



# QUICKBOOKS VS. BLUE LINK PHARMACEUTICAL ERP

## Features

## QuickBooks

## Blue Link ERP

### Accounting

- Ideal for small businesses looking for basic accounting features
- Can track sales, expenses, and profits
- Multi-currency
- Limited to 25 users
- Lack of audit trails and the ability to erase transactions entirely can severely compromise data integrity – which is problematic as you grow.

- Robust accounting functionality and posting integrity controls
- Prevents a business's books from going out of balance and ensures a trail of entries and adjustments
- Accounts Receivable/Payable, Bank Management, General Ledger, Multi-Company/Multi-Currency
- Financial report writer

### Inventory Control

- View quantities on hand
- Real-time inventory valuation
- Automatically calculate the cost of each product sold using first in, first out (FIFO)

- Live inventory information, including costing, quantities and reorder levels
- Automatic reports that get generated and sent to the appropriate people when critical field data is missing
- FIFO

### Pedigree Reporting



- Tracks historical information about a specific lot and the trading partners involved

### Traceability (Lot Tracking)

- With QuickBooks Desktop Enterprise Advanced Inventory, you can track serial numbers or lot numbers
- You can't track both

- Tracks both internal and external serial numbers and lot numbers
- Aids in achieving FDA / ISO / CFIA compliance
- Simplify product recalls and warnings
- Auto-generate lot numbers if desired
- Track as many or as few items as needed
- Allows for accurate margin calculations when a single SKU is used for special one-time purchases

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### Landed Costs

- Manual process or 3rd party integration required

- Automatically calculate landed costs — no more manual calculations
- Accurately track true product costs
- Maintain target margins — no surprises
- Allocate landed costs proportionately — different percentages based on weight etc.

### Track National Drug Codes (NDC#)



- Association of NDC#, Family, Brand, Strength, Dosage, Drug Classification, Customer Limits and Ratio of each product
- Printing of product-specific information on various documentation including printed labels and “Transaction Information”

### Controlled Substance Ordering System (CSOS)



- CSOS is built into Blue Link’s Online Order Portal for distribution businesses in order to allow pharmacies and other customers to place orders online for Schedule II drugs
- Certified by the DEA
- Functionality is based on regulations that allow CII items to be ordered electronically, assuming certain criteria have been met
- Eliminates the need for customers to complete and mail/courier DEA Form 222
- Eliminates the need for customers to submit separate sales orders for C2 and “other” products
- Ability for supplier to submit mandatory CSOS Reports every 48 hours

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Serialization	X	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Verification of product at package level including SNI</li> </ul>
DEA License Tracking	X	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identifies within the system type of license, state, license number, expiry date, and allowable drug schedule for each customer ship-to address</li> <li>• Allows user to generate reports with information on licenses that are approaching expiry</li> <li>• Interfaced with Online Order Portal (if acquired)</li> <li>• Storage of digital copies of customer and vendor licenses</li> </ul>
Suspicious Order Monitoring (SOM)	X	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ensures distributors are in compliance with DEA laws</li> <li>• View average single or monthly order total amount or quantity of product by NDC #</li> </ul>
Transaction History Management	X	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transaction history (product/lot tracking information) of a specific drug's route</li> <li>• Automatic tracking information stored to one level back and one level forward</li> <li>• Ability to enter complete transaction tracking for each product/lot back to the manufacturer</li> <li>• Transaction Reporting (T3)</li> </ul>
CRM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3rd party integration required</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create user-defined steps and processes according to the business' workflow</li> <li>• Manage Marketing lists, integrate with MS office including emailing via Outlook and more</li> </ul>