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WHAT'S NEW IN SAGE 100

Version 2019 Release 2 (2019.2) Now Available

Sage 100 2019 Release 2 (aka Version 2019.2) is now available. This latest version of the software features a handful of global enhancements along with updates for Accounts Payable and Job Cost. Here's a closer look at what's new in Sage 100.

Automatic Update of Daily Transaction Register

A security event has been added to Role Maintenance that allows you to automatically update the Daily Transaction Register. For any series of journal and register updates that concludes with the Daily Transaction Register, you will not receive a prompt to print and update the register if the security event check box is selected for your role - it will print automatically.

Warning Message for Document Date

A **Use Document Date Warning** check box was added to the Preferences tab in Company Maintenance. After selecting this check box, you can enter a value in one or both of the following fields:

Document Date - Prior Periods to Allow Outside of Current Period **Document Date** - Future Periods to Allow Outside of Current Period

These values are compared to the current period entered in the module's Options to determine when a date falls outside of the valid date range. If you start to create a document with a date that falls outside of the valid range, you'll receive one of two messages:

If using the **default date** for that session, a warning message appears. You can click OK to continue.

If you **manually enter the date**, a warning message asks if you want to proceed. If you click Yes to continue with the date entered, a record is written to the Activity Log.

Ability to Set Default Expense Distribution Table (AP)

An Expense Distribution Table field has been added in Vendor Maintenance. You can select a distribution table in this field, and it is then used as the default selection (which can be changed if needed) in Invoice Data Entry, Repetitive Invoice Entry, and Manual Check and Payment Entry. In addition, you can enter a new code in Vendor Maintenance to create an expense distribution table on the fly.

Department Access for Time Track Selection (Job Cost)

When departments are set up in the Payroll module, you no longer need access to all departments to run Time Track Selection. Instead, you can select all records associated with the departments to which you have access.

Refer to the What's New Summary and Release Notes for full details on Sage 100 2019.2.



3 New Modules to Support Distributors & Manufacturers

In August, Sage announced the release of three new Sage 100 modules to support distributors and manufacturers including Inventory Requirements Planning, Shop Floor, and Manufacturing Mobility for Barcode.

Inventory Requirements Planning

The Inventory Requirements Planning (IRP) module for Sage 100 and Sage 100 cloud is the on-framework replacement for Material Requirements Planning (MRP).

In addition to delivering the same features and functions of the legacy MRP module, IRP incudes additional capabilities including (but not limited to):

- Generate recommended purchase and production item quantities using cut-off dates and lead times.
- Edit the recommended quantity, vendor, and unit price for items to be purchased, and then click a button to create the purchase orders.
- Edit recommended make quantities for items to be produced, and then click a button to create the work tickets (Sage Production Management is required to create work tickets)

Shop Floor

Shop Floor is an extension for Sage Production Management that makes data collection easier by providing mobile access to transactional tasks in Sage Production Management (you may recall that earlier this year, Sage Production Management was released as a replacement for the legacy Sage 100 Work Order module).



Created specifically for shop floor personnel, the app provides a user-friendly visual front end to Sage Production Management, accessible via desktop or mobile device.

Manufacturing Mobility for Barcode

Manufacturing Mobility for Barcode is an integration component that connects the Shop Floor extension for Sage Production Management to Sage 100.

You must have Manufacturing Mobility for Barcode installed on your system in order to extend Shop Floor to your warehouse personnel.

Availability

These three new modules - Inventory Requirements
Planning (IRP), Shop Floor, and Manufacturing Mobility for
Barcode - are now available for both Sage 100 and Sage
100cloud.



Contact us if you'd like more information about capabilities, module pricing, or want to schedule a demo.

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