

# Benchmark Estimating Software

## Edition Comparison – Lite, Professional & Corporate

### General Features

	Lite	Professional	Corporate
Command Centre	✓	✓	✓
User based security & permissions	✓	✓	✓
Customisable system options	✓	✓	✓
Customisable drop down fields	✓	✓	✓
Mandatory fields	✓	✓	✓
Central register of estimates	✓	✓	✓
Document hyperlinks	✓	✓	✓
Estimate Notes	✓	✓	✓
Reports	✓	✓	✓
User manual & online help	✓	✓	✓
Built on the Microsoft .NET Framework	✓	✓	✓
Microsoft SQL Database	✓	✓	✓
Multiple Database Support	✓	✓	✓
Flexible Installation	✓	✓	✓
Microsoft SQL Server 2008 Express	✓	✓	✓
Compatibility with other Software	✓	✓	✓

### Libraries

	Lite	Professional	Corporate
Three Point Estimating Libraries		Add-on	Add-on
Variable Library		✓	✓
Quantity Takeoff Sheet Library		✓	✓
Resource Library	✓	✓	✓
Item Library	✓	✓	✓
Routine Library	✓	✓	✓
Section Library	✓	✓	✓
Conditions Library	✓	✓	✓
Client and Subcontractor/Supplier Libraries	✓	✓	✓
Library Security	✓	✓	✓
Library Import/Export	✓	✓	✓

## Estimating the Cost of your Project

	Lite	Professional	Corporate
Three Point Estimating		Add-on	Add-on
Application Service		Add-on	Add-on
Regionalisation			✓
Auto Allocate		✓	✓
Quantity Takeoff Sheets		✓	✓
Takeoff Integrator		✓	✓
Variables		✓	✓
Sub Items		✓	✓
Subcontractor Manager		✓	✓
Resource Rate Change		✓	✓
Power Routines		✓	✓
Add Items from a Library	✓	✓	✓
Import/export a schedule of Items	✓	✓	✓
Routines	✓	✓	✓
Allocate Resources from the Item Library	✓	✓	✓
Production Rates	✓	✓	✓
Quantity Calculator	✓	✓	✓
Rate Only and Provisional Sum Items	✓	✓	✓
Cartage calculator	✓	✓	✓
Cost Check	✓	✓	✓
Duplicate an estimate	✓	✓	✓
Project Variations	✓	✓	✓

## Profit, Overheads & Contingencies

	Lite	Professional	Corporate
Add Profit	✓	✓	✓
Add Indirect Costs (Contingencies and Overheads)	✓	✓	✓
Spread	✓	✓	✓

## Authorising, Producing & Following Up Quotations

	Lite	Professional	Corporate
Microsoft Word Quote Templates		✓	✓
Authorisation of Quotes		✓	✓
Quotation Reports	✓	✓	✓
Company Logo on Quotes	✓	✓	✓
Standard & Project Specific Conditions on Quotes	✓	✓	✓

## Progress Claims

	Lite	Professional	Corporate
Progress Claims		✓	✓
Progress Claim Reports		✓	✓
Claim Variations		✓	✓

## Exporting to Other Systems

	Lite	Professional	Corporate
Resource-based Export to Microsoft Project		✓	✓
Export to Microsoft Word		✓	✓
Export to Microsoft Outlook		✓	✓
Export to Microsoft Excel	✓	✓	✓
Job Costing Export to Microsoft Excel	✓	✓	✓
Exports to Accounting/ERP Systems	✓	✓	✓

## Sales & Marketing Analysis

	Lite	Professional	Corporate
Marketing Reports & Graphs		✓	✓
Business Reporting	✓	✓	✓