

Common Tools

Foundation for your success.



About **Common Tools**

Common tools are core components used by all other aSa modules:

- Business Partner lets you easily define your customers, vendors, and other associates.
- Job provides simple entry tools to set up your project details and settings.
- Product enables you to define the material that you provide to your customers.
- Dashboards present your aSa data in easy-to-grasp graphical format.



Helping you work smarter

Business Partner and Job

- Set up unlimited contacts and addresses for each partner and job.
- Eliminate duplicate data entry: the values you define automatically populate downstream aSa modules.
- Share partner and job data among all of your office and shop locations. Optionally, you can isolate data per location when you need to.

Dashboards

- Visualize your information the way you want to see it.
- Easily add data tables, bar charts, pie charts, special "rebar cards" and more to your dashboards.
- Apply filters to quickly summarize data based on a job, date range, or other criteria.
- Share custom dashboards and widgets with other users and departments.

Product

- Define any type of material that you supply: rebar, mesh, bar supports, concrete forms ... and anything else. Set up inventory, non-inventory, and direct ship items.
- Assign pictures to your products to display on tags and reports.
- Share products across multiple locations.
- Define multiple units of measure for each product. For example, take off mesh in square feet, but track inventory and generate pricing based on sheets.

Additional Shared Tools

- Set up security groups to allow or prevent access to specific modules and functionality.
- Define settings specific to all of your office, shop, and warehouse locations.

Experience

these key benefits



See the big picture

Seeing where you stand in real-time helps you make smarter decisions. With aSa. Studio dashboards, any information in your system can be presented as a chart, graph, table, and more.



Eliminate complicated calculations

Work with whatever measurement units make the most sense for you. The system automatically converts between inventory, takeoff, and sales units so you don't have to.



Reduce clerical time

Customer-level information automatically populates when you create a new job. Job information automatically populates when you create a new order. There's no need to re-enter data.



Manage security easily

Set up security groups with user-defined permissions, then assign users to those groups. It couldn't be easier to allow or prevent access to your system's data and functionality.



Simplify data entry

All aSa screens are clean, consistent, and easy to understand. Auto-complete text fields, customizable lookups, and system-assigned identifiers make setting up your customers, jobs, and products quick and simple.



Share data among multiple locations

If you have multiple office or shop locations, you can share your customers, jobs, and products among each business unit.

Reports let you summarize across your entire enterprise.



Dashboards are used throughout aSa.Studio to give you a clear picture of your customers, jobs, orders, production, inventory, and much more. aSa.Studio provides many helpful dashboards right out of the box, but you can also create your own based on the information that's most important to you.



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