

What's New in Version 3.04

Version 3.04 was released on 11 October 2011.

It's available for download from www.estimac.com or www.estipc.com.

Install over your previous version. All your projects, data and settings will be preserved. For full installation instructions, please see [How To Install EstiPC](#) or [How To Install EstiMac](#).

So what's new...

Project Languages and Currencies

Client Language	French	Project Currency	€
Client Contact Details			
Madame Hilary Tait			
Chateau Mole			
France			
Project Name For Client			
Mole Hall			

You can now set the Client Language and Project Currency symbol for each project. French, Spanish and Portuguese are currently implemented and spell checking in these languages is included.

The 'Captions' for all client and supplier printouts, PDFs and emails are translated. These include words and phrases like 'Invoice', 'Order Number', etc.

All captions in each language can be modified in the Print Settings if you're not happy with our translations.

There's an 'Other' language which you can use if you need something that we don't yet support. You can even modify the English captions if you don't like the standard ones.

Words can be added to the dictionaries for each supported language. Accented characters are accepted.

French	
Client Report	
Commissions	Commissions
Discounts	Réductions
Fee	Frais
Incomplete Items	Articles Incomplets
Incomplete Items Alert	Les éléments suivants n'ont pas encore été complè
Incomplete Prices	Prix Incomplets
Incomplete Quantities	Quantités Incomplète
Items Not Purchased	Articles Non Achetés
Items Purchased	Articles Achetés

Save As New Project or Backup

The File / Save As menu now gives you the option of starting a new project or making a snapshot backup copy.

When a new project is started in this way, all orders, supplier charges and client invoices are automatically removed. You're just left with all the descriptions, details, costs and prices, which you can use as a starting point.

When a backup copy is made it is automatically data-stamped and saved separately from your main project to avoid confusion.

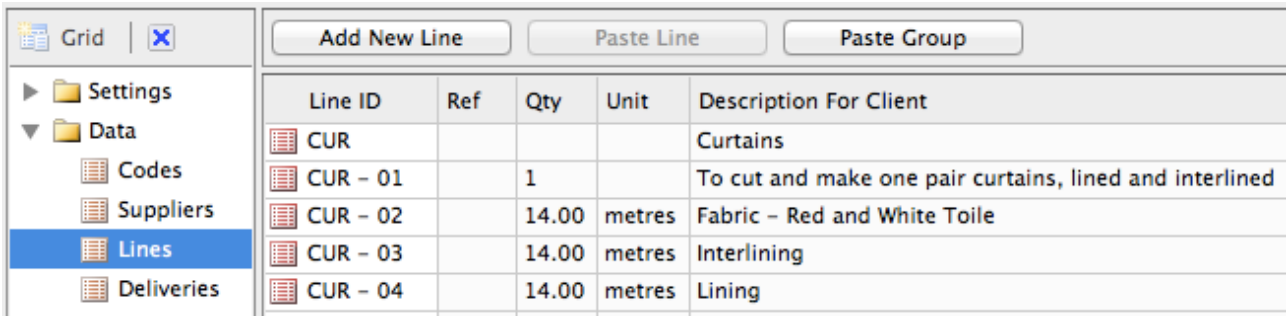
Hidden and Visible Groups

It was already possible to group lines together and present the client with just an overall description and price. For example, the client would just see a description and price for a set of curtains but the fabric, lining, interlining and edging could be specified, costed and ordered but hidden from the client.

It's now possible to use 'Visible Groups' where the descriptions of the component items are also shown to the client with an overall description and an automatically calculated price.

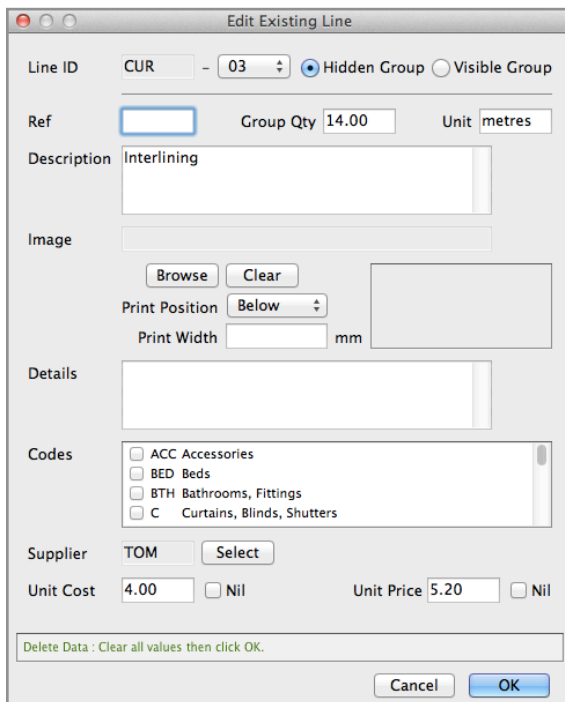
Lines Data

There's now a fourth type of data, 'Lines'. These are commonly used product lines, components, treatments of descriptions. Anything you've found yourself typing out repeatedly or copy-and-pasting from one project to another can now be added to your Lines data.



Line ID	Ref	Qty	Unit	Description For Client
CUR				Curtains
CUR - 01		1		To cut and make one pair curtains, lined and interlined
CUR - 02		14.00	metres	Fabric - Red and White Toile
CUR - 03		14.00	metres	Interlining
CUR - 04		14.00	metres	Lining

Groups of lines can also be set up.



Line ID: CUR - 03 Hidden Group Visible Group

Ref: Group Qty: 14.00 Unit: metres

Description: Interlining

Image:

Print Position: Below Print Width: mm

Details:

Codes: ACC Accessories BED Beds BTH Bathrooms, Fittings C Curtains, Blinds, Shutters

Supplier: TOM

Unit Cost: 4.00 Nil Unit Price: 5.20 Nil

Delete Data - Clear all values then click OK.

If you share projects and data on a network, all your lines data will also be available to your colleagues.

Lines data can be set up by copying grid lines or groups that you've previously used in your projects. You can also set them up manually or modify what you've copied.

Other Changes

Detailed charge status is now shown in the grids.

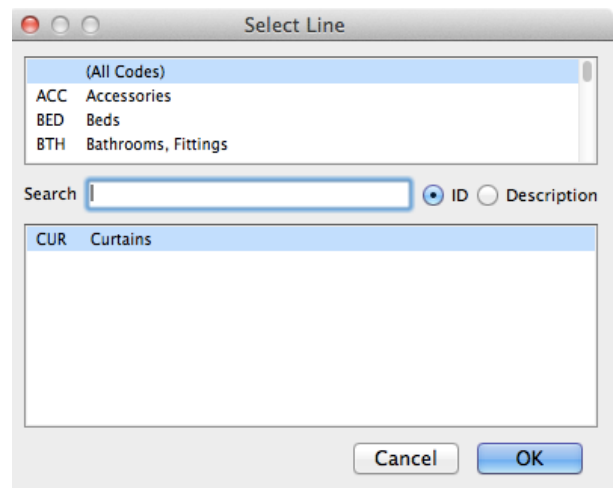
VAT-inclusive prices can now be shown in Client Reports.

For full details see www.estimac.com/versions.shtml or www.estipc.com/versions.shtml

Lines data can include references, descriptions, images, details, codes, suppliers, unit costs and unit prices.

You can build up detailed data for everything you frequently use or just add a few descriptive phrases to save on typing.

To use the lines data you've set up, just double-click on an empty Description or Details column in a project grid line. Then select the line or group from a popup box...



Select Line

(All Codes)
ACC Accessories
BED Beds
BTH Bathrooms, Fittings

Search:

ID Description

CUR Curtains

Everything you've set up for the line or group is then automatically inserted into your project.