

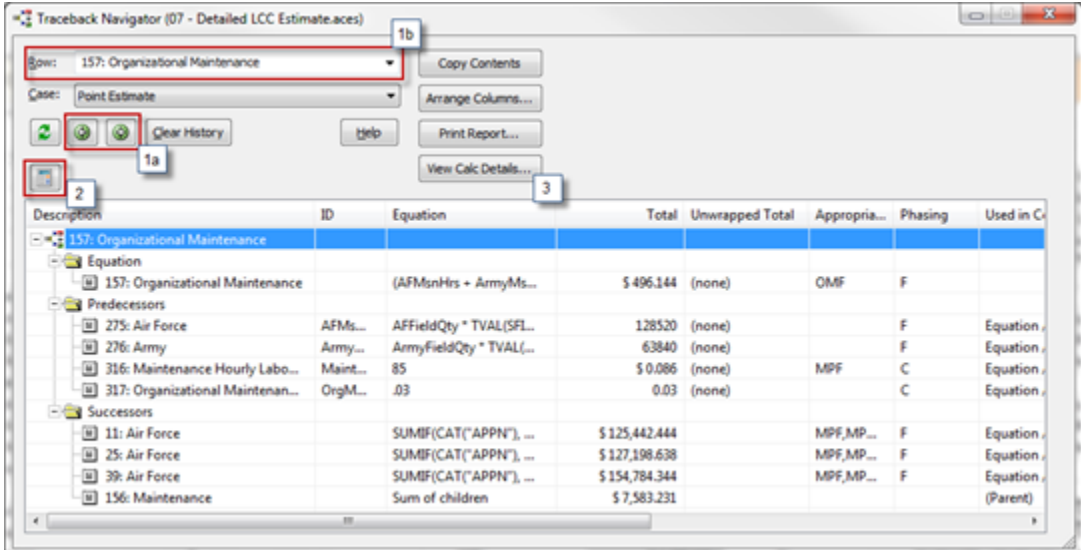
## Automated Cost Estimating Integrated Tools

### Tip of the Month - Using ACE's Traceback Navigator



#### *Have you used ACE's Traceback Navigator?*

This tool lets you easily navigate through your ACE session, allowing you to see all the rows that feed into the current row in addition to showing you the rows that use the current row. Access the Traceback Navigator from the Calculate group of the Home ribbon. Here are some of the navigator's features:



The screenshot shows the Traceback Navigator window for a detailed LCC estimate. It features a tree view on the left and a data table on the right. The tree view is expanded to show the 'Predecessors' of row 157: Organizational Maintenance. The data table lists the following rows:

Description	ID	Equation	Total	Unwrapped Total	Appropriation	Phasing	Used in C
157: Organizational Maintenance		(AFMsnHrs + ArmyMs...	\$ 496,144	(none)	OMF	F	
275: Air Force	AFMs...	AFFieldQty * TVAL(SFL...	128520	(none)		F	Equation
276: Army	Army...	ArmyFieldQty * TVAL(...	63840	(none)		F	Equation
316: Maintenance Hourly Labo...	Maint...	85	\$ 0.086	(none)	MPF	C	Equation
317: Organizational Maintenan...	OrgM...	.03	0.03	(none)		C	Equation
11: Air Force		SUMBF(CAT("APPN"), ...	\$ 125,442,444		MPF,MP...	F	Equation
25: Air Force		SUMBF(CAT("APPN"), ...	\$ 127,198,638		MPF,MP...	F	Equation
39: Air Force		SUMBF(CAT("APPN"), ...	\$ 154,784,344		MPF,MP...	F	Equation
156: Maintenance		Sum of children	\$ 7,583,231				(Parent)

1. Double-clicking on a row in the navigator takes you to that row in your ACE session. This way you can trace through all the variables in an equation and easily make changes to the variables if necessary. To get back to the original row in the navigator, you can use either the **back** button (1a) or select the row from the **Row** drop-down (1b).

2. The navigator can only be populated if the session has been calculated. If your navigator doesn't have the predecessor and successor information, click the navigator **calculator** button (2).

3. To trace an equation's components, click the **View Calc Details** button (3). The row's equation is broken into pieces and the results of each piece are shown. This is useful in debugging an equation that isn't calculating as expected.

### ACEIT Announcement – Price Increase

ACEIT prices have not changed in four years. We are planning to increase prices for the ACEIT software on 01 June 2016. Training prices will not change. Prices for ACEIT software

purchased by non-US government agencies will increase by 7%. The prices for US government agencies will be modified to match the price structure for non-US government customers, but at a 35% discount. There will also be attractive discounts available to all customers that purchase centrally rather than having individual Sites within their agency or organization purchase separately.

Any order that is fully completed prior to 01 June 2016, *regardless of your renewal date*, will be at the current price. **To protect your organization from price increases, you can purchase ACEIT software for up to three years at the current price plus a 5% (2 year) discount or a 10% (3 year) discount.**

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Certification/Compliance Document	Agency	Version	Issued
AF E/APL – Certified Air Force Evaluated/Approved Products List	Air Force	7.x	Feb 2016  (expires-15 Feb 19)
Army CoN – Army Certificate of Networthiness	Army	7.x	06 Oct 14 (expires-06 Oct 17)
VPAT – Voluntary Product Accessibility Template	various	7.2, 7.3	24 Oct 11
NMCI – Navy/Marine Corps Intranet	Navy	7.4a  7.3, 7.3a	May 2015  12 Jul 13
HQ Marine Corps C4	Marine Corps	7.x	4 Sep 13
US Dept of Homeland Security	DHS	Any	Apr 2013
ACEIT designated National Protection and Programs Directorate (NPPD) mandated cost estimating tool Memorandum			
ACAT I and II ACEIT Requirement Memorandum	Army	Any	15 Apr 04
Microsoft Gold Application Development Competency (11th Year)	various	7.4	15 Feb 14

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