

BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE FOR ORACLE E-BUSINESS SUITE

LEVERAGING THE SAP® BusinessObjects™ SOLUTION PORTFOLIO

Gain Better Insight Today

Your organization runs Oracle E-Business Suite because it provides the depth and breadth of functionality needed to run the business. SAP understands that you rely on Oracle E-Business Suite for daily operations. We also understand the value of leveraging the information you have for effective decision making. By leveraging our leading business intelligence (BI) offerings that are designed to fit seamlessly into your applications environment, you can be assured that your organization will have what it needs to gain better insight today.

Using the Right Tools

With SAP® BusinessObjects™ XI solutions, we continue to bring you a leading intelligence platform that delivers insightful end-user functionality to customers using Oracle E-Business Suite. The SAP BusinessObjects portfolio comprises the right tools and solutions to help you make the most of your Oracle investment. SAP BusinessObjects XI solutions deliver:

- Smooth integration with Oracle E-Business Suite applications
- A flexible and open architecture intelligence platform
- Innovative end-user functionality that provides consolidated and trusted customer insight

BI Integration for Oracle E-Business Suite

SAP BusinessObjects Integration software, available for Oracle E-Business Suite, is a platform for joint customers of Oracle E-Business Suite applications and SAP BusinessObjects. The solution enables you to integrate our leading BI software with your Oracle E-Business Suite applications, allowing you to extract valuable customer information to make better-informed business decisions. Our software includes a set of data drivers and integrated security to deliver rich, visual, and interactive reports for your Oracle E-Business Suite environment.

Leverage Our Enterprise Reporting Strengths

Our integration package for Oracle E-Business Suite integrates Crystal Reports® software and SAP BusinessObjects Enterprise software directly with your Oracle E-Business Suite applications. Supporting broad enterprise reporting requirements, our integration package includes the following components:

- **Native Unicode-compliant driver** – This driver connects Crystal Reports directly to your Oracle E-Business Suite data. The native driver honors any human resource management system security that has been defined in your Oracle E-Business Suite system when using these reports in SAP BusinessObjects Enterprise.

SAP® BusinessObjects™ XI solutions provide the technology, tools, and packaged data applications required to bring business intelligence to Oracle E-Business Suite data.



- **Security plug-in** – The plug-in allows Oracle E-Business Suite users to use their credentials when logging on to SAP BusinessObjects Enterprise.
- **Central management and administration** – This functionality supports mapping responsibilities to groups, assigning users and groups rights, and security settings – all managed through the SAP BusinessObjects Enterprise central management console.

Make Better-Informed Decisions Today With SAP BusinessObjects Integration functionality, your users can make the most of the information stored in Oracle E-Business Suite applications. Integration with SAP BusinessObjects Enterprise is designed to be seamless and provides your organization with access to other analytic capabilities, including dashboards, scorecards, financial planning and budgeting, integration with Microsoft Office environments, and self-service query and analysis. All provide insight into your customer base and enable your users to make better-informed decisions today.



Figure 1: Create Stunning Report Visualizations

Flexible and Open Intelligence Solution

Trusted Intelligence Platform
SAP BusinessObjects Enterprise empowers the management and secure deployment of specialized end-user tools for performance management, reporting, and query and analysis on a scalable, adaptive, open service-oriented architecture. Putting information in the hands of end users sooner rather than later encourages better business decisions, resulting in a positive impact on the bottom line.

Innovative and Insightful End-User Capabilities

SAP BusinessObjects solutions unlock the data stored in all of your operational and enterprise applications. The software delivers business intelligence to a variety of user interfaces – including reports, dashboards, Microsoft Office documents, and portals. Our award-winning reporting tools deliver meaningful information to internal and external users, and our query and analysis tools enable your end-users to interact with business information – all without needing to consult with IT or write SQL statements.

Data Integration for Oracle E-Business Suite

SAP BusinessObjects solutions provide the technology, tools, and packaged applications required to rapidly and successfully integrate data from Oracle E-Business Suite with other systems.

SAP BusinessObjects Data Integrator software is the industry's first real-time, batch data integration tool designed to simplify and speed data movement and data sharing across the enterprise. SAP BusinessObjects Data Integrator allows organizations to easily explore, extract, transform, and deliver data anywhere, at any frequency. Ensure the integrity of your data, maximize developer productivity, and accelerate data integration performance for all operational and analytic initiatives.

SAP® BusinessObjects™ Rapid Marts® Packages for Oracle

Accelerate the deployment of analytic solutions, enable your organization to quickly build application-specific data marts, and gain immediate insight into business operations without waiting for a long data warehouse deployment or placing a heavy burden on your IT staff.



SAP BusinessObjects Rapid Marts® packages available for the Oracle E-Business Suite are an add-on to SAP BusinessObjects Data Integrator. Accelerating your time to information, they help you avoid the frustrations of attempting to build, customize, or work with proprietary data mart or warehouse solutions.

SAP BusinessObjects Rapid Marts packages are packaged, powerful, and flexible data integration solutions that combine domain knowledge with data integration best practice to deliver a prebuilt data mart, an SAP BusinessObjects semantic layer (SAP BusinessObjects universe), and

predefined analytics and reports. SAP BusinessObjects Rapid Marts packages for Oracle E-Business Suite are available in 11 modules that address the following key business areas:

- Sales
- Purchasing
- Inventory
- General ledger
- Accounts receivable
- Accounts payable
- Fixed assets
- HR
- Federal financials
- Service contracts
- Projects

Take the Next Step

You can't afford to wait to know more about your customers – so why wait to unlock the information stored in your Oracle E-Business Suite systems? Gain better customer insight today by extending the value of your Oracle E-Business Suite investment with our flexible and open intelligence platform, combined with innovative end-user capabilities. Equip your users with the customer information they need today to offer better products and service to your customers.

Summary

The SAP® BusinessObjects™ solution portfolio provides the technology, tools, and packaged data applications to enrich your Oracle E-Business Suite applications with business intelligence (BI) functionality. SAP BusinessObjects BI solutions include SAP BusinessObjects Data Quality Management software, SAP BusinessObjects Data Integrator software, and SAP BusinessObjects Rapid Marts® packages, among other solutions.

Business Challenges

- Enable BI integration with Oracle E-Business Suite applications
- Build a flexible and open architecture intelligence platform
- Ensure data quality across applications

Key Features

- **Native Unicode-compliant driver** – Connecting Crystal Reports® software directly to Oracle E-Business Suite data
- **Data security** – Tight integration with Oracle E-Business Suite security gives your users instant and secure access to data based on their Oracle credentials
- **Data quality** – Understand and cleanse your organization's data to correct errors, enrich data, and improve end-user trust and confidence in reporting
- **Data marts** – Accelerate deployment with prebuilt data integration solutions for accelerating the deployment of analytics from Oracle E-Business Suite applications

Business Benefits

- **Trusted intelligence platform**, support the management and secure deployment of performance management, reporting, query, and analysis tools on a scalable and adaptive open service-oriented architecture
- **Rapid deployment and lower total deployment costs**, with prebuilt data marts helping accelerate time to market
- **Timely, comprehensive solution**, leveraging a robust portfolio of products for managing integration of your Oracle E-Business Suite applications

For More Information

To learn more about SAP BusinessObjects business intelligence solutions from SAP, visit our Web site at www.sap.com/sapbusinessobjects.

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