



## AdBuild Case Study

### About our client, AdBuild

Advanced Building & Construction, also known as AdBuild, is a collective of leading professionals from the Modular Building industry, delivering modular building solutions from concept through to completion across public and private sector developments.

AdBuild are very passionate about delivering high quality homes and schools to ensure New Zealanders have quality products in which their children can safely live and learn.

AdBuild process between 500 and 1,000 invoices per month and, at the time of writing, are on Pronto Xi version 750.1. The majority of the Purchase Orders that AdBuild raise are non-stock for services with some stock items and a higher than usual number of non-PO invoices for the typical Pronto Software Customer.

### Why did AdBuild approach Redmap?

“We manufacture across three factories in Wellington, with each factory being responsible for their own procurement,” said Jennylyn Yenko, AdBuild Financial Controller.

**“With a smaller team, we really wanted to stop wasting time checking, chasing approval and entering invoices.”**

“There is also a re-charge component to our billing cycle, meaning that some Vendor invoices that we receive are then on-billed to the Customer. This means that finding the invoice and being able to give it to the Customer as part of that billing is critical and my team was spending too much time looking for the invoices,” continued Jennylyn.

### What was the outcome for AdBuild?

Redmap’s AP Automation Best Practice for Pronto Xi was implemented at AdBuild to meet their requirements. The Best Practice allowed AdBuild to process both PO and Non-PO invoices straight out-of-the-box.

Invoices are sent to an email address provided by Redmap, where the data is automatically extracted. This data is used to determine if the invoice is automatically posted or sent to someone for their approval. Once posted, a link is automatically created to the source document, for ease of downloading in the future.

There were a small number of invoice variations that the Redmap system would not process from its standard out-of-the-box capacity, so Redmap offered a modification to manage these invoices.

**“At the end of the day we opted not to do the modification that Redmap offered. We were keen to stay with an off the shelf solution to allow us to take advantage of future changes in both Pronto Xi and Redmap without needing full re-implementations,”** said Matthew McKenzie Chief Financial Officer AdBuild.



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#### What was the outcome for AdBuild?

The go-live of the implementation came at a difficult time as New Zealand entered strict lockdown conditions in April 2020. “Any technology change is difficult, and I was concerned about having to send Redmap live in that remote environment. I am very happy to report that the go-live was relatively uneventful and that we hit our original go live date! The AdBuild and Redmap teams worked so well together.

**“We selected Redmap, in part, due to their extensive experience with Pronto Software and they didn’t disappoint. When we first started this project we wanted to decrease the amount of time the team spent managing the invoices, and to be able to find them easier. I can tell you that even the team members in the factory now go and find their own invoices and love doing so.**

**“To that end Redmap has delivered above and beyond.**

“What I didn’t expect was the value that the reporting delivered to the team. The ability to know where the invoices are and who to speak to when they are not forthcoming is amazing and has allowed my team to manage by exception,” Jennylyn said

**“Prior to implementing Redmap there were times when we missed payments because invoices went missing during the process. That just doesn’t happen anymore, in part due to Redmap, and in part due to the Accounts team having time to perform statement reconciliations on account of having more time to do value add activities,” said Matthew.**

**“I can’t imagine processing invoices without Redmap, ever again,” concluded Jennylyn.**

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