



E-Ring's Capture Desktop Brings Takeoffs to the Next Level

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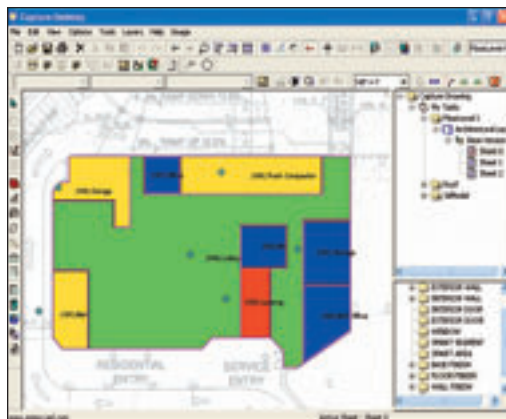
E-Ring's Capture Desktop is a complete on-screen takeoff solution for today's estimators and contractors. The software helps users to quickly perform precise takeoffs with length, area, count and other building-related quantities on a laptop or personal computer.

ACCURACY

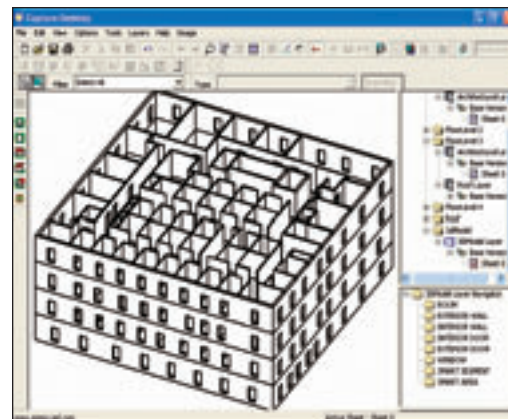
Capture Desktop empowers users with accuracy and productivity tools unmatched by any other form of digital takeoff. Takeoffs are performed directly on a digital blueprint—giving a user a visual audit trail of the takeoff. The software's parametric drawing tools and snap-to feature further increase the accuracy and precision of takeoffs.

TIME AND MONEY

Capture Desktop significantly reduces the time required to perform and refine takeoffs



Color validation allows for an easy-to-follow audit trail (left). Capture Desktop's 3-D view creates useful visuals for presenting to clients and prospects (right).



with an array of easy-to-use tools. Capture Desktop has built-in tools to perform takeoffs on revised drawings without redoing the entire takeoff. It also has a template feature that allows users to reuse objects, symbols and other aspects of a takeoff—giving the user more time for due diligence.

Capture Desktop's uses digital blueprints—eliminating the costs of reproducing and storing bulky paper blueprints. Combined with Capture Desktop's speed and efficiency, this allows users to perform more takeoffs in less time—

enabling them to be on more jobs.

MOBILITY

The ability to use Capture Desktop on a laptop allows an estimator or contractor to perform work anywhere and helps them conveniently present their project to prospects, owners or others effectively.

COLLABORATION AND INTEROPERABILITY

Integrated email streamlines collaboration between various parties such as architects, estimators, contractors and others. In addition, Capture Desktop enables further collaboration through features that allow placing annotations and links directly on the takeoff for reference or notes for clarification.

Capture Desktop is fully interoperable with Windows-based applications and Microsoft Office. Capture is also tightly integrated with other programs such as

Excel and MC2's ICE2000—allowing easy exchange of data.

VALUE ENGINEERING

Capture Desktop has several features that enable value engineering such as scope creep and what-if analysis. Users can perform comparative cost and quantity analysis throughout the lifecycle of a project. Capture Desktop's unique features, such as intelligent objects and room finish features, empower users to perform value engineering from the takeoff without any additional effort. Other features, such as color and 3-D validation, helps users to present value engineering to prospects and clients.

With an array of easy-to-use and powerful features, Capture Desktop brings takeoff to the next level by increasing accuracy, saving time, improving efficiency and enhancing collaboration—making Capture Desktop a complete takeoff solution.



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