CM 352 – Electrical Construction Estimating

Accubid Activity #15 Accubid Office Building – TEMPORARY ITEMS

Temporary Items

Temporary items are items saved as part of the job, rather than the database. You can take off temporary items just as you would items from the material database. You can also copy and paste temporary items just like database items.

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Procedure

- 1. Start the program Accubid Pro 13 [Start, All Programs, Trimble, Classic 13, Accubid Pro 13]
- 2. Press the CAPS LOCK Key ON
- 3. From the Job Schedule Screen open the file, Accubid Office Building.
- 4. If not already selected, select the Takeoff tab at the bottom of the screen.
- 5. Make sure that the **L100 v8 us neca imp** is the currently selected database. If not, switch to it by clicking on the Database menu and choosing the Select command.
- 6. To Create a TEMPORARY ITEM:

Choose from the Takeoff: TEMPORARY ITEMS

Double click in the first blank line (Line 1)

In the Create/Modify Temporary Item window edit the fields as shown in Figure 1 and click OK.

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		Value	A
1	Description	CONNECT OWNER'S 500 KVA	
2	Date	5/8/2013	
3	Material Unit	E	
4	Material Price	25.00	
5	Material Discount	0.00	
6	Material Net Cost	25.00	
7	Material Condition	Budget	
8	Price Code		
9	Price Factor	1.00000	
10	Labor Unit	E	
11	Labor Hours	4.00	
12	Labor Condition	Normal	
13	Labor Factoring	Group 1	
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15	Sort Code 1		
16	Sort Code 2		
17	Sort Code 3		
18	Sort Code 4		
19	Sort Code 5	10000 Distribution	
20	Sort Code 6	<no code=""></no>	
21	Sort Code 7	300 Distribution Installation & Termination	
22	Sort Code 8	<no code=""></no>	
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Figure 1

The Temporary Item, CONNECT OWNER'S 500 KVA, is displayed in the Temporary Item list.

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Figure 2

7. Create additional Temporary Items as shown in Figures 3, 4, and 5.

		Value
	Description	MAIN ER GROUND BUS COMPLETE
2	Date	5/8/2013
3	Material Unit	E
4	Material Price	75.00
5	Material Discount	0.00
6	Material Net Cost	75.00
7	Material Condition	Normal
8	Price Code	
9	Price Factor	1.00000
10	Labor Unit	E
11	Labor Hours	2.00
12	Labor Condition	Normal
13	Labor Factoring	Group 1
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15	Sort Code 1	
16	Sort Code 2	
17	Sort Code 3	
18	Sort Code 4	
19	Sort Code 5	12000 Grounding
20	Sort Code 6	<no code=""></no>
21	Sort Code 7	320 Grounding
22	Sort Code 8	<no code=""></no>
23	Weight Unit	E
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Figure 3

Create/Modify Temporary Item								
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	5	Material Discount	30.00					
	6	Material Net Cost	50.00					
	7	Material Condition	Normal					
	8	Price Code						
	9	Price Factor	1.00000					
	10	Labor Unit	E					
	11	Labor Hours	1.50					
	12	Labor Condition	Normal					
	13	Labor Factoring	Group 1					
	14	Based On	Cnt					
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	16	Sort Code 2						
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	18	Sort Code 4						
	19	Sort Code 5	12000 Grounding					
	20	Sort Code 6	<no code=""></no>					
	21	Sort Code 7	320 Grounding					
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Figure 4

		Value
1	Description	COMM GROUND BUS COMPLETE
2	Date	5/8/2013
3	Material Unit	E
4	Material Price	35.00
5	Material Discount	
6	Material Net Cost	35.00
7	Material Condition	Normal
8	Price Code	
9	Price Factor	1.00000
10	Labor Unit	E
11	Labor Hours	1.00
12	Labor Condition	Normal
13	Labor Factoring	Group 1
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15	Sort Code 1	
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17	Sort Code 3	
18	Sort Code 4	
19	Sort Code 5	12000 Grounding
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Figure 5

When finished the Temporary Items shown in Figure 6 should be displayed in the Temporary Item list:

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Figure 6

Note: These Temporary Items will be used in a later takeoff.

8. Save your estimate.