

Project Management and Accounting - Solomon

Shorten billing cycles and improve cash flow by taking control of unbilled receivables and converting them more quickly to revenues. Streamline invoicing with automatic generation, formatting, and submission of drafts for approval; then easily note needed corrections, finalize invoices, and post receivables.

B E N E F I T S

Improve cash flow

Reduce the lag time between project activity and invoicing. Charges such as time, expenses, materials, and overhead allocations flow directly to billing without paperwork delays or manual data entry.

Gain flexible control

Assign various billing methods, rate structures, and mark-up rules for each project or customer, or for a specific invoice, and then generate invoices automatically or on demand.

Prevent invoice errors

Review and annotate draft invoices online for editing and format changes, prior to approval and printing.

Tailor invoices

Format invoices to customer specifications and link a given format to future customer or project bills.

Streamline customer service

Provide your customer service personnel with instant access to invoice information, including the ability to drill down to underlying details, for answering customers' questions about their bills.

FLEXIBLE BILLINGS

Create, adjust, maintain, and view in-process invoices or view billed invoices at a glance.

The image displays several screenshots of the Microsoft Business Solutions software interface. The top screenshot shows the 'Invoice & Adjustment Maintenance' window with fields for Billing Project, Invoice Number, Customer, and various dates. Below this is a table with columns for 'Sell Units', 'Rate Type', 'Rate', 'Amount', 'Write Down Units', 'Write Down Amt', 'Hold Units', and 'Hold Amt'. The middle screenshot shows the 'Billing Detail Inquiry' window with a table listing transactions with columns for 'Status/Trans Date', 'Project', 'Task', 'Acct Category', 'Type', 'Units', and 'Rate'. The bottom screenshot shows a 'Work Performed Detail Invoice' window with a detailed summary of costs and revenue, including a table for 'Contract Items' and 'Contract Totals'.

Review invoice status to ensure timely billing and optimize cash flow.

Tailor invoice formats to meet project or customer requirements.

AVAILABLE WITH:

- SOLOMON
- SOLOMON STANDARD

FLEXIBLE BILLING | FEATURES AND FUNCTIONALITY

Efficient Automation	Save time by automatically generating invoices from accounting data captured by other Microsoft® Business Solutions-Solomon modules.
Multiple Billing Methods	Generate invoices on a preset schedule or on demand based on time and material, fixed price, lump sum, percent complete, cost plus, cost plus fixed fee, or retainer methods.
Mark-up Control	Manage write-up and write-down adjustments by specifying rules, distributing adjustments manually or automatically across project employees, and instantly calculating results during invoice generation.
Flexible Formats	Create invoice formats, defining detail levels for different types of charges, and associate formats, including AIA-like formats, with specific customers or projects by using override capabilities.
Custom Graphics	Add logos or change lines, boxes, and shading to customize invoices, and eliminate the need for preprinted forms.
Online Reviews	Ensure invoice accuracy with quick online preview, annotation, and rejection or approval.
Split- and Consolidated-Billing Options	Automatically apportion billable amounts for a single project among multiple customers or joint-venture partners, or consolidate billing for numerous projects on a single invoice.
Automated Sales Tax and Retention Computation	Set project manager-defined retention amounts for invoicing and automatically calculate sales tax.
Integrated Accounting	Post invoice amounts to receivables account books and the general ledger automatically when invoices are approved and finalized.
Computation Support	Save time and prevent errors with background calculations and tax, retention, and customer deposit tracking.
Invoice History Lookup	Quickly view past invoices online and drill down to details using online capabilities or Crystal Reports Professional 8.5.