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BBS Software: Summary of Features

	The Major BBS	Maximus-CBCS	Oracomm-Plus	PCBoard
List price (minimum number of nodes)	2 users: standard, \$59.00; Super Combo, \$829.00.	Commercial, \$110.00 per node; nonprofit, no charge.	3 users, \$290.00.	3 users, \$240.00.
List price (maximum number of nodes)	256 users: standard, \$3,359.00; Super Combo, \$4129	As above	33 users, \$990.00.	99 users, \$970.00.
GENERAL FEATURES				
Maximum number of message groups	Limited by disk space	1296	99	65000
Maximum number of file areas	Limited by disk space	1296	3456	65000
Message storage	All in one file	Individual files	All in one file	All in one file
Bulletin files:				
Forces user to read modified files	y	y	y	y
Gives user the option of reading modified files	n	n	n	n
One-time-only display	n	n	n	y
Customization options for sysop	n	y	y	n
Number of menu functions	More than 40	127	Unlimited	40
Supports ANSI/Color menus	y	y	y	y

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RBBS-PC No charge when downloaded.	RemoteAccess 99 users: commercial, \$250.00; non- profit, \$120.00; noncommercial,	Searchlight 1 user, \$89.00.	Spitfire 255 users, \$70.00.	TBBS 1 user, \$299.95.	Wildcat! 1 user, \$129.00.
As above	As above	99 users, \$119.00.	As above	\$50.00. 32 users, \$1,495.00.	250 users, \$499.00.
	\$4,129.00.				
Limited by disk space 10198	200 200	Limited by disk space Limited by	255 255	63 255	1000 1000
All in one file	All in one file	All in one file	All in one file	All in one file	All in one file
y	n	n	y	y	y
n	y	y	n	n	n
y	y	n	y	y	y
y	y	y	y	y	y
39	62	46	More than 40	40	39
y	y	y	y	y	y