



## Tax & Accounting

# Payroll Compliance Reporting (and W2/1099) 2023 System Requirements

For best performance, follow the recommended system requirements. To ensure that your workstations meet these requirements, download the System Analysis Tool which is attached to this [Knowledgebase article](#).

### Standalone, Workstation, and Workstation/Server Installations

	Base	Better	Best
<b>Operating System</b>	Windows® 10*	Windows® 11*	Windows® 11*
<b>Processor</b>	Intel® Core™ Duo or Intel® Core™ i3 and equivalent processors	Intel® Core™ i5 or better and equivalent processors	Intel® Core™ i7 or better and equivalent processors
<b>Memory (RAM)</b>	4 GB	4 GB	8 GB
<b>Available Hard Disk Space</b>	3 GB	10 GB	10 GB on solid state drive
<b>Computer Monitor (Display)</b>	1024x768	1024x768 or higher	1920x1080
<b>Internet Browser</b>	Google® Chrome™ or Microsoft Edge®	Google® Chrome™ or Microsoft Edge®	Google® Chrome™ or Microsoft Edge®
<b>Printer</b>	Inkjet (non-W-2/1099 forms); Laser (W-2/1099 forms)	Inkjet (non-W-2/1099 forms); Laser (W-2/1099 forms)	Laser

#### What's the difference in "Base", "Better" and "Best" configurations?

- **Base:** ATX™ will install and run correctly in this minimal configuration, but performance may not be suitable for some users.
- **Better:** Enhances performance and application response times to meet the needs of most ATX users.
- **Best:** Recommended for optimum performance, especially for users who prepare complex returns or large numbers of returns.

#### Operating Systems

- Both 32-bit and 64-bit versions of Microsoft® operating systems are supported; however, ATX is a 32-bit application.

#### Internet Connection Required

- High-speed internet connection required for all install types (e.g., DSL, cable modem, T1/T3).

### Server-Only Installations

	Base	Better	Best
<b>Operating System</b>	Windows® 10*	Windows Server® 2016*	Windows Server® 2019*
<b>Processor</b>	Intel® Core™ i5 or better and equivalent	Intel® Core™ i7 or better and equivalent	Intel® Core™ i7 or better and equivalent processors
<b>Memory (RAM)</b>	8 GB	16 GB	16 GB
<b>Available Hard Disk Space</b>	10 GB	10 GB on solid state drive	10 GB on solid state drive
<b>Printer</b>	Inkjet (non-W-2/1099 forms); Laser (W-2/1099 forms)	Inkjet (non-W-2/1099 forms); Laser (W-2/1099 forms)	Laser

#### What's the difference in "Base", "Better" and "Best" configurations?

- **Base:** ATX will install and run correctly in this minimal configuration, but performance may not be suitable for networks with multiple users.
- **Better and Best:** Recommended for better and optimum performance in networked environments where multiple users work simultaneously.

**Note:** Windows Server® 2012 R2 end of life is October 10, 2023, and is no longer a supported operating system.

\* This product uses .NET Framework 4.8.