

# **DeskKing User Guide**



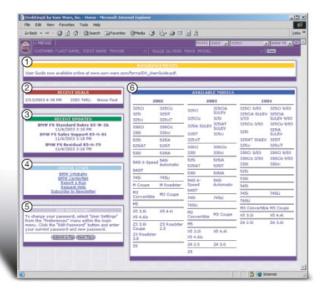




When DeskKing is initially launched, the first screen you will see is the login screen. In order to use the DeskKing application, you will need to sign in with your username and password.

If you have forgotten your password, please ask your administrator to reset it to "password". When your password has been reset you will be prompted to create and verify a new password before logging in.





Each time you successfully log-in to DeskKing, you will see the "Home' screen. This screen shows you important announcements, a list of your most recent deals, recent updates, useful DeskKing and BMW links, Tips for effectively using DeskKing and a list of your dealership's available car models. To return to this screen, click the DeskKing logo in the upper-left area of your screen.

#### 1. Announcements

The "Announcements" section will alert you to any important news or changes to DeskKing.

## 2. Recent Deals

The "Recent Deals" section displays your most recent deals. Click on any of the listed deals to be taken directly to the SalesView screen for that deal.

## 3. Recent Updates

The "Recent Updates" section displays the current bulletins.

## 4. Useful Links

The "Useful Links" section displays links to BMW CenterNet and InfoBahn as well as important DeskKing links.

# 5. Did You Know?

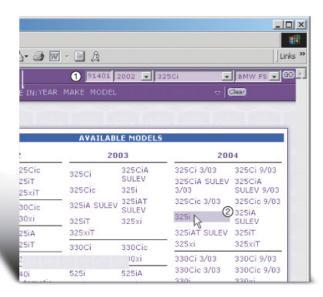
The "Did You Know?" section displays a tip to improve efficiency in using DeskKing. Additional tips can be viewed by clicking the "NextTip" button.

#### 6. Available Models

The "Available Models" section displays all for the car models currently available through your dealership. Clicking on a model will start a new deal.



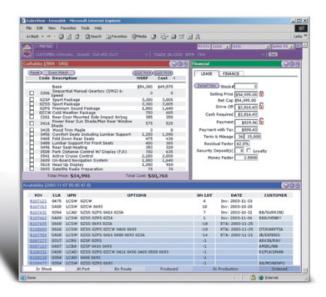




There are two ways to create a new deal. You may use the dropdown menus located in the upper right-hand corner of the screen or select a vehicle from the "Available Models" window. To use the dropdown menus, begin by entering the customer's ZIP code, then select a model year, model and lender. To use the "Available Models" window, simply click on a vehicle. Either option will take you to the Sales View window.

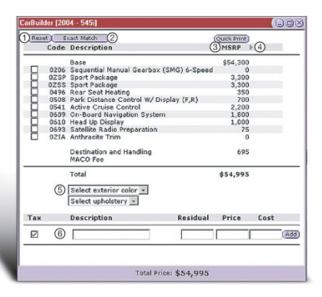






"SalesView" is the primary module of DeskKing. In this window, you select all of your vehicle options as well as financing or lease information and vehicle availability. This window is divided into three sections; the "CarBuilder" window, the "Financial" window and the "Availability" window.





The "CarBuilder" window is located in the upper left area of the "Sales View" page. In this module you are able to select options and add-ons as well as interior/exterior colors to customize the vehicle model you have previously selected.

#### 1. Reset Button

Clicking the "Reset" button will clear all selections in the CarBuilder window

## 2 Exact Match Button

Clicking the "Exact Match" button indicates that you wish to only see vehicles with the exact options selected.

#### 3. MSRP Column

This column displays the manufacturer's suggested retail price for the vehicle and options.

## 4. Cost Column

This column displays the actual dealer cost for the vehicle and options. Clicking the arrow at the top of the column will hide this column. Clicking it again will display this column.

#### Color & Upholstery

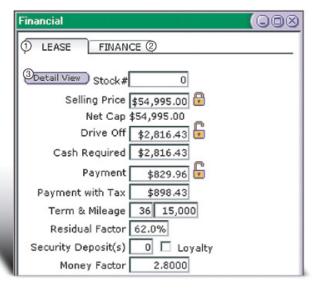
These drop down lists allow you to select the exterior and interior color of the vehicle. By selecting these you automatically limit the vehicles in the availability window to match the selected color or upholstery.

#### 6. Dealer Adds

This area allows you to enter additional options to the vehicle. Select the tax setting, enter the description, residual value, price and cost of the added option and click the "Add" button to add the option.







The "Financial" window is located in the upper right area of the View Model window. In this module you are able to enter and calculate all financial aspects of a prospective automobile sale or lease.

#### 1. Lease Tab

The calculation section displays all of the financial information regarding a vehicle lease.

#### 2. Finance Tab

The calculation section displays all of the financial information regarding a vehicle purchase.

## 3. Detail View Button

Clicking the button will display additional information in each of the tabbed sections.





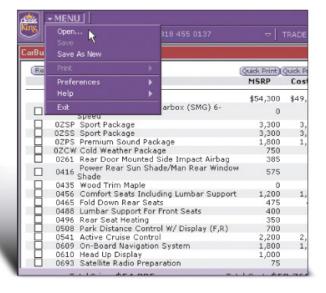
The "Availability" window is located in the bottom of the View Model window. This module displays all of the matching vehicles in the area of the dealership. The vehicles are listed in order of availability and each is color coated to indicate the vehicle's status. Depending on the user's settings, a color key may or may not be displayed at the bottom of this window.



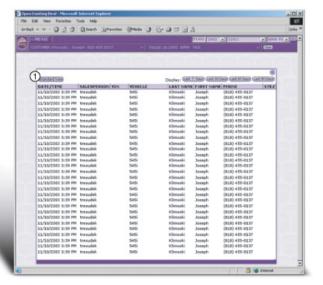


To save a deal, click the "Menu" button located in the top section of your screen. A list of navigation options will become visible. Select "Save as New" if you are saving a deal for the first time or if you would like to create a new record for an existing deal. If you are updating a previously saved deal, click the "Save" button. If any required information has not been completed, you will be prompted to enter the information before the deal is saved.





To open a previously saved deal, click the "Menu" button located in the top section of your screen. Select "Open" from the menu options.

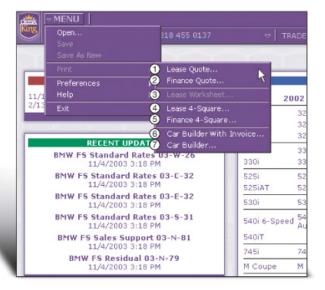


A list of saved deals will be displayed in chronological order. To sort this list by other parameters, click the header of the column by which you would like to sort. To select a deal to open, place your cursor over the item and click.

## 1. Standard View Button

By default, this list displays a "detail view" of the saved deals. If you do not require all of the information in this view, you can reduce the information by clicking the "Standard View" button.





To view the print options, click the "Menu" button located at the top of your screen and place your cursor over the "Print" button. An additional list will be displayed which offers you the following printing formats:

#### 1. Lease Quote

This format offers you the most common information needed for a customer interested in leasing a vehicle.

#### 2. Finance Quote

This format offers you the most common information needed for a customer interested in financing a vehicle.

#### 3. Lease Worksheet

This view will be available for use in future versions of DeskKing.

## 4. Lease 4-Square

This format offers you basic information about a deal and is displayed with a classic "4-Square" worksheet format for a customer interested in leasing a vehicle.

## 5. Finance 4-Square

This format offers you basic information about a deal and is displayed with a classic "4-Square" worksheet format for a customer interested in financing a vehicle.

# 6. Car Builder With Invoice

This format offers you the customer information and a detailed list of all of the selected and available options for the vehicle. All options are displayed with a short description, MSRP and invoice pricing.

## 7. Car Builder

This format offers you the customer information and a detailed list of all of the selected and available options for the vehicle.

All options are displayed with a short description and MSRP.





To change your preferences, click the "Menu" button at the top of your screen. Place your cursor over the "Preferences" button to display a list of options. Dealers and users can change their password, contact information and other settings by selecting an option under this menu.

## 1. User Settings

A user can change his/her profile and password at any time by selecting this menu option.

# 2. Dealership Settings

Users with administrator access can change the dealership profile at any time by selecting this menu option.

## 3. List Users

Users with administrator access can change the profile or reset the password for the users at his/her dealership by selecting this menu option and then choosing a user from the displayed list. This option is also used to add a user.

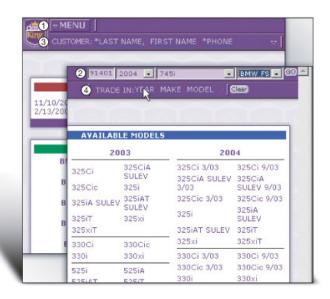
# 4. List Models

Users with administration authority can view all of the vehicles currently available in the dealer inventory or add a new vehicle.

## 5. Lender Settings

Users with administration authority can view all of the Lenders currently available through the dealership.





Most navigation in DeskKing is initiated using the tools in the primary navigation bar located in the top section of your screen.

#### 1. Menu

A menu section is displayed on the left-hand side of the screen when the "Menu" button is clicked. In this section you have buttons to open an existing deal, save a deal, print a deal, change your user/dealership preferences, view DeskKing update information, view this help menu and exit the software.

#### 2. Selections

The ZIP input is located in the navigation bar and is required to create accurate tax information. Additionally, there are three lists located on the right-hand side of the navigation bar. Year selection, Model selection and Lender selection. After a selection is made, click the "GO" button to proceed.

## 3. Customer

Below the "Menu" button is the customer input area. This area allows you to enter the name, phone number, complete address, date of birth and any notes you may need. The customer name and phone number is required when saving a deal.

## 4.Trade-In

Beside the customer input area is the trade-in input area. This area allows you to enter the year, make, model, VIN, mileage, allowance, pay-off, cash value and any notes you may need.



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