

Customer Invoice

To Create a Customer Invoice from an Estimate:

- 1) From the 'Customer' Navigator choose 'Invoice'
- 2) Choose the Customer: Job
- 3) A pop up window Available Estimates will appear containing a list of all the estimates for the selected customer, click on the desired estimate and then click OK
- 4) A pop up window Create Progress Invoice Based On Estimate will appear containing the following three chooses:
 - 'Create invoice for the entire estimate (100%)'
 - 'Create invoice for a percentage of the entire estimate'
 - 'Create invoice for selected items or for different percentages of each item'

Create invoice for the entire estimate (100%):

- 1) Choose 'Create invoice for the entire estimate (100%)' and click OK
- 2) An invoice will be created from the information contained in the estimate, review the information and make any necessary changes or additions
- 3) If a deposit was received from the customer, add the appropriate payment item
- 4) Click Save & Close

Create invoice for a percentage of the entire estimate:

- 1) Choose 'Create invoice for a percentage of the entire estimate'
- 2) Input the appropriate percentage and click OK
- 3) An invoice will be created, based upon the percentage entered and the information contained in the original estimate, review the information and make any necessary changes or additions
- 4) If a deposit was received from the customer, add the appropriate payment item
- 5) Click Save & Close

Workflow

Create invoice for selected items or for different percentages of each item:

- 1) Choose 'Create invoice for selected items or for different percentages of each item' and click OK
- 2) A pop up window Specify Invoices Amounts for Items on Estimate will appear containing the list of items on the estimate
- 3) Select 'Show Quantity and Rate' and/or 'Show Percentage'
- 4) Change any amounts that should differ from the original estimate and click OK
- 5) An invoice will be created, review the information and make any necessary changes or additions
- 6) If a deposit was received from the customer, add the appropriate payment item
- 7) Click Save & Close

Workflow

To Record a Customer Invoice (when there is no estimate):

- 1) From the HOME page choose 'Invoices'
- 2) Choose the Customer:Job; If the customer is new, select <add new> at the top of the drop down list and input the basic customer information:
Customer Name, Contact, Phone, Bill to Address, Ship to Address
click OK
- 3) Check the invoice date and invoice number
- 4) Choose the items from the drop down list
- 5) Input the quantity
- 6) If necessary, adjust the rate
- 7) If including a discount, select a subtotal item first and then choose the appropriate discount
- 8) Ensure the description is sufficient
- 9) Type any pertinent additional information in the memo field at the bottom of the screen
- 10) If the Customer has any credits they can be applied against the invoice by clicking Apply Credits - select the credits to be applied and click Done
- 11) The invoice can be printed and/or e-mailed, select the desired options in the bottom left of the screen— QuickBooks will check the Customer record for an e-mail address if the option 'to be e-mailed' was chosen—if the e-mail address is missing a pop up window Information Missing or Invalid will appear, enter the e-mail address and click OK
- 12) Click Save & Close

E-Mail or Print a Customer Invoices

- 1) If the e-mail option was not selected when creating the invoice, edit the invoice
- 2) From top menu bar select File then Send Forms
- 3) A pop up window Select Forms to Send will appear containing a list of all the invoices ready to be sent, each invoice will have a checkmark on the right indicating it has been selected for transmission
- 4) To de-select a particular invoice, click on it
- 5) To edit the cover e-mail for a particular invoice, highlight the invoice then click Edit E-mail
- 6) Click Send Now to transmit the e-mail, QuickBooks will check for an internet connection

To Print the Invoice:

- 1) If the print option was not selected when creating the invoice, open the invoice and from top menu bar select File and Print Invoice
- 2) If the print option was selected when creating the invoice, from the top menu bar select File then Print Forms and Invoices
- 3) A pop up window Select Invoices to Print will appear containing a list of all the invoices ready to be printed, each invoice will have a checkmark on the right indicating it has been selected
- 4) To de-select a particular invoice, click on it

To Print the Packing Slip:

- 1) Open the invoice
- 2) Change the Template to the Packing Slip Template
- 3) From top menu bar select File and Print Invoice
- 4) A pop up window Recording Transaction will appear, click Yes
- 5) Follow the prompts to complete the print job
- 6) If desired, change the invoice template back prior to closing the invoice

Workflow

To Set up a Memorized Invoice for Automatic Entry:

- 1) Start as if recording an actual invoice—From the HOME page choose 'Invoices'
 - 2) Choose the Customer:Job; if the customer is new, select <add new> at the top of the drop down list and input the basic customer information: Customer Name, Company Name, Job Name, Contact, Phone, Bill to Address, Ship to Address; click OK
 - 3) Check the invoice date and invoice number
 - 4) Choose the items from the drop down list
 - 5) Input the quantity; if necessary adjust the rate
 - 6) If including a discount, select a subtotal item first and then choose the appropriate discount
 - 7) Ensure the description is sufficient; type any pertinent additional information in the memo field at the bottom of the screen.
 - 8) The invoice can be printed and/or e-mailed, select the desired options in the bottom left of the screen— QuickBooks will check the Customer record for an e-mail address if the option 'to be e-mailed' was chosen—if the e-mail address is missing a pop up window Information Missing or Invalid will appear, enter the e-mail address and click OK
 - 9) Move cursor to the 'Bill To' box and right click
 - 10) Choose 'Memorize Invoice'
 - 11) A pop up window Memorize Transaction will appear
 - Select 'Automate Transaction Entry'
 - For 'How Often', choose monthly or quarterly
 - For 'Next Date', enter the date for the next invoice
 - For 'Number Remaining', enter the number of times the invoice should automatically generate.
 - For 'Days in Advance to Enter', select how many days prior to the invoice date the invoice should be created
- Click OK and return to the invoice
- 12) If this current invoice should be created click Save & Close otherwise click Clear

To Edit a Memorized Transaction:

- 1) From the top menu bar select Lists then Memorized Transaction List
- 2) To edit information such as how often, next date, number remaining and days in advance to enter:
 - Highlight the desired entry, right click and choose Edit Memorized Transaction
 - Make the changes and click OK
- 3) To edit information on the future invoice:
 - Doubleclick on the desired entry
 - Make the changes
 - Move cursor to the 'Bill To' box and right click
 - Choose Memorize Invoice
 - A pop up window Replace Memorized Transaction will appear
 - Click Replace and return to the invoice
 - If this current invoice should be created click Save & Close otherwise click Clear

To Delete a Memorized Transaction:

- 1) From the top menu bar select Lists then Memorized Transaction List
- 2) Highlight the desired entry
- 3) From the top menu bar select Edit then Delete Memorized Transaction
- 4) A pop up window Delete Memorized Transaction will appear
- 5) Click OK

When starting QuickBooks if a memorized transaction is due to be created a pop up window Automatically Enter Memorized Transactions? will appear, click Now

A pop up window QuickBooks has Entered Memorized Transactions will appear, click OK