



EBASE Technical Notes

Pro-Rating L.S. Items

The Only Bid Item that should be Pro-rated is MOBILIZATION.

Although pro-rating is available for all L.S. items, it may be used **only** when a bid items use applies to the work being performed on a project wide basis.

If work can be quantified for a location (EBASE Column), those costs must be distributed by the actual amount needed for that location.

How Pro-rated Lump Sum Items work

Prorated Bid Items are calculated based on the total \$\$ value of the bid items in the columns that they are being prorated across. Pro-rated items can not use the value of other pro-rated items in columns to calculate their distribution.

Pro-rating multiple items will cause errors in your calculated totals.

Bid Items	Columns				Group	
	\$\$\$	1	2	3		4
Bid Item 1 (L.S Pro-rated)	\$ 1,000.00	LS	LS	LS		1
Bid Item 2	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00				2
Bid Item 3	\$ 300.00		\$ 300.00			3
Bid Item 4	\$ 1,500.00			\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	4
Col. Totals Before Prorate		\$ 200.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	
Grand Total before prorated LS Item \$\$\$		\$ 200.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Prorated LS Bid Item #1 is Prorated over Columns 1, 2 & 3. These 3 Columns total \$1000.00. Column 1 = \$200.00 or, 20% of \$1000.00 Column 2 = \$300.00 or, 30% of \$1000.00 Column 3 = \$500.00 or, 50% of \$1000.00 Column 4 is not included since no \$\$ are to be prorated across it.						
The amount to be prorated across Columns 1, 2 & 3 is an additional 1000.00, so of this \$1000.00 for Bid Item # 1, 20% is applied to Column 1 30% is applied to Column 2 50% is applied to Column 3						
Bid Items	Columns				Group	
	\$\$\$	1	2	3		4
Bid Item 1 (L.S Pro-rated)	\$ 1,000.00	LS/ \$200	LS/ \$300	LS/ \$500		1
Bid Item 2	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00				2
Bid Item 3	\$ 300.00		\$ 300.00			3
Bid Item 4	\$ 1,500.00			\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	4
Col. Totals W/prorated \$\$		\$ 400.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	
Grand Total After prorated LS Item \$\$\$		\$ 400.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 3,000.00