

Software Comparison Guide

Discover the leading ERPs, HRIS, BI tools, FP&A software,
and more with our complete comparison guide by Abacum

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Platform Comparison



Ready to start building out your tech stack?
This comprehensive comparison guide highlights some of the most popular solutions available on the market today.

Accounting software



Xero Monthly price \$37/user



★★★★☆ 4.4

- ✓ Simple user interface
- ✓ Easy collaboration

- ⚠ Not suitable for larger organizations
- ⚠ Lacks customization

Quickbooks Monthly price \$70/user



★★★★☆ 4.0

- ✓ Easy to use and learn
- ✓ Provides solid accounting reports

- ⚠ Lack of industry-specific features
- ⚠ Lack of key reporting apart from accounting

Freshbooks Monthly price \$20/user



★★★★☆ 4.5

- ✓ Multi-platform support
- ✓ Country-specific tax calculation

- ⚠ Limited number of invoice templates
- ⚠ Lacks multi-currency support

Wave Monthly price \$549



★★★★☆ 4.4

- ✓ Invoice function for tracking bills
- ✓ Very functional for small companies

- ⚠ No custom reminders functionality
- ⚠ Poor customer support for free plans

HR and Payroll Software



Zenefits Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.5

- ✓ Easy to set up
- ✓ User-friendly platform

- ⚠ Poor customer service
- ⚠ Some functionality limitations

Sapling Monthly price \$6.99/employee



★★★★☆ 4.3

- ✓ Great for building workflows
- ✓ Wide selection of integrations

- ⚠ Slow platform
- ⚠ Cannot drill down on data

HR and Payroll Software



Bamboo HR Monthly price \$8.25/employee



★★★★☆ 4.4

- ✓ Easy to navigate job portal
- ✓ Offers onboarding templates

- ! Limited mobile version
- ! Limiting time tracking features

ADP Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.1

- ✓ Great performance dashboard
- ✓ Easy and flexible payroll processing

- ! Lack of field customization
- ! Long loading times

Gusto Monthly price \$45



★★★★☆ 4.3

- ✓ Very user-friendly
- ✓ Comprehensive benefits management

- ! Poor customer service
- ! Inaccurate tax filing reports

Personio Monthly price \$160/user



★★★★☆ 4.4

- ✓ Serves as an all-in-one HR solution
- ✓ Intuitive dashboard

- ! Poor interview/review capabilities
- ! Lacks customization

Ceridian Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.2

- ✓ Payroll process automation
- ✓ Self-service for employees

- ! Difficult onboarding
- ! Lacks customization

Greenhouse Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.3

- ✓ Wide variety of functionalities
- ✓ Easy to manage workflows

- ! Weak reporting analytics
- ! Lacks customization

Rippling Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.8

- ✓ Easy to use
- ✓ Customizable features

- ! Cannot update data in bulk
- ! Lack of support

ExponentHR Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 3.8

- ✓ Easy to use
- ✓ Offers a report generator

- ! Outdated interface
- ! Mobile app is not user-friendly

Justworks Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.6

- ✓ Intuitive PEO platform
- ✓ Simple and user-friendly

- ! Lack of support
- ! Limited permission capabilities

Enterprise Resource Planning Systems (ERPs)



Oracle NetSuite Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 3.9

- ✓ Fully cloud-based
- ✓ Can manage multiple subsidiaries

- ! Complex to manage for new users
- ! Lack of product training

Unit4 Monthly price Contact company

UNIT4 ★★★★★ 3.7

- ✓ Powerful and flexible tool
- ✓ Easy and clean interface

- ! Lack of automation
- ! Slow web interface

Sage Intacct Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.3

- ✓ Custom reporting features
- ✓ Great data templates

- ! Difficult to search for interactions
- ! Difficult for new users

Customer Relationship Management (CRM)



Salesforce Monthly price \$75/user



★★★★☆ 4.2

- ✓ Customization
- ✓ Great data templates

- ! Complicated for new users
- ! Outdated user interface

Hubspot Monthly price \$25/user



★★★★☆ 4.4

- ✓ Great personalization features
- ✓ Offers educational resources

- ! Mobile app could be improved
- ! Slow implementation process

Kickbox Monthly price \$25/user



★★★★☆ 4.1

- ✓ Improves efficiency and visibility
- ✓ Easy to use

- ! Lack of features
- ! Limited email verification for free trial

BusinessPulse Monthly price \$12/user



★★★★☆ 4.7

- ✓ Easy access to reports
- ✓ Great checklists features

- ! Slow speed
- ! Time-consuming when retrieving data

PersistIQ Monthly price \$29/user



★★★★☆ 4.7

- ✓ Intuitive design
- ✓ Syncs with Salesforce

- ! Limited tracking capabilities
- ! Research tool could be improved

Rejoiner Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.8

- ✓ Useful drag-and-drop email builder
- ✓ Supportive customer service

- ! Lack of educational resources
- ! Bulky design

All reviews and ratings have been pulled from G2.

Business Intelligence



Tableau Monthly price \$70/user



★★★★☆ 4.4

- ✓ Excellent customer service
- ✓ Can connect multiple data sources

- ! Lack of automation
- ! Inflexible pricing plans

Looker Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.4

- ✓ Custom dashboards for analytics
- ✓ Intuitive user experience

- ! Slow speed
- ! Lacks ETL capabilities

Google Analytics Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.5

- ✓ Comprehensive features
- ✓ Supports A/B testing

- ! Lack of in-depth reporting
- ! Complicated for new users

Datanyze Monthly price \$55/month



★★★★☆ 4.2

- ✓ System integration options
- ✓ Can build custom target prospect lists

- ! Slow operation speed
- ! Inaccurate data

Redshift Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.5

- ✓ Quick database
- ✓ High flexibility

- ! Limited support for parallel upload
- ! Not a multi-cloud solution

Sisense Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.3

- ✓ Dashboard builder with a lot of widgets
- ✓ Knowledgeable technical support staff

- ! Server slowness
- ! UI not as user-friendly

Financial Planning and Analysis Software



Abacum Monthly price Contact company

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★★★★☆ 4.5

- ✓ Adapts to any data & reporting structure
- ✓ Built-in communication & collab features

- ! Lack of aesthetic design customization
- ! Needs more training resources

Planful Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.2

- ✓ Intuitive user interface
- ✓ Easy implementation process

- ! Large learning curve
- ! Insufficient learning material

Financial Planning and Analysis Software



Workday Adaptive Planning Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 4.4

- ✓ Cloud-based technology
- ✓ User-friendly platform

- ! Lack of flexibility
- ! Long implementation time

Cube Monthly price \$1,850



★★★★★ 4.7

- ✓ Strong customer support
- ✓ Integrates with Excel and Google sheets

- ! Slow onboarding process
- ! Complicated for new users

Anaplan Monthly price Contact company



★★★★★ 4.6

- ✓ Customization capabilities
- ✓ Update data in real-time

- ! Expensive for mid-market companies
- ! Limited reporting capabilities

Payment Processing Tools



Square Monthly price Contact company



★★★★★ 4.6

- ✓ Helps with cash flow management
- ✓ Easy to set up

- ! High service charge
- ! Costly add-on services

Wepay Monthly price Contact company



★★★★☆ 3.7

- ✓ Competitive pricing
- ✓ Set up is simple and direct

- ! Bad customer service
- ! Inaccurate accounting reports

GoCardless Monthly price Contact company



★★★★★ 4.8

- ✓ Integration with invoicing on Xero
- ✓ Quick and easy payment solution

- ! No mobile app
- ! Slow payment processing

Chargebee Monthly price Contact company



★★★★★ 4.6

- ✓ Great user interface
- ✓ Easy to manage customer subscriptions

- ! Poor customer support
- ! Tedious onboarding process

Spend Management Solutions



Pleo Monthly price Starting at £1,999.00/year

PLEO ★★★★★ 4.9

- ✓ Easy-to-use interface
- ✓ Quick onboarding process

- ! Lack of automation features
- ! Limited mobile capabilities

Ramp Monthly price Free

 ★★★★★ 4.8

- ✓ Easy to navigate
- ✓ Compatible with mobile and email

- ! Doesn't connect with all banks
- ! Cannot categorize spending into categories

Airbase Monthly price Contact company

 ★★★★★ 4.8

- ✓ Quick and easy reimbursements
- ✓ Simple for new users

- ! Limited functionality with bill pay processes
- ! Limited mobile app capabilities

Spendesk Monthly price Contact company

 ★★★★★ 4.7

- ✓ User-friendly
- ✓ Well-designed interface

- ! No credit notes management system
- ! No chat system in application

Expensify Monthly price \$9/month

 ★★★★★ 4.3

- ✓ Sends status updates on reports
- ✓ Intuitive user-experience

- ! Poor customer service
- ! Complicated pricing model

Project Management



Monday.com Monthly price \$8/month

 ★★★★★ 4.6

- ✓ Great visual representation
- ✓ Excellent data organization

- ! Limited privacy settings
- ! Cannot record task time

Workstack Monthly price Contact company

 ★★★★★ 4.3

- ✓ Easy tracking of project progress
- ✓ Low cost

- ! Cannot track project time completion
- ! Long load time

Atlassian TAM Monthly price Contact company

 ★★★★★ 4.3

- ✓ Great customization features
- ✓ Supports communication across teams

- ! Not as intuitive as other software
- ! Restrictive reporting capabilities

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