



Boehringer Ingelheim  
Ingelheim, Germany  
www.boehringer-ingelheim.com

**Industry:**

Pharmaceuticals

**Annual Revenue:**

US\$11.9 billion

**Employees:**

37,500

**Oracle Products & Services:**

Oracle Clinical  
Oracle Remote Data Capture

**Oracle Partner:**

Hewlett Packard  
www.hp.com

**“We remain convinced that Oracle Remote Data Capture is an effective tool to improve the quality and efficiency of our clinical data and is here to stay.”**

– Stéphane Collet, Head of Data Management and Clinical Trial Support, Boehringer Ingelheim

**Boehringer Ingelheim Improves Clinical Trials Data Capture Efficiency**

Founded in 1885, the Boehringer Ingelheim group is one of the world's top 20 pharmaceutical companies, with subsidiaries on every continent. Approximately 95% of the company's products are for humans, including leading medicines for HIV, arthritis, and Parkinson's. The company also operates a thriving animal health business. In addition to marketing its own biotech products, Boehringer is one of the world's largest third party manufacturers of biopharmaceuticals for industrial customers.

**Challenges**

- Increase efficiency in clinical trials data collection to improve quality and performance
- Replace paper-based data collection system with electronic data capture
- Ensure that any changes to Boehringer's legacy system does not affect the quality of clinical data management

**Solution**

- Integrated new clinical data with Boehringer's existing clinical trials databases using Oracle Remote Data Capture in conjunction with Oracle Clinical implementation
- Reduced costs of design and printing case report forms (CRF), data entry costs, and query resolution costs
- Improved quality of CRF data because data can be validated and cleaned during or immediately following entry
- Reduced time to get trial data in-house, enabling earlier decision making (Remote Data Capture data is 100% clean more than 12 weeks earlier than paper)
- Enabled information to be shared remotely with all clinical study staff at site and sponsor levels, so everyone has the same view of the data