

PartN.com.au

What is PartN.com.au?

PartN.com.au helps prepare or challenge Part N of a Financial Statement, using bank statements to calculate a person's weekly expenses.

Why has your lawyer recommended it?

There are two main uses for PartN.com.au: preparing Part N of your Financial Statement, and challenging Part N of the Financial Statement provided by your former partner. In both cases, the software dramatically reduces the time it takes for your lawyer to do their job, and results in a stronger case that will better withstand scrutiny from the Court or the other side's legal team.

How much does it cost?

The software costs 5 cents per transaction, with a minimum of \$179 for each Part N, and will typically be added to your next invoice as a disbursement. If your lawyer advises you to use PartN.com.au twice – once to prepare your own Part N, and once to review your former partner's Part N, for example – the total cost would be at least \$358.

If more bank statements need to be added later, there is an additional cost of \$19, which again will typically be added to your invoice as a disbursement.

Using PartN.com.au dramatically reduces the amount of time your lawyer needs to spend reviewing bank statements. If your lawyer charges on a time basis, or on a per-page basis, PartN.com.au can dramatically reduce your legal spend.

How are bank statements provided?

Bank statements are uploaded to PartN.com.au in PDF. Alternatively, you can connect PartN.com.au directly to your bank using online banking, which will bring through the most recent twelve months of transactions.

Who has access to the data?

Your lawyer will have access to the data, and may share it with other lawyers and legal assistants working on your matter. They may also share the data with you. In appropriate cases, you or your lawyer may share the data with others, such as an accountant or a support person.

PartN.com.au is owned and operated by The Ruffle Technology Company, an Australian company founded by a computer programmer and an ex-lawyer. No one at The Ruffle Technology Company looks at your data unless it is required for technical support reasons, and the data is not used for any purpose other than providing you and your lawyer with the services described above.

PartN.com.au uses a third-party service called CreditSense to process the bank transactions and assign each transaction a vendor and category. CreditSense is an Australian company specialising in the processing of bank data in highly sensitive settings. They have an [FAQ](#) and a [Security Fact Sheet](#) on their website, which you are encouraged to read.

Where is the data stored?

The data is stored in a data centre in Sydney. No data leaves Australia.

What security measures are in place?

In addition to the usual measures that everyone takes (or should take) to secure your data in a cloud-based service like PartN.com.au, we also aim to store your data for as short a period as possible. After 6 months, we will email you to see whether you still require our service. If not, we will permanently delete your data so that it cannot be the subject of a data breach.