

WHITEPAPER

Comparison of FluentPro FluentBooks and FluentPro G.A. Suite

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VISIT OUR WEBSITE FLUENTPRO.COM Many organizations use Microsoft Project Online and Project Server to manage their portfolios and streamline operations. However, maintaining and optimizing these environments can be complex and resource-intensive. From configuration management and data migration to governance and disaster recovery, IT administrators face many challenges that require robust, efficient tools.

FluentPro Software offers two innovative solutions to address these challenges: FluentBooks and G.A. Suite. While both tools are designed to enhance efficiency and simplify processes within Microsoft environments, they serve distinct purposes and excel in different areas. FluentBooks focuses on advanced configuration management, migration, and administration, while G.A. Suite provides comprehensive governance, ITSM-compliant practices, and data protection capabilities.

This whitepaper compares FluentBooks and G.A. Suite, highlighting their key features, business value, and use cases. By understanding each solution's strengths and unique functionalities, organizations can make informed decisions about which tool or combination of tools best aligns with their needs and objectives.

FluentPro FluentBooks

<u>FluentBooks</u> is an advanced solution for configuration management, data migration, and administration in Microsoft Project Online and Project Server environments. It simplifies and automates the migration of PWA configurations, custom fields, projects, and SharePoint content, saving up to 70 percent of the time compared to manual processes. FluentBooks also supports bulk editing, configuration audits, and documentation, making it an essential tool for administrators and consultants managing complex PWA instances.

FluentPro G.A. Suite

G.A. Suite is a comprehensive governance and data protection tool for Microsoft Project Online, combining configuration lifecycle management, ITSM-compliant governance, and backup and recovery capabilities. It enables organizations to secure their data with automated backups and disaster recovery tools while streamlining configuration changes and enhancing compliance. G.A. Suite is ideal for organizations prioritizing data protection, governance, and efficient lifecycle management.

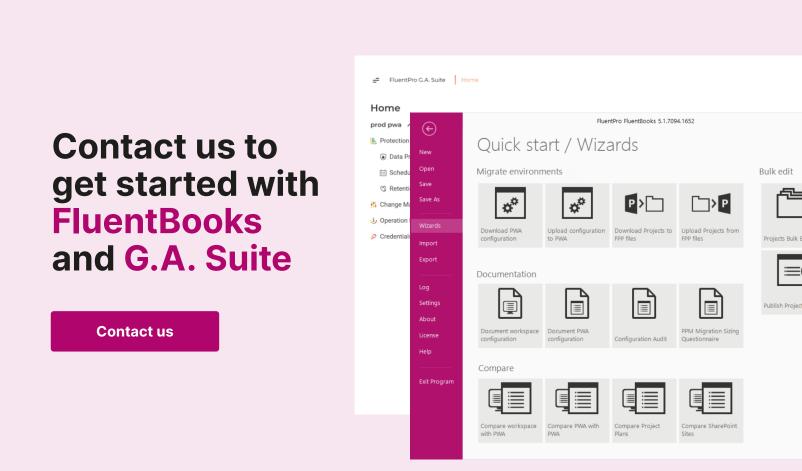
FluentBooks and G.A. Suite Features Comparison

FEATURE	IMPORTANCE FOR CHANGE MANAGEMENT & ADMINISTRATION	FLUENTBOOKS	G.A. SUITE
GENERAL			
Cross Farm/Cross Tenant Migration	High	S	×
Open Workspace	Normal	S	S
Save Workspace	Normal	O	S
Automated data backup scheduling		×	S
PROJECT ONLINE CONFIGURATION			
Enterprise Data		S	S
Custom Field		S	S
Lookup Table		S	S
Projects		S	0
Resources		S	S
Project Timeline		S	S
Calendars		S	0
Security			
Groups		S	S
Categories		S	S
Templates		S	S
PWA Permissions		S	O
Delegation		O	0
Workflows and PDPS			O
Enterprise Project Type		O	0
PDP		O	O
Workflow Stages			
Workflows Phases		S	
Workflows		O	
Time and Task			
Fiscal Periods		S	
Time Reporting Periods		S	O
Line Classification			
Timesheet Settings			
Administrative Time			
Task Setting and Display Timesheet Managers			O
Strategy			
Driver Library Driver Prioritization			S
Portfolio Analyses			
Views			
Quick Launch			
Grouping Formats			 Ø
Gantt Chart Formats			O
MAIN FUNCTIONALITY AND WIZARDS			
	Advanced Scenarios		✓ *
Ability to Select Elements Projects to FPP Files	Required for Migrations		
Projects from FPP Files	Required for Migrations		×
Full PWA Migration			×
Document Workspace			O
Document PWA Configuration			
Projects Bulk Edit			×
Resources Bulk Edit with Rates			×
Compare Workspace with PWA	Advanced Scenarios		×
Compare PWA with PWA			
Import Projects from Excel	Advanced Scenarios		×
Import Workspace Data from Excel	Advanced Scenarios		×
Import Resources from Excel	Advanced Scenarios	O	×
Import External EPM Data	Required for Migrations		×
Import SharePoint Sites		O	S
Export Projects to Excel	Advanced Scenarios	O	×
Export Resources to Excel	Advanced Scenarios	O	×
Export Workspace Data to Excel	Advanced Scenarios	O	×
Check User Permissions	Advanced Scenarios	S	×
Export SharePoint Sites		S	S
			-
Bulk Export SharePoint Sites	Advanced Scenarios	O	×

*Granular selection of Resources and SharePoint Sites Content only.

Conclusion

FluentPro FluentBooks and G.A. Suite are powerful solutions that simplify complex processes, reduce administrative burdens, and enhance the overall efficiency of project management. For organizations managing diverse needs, these solutions can complement one another, offering a robust tool kit for both migration and long-term governance.



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