


Compare Mercantile Bank's checking accounts to checking accounts at other banks,  
and see the difference Totally Free Checking\* can make!

 MERCANTILE BANK <small>Banking on a first name basis</small>	Mercantile Bank	Citizens Bank	Bank of America	Century Bank	BankNorth	Eastern Bank	Peoples Federal Savings Bank	Sovereign Bank
	Totally Free Checking*	Green Checking	MyAccess Checking	Free Checking	Value Checking	Free Checking	Free Checking For Life	Totally Free Checking
Free from monthly service charges without additional requirements?	<b>YES!</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b> (unless opened online)	Yes	<b>NO</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes
Free online banking with bill pay?	<b>YES!</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes	<b>NO</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes
Free gift with every new checking account?	<b>YES!</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	Yes	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	Yes
Free foreign ATM transactions <sup>†</sup> using any network?	<b>YES!</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	4 free per month	Conditional	<b>NO</b>	Yes	<b>NO</b>
Cash back for your old checks and debit card?	<b>YES!</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>
FREE gift when you refer a friend?	<b>YES!</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>

\*Customer purchases checks

Offer good on personal accounts only; business and corporate accounts do not qualify for these plans. Bank rules and regulations apply. Ask us for details.

Competitive information was obtained directly from banks during the month of September 2009. Some banks allow minimum balance requirements to be met with alternative, linked or combined balances. Some banks may have introductory offers: comparisons are for on-going costs. Some banks may include other services in their checking prices. Compared accounts are standard checking accounts without regulatory limitations on the number of checks that may be written.

<sup>†</sup>Surcharge may be applied by the owner of a foreign ATM.



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