

Microsoft Dynamics 365

## **Business Central**

The Right Option for Make-to-Order Manufacturers

Most orders for Make-to-Order manufacturers are for a unique items and because consumers want products that are customized to their specifications standard ERP manufacturing software will **not** work for your business.

You are selling a Service more than a Product. However, you will still need to consume Materials, pay Subcontractors, and track the Labor Hours allocated. Therefore, you need software designed for a Make-to-Order Manufacturer (Engineer to Order, Assemble to Order, or Make to Order).

#### The Distinguishing Capabilities of Make-to-Order Manufacturing Software

Business Central is an Activity Based Costing tool for your project. As a complete Project Management and Costing solution, Business Central provides an easy way to manage resources and track the status of each Job Task.





#### **Business Benefits**



#### Increase Revenue

With shorter lead times and reliable promise dates that allow for better deliveries and customer service.



#### **Cut Costs**

By significantly reducing inventories, overtime, expediting fees and time spend updating spreadsheets.



#### **Keep Informed**

With real time data. Know where your costs are on every job, every minute of the day.



#### **Gain Usability**

Through a thorough overview of your business to efficiently identify opportunities and detect issues.



#### **Save Time**

With quick and easy access to your company's production status and identifying problems before they happen.



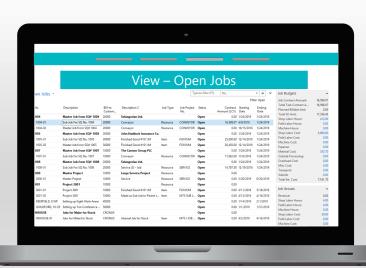
Estimating



Profitability Analysis



Shop Floor Time Entry





#### **Key Features**

"I reduced my month end closing process to 3 days from 20 days."

-Gerri McGighan -Lukens



#### **Estimating and Quoting**

- Estimator's Worksheet detailed calculations
- Template for standard product structure
- Multi-level BOM options
- · Enable Non-Inventory Items



#### Billing

- Milestone, Cost Plus, Percentage of Completion, T&M and Fixed Fee
- Earned revenue worksheet



#### **Procurement**

- · Demand based purchasing
- Buy direct to Jobs
- Subcontracts and outside processing
- Open PO visibility on Job Statics window
- Add Parts on the fly.



#### **Work in Process (WIP)**

- Auto-post WIP
- Auto-post Recognition
- Audit Trail



#### **Labor Tracking**

- Time collection stations
- Clock In / Cloud Out with shift tracking
- Scanner Interface
- Web Services option for remote time entry

#### Also

- Bar Code Scanning
- Shop Floor Time Entry
- Capacity Planning
- Cost Audit Trail





### Does this sound like you?

- I need to know if our estimates are accurate?
- We need to know what percent complete we are on a job.
- We want to reduce the high carry cost of our inventory.
- When we get an analysis of a project, it's too late to fix problems.
- We are collecting data, but everyone has their own spreadsheet.
- We need access to historical data to quote new jobs.
- We want to allocate employee time to the task level.



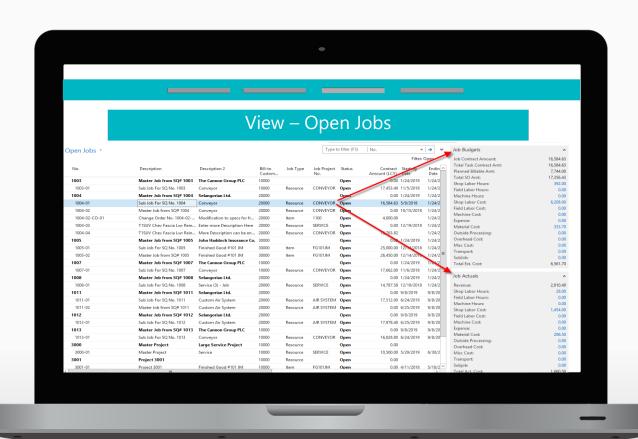






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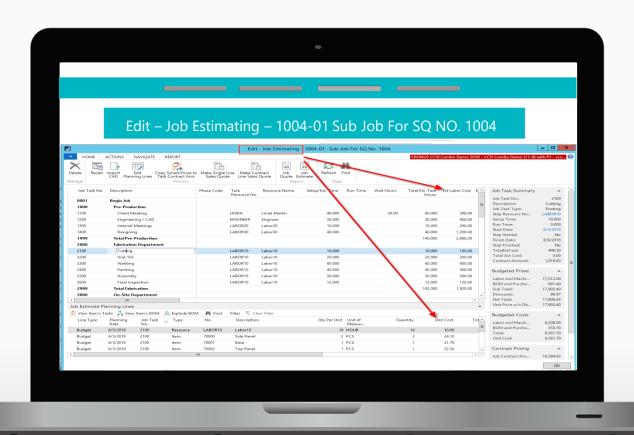
Job to Date Budget and Actual Cost in Real Time:





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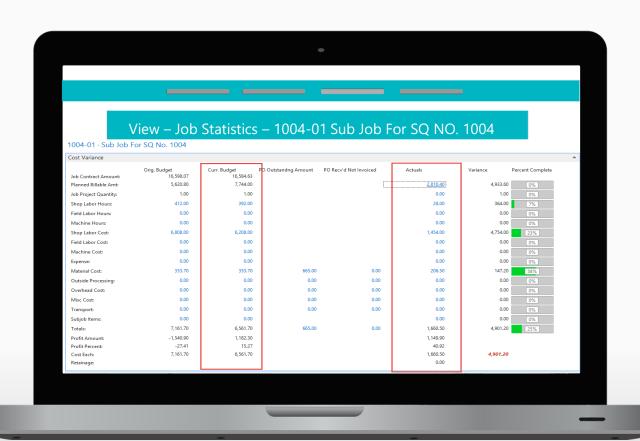
#### Job Estimated Cost Calculated in Real Time:





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Job Statistics in Real Time: (Budget v. Actual)

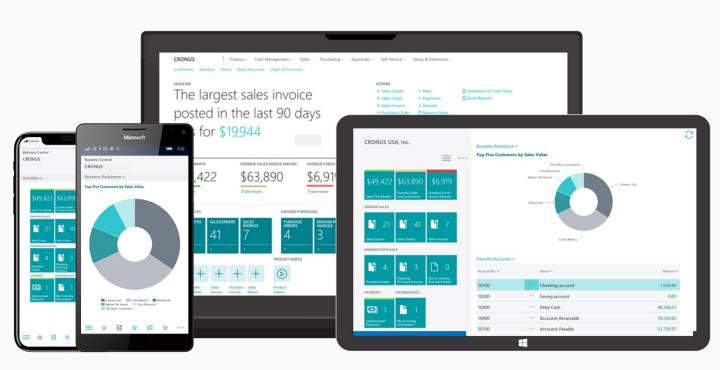


#### Notice above you also have:

- Original Budget
- View to Purchase Order Outstanding (Committed Cost)
- PO Received, Not Invoiced
- Variance and Percent Complete
- Job to Date profitability

# **Business Central for Job Shops**

A complete activity based costing solution.





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