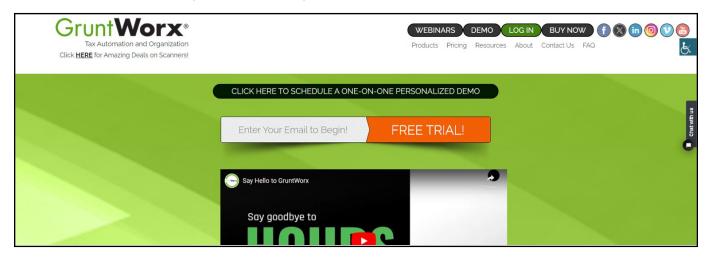
ULTRATAX CS QUICK START GUIDE



Follow these instructions to sign up for the GruntWorx Free Trial and use GruntWorxLITE, Organize, Populate, and Trades products with UltraTax CS tax software.



How to Set up a GruntWorx Account

- From the GruntWorx.com homepage, enter email address and click FREE TRIAL!
- > Complete the Registration
- Look for the sign-up email including the temporary password
- Log in to the GruntWorx Portal and set up new password
- Read and accept the master agreement and EULA

GruntWorx Dashboard Navigation



- Each time a user logs in, a notification displays information about the current tax year, news or updates
- The logo in the top left corner takes user to GruntWorx Homepage
- Welcome corner displays user's name, option to Sign-Out, Download Agent link, a Help link which will turn on?
 icons, Settings and Add To Balance.
 - Hovering over Add To Balance displays account's current balance
- The Info Banner provides information relating to using GruntWorx and the Current Expected Lead-Time. New notifications are displayed on the Info Banner when posted until the user dismisses the post.
- Below the Info Banner are buttons Awaiting GruntWorxLITE Jobs, Show Only Open Clients, Search/Find a Client, Add a Client, Import Multiple Clients, Filter Client Table and Tutorials.
- In the top right-hand corner of the GruntWorx Dashboard, click Settings.

Admin Settings

Firm Contact Information

- Update any firm details
- Click Save Firm Info to save any changes

Security Settings

- Set firm-wide Two-Factor Authentication settings here
- Adjust code sending protocol under User Settings
 - New users must select 2FA code protocol at first login
- Click Save Security Settings after making any changes

User Settings	Admin Settings	Manage Accounts	Manage Users	Inventory
Firm Contact	Information —			
Firm N	ame: Firm Name			
addre	ess1: 1 GruntWorx	1 GruntWorx Way		
addre	ess2:			
	city: Franklin	Franklin		
5	state: NC	NC		
	zip: 28734	28734		
ph	none: 877-830-605	77-830-6059		
cor	ntact:			
		Save Firm Info		

Default Settings

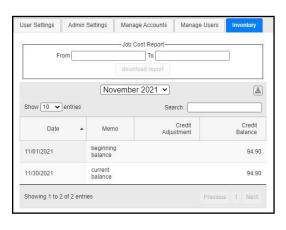
- Select Thomson UltraTax CS as Tax Software
- Set firm-wide job preferences:
 - Option for default Trades product (User can select alternate trades on a per job basis).
 - Repaginate Organized Documents default option
- Click Save Default Settings after making any changes

Manage Accounts

Add or edit accounts as needed to the Manage Accounts tab.
 Most often this is used for firms that have multiple locations.
 A default account is provided – Clients – but the name can be edited anytime under Manage Accounts.

Manage Users

- Add or edit users in the Manage Users tab. Make any user an Admin on the account, get two-factor authentication code if needed and adjust account access permissions.
- To enable users to have the Inventory tab, check the job cost display box.
- If a user's account gets Locked, under Manage Users, click unlock user.



Inventory

- Provides detailed job history and the account's current balance which can be exported to a CSV.
- Run a Job Cost Report by selecting start and end dates and clicking download report.

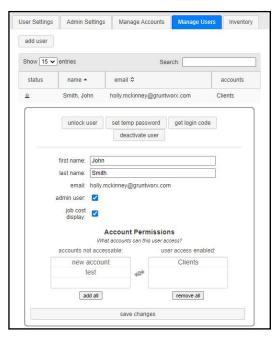
IMPORTANT: Admins must add users and give account permissions to allow user access.

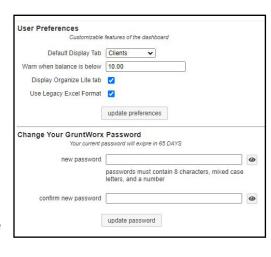
User Settings

- Update User Contact Information at any time. This is used for GruntWorx to report any issues with jobs.
- Job Status Notification preferences can be changed to text, email or no notifications.
- If enabled by the Firm Admin, Two Factor Authentication settings can be adjusted here.
- Click Update User Settings after making changes
- Change the **Default Display Tab** in User Preferences
- A Warn when balance is below field allowing the user to be alerted when the account balance reaches the selected amount.
- Option to hide or display the Organize Lite tab.
- GruntWorx offers Pointsheets in XLSM or XLS file format. Choose to have both file options available by checking the Use Legacy Excel Format box.
- Change Your GruntWorx Password here

 Λ TIP: Passwords expire every 90 days and must contain at least eight characters, mixed case and one number.







- > To continue set-up, click Download Agent from the top right corner of the GruntWorx Dashboard
- MPORTANT: The GruntWorx Agent is only needed for Populate products. The Agent should be installed at each workstation where GruntWorx will be utilized.
 - Once the download is complete, run GWAgentSetup.exe (the file you downloaded) and select GruntWorx Agent for UltraTax CS.
 - Follow the prompts to complete installation

Considerations for UltraTax CS Users

- To submit jobs from the GruntWorx Dashboard or to populate data from the GruntWorx-provided Excel Pointsheet, users should have UltraTax open, preferably to the UltraTax Client Profiles screen.
 - The user must also be logged out of the client tax file during these times



- Access the screen by clicking the Home button (house icon at upper right) and then selecting Client Profiles on the left panel. From a blank page after clicking on the Home button, click File in upper left, then Open Client. Dismiss the client selector to show the Client Profiles page.
- TIP: If more than one version of 1040 tax files are maintained for any one client, be sure to exempt from Data Sharing the versions of the client tax files that the user doesn't want to be populated by GruntWorx.
- ⚠ TIP: If using the Virtual Office version of UltraTax, you must install a local copy of UltraTax CS to local desktop.

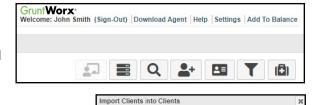
Steps to Populate the Virtual Office version of UltraTax

- 1. Download a Local copy of the tax program
- 2. Set up a GruntWorx Account and install Agent
- 3. Backup 1040 clients to local copy of the tax software
- 4. Process GruntWorx jobs following this Quick Start Guide
- 5. Open the client tax file and using Data Sharing, accept populated records into the tax program
- 6. Restore the populated client file to the cloud in batches or as required

How to Submit Jobs

- Add Clients
 - From the GruntWorx Dashboard, click on an icon to add client/s.





The CSV file must be in this format:

Α

2 Adams

3 Jefferson

4 Madison

5 Monroe

Jackson

8 Van Buren

6 Adams

1 Washington George

Select a CSV file to import

import cancel

Last Name, First Name, Spouse Name, Client ID

information, in separate columns, following the above format

Spouse Name is an optional value and may be left blank (but the column must be present).
 The ClientID must contain only letters, numbers, and/or a

Abigail

Martha

Dolley

D

1797-1301

1801-1309

1809-1317

1825-1329

1829-1337

1837-1841

Martha 1789-1797

Elizabeth 1817-1325

Up to 500 clients can be imported with each CSV file

The ClientID should match that in your tax software.

John Quinc Louisa

В

John

Thomas

James

Andrew

Martin

- > Add a Single Client
 - Click on the icon and fill out all required fields.

- Add Multiple Clients
 - Click on the icon to upload a .csv file
 - Follow the instructions and template to create and import the file

TIP: Clients' names and IDs can be edited prior to job submission by clicking on the icon on the far right of the client row. Client information cannot be edited for a job in process.

To submit client's source documents: Click on the client's name, then either drag and drop PDF files into the dotted box or click in the box to browse computer for PDF files.



↑ IMPORTANT: Add up to 15 PDFs per client, 150 MB per PDF.

- Once all files are uploaded, make product selections
 - Choose from VERIFIED GruntWorx Staff Review or GruntWorx LITE DIY Self-Review
 - Organize Documents is automatically selected upon choosing a Level of Service (VERIFIED or GruntWorxLITE)
 - GruntWorxLITE is not reviewed by GruntWorx for accuracy. The documents are processed with OCR and Business Intelligence technology only.
 - **VERIFIED** processes through OCR and Business Intelligence as well as human review by GruntWorx US-based Data Validators.



- Choose Add-Ons
 - Populate Forms to have federal form data extracted and populated into UltraTax
 - Trade Details to have individual transactions extracted off of Brokerage Statements or 1099-Bs for population into UltraTax.
 - Trade Summary to have only category totals extracted off of Brokerage Statements or 1099-Bs for population into UltraTax.
 - Expedited Service for priority processing (100% premium added to job cost)

\Lambda TIP: For Product and Pricing information, click the 🕐 button.

↑ TIP: To save your selections as default, click the link below the Submit button.

- > Once selections are made, click **Submit**
- For jobs with Populate Forms selected, proforma collection will begin
 - The first submission after installing the Agent requires the user to open and run the downloaded proforma .pc file. Not opening this file causes a submission failure.
- TIP: The GruntWorx Agent will retrieve the client's proforma data from the client tax file in UltraTax and submit the job to GruntWorx. Client's file must be closed during this time.
- TIP: If GruntWorxLITE was selected, there will be an edit in review tool button to access the self-validation tool. For instructions on how to use GruntWorxLITE, refer to the GruntWorxLITE Guide or User Manual.
- ⚠ IMPORTANT: Any client with a Job Status of **Not Submitted** means there was an issue during job submission and the job was not sent to GruntWorx.



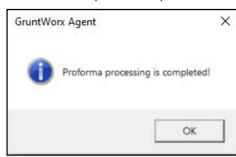
- A Not Submitted status means something went wrong during the submission process. Either the Agent is
 not installed, the browser needs to be configured to run the Agent, the client file has password protection
 in the tax software, or the Client ID was not found in the tax software. Users should fix the issue, click on
 the client row and try to submit again, making sure the tax software is open and the client tax file is closed.
- Turnaround time during tax season is 1-3 days for VERIFIED jobs. During this time, users can click a link in the Info Banner to view the current estimated lead-time. Estimated lead-times are updated daily.
- A successful job submission provides the user with a Proforma processing is completed! message

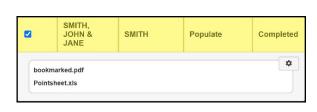
When a Job is Complete

- When a job is complete, a job completion text message or email notification is sent to the user if set up in User Settings. Log back in to the GruntWorx Dashboard and locate client.
 - If the site stayed open in the browser, the page will need to be refreshed, and sign in again
- When Job Status is Completed, click on the client's name
 - Your first file will be a PDF named bookmarked.pdf.
 - If Populate Forms and/or a Trades product was selected, there will also be a **Pointsheet.xlsm**.
- Simply click on either file name to download and open
 - The Pointsheet file requires Microsoft Excel to view, edit and Populate
- After opening the file, the user will need to enable Excel's macro feature

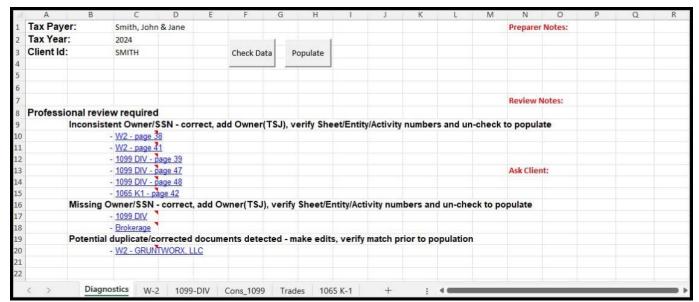


- Some users Security Settings in Microsoft may not allow the enabling of macros. This is usually indicated
 by a red warning banner in Excel that reads Security Risk. If users have IT, they should ask for assistance
 with adding GruntWorx as a Trusted Publisher, or setting up a Trusted Location for Pointsheets.
- Although GruntWorx Support is unable to assist with making security adjustments to user's workstations, if you do not have IT and are having trouble, please reach out to us. Call 877.830.6059 x3 or email Support@GruntWorx.com.





> The user should then review the Pointsheet



- There may be comments or flags on certain pages added by GruntWorx Validators. It is recommended that
 the user check those pages thoroughly and make any necessary changes before moving on.
- Users can review or edit the extracted data on each tab of the workbook prior to importing. If edits were made in the Pointsheet, the user should click Check Data to verify field formatting is still correct.

↑ TIP: Blue hyperlinks are provided with each form extraction and, when clicked, will bring the user directly to the corresponding page in the opened PDF.

For more information on the GruntWorx Pointsheet, refer to the Pointsheet Guide located on the **Customer Resources** page.

- With UltraTax open, and the client's tax file closed, click Populate on the Diagnostics tab of the Pointsheet
 - The Agent then opens UltraTax CS Source Data Entry and populates the data into each form. This is seen in real time. The Agent should be given the time to complete the import. When Source Data Entry closes, the population is complete.
- When the import is complete, open the client's tax file and accept the pending updates from Data Sharing
 - Users can easily review or adjust any fields within the client's file in UltraTax
- TIP: For more information on Data Sharing, refer to the information provided by UltraTax. Go to Product Information > Source Data Entry Examples.



Tips for best scanning practices can be found here in this <u>video</u>. For system requirements click here.

If you have any problems or need additional help you can reach us at: Support@GruntWorx.com • 877.830.6059



Here is a list of all the supported forms for the GruntWorx Organize and Populate services.

Organize

• W-2

- W2C
- 10425

W-2G

- 1095-A
- 1095-B
- 1095-C
- 1098
- 1098-C
- 1098-E
- 1098-T

- 1099-A
- 1099-B
- 1099-C
- 1099-CAP
- 1099-G
- 1099-DIV
- 1099-INT
- 1099-H
- 1099-K
- 1099-LTC 1099-MISC

- 1099-NEC
- 1099-PATR
- 1099-Q
- 1099-R
- RRB-1099
- RRB-1099-R
- 1099-S
- 1099-SA
- SSA-1099
- Consolidated 1099
- 2439

- 5498-SA
- 5498-FSA
- Grantor Letter as 1041 K-1
- Supporting Tax Documents
- Receipts

Populate

Trade Details & Trade Summary

- W-2
- W-2G
- 1095-A
- 1098
- 1098-E
- 1098-T
- 1099-MISC
- 1099-NEC
- 1099-B
- 1099-G

- 1099-DIV
- 1099-INT
- 1099-R
- RRB-1099
- SSA-1099
- 1099-OID
- Consolidated 1099
- 11205 K-1
- 1065 K-1
- 1041 K-1

- Federal 1099-Bs
- Year-End Brokerage Statements

The following documents are not supported for Trades products:

- Coinbase Statements
- 8949 Worksheets
- Monthly Statements
- IRA Account Statements

To see specific fields that GruntWorx populates, refer to the Supported Forms & Fields document located on the **Customer Resources** page.