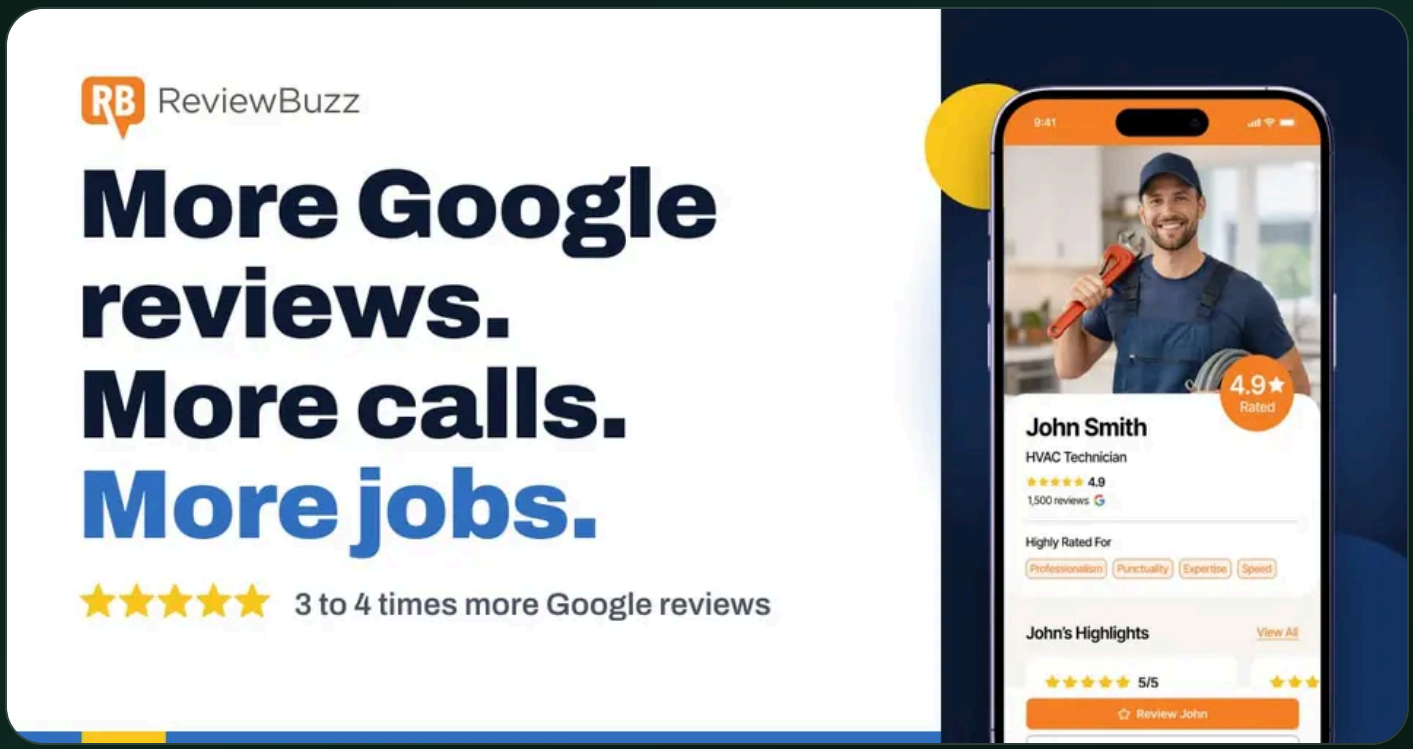
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ReviewBuzz

The Insider's Guide

Google review requests for home service technicians



Every plan, grade, refund rule and rival among customer review tools, read from ReviewBuzz's own pages.

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ReviewBuzz

More Google reviews. More calls. More jobs.

★★★★★ 3 to 4 times more Google reviews



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ToolGPA put this guide together from ReviewBuzz's own pages, its app-store listings and our grades. Every fact in it is on ReviewBuzz's page too, where it is kept up to date. Checked Nov 13, 2026.

Welcome

What it is, who it suits, its grades and the ten things to know first

1.8

GPA, above 8 of the 63 other customer review tools we grade

ReviewBuzz helps home service companies collect Google reviews, crediting each review to the technician who earned it. Techs ask in person with NFC and QR tools or through automated requests tied to field service software. One plan covers every feature and is priced by platform plus field employees.

To get you started, here are **9 things to know about ReviewBuzz**, taken from its own pages and our grades.

> **Smaller shops and anyone outside home services will find the price and the focus both hard to justify.**
>
> From our report card of ReviewBuzz

1 **Best for Google reviews from home service techs**

ReviewBuzz asks customers for Google reviews and credits each one to the tech who earned it.

2 **Paid plans start at $250 a month**

As its pricing page puts it: $250 per month, plus $25 per field employee.

3 **You can try it first**

Free 30-day trial, set up through a demo

4 **It runs on Web**

Web.

5 **In-person review asks**

NFC and QR TapTools let a tech ask at the job, with unlimited review requests.

6 **Automated requests**

Sends requests after each job through integration with field service management software, plus pre-appointment texts and emails.

7 **Location-based tracking**

Routes each request to the Google profile for the location where the job happened.

8 **A 1.8 GPA, above 8 of 63**

That is against the other customer review tools we grade, on value, the free plan, features, ease of use and platforms.

9 **Keep it**

The plain part of ReviewBuzz you could make: review collection and qR codes. What surrounds it you could not. The 2 things listed below take a company, not a weekend.

ReviewBuzz at a glance

PRICING
Free trial, from $250 per month, plus $25 per field employee

FREE PLAN
No

FREE TRIAL
Free 30-day trial, set up through a demo

RUNS ON
Web

MADE BY
ReviewBuzz

CATEGORY
Customer Review Tools

OUR GRADE
1.8 GPA, weak

The report card

Best for Google reviews from home service techs

ReviewBuzz asks customers for Google reviews and credits each one to the tech who earned it. It runs on one plan at $250 a month plus $25 for every field employee, which puts a 15-tech shop at $625 a month. Smaller shops and anyone outside home services will find the price and the focus both hard to justify.

TOOLGPA REPORT CARD — **ReviewBuzz** — Graded Nov 13, 2026

SUBJECT	GRADE	COMMENT
Value for money	D	The platform fee is $250 a month before you add $25 per field employee, so 15 techs cost $625. Reviews tools start at $15 for the cheaper quarter and the dearest tenth starts at $250; this opens there.
Free plan and trial	C	A free 30-day trial, set up through a demo. No card is mentioned and there is no free plan, so it's a short look rather than something you can keep using.
Features	C	In-person NFC and QR asks, automated requests through field service software, tech leaderboards and AI-drafted replies. The plan covers one location; more are an add-on and 5 or more need a quote.
Ease of use	C	No store rating on record. You set it up through a demo and connect it to your field service software, then techs use the employee app.
Platforms and integrations	C	Web dashboard plus an employee mobile app, with Google as the only listed integration. The pricing page does not name the app stores.

Grade point average

Weak, out of 4.0 **1.8**

An A is worth 4 points, a B 3, a C 2, a D 1 and an F nothing. The GPA is the average of the five.

Who ReviewBuzz is for

- ✓ Fits if you run an HVAC, plumbing or electrical shop and want each review tied to the tech who earned it
- ✓ Works for a multi-location home service firm that needs each ask sent to the right Google profile

Who it is not for

- ✗ Pricey if you have more than a handful of techs, since every field employee adds $25 a month
- ✗ Not for you if you are outside home services, as the vendor does not position it for other industries
- ✗ Tight if you have several sites: one location is included and 5 or more need a quote
- ✗ Watch out: there is no free plan, and the trial starts with a demo call
- ✗ Watch out: Google is the only integration listed, so reviews on other sites are out of scope

Good to know

Good for

- ✓ HVAC, plumbing and electrical companies whose techs earn reviews in the field
- ✓ Multi-location home service shops that need reviews sent to the right Google profile

Worth knowing

- ⓘ Cost scales with field employees at $25 each on top of the $250 platform fee.
- ⓘ The plan includes one location; additional locations are an add-on, and 5+ locations need a quote.
- ⓘ It has an employee mobile app, but the pricing page does not name the app stores.
- ⓘ Aimed at home service companies; the vendor does not position it for other industries.

PART 02 · PRICING

What it costs

Every plan, the free plan, ways to pay less and how prices have moved

$250

A month to start

ReviewBuzz is a paid product with a free trial, starting at $250 per month, plus $25 per field employee.

> **No card is mentioned and there is no free plan, so it's a short look rather than something you can keep using.**
>
> From our grade for free plan and trial

REVIEWBUZZ PREMIUM

$250

per month, plus $25 per field employee

Single plan with every feature; office staff and managers are free. Example: 15 techs cost $625 a month.

Trying it first

Free 30-day trial, set up through a demo

Read from reviewbuzz.com on Nov 13, 2026.

What it does

Its main features, where it runs, what it works with and who makes it

1

Place it runs: Web

Google review requests for home service technicians. Here is what it does, as its own site describes it, and what it covers: AI features, qR codes, review collection.

> **In-person NFC and QR asks, automated requests through field service software, tech leaderboards and AI-drafted replies.**
>
> From our grade for features

In-person review asks

NFC and QR TapTools let a tech ask at the job, with unlimited review requests.

Automated requests

Sends requests after each job through integration with field service management software, plus pre-appointment texts and emails.

Location-based tracking

Routes each request to the Google profile for the location where the job happened.

Technician profiles and leaderboards

An employee mobile app, leaderboards, rewards and credibility profiles for each tech.

AI-written review responses

Drafts replies to reviews, with website and tab review widgets and NPS surveys.

Where it runs

Web

What it works with

Google

ReviewBuzz is made by ReviewBuzz.

Where it stands

Its grades against its category, and whether to keep it or make your own

8/63

Other customer review tools it is graded above

ReviewBuzz's GPA of 1.8 is higher than 8 of the 63 other customer review tools we grade, and level with 8.

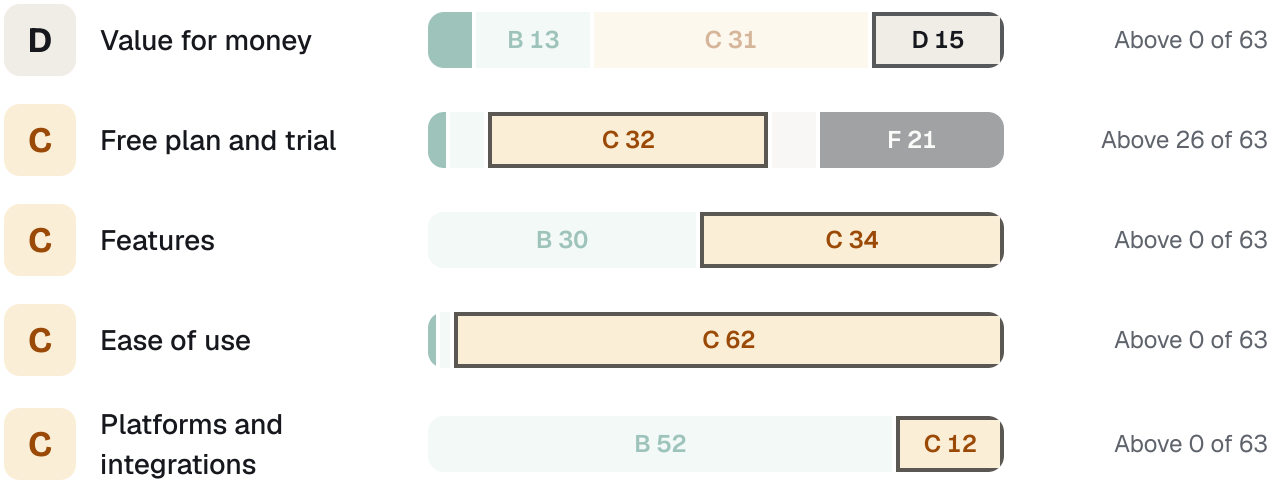
It stands best on free plan and trial (C, above 26 of 63) and worst on value for money (D, above 0).

Its paid plans start at $250 a month, against a middle price of $29 for the category: 46 of the 50 others that charge start lower.

On features, ease of use and platforms it scores 2.0 out of 4. 41 tools score higher and cost less.

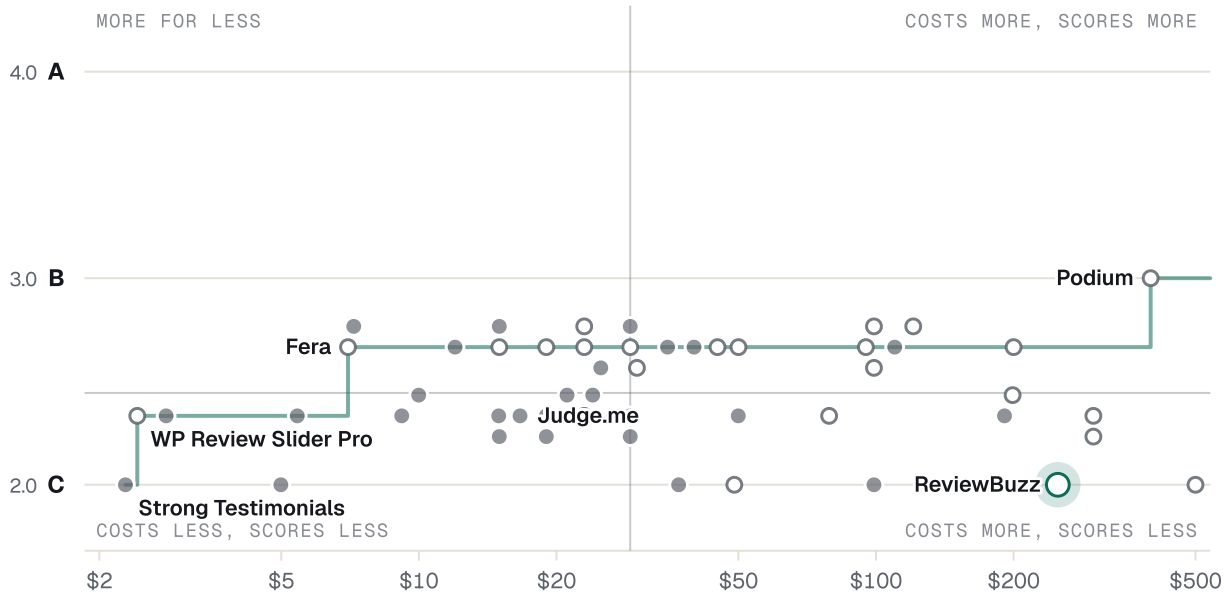
Each grade against the category

Every bar is all 64 customer review tools we grade, cut by the letter each got. ReviewBuzz's own letter is outlined.



Price against what you get

Each dot is one of 51 customer review tools. Further left costs less; higher up scores better on features, ease of use and platforms. ReviewBuzz is the marked dot.



What paid plans start at, a month (each step along is roughly double)

Keep it, or make your own?

Whether this is something you could build for yourself with an AI app builder, and what you would give up.

Keep it

The plain part of ReviewBuzz you could make: review collection and qR codes. What surrounds it you could not. The 2 things listed below take a company, not a weekend.

That makes this kind of software worth paying for, not this one in particular: 47 of the 63 other customer review tools grade higher. It costs $3,000 a year.

What you could make

- Review collection and qR codes: an app builder makes these well.

What you could not

- AI features, unless you pay a model provider for each request yourself.

	✕ Hooks into the device itself: widgets.

What this rests on. ReviewBuzz's listing: what it does, where it runs, what it plugs into and what it costs. It is a judgement about the kind of software this is. We have not built a replacement for it, and making your own means looking after it too. How we decide, and every tool's verdict.

The alternatives

The tools it is most often weighed against, side by side



NiceJob, GatherUp, Birdeye, Podium and Customer Lobby

The 5 tools ReviewBuzz is most often weighed against, with where each one differs from it.

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NiceJob

Free trial · from $95/mo

Review requests and referrals for local service businesses.

- ReviewBuzz also covers qR codes.
- NiceJob also covers surveys and email campaigns.

ReviewBuzz and NiceJob compared in full

2.4 GPA

GatherUp

Free trial · from $99/mo

Review requests, NPS surveys and review monitoring per location.

- ReviewBuzz also covers qR codes.
- GatherUp also covers surveys and reports.

ReviewBuzz and GatherUp compared in full



2.0
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Birdeye

Paid

Review management and AI agents for multi-location local businesses.

- Only Birdeye lists iOS and Android apps.
- ReviewBuzz also covers qR codes.
- Birdeye also covers AI agents, surveys, reports and chatbots.

ReviewBuzz and Birdeye compared in full



2.0
GPA

Podium

From $399/mo

Google review requests by text, plus a lead inbox for local businesses.

- Only Podium lists iOS and Android apps.
- Only Podium lists a browser extension.
- ReviewBuzz also covers qR codes.

ReviewBuzz and Podium compared in full



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Customer Lobby

From $299/mo

Review requests and customer marketing for home service businesses.

- ReviewBuzz also covers qR codes.
- Customer Lobby also covers email campaigns, sMS marketing and dashboards.

ReviewBuzz and Customer Lobby compared in full

Quick answers

The questions people ask about it, each answered in a line or two

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Questions, each answered in a line or two

The short version of everything above, for when you only need the answer. Each one is told in full in its part of the guide.

Is ReviewBuzz free?

No, ReviewBuzz is a paid product, but you can try it first. Free 30-day trial, set up through a demo.

How much does ReviewBuzz cost?

ReviewBuzz lists one plan. ReviewBuzz Premium: $250 per month, plus $25 per field employee.

What platforms does ReviewBuzz work on?

ReviewBuzz is available on Web.

Does ReviewBuzz have an Android app?

No Android app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 13, 2026. ReviewBuzz is listed for Web.

Does ReviewBuzz have an iPhone app?

No iPhone app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 13, 2026. ReviewBuzz is listed for Web.

Is ReviewBuzz open source?

ReviewBuzz is not described as open source on its own site, as read on Nov 13, 2026.

What does ReviewBuzz integrate with?

ReviewBuzz's listing names Google. A listing names up to eight integrations, so it may connect to more.

Who makes ReviewBuzz?

ReviewBuzz is made by a company of the same name.

What are the alternatives to ReviewBuzz?

The closest alternatives to ReviewBuzz in our directory are NiceJob, GatherUp, Birdeye, Podium and Customer Lobby.

How does ReviewBuzz compare with other customer review tools?

ReviewBuzz's GPA of 1.8 is higher than 8 of the 63 other customer review tools we grade, and level with 8.

Is ReviewBuzz good value for money?

ToolGPA grades ReviewBuzz D for value for money. Its paid plans start at $250 a month, against a middle price of $29 for the category: 46 of the 50 others that charge start lower.

Could I make my own version of ReviewBuzz?

The plain part of ReviewBuzz you could make: review collection and qR codes.

Where this guide comes from

The prices, plans, platforms and features were read from ReviewBuzz's own pages on Nov 13, 2026, and the grades were given on Nov 13, 2026. Graded from this listing, whose facts were read from ReviewBuzz's own pages on 13 November 2026. Not based on using the product, and shorter than our full reviews.

Every tool we list gets five grades, A to F, each with its reason, and a GPA that averages them. How each is decided is at toolgpa.com/grades. This guide is ToolGPA's own work; it is not made, paid for or approved by ReviewBuzz. Prices change, so check reviewbuzz.com before you buy.

reviewbuzz.com/

reviewbuzz.com/pricing

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7,721

Tools graded, in 95 categories

ToolGPA grades software the way a school report grades a pupil: five subjects, a letter for each with the reason written beside it, and a GPA that averages them. Prices, plans and platforms are read from each maker's own pages and dated, so you always know how fresh a figure is.

Every grade, review and ranking on ToolGPA is our own judgement. No company can pay for a grade or change one. Every tool on the site has a guide like this one, free to download and pass on. It all lives at toolgpa.com.

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tools graded	categories	price changes on record	apps priced in 12 countries

What else is on toolgpa.com

ReviewBuzz, kept up to date

Everything in this guide, with prices and grades as they are today

toolgpa.com/tools/reviewbuzz

How grades are given

The rules behind every letter and every GPA

toolgpa.com/grades

Value charts

What each tool costs against what it scores, for every category

toolgpa.com/charts

Compare

Any two tools side by side, plan by plan

toolgpa.com/compare

Price changes

Every price rise and cut on record, each with its source

toolgpa.com/price-changes

Prices by country

What apps cost on the App Store in 12 countries

toolgpa.com/prices-by-country

Pay less

Every public discount: yearly billing, students, nonprofits

toolgpa.com/save

Keep or make

Which tools are worth paying for, and which you could build yourself

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Every one of the 64 customer review tools we grade, compared

Judge.me Insider's Guide

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Rivyo Insider's Guide

Product reviews, loyalty points and referrals for Shopify stores

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No-code embeddable widgets, including review and testimonial walls

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