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Tax Effect Accounting Toolkit

User guide

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System Requirements

Tax Effect Accounting Toolkit is supported on systems with the following minimum requirements:

- Microsoft Windows 2000 or above with the latest service packs.
- Microsoft Office (Excel & Word) 2000 or above with the latest service packs.
- The minimum hardware recommended for your versions of MS Windows and Office
- Screen resolution 1024 x 768 and above.
- Adobe Acrobat Reader.

Installation

To install the *Tax Effect Accounting Toolkit*, place your CD into the appropriate drive.

The installer should start automatically, unless Autorun is disabled on your system. If you need to start the installer manually:

From the Windows **Start** menu, select **Run** and enter the installation command:
Driveletter:\SETUP

The *Driveletter:* will be your CD drive identification, e.g. D:\SETUP.

Once the installer is running, follow the on-screen prompts, providing information where required.

Getting Started

Before starting *Tax Effect Accounting Toolkit*, ensure that Excel's macro security is set to **Medium**.

After installing *Tax Effect Accounting Toolkit*, you can start it from the Windows **Start** menu, by selecting **Programs**, then **Thomson**, then **Tax Effect Accounting Toolkit**.

If your macro security is set to **Medium**:

In Office 2000, XP and 2003, a dialogue box will be displayed, asking whether to enable macros. Select **Enable Macros** and continue.

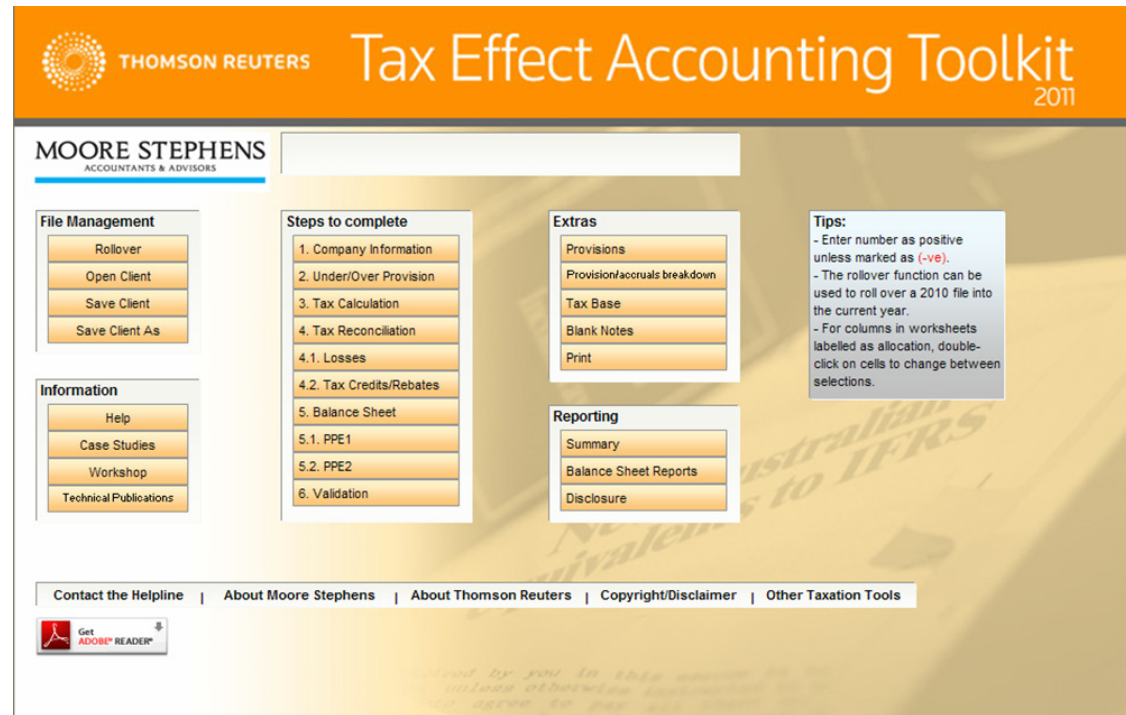
In Office 2007 and above, a macro warning bar will appear at the top of the screen, below the ribbon and formula bar. Click this warning bar, then **Enable Macros** and continue.

Exiting Tax Effect Accounting Toolkit

When exiting *Tax Effect Accounting Toolkit*, you will be asked if you'd like to save the client file. Click **Yes** to save your file or click **No** to exit without saving.

Main Menu

When you start the *Tax Effect Accounting Toolkit*, the main menu is displayed.



The Main Menu provides buttons and links grouped according to function:

- **File Management** allows the user to open and save files and roll over files from the previous year.
- **Information** includes Links to the context-sensitive Help file, case studies and technical publications.
- **Steps to Complete** includes links to all the major steps involved in data entry.
- **Extras** provides additional worksheets, notes and printing options.
- **Reporting** includes links to various reports that can be produced.
- At the bottom of the menu are additional links, to information about the help line, author, publisher, etc.

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