

The Setup Menu

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Key information used throughout RentalPoint set up and/or maintained from one convenient menu location.

Set Up Tax Authorities

Tax Authorities Defined

RentalPoint is capable of storing several different taxes that can be used when a business has a wide operating area. There are times when bookings are created in another branch that can be in another area of the country or even in a completely different country. For this reason there may be a need to store multiple tax types that can be applied to bookings and sales. Creating and editing taxes in RentalPoint can be done via the Tax Authorities option in the setup menu.

Parameters Used in Conjunction with Tax Authorities

Parameter	Function
Pricing #34	Set this parameter to let RentalPoint know the price you would like to charge tax on
Pricing #41	Set this parameter to let RentalPoint know if settlement discount should be taxed
Pricing #45	Set this parameter to let RentalPoint know if taxes should be rounded up or down
Operational # 74	Set this parameter to tell RentalPoint to use either Location Record Tax defaults OR the defaults as set up in the Tax Authority Table in each Customer Record
Operational #133	Set this parameter to tell RentalPoint to display the Tax Authorities in NAME or NUMBER order for any drop down list of Tax Authorities
Operational # 134	Set this parameter to tell RentalPoint to use either Customer Record Tax defaults OR Location Record Tax Defaults in a booking
Operational #164	Set this parameter to tell RentalPoint to load Vendor Tax Defaults on a PO
Operational #165	Set this parameter to tell RentalPoint to display tax fields on a PO
Operational #169	Set this parameter to tell RentalPoint to display tax fields in Vendor Properties

Operator Privileges Affecting Tax Authorities

Edit the GROUP record the operator belongs to and check out figure 1.1 and 1.2 below for more details.

Fig 1.1

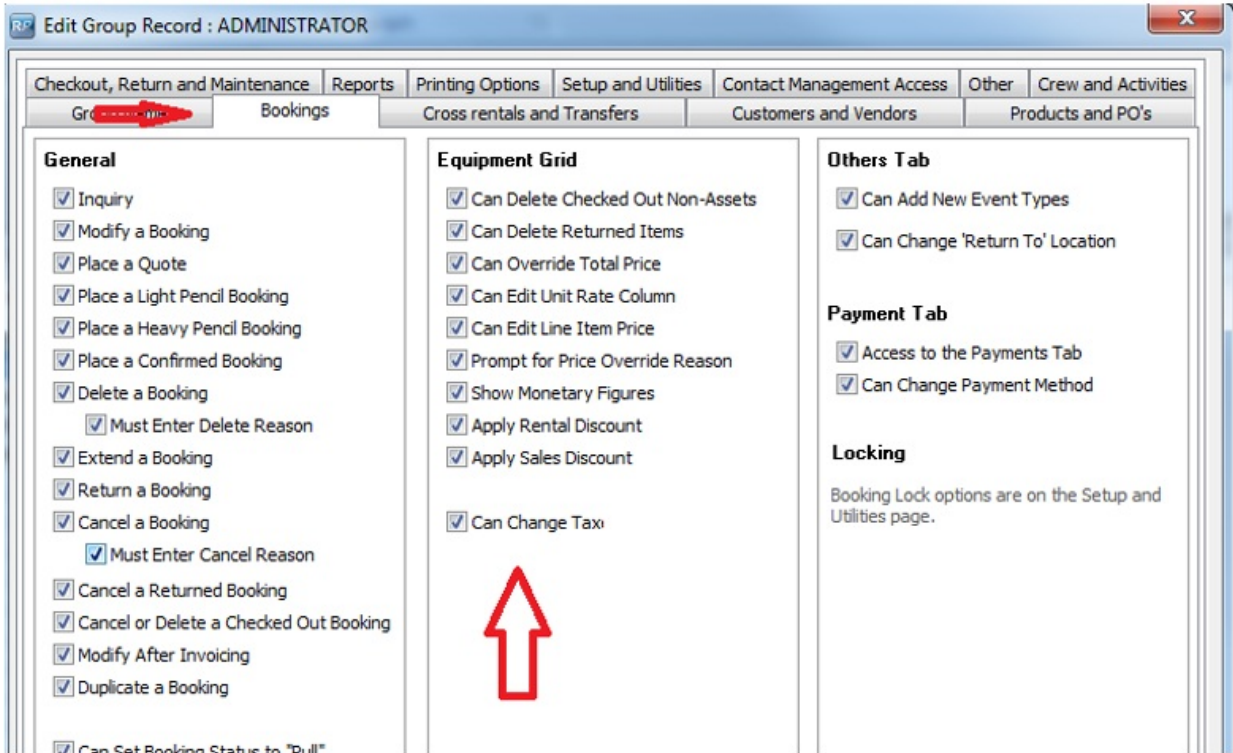
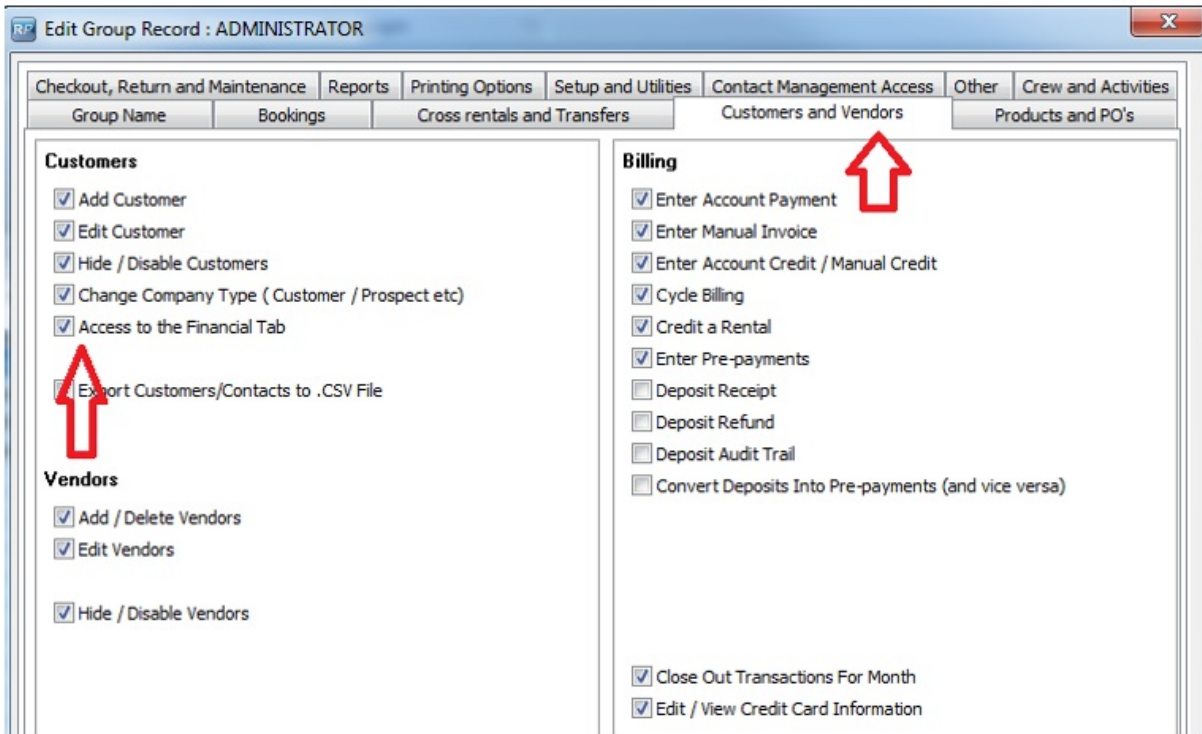


Fig 1.2



Adding / Editing Tax Authorities

To enter a new tax click **Add New** and a new tax row will display in the list. The tax can now be configured to specifications.

When editing a tax authority, RentalPoint will not overwrite the existing tax authority. The existing tax will be disabled and the system will enter a new one. This ensures that all existing transactions (ie. bookings, invoices etc) will maintain their original tax percentage;


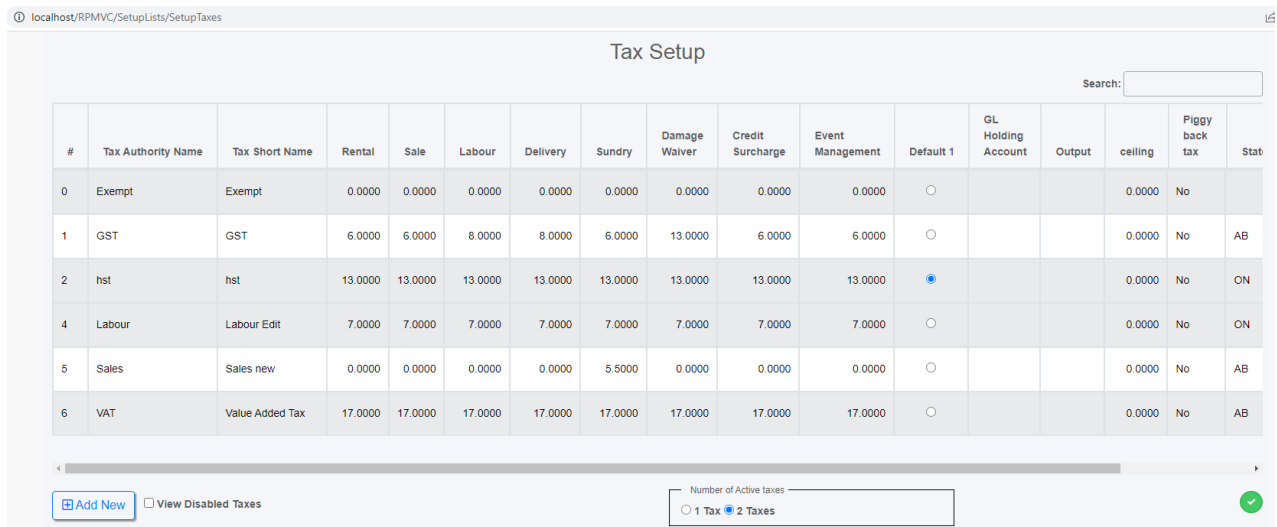

 Existing Bookings will not be automatically recalculated to reflect the new percentage you have added. All new transactions however will use the new rate.

Fig 1.3



The screenshot shows a web application interface titled "Tax Setup". At the top right, there is a search bar. Below it is a table with 17 columns: #, Tax Authority Name, Tax Short Name, Rental, Sale, Labour, Delivery, Sundry, Damage Waiver, Credit Surcharge, Event Management, Default 1, GL Holding Account, Output, ceiling, Piggy back tax, and Stat. The table contains 7 rows of data. At the bottom left, there is an "Add New" button and a checkbox for "View Disabled Taxes". At the bottom right, there is a "Number of Active taxes" section with radio buttons for "1 Tax" and "2 Taxes", where "2 Taxes" is selected. A green checkmark icon is visible in the bottom right corner.

#	Tax Authority Name	Tax Short Name	Rental	Sale	Labour	Delivery	Sundry	Damage Waiver	Credit Surcharge	Event Management	Default 1	GL Holding Account	Output	ceiling	Piggy back tax	Stat
0	Exempt	Exempt	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	<input type="radio"/>			0.0000	No	
1	GST	GST	6.0000	6.0000	8.0000	8.0000	6.0000	13.0000	6.0000	6.0000	<input type="radio"/>			0.0000	No	AB
2	hst	hst	13.0000	13.0000	13.0000	13.0000	13.0000	13.0000	13.0000	13.0000	<input checked="" type="radio"/>			0.0000	No	ON
4	Labour	Labour Edit	7.0000	7.0000	7.0000	7.0000	7.0000	7.0000	7.0000	7.0000	<input type="radio"/>			0.0000	No	ON
5	Sales	Sales new	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	5.5000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	<input type="radio"/>			0.0000	No	AB
6	VAT	Value Added Tax	17.0000	17.0000	17.0000	17.0000	17.0000	17.0000	17.0000	17.0000	<input type="radio"/>			0.0000	No	AB

 To adjust a tax that was previously disabled, click the '**View disabled taxes**' option on the bottom left of the screen.


- The '**Ceiling**' column is the dollar limit the tax stops at. For example, if you have a booking for \$150 and the ceiling is set at \$100, the customer is only charged tax on the first \$100 and not the remaining \$50. The ceiling limit is applied on the total invoice value. By default, a zero is loaded into the ceiling column denoting that the entire amount should be taxed.
- A '**Piggy Back**' tax is a tax that is charged on top of another tax.

Default Tax Authorities

RentalPoint allows you to setup default taxes for Customer Record, Location or Tax Authority Setup. Once set up the defaults used are dependent on the parameter settings see *parameters used in conjunction with tax authorities in section 2 above for more information*

In Tax Authority Set Up

To set a default select the desired line in the grid and click **Tax #1 Default**. To set a second default select a different line and click **Tax #2 Default**, see *figure 1.3 above*

 You can also select the same tax line as both tax 1 and tax 2 default, i.e. if you want to have exempt as the default for both taxes.

In Customer Setup

Access default customer/vendor taxes on the 'financials' tab

In Location Setup for Multi Location Systems

For multi-location systems default taxes can also be set for each location, using the Set-up > Locations menu option.

Setup Locations

Search:

#	Location Name	Status	Region	Tax Authority 1	Tax Authority 2	Accounting File	Company Name	Address Line 1	Add Line 2	City	Country	Country	Post Code	Map Address Line 1	Map Address Line 2
1	Main	Other	EAST	Exempt	N/A	D:\RentalPointV11\SYS_jaclyn\DATA\Export	Rentals r Us	15 Curtis Ave	Paris	Brant	ON	Canada	N3L 3W1		
2	Office	Other	EAST	N/A	N/A	D:\RentalPointV11\SYS_jaclyn\DATA\Export1.exp		26 Park Avenue	Burford	Brant	ON	Canada	N0E 1A0		
3	City	Other	EAST	N/A	N/A	D:\RentalPointV11\SYS_jaclyn\DATA\Export2.exp		66 Grand River St. N.	Paris	Brant	ON	Canada	N3L 2M2		
4	Country	Other	WEST	N/A	N/A	D:\RentalPointV11\SYS_jaclyn\DATA\Export									

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Changing Default Tax Authorities

Changing default tax authorities is a two step process. You must set up the new tax authority AND set it in place of your old default. The changes here will depend on how you set your defaults above (i.e. by Tax Authority Setup, Location, Customer, Vendor). The new tax authority will be reflected on all NEW bookings. It will NOT affect current bookings unless you edit the booking and change the tax authorities.

Steps to Change Tax Authority


1. Disable the old tax authority in the setup->tax authorities table
2. Create new tax authority
3. Set the new tax authority as default1
4. Update each customer record/location record with the new default tax authorities.
5. In order to change all customers/Locations you need to manually enter each customer record to update the default tax authorities OR import the new defaults from an excel file

Update Customer Records with New Default Tax Authority via Export/Import

1. Take a backup of your database first
2. Export your Customer table to an excel file (via others, import/export, export customers), under the fields tab choose customer name, organization, tax authority 1 and tax authority 2), save the file with a .csv

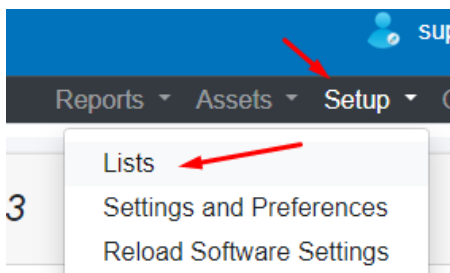
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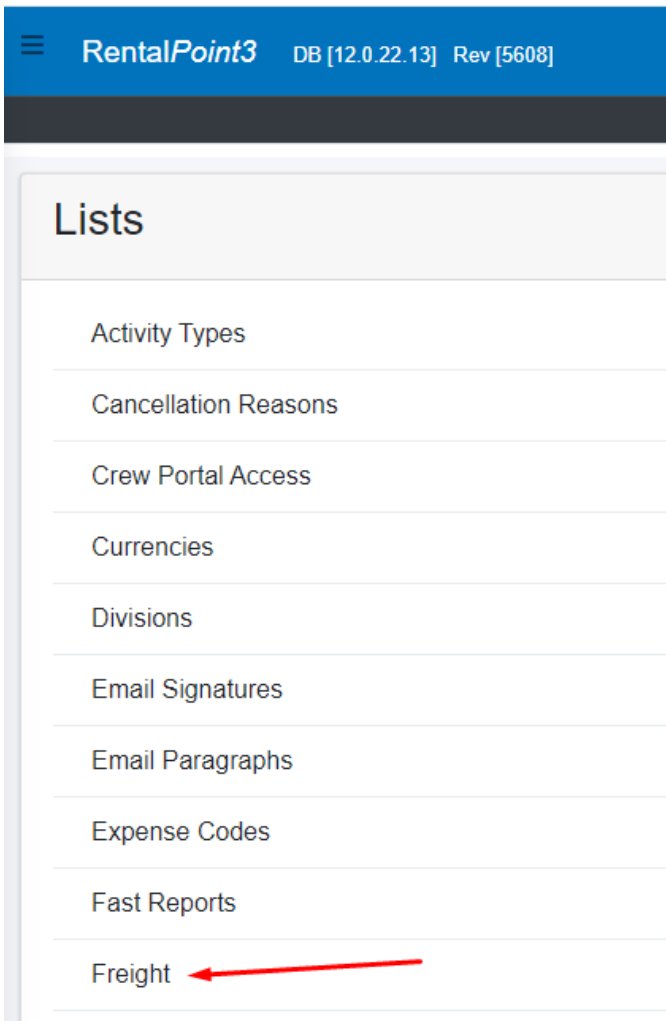
3. Edit the excel file produced For the Tax Authority fields
4. Enter the NUMBER of the NEW tax authority as set up in the 'setup tax authorities' option
5. Save as a .csv file
6. In RentalPoint via the 'others' tab import file, customer, and match the fields in your excel file to the fields you want to update in the customer table.

 If you have an IT person on staff they should be able to do this for you, however if you need help please feel free to email support@rentp.com

Freight Setup

The freight section allows for setup of the various pickup/delivery options offered to clients when booking equipment & services. Shipping costs are calculated against a base rate where the weight of the equipment on the booking can also be considered if entered against product records. Freight is set up outside the booking (usually during initial data setup) and selected during booking entry.





A freight setup window will display where you can enter multiple freight options. RentalPoint allows you to have several services for the one freight type. For example, you may ship using a local courier, so you would enter 'Local' in the description column. The local courier may have different options such as 'Regular', 'Express' or 'Overnight'. Each of these options can be added as a different line in the freight setup. When you select the freight in the booking, the options will be merged together, so you don't see duplicates. This approach provides operators the option of selecting different freight options for different scenarios such as:

- Addressing multiple distances traveled
- Having preferred rates for customers
- Varying levels of priority in shipping

There are several rates that can be set according to weight loaded onto the truck. If weight figures have been entered for your products, RentalPoint will calculate the weight of the booking being loaded onto the truck. Thresholds can be set to charge varying rates based on how much weight is being loaded onto the truck. This option, combined with multiple services gives considerable flexibility in charging for freight.

- Base Rate is used to calculate freight charge up to maximum weight entered
 - with a base rate of 7.5 up with a maximum weight of 10Kg - freight will be calculated at \$75
- Rate Per Unit (RPU) will add an additional charge for each unit above the maximum weight to the next weight threshold

There are also freight defaults that can be specified. When a new booking is created, the defaults will come from here.

Please note, once you have created a Freight item you can rename it but not delete it.

#	Description	Service	Our truck	Zone	Base rate	> weight	Rate per unit	> weight	Rate per unit	> weight	Rate per unit	> weight	Rate per unit	> weight	Rate per unit	> weight	Action
1	Vendor	N/A	No	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2	Purolator	N/A	No	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3	FedEx	N/A	No	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4	Freight Carrier	N/A	No	1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

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Enable Default Built-in Method

- Del via "we deliver" is default
- Delivery via customer is default
- Return via "we pickup" is default
- Return via customer is default

Now that freights have been added to the system they can be used in the booking.

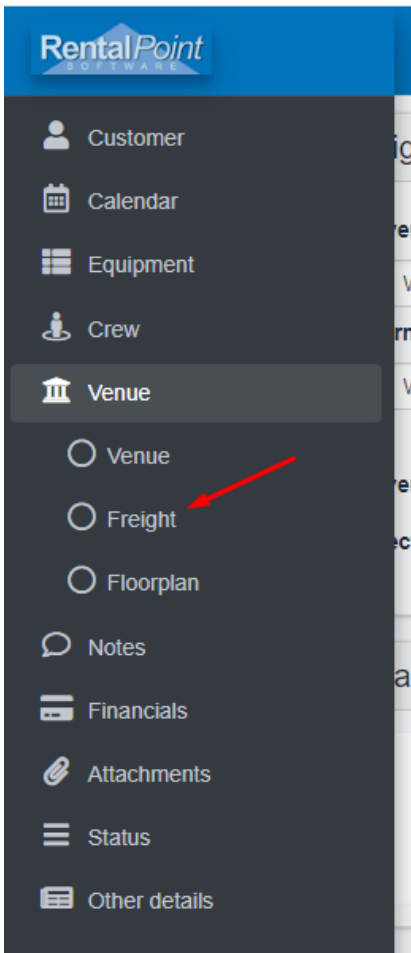
Access freight when editing the booking

Rental Point SOFTWARE **Dashboard** Booking: 999900001

Please select the Tab you would like to work with

- Customer
- Calendar
- Equipment
- Crew
- Technician Hours
- Expenses
- Crew Notes
- Crew Other details
- Venue
- Freight**
- Floor plan
- Notes
- Financials
- Attachments
- Status
- Others

OR from the side menu in the booking



Freight

Delivery via	Service	Zone	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Our number <input type="radio"/> Their number	Total Weight
Vendor	N/A	1		21.00 lbs
Return via	Service	Zone	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Our number <input type="radio"/> Their number	Total Volume
Vendor	N/A	1		0.00
				Cubic feet
Delivery Charge				Insurance Value
	400.00			2,488.75
Collection Charge				
	400.00			

Installation Instructions

Multi Location Setup

What is the Multi Location Module?

The RentalPoint multi location module is an additional module that may be purchased separately from your main

software package. The module allows you to manage your inventory at multiple warehouse locations with the ability to transfer inventory between locations.

You'll need to upgrade your license to avail of multi-location features, please contact support@rentp.com for more information.

Using Multi-Locations in RentalPoint

When using a RentalPoint Multi-Location license, most features simply become 'location' aware as outlined below:

- On all multi-location systems, location 0 is your main location which is usually your current main office. **Regions** can also be used to further organize locations.
- Each user record has a default location (per settings in their operator record), so that on login the system is set to display the bookings at the default location assigned. Multi-location security is also available, please contact support@rentp.com to avail of these options in user setup.
- Inventory/Equipment becomes 'location' aware
 - The Qty Owned field once you have moved to a multi-location system, becomes read only and not editable like it is in your current system. This is because a new 'Location' tab appears and this displays the number of items at each location.

The screenshot shows the 'Edit Product Record : MX Processor' window. The 'Location' tab is active. The 'Qty Owned' field is set to '18.00 (All Locations)'. The 'Description' field contains 'MX Processor'. Red arrows highlight the 'Location' tab, the 'Qty Owned' field, and the 'Description' field.

- The location tab, now keeps track of where products are.
 - Figures here can still be updated from one way transfers that may not have been completed yet. On completion of a one way transfer (i.e. **check out from source and check in to destination OR archive of transfer booking**), the stock qty for the source location is decremented while the stock count for the receiving location is incremented. Until the transfer is completed, it will show up on the **running balance** for stock movement.

Edit Product Record : MX Processor			
RP			
General Picture Rental Rates Sales Notes Location Attachments			
#	Location Name	Quantity	Bin location
0	Main	17.00	0.00
1	Docks	1.00	0.00
2	Milton	0.00	0.00
3	Mississauga	0.00	0.00

- Stock packed in racks will also show here

RP Edit Product Record : Shure ULXD4Q 4 Channel Receiver (L51 632-696)				
General Picture Rental Rates Sales Notes Location Attachments				
#	Location Name	Quantity	In Racks	Loose Stock
0	Wireless	6.00	6.00	0.00
1	Spot-On	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	Other Test	0.00	0.00	0.00

- o An asset record also becomes location aware showing both a 'Home Location' (i.e. ownership), and a Warehouse Location (i.e. current location of the asset)

Edit Asset Record

General Service Information Financial Details Notes P.A.T. Testing

Barcode: 500

Description: Stereo Shotgun Mic & Cable

Model Number:

Stock Number: 1

Serial Number: ID #: 11979

Vendor:

PO Number: 0

Bin Location: PC Code:

Quantity: 0 Navision Code:

RFID Tag:

(Note: RFID tags should be longer than 15 characters)

Home Location: Region: 0 - EAST Location: 0 - Main

Warehouse Location: Region: 0 - EAST Location: 0 - Main

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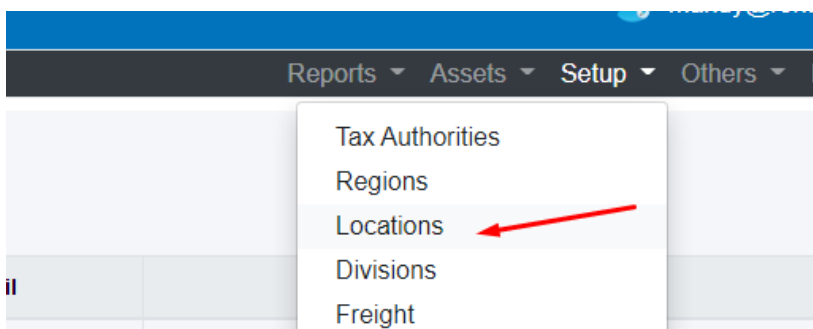
What's the difference between a Location and a Region?

Depending on your company workflow, locations may be organized into regions. A region is not an actual physical entity, but rather a grouping of locations; it does not hold any inventory. For example, your company may have three warehouses in California and two in New York. You can enable regions and group the California warehouses into one region and the New York warehouses into a second region. The multi location module can be run with or without regions.

 Regions are enabled via Operational Parameter #174.

Locations Setup

The details of all your locations are accessed via **Setup -> Locations**.



Once a location is saved in the system, it can be edited but not removed; This ensures that your historical data is


maintained. When the multi location module is activated the system creates a default location. You can change any and all details for this location to make the information relevant to your company.

 Terminology for location can be changed via Setup – Parameters – Terminology – General Tab.

Setup Locations

Search:

#	Location Name	Status	Region	Tax Authority 1	Tax Authority 2	Accounting File	Company Name	Address Line 1	Add Line 2	City	Country	Country	Post Code	Map Address Line 1	Map Address Line 2
1	Main	Other	EAST	Exempt	N/A	D:\RentalPointV11\SYS_jaclyn\DATA\Export	Rentals r Us	15 Curtis Ave	Paris	Brant	ON	Canada	N3L 3W1		
2	Office	Other	EAST	N/A	N/A	D:\RentalPointV11\SYS_jaclyn\DATA\Export1.exp		26 Park Avenue	Burford	Brant	ON	Canada	N0E 1A0		
3	City	Other	EAST	N/A	N/A	D:\RentalPointV11\SYS_jaclyn\DATA\Export2.exp		66 Grand River St. N.	Paris	Brant	ON	Canada	N3L 2M2		
4	Country	Other	WEST	N/A	N/A	D:\RentalPointV11\SYS_jaclyn\DATA\Export									



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Address Tab

Location Name The name used within the software (ie. drop down lists, internal reports etc.).

Company Name The name used on client facing documents (ie. Invoice).

Company Number Tax number used on client facing documents (ie. Invoice).

Main Address Also referred to as the billing address.

Map Address The physical location of the building. Used in the Get Directions functionality.

Status This option is only used when **Auto transfer from satellite locations** is enabled. (Setup – Parameters – Transfers).

If a satellite location (configured with a Status of **Other**) has a shortage, the system can create a transfer from the **Main** location to the satellite location.

Auto Transfer If the satellite location has a shortage, this setting determines if the stock is automatically transferred from the Main location to the satellite location.

Location Properties

Address | Phones | Accounting | Defaults | Other | Email

Number: 1

Region: 0 - EAST

Location Name: Office

Company Name:

Company Number:

Main Address | Map Address

Address Line 1: 26 Park Avenue

Add 2: Burford

Suburb: Brant

State: ON

Country: Canada

Post Code: NOE 1A0

Status: Auto Transfer

Yes No

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Phones Tab

Holds phone numbers for the location

Location Properties

Address | Phones | Accounting | Defaults | Other | Email

Phone Country: 1

Phone Area: 888

Phone: 5911962

Phone Ext:

Fax Country:

Fax Area:

Fax:

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Accounting Tab

When integrating with an accounting package, this field determines where the transaction file is exported to.

 You can configure account integration via Accounts #21.

Location Properties

Address Phones Accounting Defaults Other Email

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Defaults Tab

The defaults used when creating a new booking for this location.

Location Properties

Address Phones Accounting Defaults Other Email

Tax Authority 1	GST
Tax Authority 2	N/A
Freight Delivery	FEDEX - Ground
Freight Pickup	FEDEX - Ground

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Email Tab

Configure email settings that can be used for your operators.

Location Properties

Address Phones Accounting Defaults Other Email

Email Address	myaddress@mydomain.com
SMTP Address(Host)	smtp.office365.com
SMTP Port	587
SSL/TSL	TLS

My smtp server requires authentication

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Default Standard Email Text

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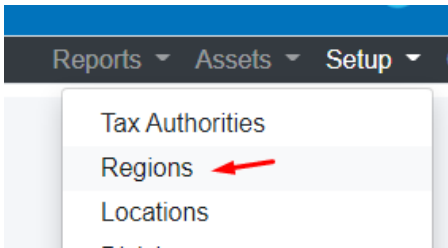
Regions Setup

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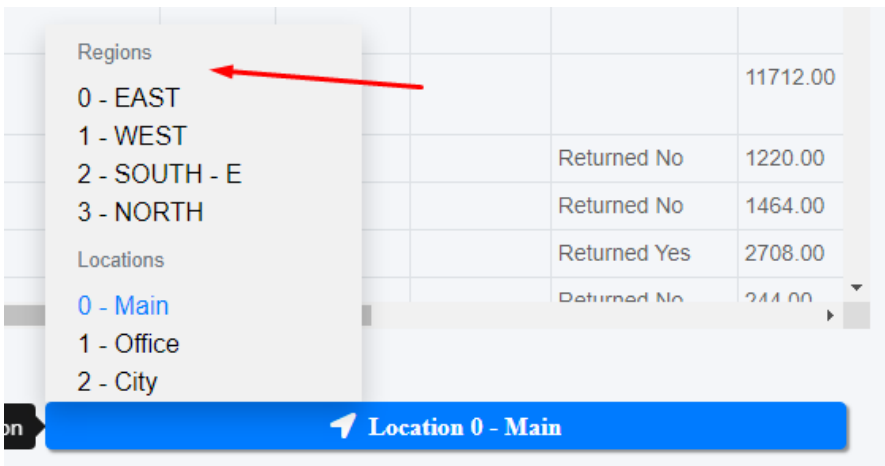
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To use the regions functionality it must first be enabled. Go to the Parameters option of the setup menu. Open Operational #174 - Enable Region Support. Set this to Yes, then Ctrl F5 to update your parameters across RentalPoint.

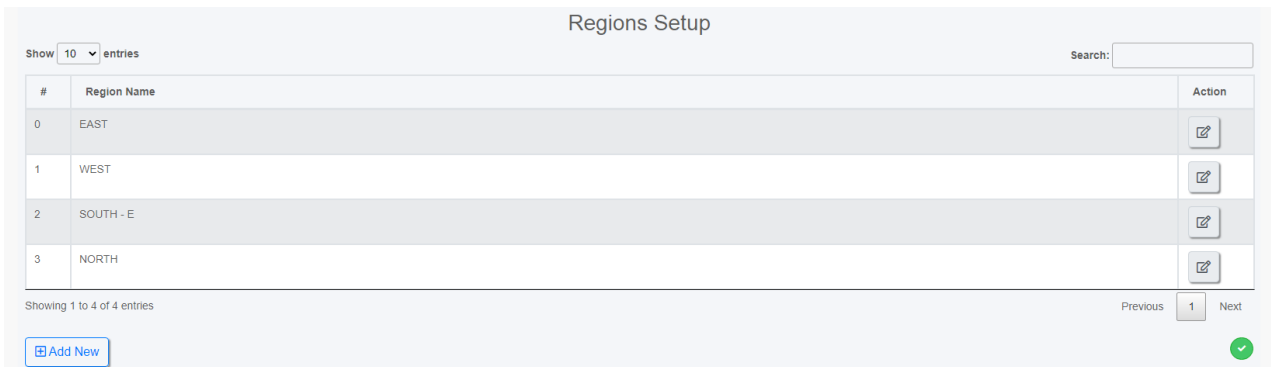
The option for adding regions should now be available from your Setup menu.













Note also the region scope option at the bottom of the booking grid and on any form that location is available



To configure the regions, select the Regions option from the setup menu. By default the system will create a region for you, you can change the name to make it more descriptive. Once a Region has been added to the system it can be renamed but not deleted.




After entering Regions, go into Setup Locations and assign each of your locations to a Region.

Setup Locations				
#	Location Name	Status	Region	Action
0	Main	Other	EAST	 
1	Office	Other	EAST	 
2	City	Other	EAST	 
3	Country	Other	WEST	 
4	Other	Other	WEST	 

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Please note, once a Region has been created, you can rename it but not delete it. Bookings and other information in the system will still be linked to the region for reporting information.

Scope and Searching

The secondary scope in RentalPoint can also be sorted by regions. If you select a region from the secondary scope, any bookings that are assigned to that region, or to the locations in that region, are displayed. The secondary scope applies to other areas of RentalPoint, including the Shortages List, Products, and Purchase Orders.

When creating a booking, you can select a region from the list. Only the locations associated with that region display in the location drop down list.

Equipment Availability

Searching for equipment based on a region is quick and easy. Enabling Operational Parameter #127 – Equipment Search Location Sensitive displays an extra search tab in the equipment grid of the booking. Select the region, then continue entering your equipment as normal. Availability is based on location but the tree view and the search are based on the quantities in the region.

Technicians

When entering a technician, the region in which they work can be specified. Then when a booking is created only those technicians that work in the region specified in the booking can be selected.

Custom Printing

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Reports

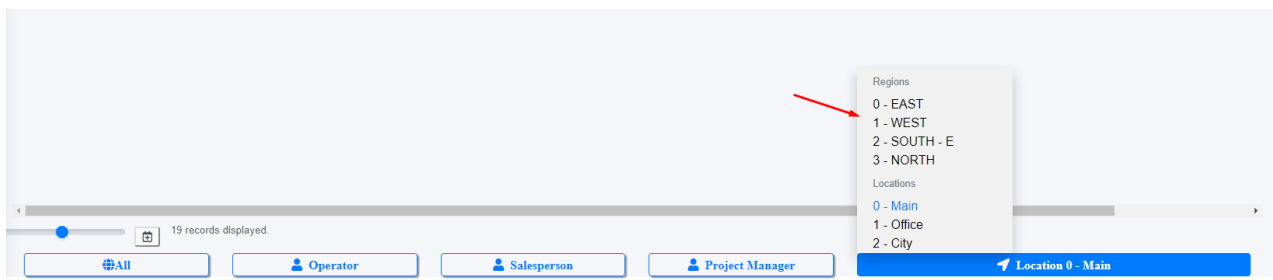
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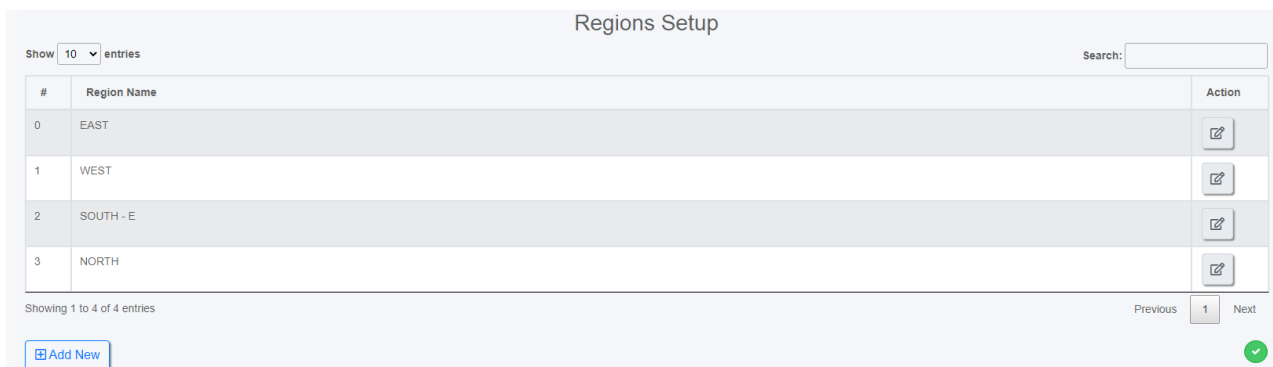
Used in conjunction with Locations, regions are used to group specific locations together. A company with 4 locations, 2 in Eastern Timezone and 2 Pacific Timezone, might create an Eastern and Pacific region, then slot the relevant locations under each region.

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Once you have restarted RentalPoint, the option for adding regions will be enabled. When RentalPoint is run again you will notice a region scope option at the bottom as well as a new option under the setup menu that allows you to configure regions.



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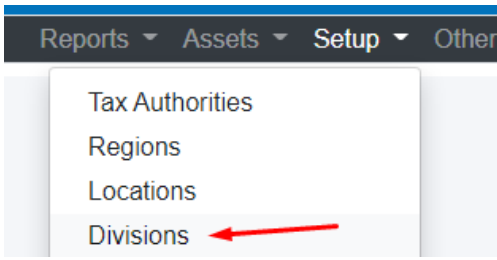
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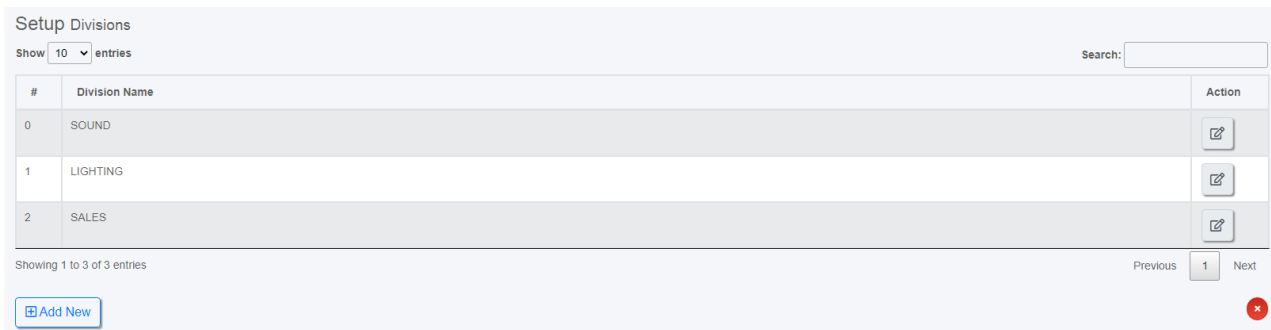
Divisions are useful to distribute and track revenue in different departments. For instance if you have a sound department and a lighting department specifying a division on bookings will allow reporting on a specific department.

Revenue Separation

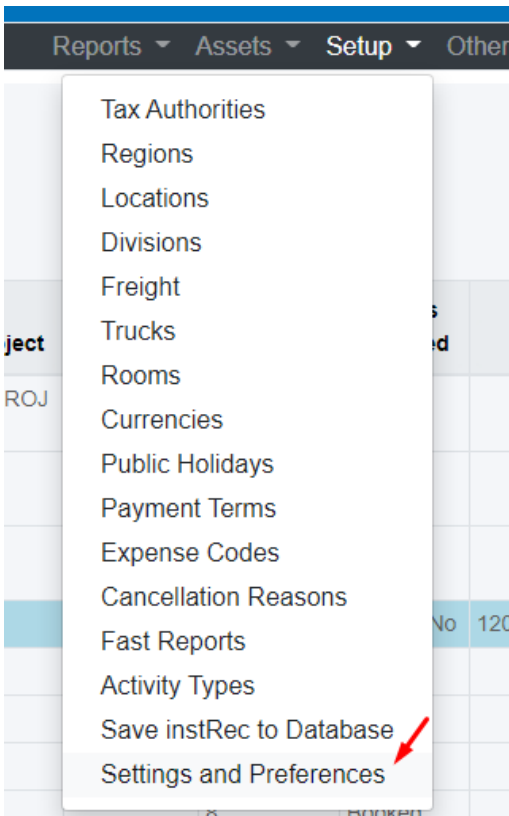
Divisions are used to separate income from bookings into a specified division or department of a company. A division is selected at the booking level. When a booking is invoiced, the invoice uses the division from the booking. When the invoice is paid, the payment uses the division from the invoice that it is applied to. Using divisions does not affect the booking in any way, it only affects reports and accounting activities after the booking is invoiced. Reports in RentalPoint, such as statements and account receivables, sort revenue by division. Divisions are not mandatory and are only something to be considered if you require more organized income separation. To create divisions click the Division option within the setup menu. Once a division is saved in the system it can be edited but not removed.

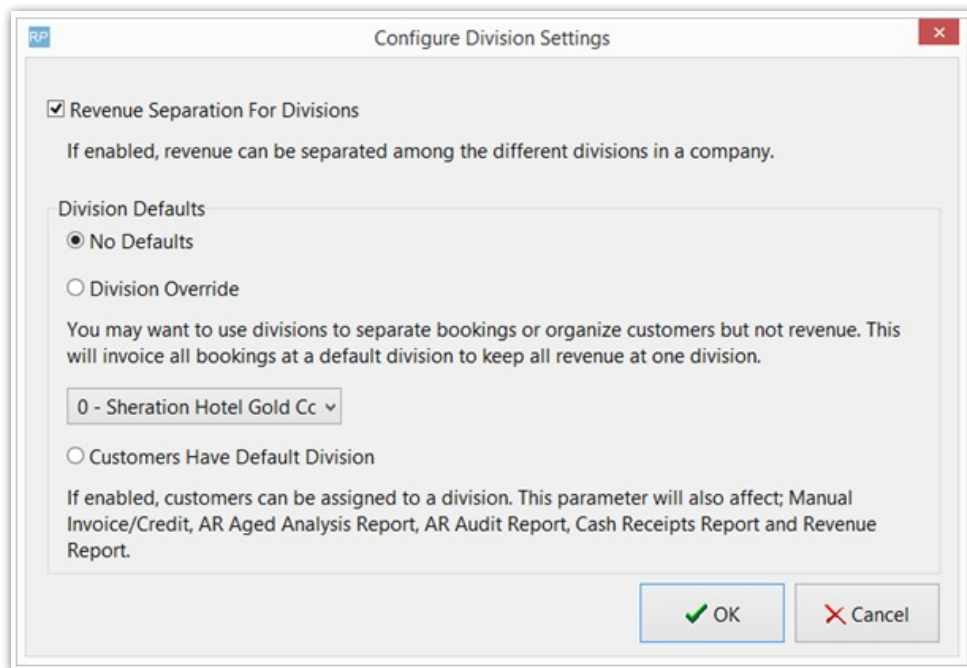
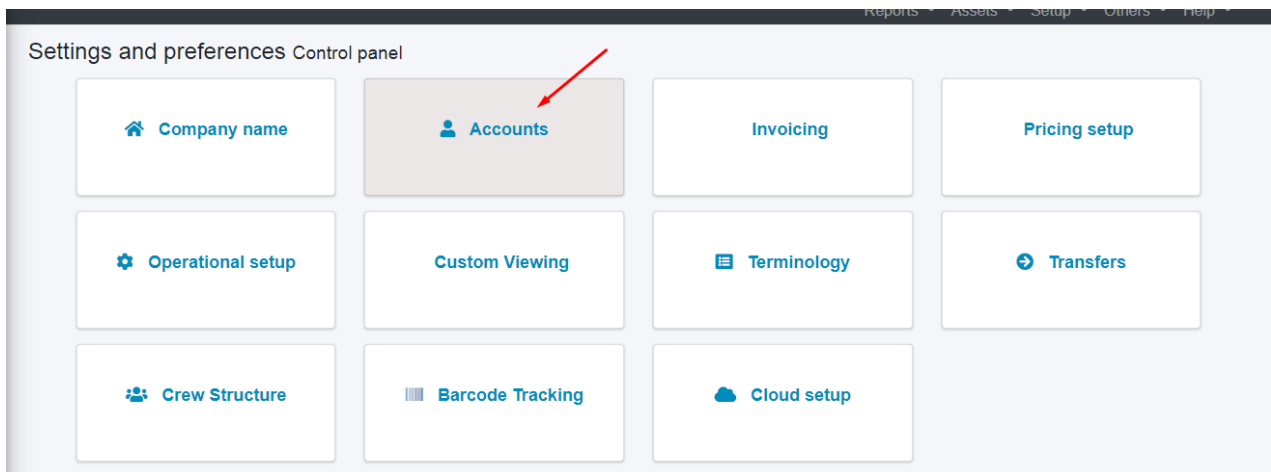


A setup window displays with a blank list. To add more divisions click Add New. Once the desired divisions are added, they will be displayed. RentalPoint will need to be restarted for the settings to take effect. The divisions will be available in bookings under the Other Details tab.



To use divisions you'll need to enable **accounts parameter #24**.





Customers have default division

If you want certain customers to have a default division so that any bookings for that customer will automatically have the correct division selected you can enable accounts parameter #30. Additionally any pre-payments entered for the customer will be allocated to the customer's division before being assigned to a specific invoice when the payment will be applied to the division the invoice was generated for. You can then select a division for each customer on the Others tab of customer properties. This division will then be filled in for any new booking entered for the customer.

Customer Maintenance

Address Financials Credit Card Others Notes Fields Attachments

Industry Type: EVENTS Purchase Order Number Required

Industry Description: Event Planning Company Customer Has Custom Template List

Campaign / Source: [Dropdown]

Division: 2 - Production Dept. (Selected)

Customer Number: [Dropdown]

Last Booking No.: [Dropdown]

only as an interface to certain accounting systems

Bookings

To add a "Division" filter to the main booking window


In the main setup window, click on "Custom viewing", then check "Division" as below -

RentalPoint Custom Viewing Options

Booking Grid User Interface Customer Information Venue Information






Invoice # Venue Booking Type Date Added

Confirm Date Crew Status Original Operator Event Type

PO # Salesperson Division 

Invoiced Status Revenue Project Manager

This will then add a filter to the main booking window so you can filter on division, as below -


	ADVENT00001	Adventure Tours and holidays	Mon	23/01/2017	09:00
	BRID3600001	Bridges Data Systems Inc	Tue	14/02/2017	09:00
	AVBRIDG00004	Audio Visual Bridges Data Systems Inc	Sun	19/03/2017	09:00
	DELO6100001	Deloitte & Touche	Tue	4/07/2017	08:00
	3M-CAN00007	3M CANADA PTY LTD	Tue	25/07/2017	00:01
	DOME10200001	Dome Lights Australia	Sat	16/09/2017	09:00

Sequence: Out Date and Time

Find: [Input Field]

Scope:

- Quotes
- Light Pencil
- Heavy Pencil
- Confirmed
- Cancelled
- Rental
- Sales
- Sub rental
- LT rental
- Transfers
- Booked
- Pull
- Out
- Returned
- Invoiced
- Uninvoiced
- Complete

Division: All Divisions 

Data to View: Current Archive

List Plot Sheet Projects

All Operator: Tim Sale

Revenue Report By Division

RP Revenue Report

Customer
 All
 Customer

Salesperson
 All
 Salesperson

Show
 All
 Show

Source/Campaign
 All
 Source/Campaign

Location Scope
 All
 Location

Division
All Divisions
0 - Sheraton Hotel Gold Coast
1 - Bankstown office
2 - Head office
3 - Driveway rental Dept.

Profit Analysis Report

RP
Profit Analysis Report

Step 1. Select a Major Scope

Set

All Bookings

List of Bookings

Customer

Industry Type

Project

Project Manager

Salesperson

Showname

Division

Event Type

Source / Campaign

Division

2 - Production Dept. ▾

0 - Sheraton Hotel Gold Coast

1 - Bankstown office

2 - Production Dept.

3 - Driveway rental Dept.

Step 2. Select Additional Options

Date Scope

All Dates

Selected Dates (WH Out Date)

Start Date (inclusive) ▾

End Date (exclusive) ▾

Jan

Feb

Mar

Apr

May

Jun

Jul

Aug

Sept

Oct

Nov

Dec

Default Standard Operating Cost %

Sub rental Cost Estimate

Use Actual Values

Use Estimated Value Below:

PO/Sub rental Value to Use:

Gross (includes taxes)

Net (excludes taxes)

Booking Status Scope

All

Selected Status

Quote

Light Pencil

Heavy Pencil

Confirmed

Cancelled

Invoiced

Print Report Sections

Tabular Data

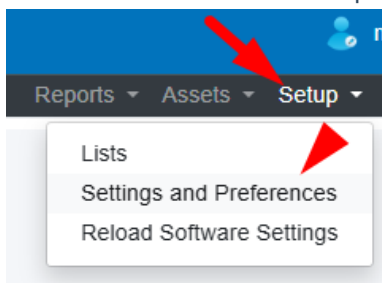
Single line per booking

Pricing Parameters

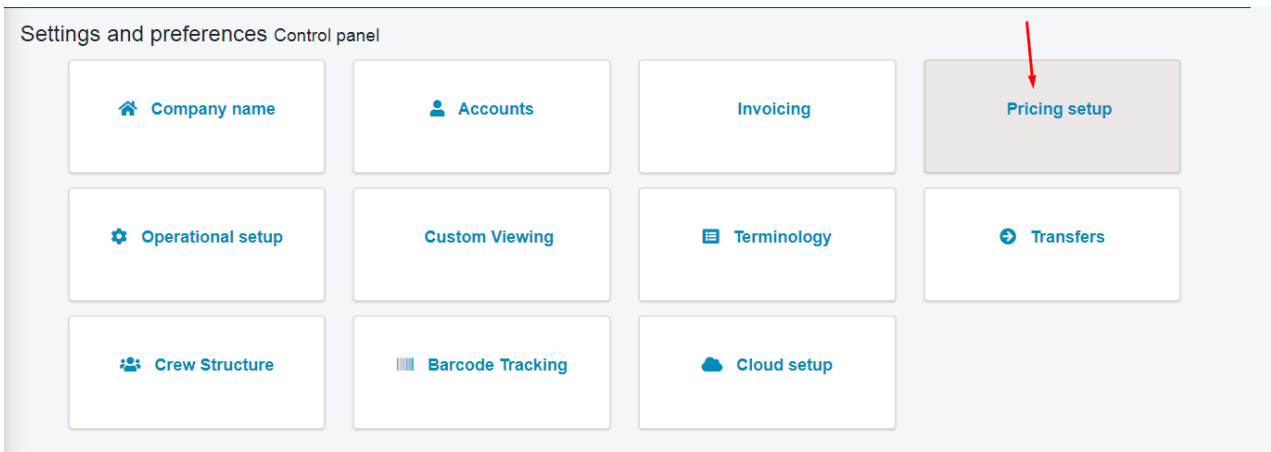
RentalPoint Pricing Parameters are used to customize how your business prices inventory for use. Take a few minutes to review the setting options below, then contact support@rentp.com for further assistance as needed.

Access Pricing Setup

From the main menu click Setup-->Settings and Preferences



Then select Pricing Setup



Complete the parameter information to suit your company preferences

Pricing Setup Control panel

- 2. Price Factor Tables
- 3. Charge for Sundays
- 4. Price Set Tables
- 5. Weekly Rate Qualifying Period
- 6. Long Term Qualifying Period
- 7. Weekly Rate Displayed As
- 8. Long Term Rate Displayed As
- 9. Apply Customer Discount as Line Item Discount
- 10. Days in Weekly Rate
- 11. Days in Monthly Rate
- 12. Automatic Selection of Daily or Weekly Rate
- 13. Discount Package Deals
- 14. Discount Sub rental Items
- 15. Discount Outside Supplied Items
- 16. Truncate Discount Cents Not Locked Locked When Confirme
- 17. Insurance Settings
- 18. Configure Master Billing Settings
- 22. Standard Profit Margin For Sundries
- 23. Use Minimum Rental

Pricing Parameters Explained

Number	Parameter	Description	Used with Parameter #
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2	Price Factor Tables	<p>Specify the number of days charged for each rental day. Six tables available. When enabled, Price Factor Tables override most other pricing parameters with the exception of Pricing #3 - Sunday Charge Option</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Note that a zero in day 1 of table zero disables all the price factor tables. Day 1 in each table must be 1 - a zero in day 1 of a table disables the table When you want the long term/monthly rate to take over, leave the factor as zero for the day. All days in that table from that point will use long term/monthly Days using can be modified for each line in a booking instead of using the overall days using for the booking - Need to check 'use line days' in table setup to apply this feature 	Operational #2
3	Charge Sundays in First Week	<p>Whether or not to charge for Sundays when renting gear. It can be used with the following pricing structures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Operational #2 - Always use Flat Days Charged Pricing #2 - Price Factor Tables. You have an option here to only have the first Sunday Free or set 'all Sundays are Free' Pricing #55 - Multi-Rate Pricing Scheme Pricing #70 - First Day Extra Day Pricing 	
4	Price Set Tables	<p>Multiple Price Sets can be used against each Rental Product for the purpose of offering different pricing schemes for different locations/currencies/customers. You may also use this option to price gear in different product groups at different rates.</p>	
5	Weekly Rate Qualifying Period	<p>Number of days rental before the weekly rate is applied. This option is usually set to 7 days, however some companies set a qualifying period that is higher i.e. 10/14/21 days. Rentals of periods shorter than this number will be charged at the more expensive daily rate. This option works in conjunction with Pricing Parameter #12 - Automatic selection of daily or weekly rate.</p>	
6	Long Term Qualifying Period	<p>Number of days rental before the monthly rate is applied. This option is usually set to 30 days. Rentals of periods shorter than this number will be charged at the more expensive daily or weekly rate. This option works in conjunction with Pricing Parameter #12 - Automatic selection of daily or weekly rate.</p>	
7	Weekly Rate is Displayed as	<p>The number of days the weekly rate is displayed as (usually 7) and should not be changed once products and prices have been entered.</p>	

Number	Parameter	Description	Used with Parameter #
8	Long Term Rate Displayed as	The number of days the monthly rate is displayed as (usually 28 or 30) and should not be changed once products and prices have been entered.	
9	Apply Customer Discount as Line Item Discount	When adding rental items to a booking, automatically apply the customer discount rate as a line item discount.	
10	Days in Weekly rate	<p>The number of days the system counts as a week. This parameter overrides the weekly rate entered in the Rental Rates Tab of a product.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If your weekly rate is always calculated as a factor of the daily rate, then you can enter that factor in this option and save the work of entering a weekly rate for each of your products in inventory. • If you have separate weekly rates for each product, then leave this parameter at zero. 	Pricing #2
11	Days in Monthly Rate	<p>Number of days used in monthly rate calculation (formula is days in monthly rate x daily rate). This parameter overrides the monthly rate entered in the Rental Rates Tab of a product.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If your monthly rate is always calculated as a factor of the daily rate, then you can enter that factor in this option and save the work of entering a monthly rate for each of your products in inventory. • If you have separate monthly rates for each product, then leave this parameter at zero. 	Pricing #2
12	Automatic Selection of Daily or Weekly Rate	This parameter defines whether the daily rate or the monthly rate is automatically selected. If this option is enabled then the system will automatically select a default rate, otherwise the system will prompt the operator for a decision each time. This option is used in conjunction with Pricing #10 and Pricing #11. Note: Price Factor Tables will override this option until the price factor table ends.	
13	Discount Package Deals	Defines if discounts applied to the booking should be applied to package deals. If unchecked, package deals will be exempt from discounts.	
14	Discount Sub rental Items	Defines if discounts applied to the booking should be applied to sub rentals. If unchecked, sub rentals will be exempt from discounts.	
15	Discount Outside Supplied Items	Defines if discounts applied to the booking should be applied to items marked as outside supplied. If unchecked, outside supplied items will be exempt from discounts.	
16	Truncate Discount Cents	<p>This option zeroes the cents in the discount column.</p> <p>The option only applies to the sum discount amount, not the individual line item discounts.</p>	

Number	Parameter	Description	Used with Parameter #
17	Insurance/Damage Waiver Settings	Settings for calculation of Insurance/Damage Waiver on a booking	
18	Master Bill Settings	Defines if Hotel Master Billing is in use	
22	Standard Profit Margin for Sundries	This percentage is used to calculate the profit margin for sundries on a booking. The calculation is based on the total undiscounted sundry amount.	
23	Use Minimal Rental	With this option enabled, a minimum value will be charged for rental items. A minimal rental amount should be entered for each individual rental product via product setup.	
24	Freight Charge Breakdown	Provides an option to use a single freight charge OR separate freight charge into delivery, collection and fuel surcharge. Also provides option to 'allow manual entry' of freight charge on the equipment tab of a booking.	
25	Freight Price Lock Default	Defines if/when freight price on a booking should be locked for changes	
26			
27	Currency Set on PO by PO Basis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When this option is enabled, the currency for POs and Sub Rentals will be set on an order by order basis. When entering a new standalone PO or Sub Rental, the default currency will come from the selected vendor or customer. When entering a new PO or Sub Rental for a booking, the default currency will come from the booking. Once save, the currency for POs and Sub Rentals can be changed via a drop down within the order. When this option is disabled, the currency for POs and Sub Rentals will come from the selected vendor or customer record. Users will not have the ability to change the currency on the order. 	
28	Event Management Surcharge	Event Management is an additional surcharge that you can add to a booking, much like Damage Waiver, freight surcharge or credit card surcharge. The event management value applies to the sub total of a booking and displays in the totals area of a booking. You can also apply separate taxes to the surcharge in the setup tax authorities window.	
29	Number of Hours Before an Extra Day	This is the number of hours difference between the delivery date and time and the return date time before the system adds 1 to the number of days or term of the rental.	
31	Extra Day Rate Calculation	Using this option saves the extra day from being entered on every product. The extra day rate is calculated from the day rate using the percentage entered. If the extra day rate is always the same as the first day rate, then enter a value of 100 in this field.	

Number	Parameter	Description	Used with Parameter #
32	Euro Support	This option is only relevant if multi currency support is enabled. The setting is used for Euro support only. Once enabled, all currencies will be converted via the Euro. The currency rates in currency setup must be the rates compared to the Euro. No support for currencies outside Europe will be possible.	
33	Show Line Item Days in Booking	This option displays a days column in the equipment grid of a booking. Users can edit each item and modify the says to a custom charge. This option is compatible with the following pricing schemes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Default pricing (first day rate/weekly rate/long term rate) • First Day/Extra Day • Price Factor Tables • Flat Days Charged - the days column will serve as 'days charged' for each line item 	Pricing #2 Pricing #70
36	Limit New Customers to Retail	When enabled, any new customer set up through the booking window will be set to charge the retail price on sales items via 'price set customer pays for sales'. Edit the customer record to change any customer price sets as needed.	
37			
38	Default Sundry Markup Percentage	A sundry is an item you charge for that does not fall into any of the other categories such as labour, rental, sales or delivery. The default percentage may still be overridden when a sundry item is added to a booking.	
43	Allow Auto Discount of Sales Items	When the user overrides the total price on a booking, a discount is applied to rental items to cater for the price reduction. If there is not enough rental discount available to lower the price, then the sales items will be discounted IF this parameter is enabled.	
44			
45	Value Added Tax Rounding (Up/Down)	Rounding will only be changed at the start of a new tax period. Rounding must be consistent on all invoices during the period. When enabled, >=.5 will be rounded down. All other values will be rounded up.	
48	Pricing Basis for Losses	Defines pricing applied to losses or breakages	
52	Sales Costing Method	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First in First Out - true sales costs will be considered • Average - average costs of sales items will be used 	
53	Default Price Set	Default price set for each booking is pulled from either the current location or the customer, depending on the setting of this parameter.	
55	Multi-Rate Pricing Scheme	Defines settings for multi rate pricing method	

Number	Parameter	Description	Used with Parameter #
58	Double Discount Projects	When enabled, the project discounts will be applied after the booking discounts for project invoices.	
64	Default Number of Days to Charge for a Booking	Operational Parameter #2 - Always use flat days charged must be enabled to use this setting. This is the default number of days to charge for a booking	Must be used with days charged parameter
67	Deposit Based on Percentage of Cost Price	Enter a percentage that the deposit is based on, zero will disable this option.	
68	Crew/Installation Based on Percentage	Enter a percentage that will be used to calculate crew costs. Formula is rental amount x percentage entered.	
69	Default Discount Percentage for Backup Equipment	Line items may be flagged as backup equipment in the booking. The line item discount percentage will default to this percentage. The line item discount column must be enabled for this backup percentage feature to work.	
70	Enable First Day Extra Day Pricing	Price Factor Tables must be disabled for this option to work. Prices will be calculated based on first day rate + (extra day rate x number of extra days)	
72	Use Last Purchase Price or Average Cost	When entering a new product in Product setup <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Average Cost - Product cost is updated with the average cost price • Last Purchase Price - Product cost is updated with the past purchase price 	
75	Allow Zero Value Sub Rental	Permit a value of zero to be entered as the total value for Sub Rentals	
79	Standard Cost Default Percentage	This percentage will be used to apply a standard cost to all rental equipment that does not have a standard cost entered at the category level in product setup.	