



In order for our new remote clients to get prepared for this our M3 software installation, we have prepared this document for your technical personnel. The M3 software uses Microsoft's SQL 2000© Data Base. For remote applications, MDAC© (Microsoft Data Access Components) and MSDE© (Microsoft Data Engine) can be substituted for a complete SQL 2000 installation with the limitations that up to 5 users can access the data and 2GB maximum for data storage. There is no charge for MDAC and MSDE.

System Requirements:

Component	Minimum Required	Recommended Setup	Notes
Workstation Processor	Pentium III 600 MHz	Pentium 4 1.0 GHz or better	P4 architecture will perform better
Memory	256 MB	512 MB	The more the better
Disk Storage	2 GB free	2 GB free	Depends on your company size
Network Protocol	TCP/IP	TCP/IP	
Desktop Operating System	Windows© 98SE	Windows© NT 4.0 / 2000 / or XP	
File Server Operating System (if applicable)	Windows© NT 4.0	Windows© 2000	
Data Access Library	MDAC© 2.7	MDAC© 2.7	Provides drivers to access SQL Server
Web Browser	Internet Explorer© 6.0	Internet Explorer© current version	Required for user interface screens
PDF Viewer	Acrobat 5.0 Viewer©	Acrobat Viewer© current version	Required to preview reports
Report Writer	None	Crystal Reports© 9.0	Used to write custom reports
System Diagnostics	Webex.com and the ability to send and receive emails	Webex.com and the ability to send and receive emails	LAN security must allow remote access
Internet Connection	DSL/cable	DSL/cable/T-1 or above	High speed connection necessary
System updates	All critical updates from Microsoft© Windows Updates	All critical updates from Microsoft© Windows Updates	http://v4.windowsupdate.microsoft.com/en/default.asp

For ease in your preparation, we have placed copies of Internet Explorer©, MSDE©, and Adobe Acrobat Reader© on our web site at www.pay-net.net under "Our Software". Note: the version of MSDE on our web site has been "tweaked" for our software and we recommend that you use our version.

Regarding **Data Communications**, the M3 software uses a modified http data transfer protocol to "synchronize" databases. As a result of this process, you will need to have an internet connection. It is required to have DSL or T-1 communications due to file transfer sizes.

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