

Amicus Accounting 2010 Hardware & Software Requirements

	File Server hosting Amicus Accounting	Workstation with Amicus Accounting
Processor	MINIMUM: 500 MHz Pentium III or compatible RECOMMENDED: 2 GHz Pentium 4 or compatible	MINIMUM: 166 MHz Pentium or compatible RECOMMENDED: 1 GHz Pentium 4 or compatible
RAM	MINIMUM: 128 MB RECOMMENDED: 512 MB	MINIMUM: 128 MB RECOMMENDED: 512 MB
Hard Disk Drive	Space used by the application components: 300 MB Additional disk space is required for your database. Another 300 MB of free space is recommended for running the application efficiently. RECOMMENDED: Fast disk subsystem (7200 rpm)	Space used by the application components: 15 MB Another 300 MB of free space is recommended for running the application efficiently.
Video	MINIMUM: 1024x768 pixels at 32-bit color	MINIMUM: 1024x768 pixels at 32-bit color
Operating System *	Windows Server 2008/2003 Small Business Server 2008/2003 7 (Professional/Enterprise/Ultimate) Vista (Business/Ultimate) XP (Professional) Additionally: Internet Explorer 6.x or later Latest Service Packs are required.	Windows Server 2008/2003 Small Business Server 2008/2003 7 (Professional/Enterprise/Ultimate) Vista (Business/Ultimate) XP (Professional/Home) Additionally: Internet Explorer 6.x or later Latest Service Packs are required.
Network	Windows or Novell network (<i>see note below</i>). To support workstations over a Local Area Network: MINIMUM: 10Base-T, RECOMMENDED: 100Base-T For wireless access, we recommend 802.11g or faster. (Actual network requirements depend on the number of users and the level of activity on the network.)	Network connection to the File Server.
Amicus Attorney Integration	Requires a compatible version of Amicus Attorney 2010 Small Firm Edition or Premium Edition. Ensure that your computers are suitable for running both Amicus Accounting and Amicus Attorney. See our website for requirements specific to your version of Amicus Attorney. Integration requires Windows .NET Framework 1.1 on the Server and Workstations.	

* Both 32-bit and 64-bit editions of Windows are supported.
For 7 and Vista, see the *Windows 7 and Vista Compatibility Statement* for special considerations.

NOTES

Firewall: Firewalls should not prevent the server from being accessible/visible to workstations. If you are running a firewall on the Server, ensure that you configure it to unblock the File and Printer Sharing service.

Novell network: A Novell NetWare File Server can be used for hosting the Amicus Accounting application folder (database and application files) but the application must be installed under Windows. If using a Novell network, you require Novell NetWare Server 4.1 with NetWare Clients version 2.5 or later. The server must support long filenames.

Workstation Network Card: Amicus Accounting passes a tremendous amount of information back and forth over the network. Far more data is communicated than that used by typical word processing, accounting, or e-mail applications that a firm may have used in the past. As a result, Amicus Accounting is more exposed to any weaknesses in a firm's network structure than other programs might be. One common cause of network problems is cheap network cards, which can randomly cause data corruption. We highly recommend that you have good quality network cards in every workstation.

Other Applications (including Amicus Attorney): The requirements in this document are for running Amicus Accounting. If running additional applications at the same time, ensure that the computer has sufficient resources for those other applications as well as the host operating system.

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