## **Current Costing Solutions**



Functionality	ACE	Competitors	Spreadsheets
Multiple users, concurrent access	✓	✓	×
Online access	✓		×
Software leasing	✓	<b>x</b>	×
Manages large volumes of data	✓	✓	✓
Source system Extract / Transform / Load tools	✓	✓	×
Web enabled for all operations including administration	✓	*	×
Low entry cost	✓	*	✓
Unlimited value items (cost types)	✓	?	×
Unlimited modules	✓	*	✓
Multiple periods	✓	✓	×
Self targeting / dynamic drivers	✓	?	×
Flexible dimension and measures setting	✓	×	×

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Functionality	ACE	Competitors	Spreadsheets
In-built online OLAP reporting	✓	✓	×
Easy creation of scenarios	✓	?	×
Flowcharting	✓	?	×
Balanced scorecard / dash boarding functionality	✓	?	×
Alternate Layers	✓	*	×
Parallel Layers	✓	*	×
Customisable screens / functionality by user login	✓	?	×
Creation and use of templates for new accounts / cost objects	✓	?	×
Copy / paste of assignment paths to multiple accounts	✓	?	×
Multiple tree structures for same data set (i.e. GL vs CoA)	✓	?	×
Can easily use customised icons	✓	×	×
Hyperlinked reports on unassigned costs	✓	?	×

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Functionality	ACE	Competitors	Spreadsheets
Permits driver partitioning	✓	×	×
Permits driver sequencing	✓	✓	×
Copy / paste data directly into spreadsheets (and back)	✓	sc	✓
User definable forms	✓	sc	✓
Resolves circular references	✓	✓	×