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CLOUD ACCOUNTING
SOLUTIONS

INTRODUCTION TO CLOUD ACCOUNTING

Cloud accounting is the practice of using an accounting system that is accessed through the internet. Traditionally, accounting processes were carried out using software that was hosted locally on a desktop computer. With cloud accounting, your data can be accessed from any device with an internet connection, making it more flexible than the traditional process.

In line with HMRC's introduction of the making tax digital programme, businesses will be required to use accounting and bookkeeping software that is compatible with HMRC's online platform. Adopting a cloud solution is an ideal way to achieve this.



WHY SHOULD YOU INVEST IN CLOUD ACCOUNTING?

FLEXIBILITY TO WORK FROM ANYWHERE

Cloud accounting software allows you to work from anywhere and on any device with an internet connection. This gives you better control and oversight of your business' operations and you can submit expenses and update records wherever you are.

MULTI USER ACCESS

You can create multiple accounts for each member of staff who needs access and even tailor permissions so they can only see what they need to see.

GO PAPERLESS AND DE-CLUTTER

Cloud software enables users to take photos or scan in receipts and invoices to store them in the cloud. This means that you no longer have to worry about misplacing receipts, letting them clutter your desk or filing paper copies. They are kept safe and secure online.

SAVE TIME WITH AUTOMATION

Most cloud accounting software tools help businesses to automate and streamline their invoicing. Most solutions will enable you to process transactions using a feed directly linked to your bank account.

COST

Cloud solutions bill monthly, so are better for your cash flow and are often cheaper than traditional desktop solutions.

SECURE

Most cloud accountancy providers offer incredibly high levels of sophisticated data security which is usually either compliant with, or exceeds, the Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard.

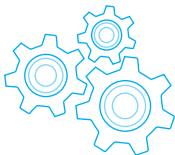
REAL TIME OVERVIEW

A cloud accounting solution for your business will provide you with a real-time overview of your accounts.

OUR SOLUTIONS

At Moore (South) we don't believe in a one size fits all approach to cloud accounting software solutions. Instead, we will work with you to understand your requirements and we are able to advise on the most appropriate software solution and support for your business.

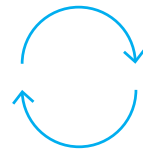
- We can provide training, advice and support to set the appropriate cloud solution up and ensure that you feel confident in using it
- Provide regular or one off support to help you manage your accounting records
- Produce financial information, including management accounts, budgets and cash flow forecasts to help you make informed business decisions
- If you currently have a cloud accounting system, we can carry out a 'health check' to see if you are using it effectively
- If you are thinking of moving to the cloud, we can help guide you with your decision
- Review of your financial information when VAT returns are due, or prior to your year end
- All your finance requirements can be outsourced to Moore (South) as short term emergency cover, or as a permanent solution




Get the software best suited to you and your business



Get the financial information you need, when you need it



Get the advantage of us being able to work with you in real time

A close-up photograph of a person's hands interacting with a white tablet. The person is wearing a light blue, long-sleeved button-down shirt. The background is blurred, showing what appears to be an office setting with other people and desks. The lighting is bright and natural, creating a professional and clean atmosphere.

“Moore (South) were fantastic in helping me use a cloud accounting system for my business. It has worked really well and saved me money.”

OUR SOLUTIONS CONTINUED



WHY XERO?

Xero is online software that connects your finances, your business and your accountants, anytime, anywhere, from any device. Working collaboratively with Xero, Moore (South) can log in, look at your numbers and give you advice in real time. This ensures we are able to spot any opportunities or problems, quickly and are able to deal with these in a timely manner.



QuickBooks.

WHY QUICKBOOKS?

Quickbooks enables you to run your business whilst on the go. You can access real-time customer information and send estimates and invoices from any device. Working with Moore (South), you are able to share up to date information at the click of a button.



WHY FREEAGENT?

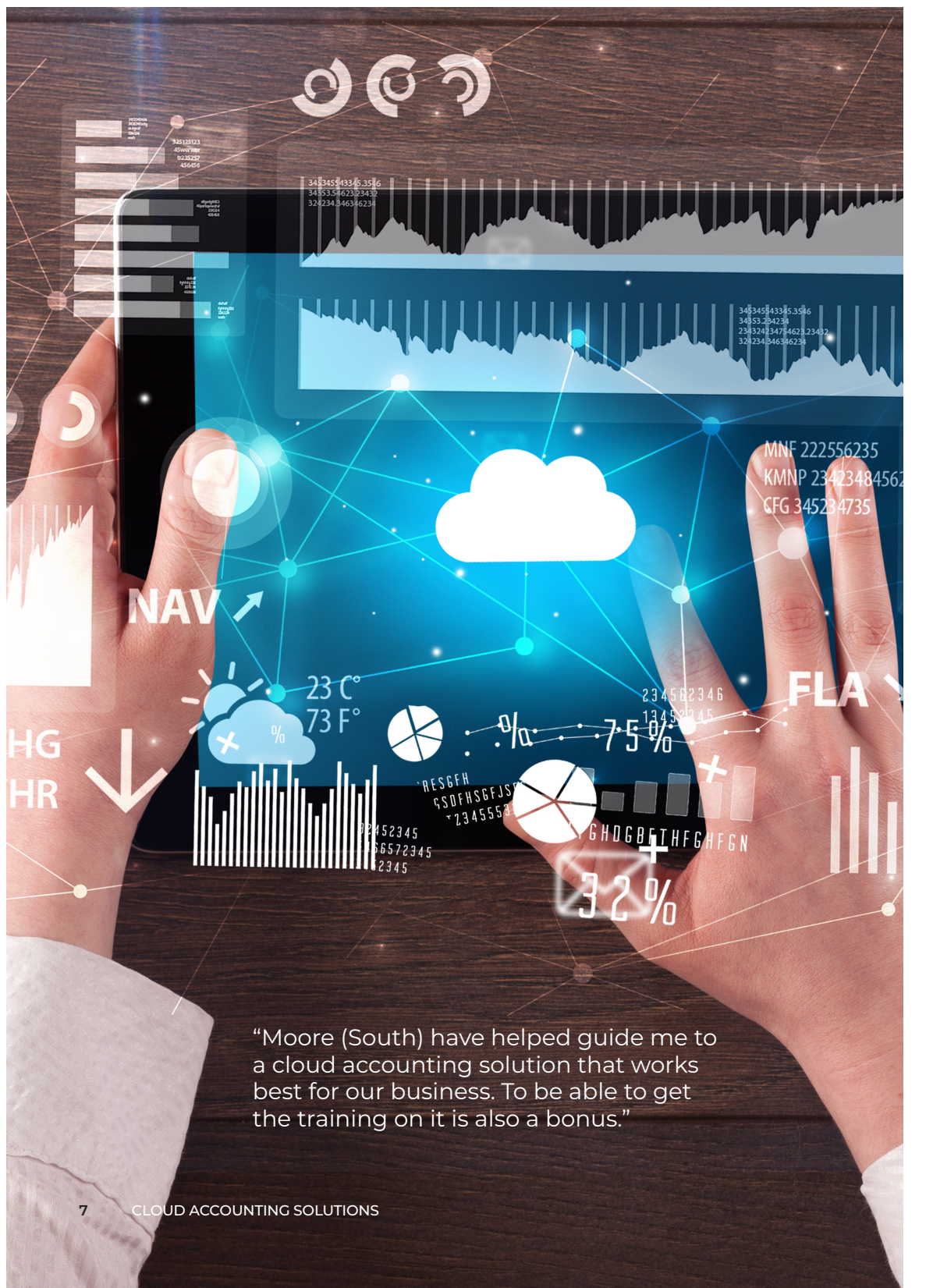
FreeAgent is small business accounting software, ultimately designed for freelancers and small business owners. the software enables you to re-bill expenses, create projects, store time sheets and forecast effectively. At Moore (South) we have partnered with Free Agent so we are able to provide you with the support needed, when it comes to using this software.

SOLUTIONS FOR LARGER BUSINESSES

When it comes to owning a larger or more complex business you may find that the above options do not meet your business needs. Moore (South) have been working with a number of larger businesses that require a more advanced solution. We can recommend a different cloud solution more appropriate for your business. Please speak to your local Moore (South) cloud specialist.



“Moore (South) proved to be invaluable in providing sound advice and guidance in leading us to a cloud accounting solution that has vastly improved the day to day running of the business. Their knowledge and expertise made the transition seamless and the training and advice provided subsequently enabled us to use the software with confidence”



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“Moore (South) have helped guide me to a cloud accounting solution that works best for our business. To be able to get the training on it is also a bonus.”

WHAT CLOUD ACCOUNTING SOLUTION IS BEST SUITED TO MY BUSINESS?

Category	Xero	Quickbooks	FreeAgent
Suitable for	Small to medium sized businesses.	Small to medium sized businesses.	Used for Micro SME's in the range of 1 to 6 employees.
User experience	A powerful cloud solution with lots of features. Training may be required to feel confident in using Xero.	Quickbooks requires training to be able to feel confident in using its features. It is very visual and easy to navigate.	Easy to set up and navigate. Its features and look have been built perfectly for its target market.
Reporting	All reports that are needed for a small-medium sized business are available.	Intuitive and easy to navigate, whilst having a good set of features. Training may be required to use Quickbooks Online to its full potential.	Basic reporting available.
Fixed Assets	✓	X	X
Project reporting	✓	✓	✓
Inventory management	✓	(Basic) ✓	X
Time recording	(Basic) ✓	✓	X
Payroll (Basic)	✓	✓	✓
Multi currency	✓	✓	✓
Apps	Xero can cope with complex accounting scenarios and will integrate with over 700 apps.	Quickbooks integrates with over 500 apps and has the potential to be used in complex accounting scenarios.	FreeAgent has over 60 integrated apps available for its users.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT EXACTLY IS CLOUD ACCOUNTING?

Cloud accounting uses software that is hosted on remote servers rather than on a company's own servers. Data is sent to and stored in 'the cloud' where it is processed and returned to the user. All application functions are performed off site and not on the user's desktop.

WHICH CLOUD PROVIDER IS RIGHT FOR ME?

At Moore (South), we have a cloud accounting team that are trained and up to date on all of the major cloud accounting software providers in the market. We will work with you on finding the most suitable solution for your business.

WILL MY DATA BE SECURE?

Most cloud-accountancy providers offer incredibly high levels of sophisticated data security which is usually either compliant with, or exceeds, the Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard.

WILL MY BUSINESS BENEFIT FROM USING CLOUD

Cloud accounting can cut costs, save time and increase efficiency through automation in your business.

WILL IT SAVE MY COMPANY MONEY?

Companies that implement a cloud accounting system require less server infrastructure and IT investment. Cloud accounting grows WITH your company, no need for constant maintenance and hardware costs.

CAN MY DATA GET LOST?

Cloud-based accounting could prevent your accounting data from being lost or destroyed. You do not store your information on your computer's hard drive. Instead, you store your information on the Internet and can access it from any computer. You will not lose your accounting data if your computer crashes.

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