount	10%
Premier Add-a-Seat Discount	17%

Availability

QuickBooks Accounting Pro and Premier 2009 (including industry-specific versions) will be available for purchase directly form Intuit on September 29, 2008 by calling 888-2-INTUIT or visiting www.quickbooks.com. On October 8, 2008, QuickBooks 2009 will be available at leading retailers including Amazon.com, Best Buy, CDW, Circuit City, Costco, Fry's Electronics, Office Depot, OfficeMax, Sam's Club, Staples, Target and Wal-Mart.

Recommended System Configuration

- Intuit QuickBooks Accounting Pro/Premier Edition 2009 on XP
  - At least 1.8GHz processor, 2.0GHz recommended
  - At least 256MB (512MB recommended) of RAM for a single user
  - At least 512MB of RAM for multiple, concurrent users
  - 1 GB of disk space (additional space required for data files)

- Intuit QuickBooks Accounting Pro/Premier Edition 2009 on Vista
  - At least 2.0GHz processor
  - At least 512MB of RAM (1GB recommended)
  - 1 GB of disk space (additional space required for data files)

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6   One 12-month subscription to website hosting services included, valid for customers who purchase and install QuickBooks 2009 software from an authorized seller before 8/31/2009. Subscription begins at time of online account creation or within 90 days of purchase, whichever comes sooner. After a year, you will be able to choose from our standard set of packages, currently priced at $4.99 per month. Pricing available for a limited time only. Standard prices subject to change.

7   Additional fees may apply.

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Disk Space Requirements for Additional Software

- 50MB for Microsoft .NET 2.0 Runtime, provided on the QuickBooks CD

- Google Desktop Search (in-product search) space requirements are determined by the size of the company file and the nature of usage. It is not unusual for indices to be as large as 1GB

Additional Hardware and Software

- Operating Systems supported:
  - Windows XP (SP2 or later strongly recommended), all editions

  - Windows 2003 Server

  - Windows Vista (w/UAC on), all editions

  - Windows Server 2008 (database only, not client)

- 4x CD-ROM drive
- Optimized for 1024x768 screen resolution or higher, supports 800x600 using "Small fonts" setting in your Windows control panel display settings

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