



Johnson Matthey Plc
London, England
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Industry:

Chemicals

Annual Revenue:

US\$12.5 billion

Employees:

7,800

Oracle Products & Services:

Oracle Information Rights Management

“Oracle Information Rights Management protects our intellectual assets by preventing information leakage both inside and outside the organization.”

– Paul Axworthy, Group IT Manager, Johnson Matthey Plc

Johnson Matthey Plc Protects Intellectual Assets when Sharing Data Internally and with Partners

A world-leading specialty chemicals company, Johnson Matthey Plc has operations in more than 30 countries. The company spends millions of dollars each year on innovative research to sharpen its global competitiveness and ensure future profitability.

Challenges

- Prevent confidential documents from being lost or misdirected when being compiled and shared in-house or with partners
- Gain full audit trail of document use internally and externally
- Authorize and revoke end-user access rights centrally

Solution

- Implemented Oracle Information Rights Management to secure and track access to sensitive documents through advanced cryptography, tamper-proofing, and screen-grab protection
- Gained the ability to grant and terminate access or contributor rights to named individuals for each classified document internally and beyond the firewall
- Enabled Johnson Matthey to compile and share restricted technology reports, sales and marketing updates, and board-level documents by giving authorized contributors and readers access via a password-protected link
- Enforced corporate security and retention policies for sensitive data, protecting documents via sealed encryption to prevent unauthorized viewing, editing, copying, and printing
- Eliminated the risks associated with different or inconsistent security models used by partners, customers, and suppliers
- Accelerated report creation with pre-set templates
- Rolled out Oracle Information Rights Management initially to 150 regular users and 350 occasional project-based users to secure and track all the company’s confidential documents
- Benefiting from the enterprise-wide scalability of Oracle Information Rights Management to accommodate the addition of new business areas and users wherever they are located in the organization
- Gained the ability to enforce corporate security and protect more than 30,000 commercially confidential documents against unauthorized access