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Accubid Releases Pocket Bid™ for the Pocket PC

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Accubid is pleased to announce the release of Pocket Bid™ for the Pocket PC. With Accubid's new Pocket Bid, you can perform a complete estimate, generate a bill of materials, and produce a final price, right on the job site.

Back at the office, you can synchronize Pocket Bid with your Accubid desktop estimating solution—Accubid Pro, BidWinner Plus, BidWinner, or PowerBid.

Pocket Bid will run on any portable device that uses Microsoft's Pocket PC 2002 operating system, or its successor, the Windows Mobile 2003 operating system. Since the Pocket PC and Windows Mobile operating systems are based on the Windows OS, existing Windows users will find the Pocket PC interface familiar and easy to use.

In addition to Pocket Bid, Accubid also offers Pocket ChangeOrder™, a handheld solution for pricing changes.

Features:

While other handheld estimating software focuses exclusively on takeoff, Pocket Bid provides a complete solution from takeoff to final pricing, including extension.

Pocket Bid features include:

- Full extension and bid summary
- Can generate a final price on the spot, unlike some solutions that simply produce the total quantities of items
- Can update from Pocket PC to desktop and back, unlike some solutions that can only update in one direction, from the device to the desktop
- Supports the complete Accubid desktop database
- Supports multiple databases and projects on the device at the same time
- Fully customizable screens (fonts, colors and columns)



- Interface is similar to Accubid's desktop estimating programs—Accubid Pro, BidWinner Plus, BidWinner, and PowerBid—thereby reducing the learning curve for existing Accubid users

Benefits:

Here are just a few of the benefits of Pocket Bid:

- Reduces delay, since you can perform takeoffs immediately and on-the-spot
- Reduces errors, since you don't have to rely on your memory or your notes
- Saves time, since you don't have to transcribe your notes
- Allows for on-site project management (since you can download jobs to Pocket Bid for reference)
- Avoids duplication since it can synchronize and share files with your Accubid desktop estimating solutions

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