



MICROSOFT DYNAMICS 365 BUSINESS CENTRAL (FORMERLY MICROSOFT DYNAMICS NAV) EXTENDED PROFILE



Microsoft Dynamics 365
Business Central

OVERVIEW

Microsoft Dynamics NAV, now integrated within Dynamics 365 Business Central, is a robust ERP solution tailored for small to medium-sized businesses (SMBs) aiming to streamline their operations, optimize financial control, and drive growth through enhanced operational visibility. Renowned for its adaptability and scalability, Dynamics NAV has evolved within the Microsoft Business Central ecosystem, making it accessible as both an on-premises and cloud-hosted solution.

MICROSOFT DYNAMICS NAV TRANSITION TO BUSINESS CENTRAL

As Dynamics NAV became part of the Microsoft Business Central family, it expanded its capabilities while retaining a similar interface, streamlining the transition for existing NAV users. While both solutions serve as ERP platforms, Business Central offers more advanced cloud-based tools and further customization options, differentiating itself with the full spectrum of Dynamics 365's integration.

KEY FEATURES OF D365 BUSINESS CENTRAL

Microsoft Dynamics 365 Business Central offers core ERP functionalities, including:

- **Financial management:** Advanced tools to manage accounting, budgeting, and financial reporting.
- **Supply chain and inventory control:** Efficient inventory and supply chain management for improved operational efficiency.
- **Manufacturing and warehouse management:** Tools to simplify and automate manufacturing and warehouse processes.
- **Project and resource management:** Comprehensive project tracking and resource allocation to maximize productivity.

Besides these core features, Microsoft Dynamics 365 Business Central includes advanced capabilities

FEATURE OVERVIEW

like multi-currency support, business intelligence, and enhanced data security measures.

INTEGRATED WITH MICROSOFT OFFICE SUITE

A notable feature of Dynamics 365 Business Central is its integration with Microsoft Office tools. This ERP system works intuitively with popular Microsoft applications such as Outlook, Word, and Excel, allowing users to manage tasks directly within these familiar interfaces. This integration makes D365 BC highly user-friendly, particularly for organizations already using Microsoft tools.

DEPLOYMENT FLEXIBILITY

Dynamics 365 BC offers flexible deployment options:

- **On-premises:** Allows for full control over data and infrastructure, ideal for businesses with unique compliance requirements.
- **Cloud-based:** Supports remote access and enhanced scalability, appealing to businesses looking for cost-effective growth and maintenance.

The cloud-hosted model includes native iOS, Android, and Windows mobile app compatibility, empowering employees with on-the-go access to ERP functionalities.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT IS BUSINESS CENTRAL USED FOR?

Business Central is an ERP system used to manage financials, operations, sales, and service, making it ideal for small to mid-sized businesses seeking comprehensive business management.

IS BUSINESS CENTRAL AN ERP OR CRM?

Business Central is primarily an ERP, though it includes some CRM functionalities, particularly around customer interactions, sales, and service management.

WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN DYNAMICS NAV AND BUSINESS CENTRAL?

NAV is the predecessor to Business Central, Business Central is cloud-optimized, more scalable, and seamlessly integrates with the full Dynamics 365 suite.



SOFTWARE SPECIFICATION

OVERVIEW	
PRODUCT NAME	Microsoft Dynamics 365 Business Central (formerly Microsoft Dynamics NAV)
BUSINESS SECTORS	
DISTRIBUTION	✓
GOVERNMENT & NPO	✗
MANUFACTURING	✓
RETAIL	✓
SERVICES	✓
INDUSTRY	
AEROSPACE & DEFENSE	✓
AUTOMOTIVE	✓
CHEMICAL	✓
CONSTRUCTION	✓
COSMETICS	✓
ELECTRONICS	✓

ENERGY/POWER/UTILITIES	✓
ENGINEERING	✓
FASHION	✓
FINANCIAL SERVICES	✓
FOOD & BEVERAGE	✓
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	✓
MEDIA	✓
MEDICAL & HEALTHCARE	✓
METALWORKING	✓
OILFIELD	✓
PACKAGING	✓
PAINT & ADHESIVES	✓
PHARMACEUTICAL	✓
PLASTICS & RUBBER	✓
PRINT & DESIGN	✓
RENTAL	✓
TELECOMMUNICATIONS	✓
WOODWORKING	✓
CANNABIS	✗
EDUCATION	✗
NONPROFIT	

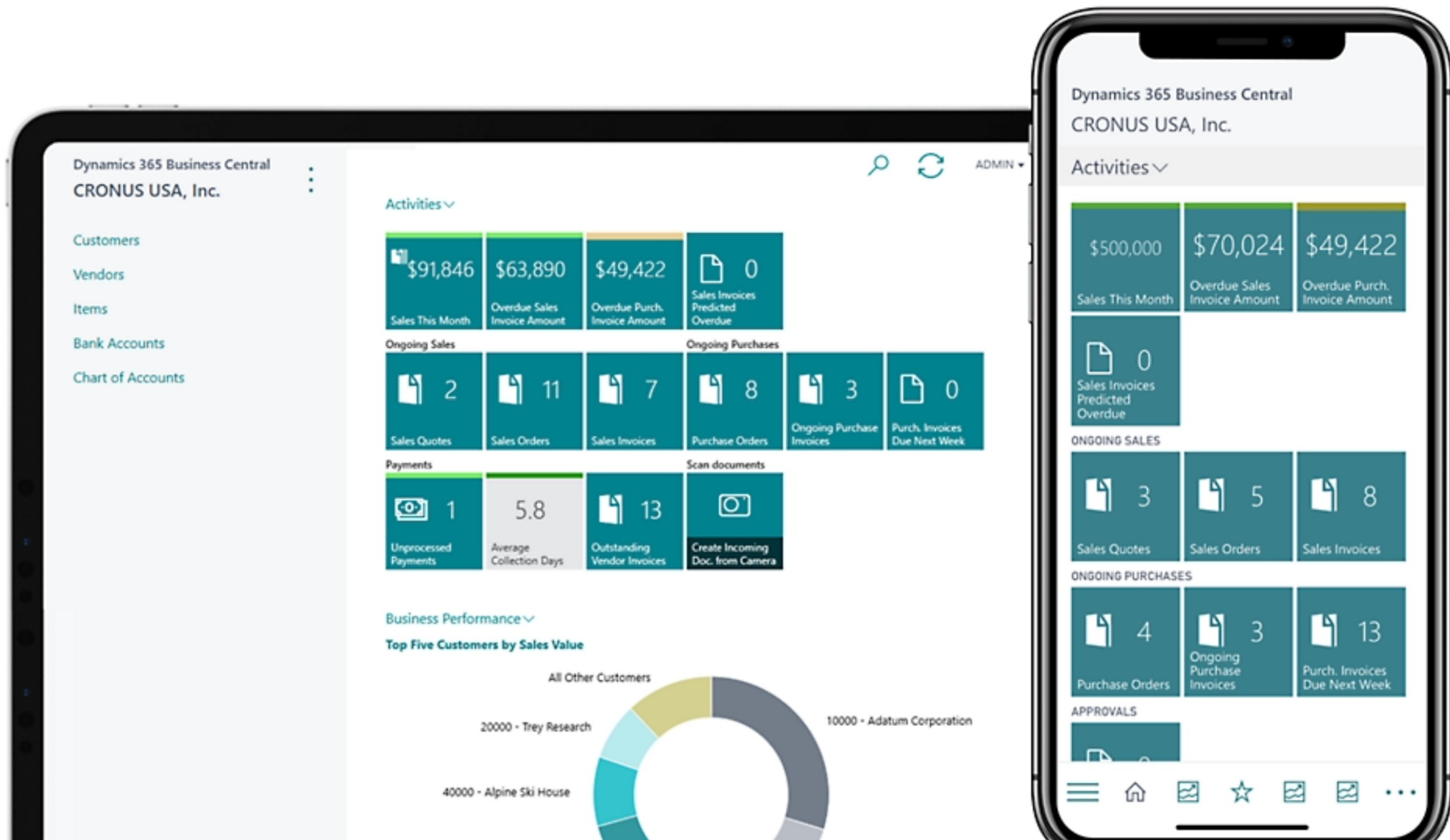
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ERP SOFTWARE FEATURES	
BILLING	✓
BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE/ANALYTICS	✓
COSTING	✓
CRM	✓
CUSTOMER SERVICE	✓
PRODUCT DESIGN	✗
FINANCIALS & ACCOUNTING	✓
HR	✓
INVENTORY MANAGEMENT	✓
ORDER MANAGEMENT	✓
PLANNING & SCHEDULING	✓
PROJECT MANAGEMENT	✓
PURCHASING	✓
QUALITY CONTROL	✓
SALES	✓
SHIPPING & DISTRIBUTION	✓
SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT	✓
WAREHOUSE MANAGEMENT	✓
ASSET MANAGEMENT	

	
DOCUMENT MANAGEMENT	
CUSTOMER SUITABILITY	
ENTERPRISE (1000+ EMPLOYEES)	
MEDIUM SIZE (251-1000 EMPLOYEES)	
SMALL BUSINESS (1-250 EMPLOYEES)	
ADDITIONAL PRODUCT INFO	
MULTI LANGUAGE	
MULTI CURRENCY	
CUSTOMIZABLE	
SYSTEM HOSTING	
CLOUD	
INSTALLED ON PREMISE	
FURTHER INFORMATION	
PRICING	from \$70.00/user/month (Essentials plan)
PRICING	\$70 per user per month



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SOFTWARE SCREENSHOTS



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