



K8 LV - Key functionality Summarised

This document highlights the key features available within K8 LV.

Sales Order Processing

- Delivered orders / Collected orders
- Direct orders
- Scheduled orders
- Real-time stock allocation
- Forward and backorders
- Cash and account order
- Quotations, with conversion option
- Credit request processing
- Stock products, specials and non-stock products
- Multiple delivery addresses
- Currency pricing and price lists
- Word search facilities, including keywords
- Multiple units of measure per product
- Direct access to stock, customer and CRM enquiries
- Configurable grid displays
- Hierarchical product group structure
- Real time credit checking
- Flexible pricing, discounting and customer/contract terms
- Facility to hold and release orders
- Quick access to previous orders and quotes
- Sales Order Acknowledgements
- Free text on order and order lines
- Alternatives, surcharges and associates
- Customer product codes
- Order attachments (image, spreadsheet, document)
- Document display, including acknowledgement, pick note, advice note and invoice
- Integral CRM solution
- Sales Kits with auto-replenishment
- Retrospective linking of back orders to purchase orders
- Ability to add labour charges
- Product image storage and retrieval
- Barcode reader integration
- Optional SMS messaging support

Purchasing And Supply Chain

- Manual purchase order entry
- Automatic generation of suggested purchase orders
- Minimum/maximum stock levels per product/warehouse
- Internal and external demand captured per product/warehouse
- Forecast method, including seasonality profile
- Review days and frequency per product/warehouse
- Optional trend factor
- Internal and external demand recorded
- Lead time from supplier
- Inter-warehouse replenishment orders
- Visibility of stocking levels at each warehouse
- Full stock card history

Warehousing

- Warehouse picking
- Optional use of Hand Held Devices
- Pick face replenishment
- Immediate or batch picking notes
- Pick confirmation
- Batch & serial number control
- Picking tickets, advice notes
- Consolidated picking notes
- Picking by zone
- Multi-bin stocking
- Stock Movements between bins

Delivery Management

- Allocate deliveries to vehicles
- Production of driver manifest
- Drivers delivery planning
- Delivery confirmation
- Optional integration with ePOD (remote delivery)

K8 LV Summary factsheet



Stock Management

- Maintain product file
- Instantaneous stock valuation
- Average, FIFO and standard cost models
- Alternative product codes
- Alternative suppliers
- Supplier product codes
- Customer product codes
- Customer and supplier consignment stock
- Excess stock monitoring
- Stock categorisation
- Multi-bin location
- Label print

Stock Checking

- Batch stock checking
- Perpetual inventory control
- Classification by movement and/or value
- Input by discrepancy alarms
- Variance reporting
- Security-controlled update of actuals from count
- Optional use of Hand Held Devices

Invoicing

- Immediate or batch invoices
- Consolidated invoicing
- Electronic invoicing
- Single line invoicing for kits

Works Order Processing

- Ad-hoc works order, also back to back against sales order line
- Works order generated from Bill of Material (BoM)
- Multi-stage BoM
- Products and operations within BoM
- Record estimated costs and actual costs
- Partial or full completion of works order
- Partial or full issue to WIP
- Ability to create multi-levelled order
- Ability to create batch size works orders
- Autogenerate function on re-order level or moving average
- Batch control and component allocation
- Structure costing control to allow recalculation based on batch size and current component cost

Goods Receipt

- Goods received enquiry
- Alternate product receipting
- Manual or batch receipting
- Optional use of Hand Held Devices
- Purchase returns

Verify Supplier Invoices (Vsi)

- Matching of receipt to supplier invoice
- Variance monitoring
- Currency variations
- Purchase expense order/invoice matching
- Matched invoices automatically posted

Key Performance Indicators

- KPI's available Department and Company management
 - Sales and margin vs target
 - Percentage of credits vs sales
 - Stock value as a percentage of max stock
 - Percentage of lines understocked/overstocked
 - Percentage non-stock lines in stock
 - Percentage overdue PO lines
 - Overdue & queried debt as a percentage of total

Electronic Data Interchange

- Export data from K8LV
- Provides support for transformation and import of data
- Includes support for a number of data file formats
 - CSV
 - Fixed width
 - XML
- Automated polling for files of pre-defined type for importing
- (S)FTP support inbound

Report Generator - Enquiry Utility

- Point and click wizard
- Simple displays for users
- Wide choice of output formats
- Full access to all system data
- Ability to schedule outputs

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Report Generator - Editor

- Create reports from all K8LV modules
- Wizard for producing simple reports
- Flexible user defined layouts
- Screen based and printed output
- Export to Excel and CSV tables
- HTML output
- Optional output for letters and documents
- Labels
- Trigger reports that activate when "trigger" selections are matched
- Selection criteria and run-time prompts
- Sort sequences, totals and sub-totals
- User defined calculations
- Report drill down to source data
- Embed report run within an existing report

General Ledger

- Multi-company and multi-currency
- Financial and Management Hierarchies
- Full drill down capabilities from ledger totals to source documents
- Summary and detailed levels
- Links to source documents
- Manual Journals
- Journal import facilities
- Recurring journals
- Journal apportionment
- Reversing journals
- Intrastat reporting
- Full VAT analysis & Intrastat reporting including Digital VAT Declaration
- Multi-currency
- Management reporting tools
- Budget creation and import facilities
- Export to spreadsheets
- Company Consolidation

Asset Ledger

- Multiple depreciation methods (straight line, reducing balance)
- Asset Additions, including attachments
- Disposal, with gain/loss accounting
- Merge, split and transfer functions
- Related assets
- Asset mobility between departments or companies

Accounts Receivable

- Comprehensive display functions
- Full drill down capabilities from ledger totals to individual archive documents
- Open item accounts
- Age debtor analysis by invoice and due date
- Text and diary
- Credit account application log
- Generate Call Lists
- Generate credit-chase letters
- Categorise customers for credit purposes
- Cash allocation
- Automatic cash allocation
- Multiple account cash posting
- Direct debits file generation
- Document transfers between accounts
- Statement production

Cash Book

- Multiple Bank Accounts
- Multi-currency control
- Manual bank reconciliation
- Add and post manual payments

Accounts Payable

- Comprehensive display functions
- Full drill down capabilities from ledger totals to individual source documents
- Open item accounts
- Batch input of documents
- Factored/Consolidated payments
- Cheque Printing
- BACS payments
- Document transfers between accounts
- Remittance print and/or email
- Manual cash payments

We will look ‘under the bonnet’ of your business, establishing your pain points and priorities.

Customer Relationship Management (CRM)

- Maintain multiple contacts per customer/supplier/prospect
- Contacts may be appended to sales orders
- Capture main detail, name, address, role together with user-definable data capture
- Record notes and tasks against each contact
- View event history for each contact
- Use contact detail within merged letter production
- Create contact lists and export for mailshot purposes
- User-definable fields, with soft tables for capturing marketing and validating detail for customers
- View tasks within integral diary
- Optional export of tasks to MS Outlook

Permissions & Security

- Standard operating system login/password control with additional security layer
- Access assignable to specified modules
- Access within module to designated companies
- Field and table access right management
- Ability to hide fields on forms per user/group
- Role creation with pre-defined access rights

Timed Operations

- Automatic security backup to removable media
- Automatic scheduler to run batch jobs at specified times and dates
- Scheduling by hour, day, week and month
- Exception reports may be scheduled
- Full audit and logging of jobs
- Runs automatically - no need for user intervention
- Production of user specified, batch processed reports to relevant distribution method

Please note that, as K8LV is a highly configurable solution, some options may be mutually exclusive i.e. certain features may be disabled where others are not in use.

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