



PRACTICE POINTS

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Existing clients need to re-import the 4 definitions files (**TheSTP**, **TheSCP**, etc) and then import new records for [HelpInfo], [SMessages], [Translations] and [TaxCoeffs] via your **Exports** folder. All exporting is now sent to the **Exports** folder, so if you are looking for an exported file, check there, and in any created subfolders, first.

Existing clients should now also assign a default bank, and populate the tax tables information and parameters, via the Administrator preferences.

New Features - Quite a lot actually!

Exported spreadsheets will use the **TAB/SYLK** option with the **.xls** file extension, and exported diagrams and Illustrations will use **.jpg**

The **Bankings** table includes a **Transfer** check-box and a **Transfer Now** button allowing for bank transfers. A new **Temp Cr/Db** check-box can be used to hold bankings for reconciliations.

The **Banks** table has been updated to include an opening balance and a new **Reconciliation** button allows for a current balance to be determined as a result of goods and services, expenses, bank transfers and temporary Cr/Db adjustments. Extra navigation tabs are provided here as well. A new **Wages** table allows you to create wages entries for your staff, automating withholding tax, and allowing for inter-bank transfers.

The Administrator can now reassign an alternate bank to a selection of accounts, and to a selection of consultations. The Administrator also has the ability to delete totally empty accounts and consultations which may eventuate from abnormal package behavior resulting from power or computer interruptions. These are a power feature provided for operator error and repairs, and must be used with caution as the package will not be able to undo any actions taken.

Many changes have been made to the e-mail features.

A complete re-write now makes it possible to e-mail a complete letter or a partial selection of a letter, together with an attachment and a cc recipient. You may also copy information to the clipboard and then launch your preferred email client, if you wish to use that. It is also possible to e-mail attach a spreadsheet and a diagram / illustration. See the next page regarding updated PDF documentation. Also the In-context help has a new **How To...** pop-up menu with added topics. Please explore this item to catch up on new information.

A new **Clippings** folder allows you to capture little segments of text from many places within the package.

A new **Spools** folder has been added. This supports a new feature which allows you to access the package remotely, say via a telephone connection or the internet, and in the event that you request a printout, or some other reporting request, a staff preference setting allows you to have those requests e-mailed back to you at your remote location.

Mac OSX

iPad... Apple's new technology platform has now been announced, and as usual, the general public and media are underestimating its real potential. 700,000 sold on launch April 3rd, with 5-7 million sales expected in the first year. Available in Australia April 24th.

Its two main features are that it now has a book store, much like the **iTunes** and **Apps** stores, and contains a new **Apple A4** chip which provides the great multi-touch screen technology.

It is therefore a full color inter-active e-reader. It will run all the applications currently available for download from the App store. It can be used to browse the web, do your emailing and handle attachments, view and present photos, watch movies, and carry your music.

You may dock it with a regular key-board and a versatile carry case allows you to position the device in a variety of poses.

There are the **iWork** applications for word processing, spread sheeting and doing presentations.

Either way, the developer community is embracing this new device so you will see many new applications coming into the App store and gaming will probably become a major feature on this as well. It is now only US\$99 to be a full **Apple** developer, the same price to be an **iPhone / iPad** developer.

iTunes... version 9.1.

App Store... 140,000+ applications, watch this space.

- Go Apple ! -



New Documentation.

The PDF documentation for our package has been updated and you should review the changes to the following... **TPM03.Preferences, TPM11.Banking, TPM12.Finances, TPM19.Icons and TPM22.Maintenance.**

Please Note:

The **PowerPC** version of our product **TheP (z)** is no longer marketed nor supported, as many new features are not able to be implemented, nor will it run reliably on the newer **Apple MacOSX** systems such as **Snow Leopard**.

The New Apple iPad

Finally announced in January, there are six models to be released in April. It is 190mm x 234mm and 13.5mm thick. There are two connectivity options (**W-Fi** only, or **Wi-Fi + 3G**) and 3 memory choices at 16GB, 32GB and 64 GB which provide the mix. See the side bar on the first page for some feature summaries. If you are interested in finding out more, go to **Apple's** web site and watch the two keynote presentations there.



A new answering machine has now been installed, so you may leave a message if calling our land line in our absence.

New additions

Coloured glass ones



And a cute finger puppet from N.Z.



Until the next issue...

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