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As we all start searching for ways to simplify and organise our households, Microsoft's Works Suite 2001 provides the complete solution. From managing finances, maintaining your personal calendar, creating personal greetings, editing photos, to inputting contact details into your mobile phone, it can all be done quickly and easily with the one software package.

This fully integrated easy-to-use software suite contains a broad range of applications for the whole family. Microsoft Works Suite 2001 makes it easy for consumers to complete all of their home tasks.

Microsoft Works Suite 2001 integrates the latest editions of Microsoft Word 2000, Works 6.0, Encarta Interactive World Atlas 2001, Money 2001, Picture It! Publishing.

Works provides essential tools such as a spreadsheet, database, calendar and address book.

With the addition of FoneSync 3.1, you can now transfer phone numbers from the Works address book to your digital mobile phone, and even lets you transfer Works Calendar information, address book, and maps and directions on to your Palm Top!

Word 2000 lets you write reports and letters, format newsletters with the NEW Format gallery, and even add text and photos from the Works Portfolio.

Encarta Interactive World Atlas 2001 lets you explore the world through vibrant 3-D multimedia. Experience the sites and sounds of countries around the globe, and search statistics, maps, points of interest, and cultural information, all at your fingertips!

Create personal greeting cards for whatever the occasion with Picture It! Print Studio 2001. This creativity package combines photo editing and quality desktop publishing so you can create newsletters, greeting cards, calendars and even animated greetings, with ease.

Microsoft Money 2001 standard combines personal finance features and business management tools to give you all you need to track your finances. Effortlessly streamline your day to day finances – balance your chequebook, pay bills, bank online, create a budget plus new investing, financial planning, and tax saving features.

It's all you need to effortlessly manage your household, Microsoft Works Suite 2001.

Pricing - Recommended Retail price – AUS \$195 (NZ \$249)

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