



Multiple Buyers for a Basket in V3

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Applies to: *Auction! V3*

Background: *Auction! V3* does not permit multiple buyers for a basket, as the normal use of this function implies multiples of all components. In some case the basket does lend itself to multiple buyers sharing the contents. Here is a workaround to handle this case.

Step by Step in Auction! V3

1. **Create** the basket as usual, **assembling** its components from individual donations.
2. **Print** the catalog and bid sheets, so that the donor list and total donor value reflect the correct assembly of items.
3. **After** and only after both the catalog, bid sheets and any gift certificates for the basket are printed, open the assembled basket in the silent or live list.
4. If you have a **Network** edition license for *Auction!* you must go to **Settings, Switch to Exclusive Access**. If you have a **Single User** or **Multi User** license you can skip this step and go on to **Step 5**.
5. **Slide** the components back out of the basket.
6. **Click** the **Convert to Standard Item** button.
7. **Check** the **Pledge/Multiple Buyer** box.
8. Leave donor blank. **Save**
9. Now the short description and full item description are identical to the catalog and the bid sheet and the item can have a winning bid from more than one bidder. Donor receipts are created from the individual component items not the assembled basket so your donor receipts are still correct.