



BUILDER INFORMATION SYSTEM

System Requirements

For **Windows® 7®, 8®, or 10®** 64-bit* and 32-bit operating systems.

Minimum local computer requirements:

- **RAM:** 4 GB minimum. 8 GB recommended.
- **CPU:** 2 GHz minimum. 3+ GHz recommended. It can be either 32-bit or 64-bit.
- **Hard Drive:** 1GB of free space for BIS® programs. 1GB or more of free space for BIS® data. 7,200 rpm hard drives recommended.

Server Requirements:

- Operating System: MICS STRONGLY ADVISES that BIS® be used with a Standalone Server running Microsoft® Windows Server 2008, 2012 or 2016. For the Enterprise Edition, a Windows Remote Desktop Server 2008, 2012 or 2016 is recommended for both 64 and 32-bit.
- 1GB of free space for BIS® programs. 1GB or more of free space for BIS® data.
- Gigabit Ethernet with appropriate cabling is strongly recommended

Notes:

1. Exchange Server should be run on a different physical or virtual server.
2. No platforms other than Microsoft® Windows® are recommended or supported.

BIS® can also be run in a peer-to-peer environment, but this is **NOT encouraged**. Prior to any BIS® installation, users are strongly encouraged to upgrade their systems as necessary to ensure that all features and functions operate as designed in this state-of-the-art accounting program. In addition, users are **strongly encouraged** to check Microsoft's website at:

<http://www.update.microsoft.com/microsoftupdate/v6/default.aspx?ln=en-us>

and download any critical or important operating system updates from Microsoft®. Microsoft® requires the use of Internet Explorer® for these semi-automatic downloads. Other browsers can be used to download selected operating system updates manually from other Microsoft® sites.

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