

ORACLE SOA ENABLEMENT SERVICE

Oracle Expert Services

AT A GLANCE

- Discover the benefits of SOA for your organization through a controlled workshop environment
- Learn how to take full advantage of SOA from the Oracle experts
- Receive recommendations and a phased plan for moving to a flexible SOA architecture
- Benefit from expert Oracle support during the development process

Service-Oriented Architecture (SOA) promises benefits of greater business agility and flexibility at lower costs, but how do you ensure SOA delivers on that promise? If you develop the appropriate approach to SOA, you will be able to easily integrate all of your business processes with greater efficiency, agility, and speed. The Oracle SOA Enablement Service allows you to develop the optimal SOA approach for your organization by helping you create the proper methods, visions, and roadmaps to SOA.

Overview

Businesses today must respond faster to competitive and customer challenges. Increasingly, they are looking to IT to be a differentiator, providing flexibility and speed for addressing complex business needs. Forced to deliver more services in less time, IT managers are looking at their technology foundations to provide additional agility as well as reduced costs.

These days, it is difficult to attend an IT conference or pick up a technology magazine without hearing about the promise of service-oriented architecture and its use of standards-based integration and interfacing methods to bring disparate systems and processes together. Industry analysts and the IT press are pushing SOA as the latest “silver bullet.” Oracle agrees with the industry analysts and IT press, and believes that when businesses adopt SOA, they begin operating in a new world. By connecting all of your business processes, you gain efficiency, agility and speed. However, to achieve these benefits, you will need to answer a new set of questions. For example:

- How do you check that only authorized users are consuming your services?
- If you give greater flexibility to your business, how do you react to less predictable patterns of load?
- Can you integrate manual processes while retaining the flexibility and agility you need?

The Oracle SOA Enablement Service fits into the broader context of equipping our customers with a “Roadmap to SOA Success.” We provide guidance for maximizing SOA value and selecting SOA “sweet spot” projects. Oracle has also developed a SOA method to help your organization plan and develop an effective SOA development roadmap. Most importantly, Oracle Consulting’s SOA experts will answer all questions that may arise in early deployment and they are ready to help you at each step as you build your new, flexible SOA Architecture.

ORACLE CONSULTING DIFFERENTIATORS

- Oracle Expertise in delivering best practices using standardized methodology, process, tools, and resources
- Breadth of Services for Your Needs to integrate functional, technical, and change management services necessary for optimal user adoption
- Aligned with Your Goals with a cost-effective and comprehensive upgrade solution resulting in project success

Scope of the Offering

The Oracle SOA Enablement Service provides an assessment and review of a predetermined number of:

- Business requirements
- Technical requirements
- Business process flows

Additionally, Oracle SOA experts will assess and review your current technical architecture.

Major Deliverables

Oracle Consulting will generate the following deliverables during the project:

- Description of a possible SOA vision and strategy for your organization
- Determination of key processes that could benefit from your SOA approach
- SOA roadmap to help plan your step-by-step SOA development
- Description of the Oracle Unified Method
- Formal presentation of the findings as a result of the Oracle SOA Enablement Service
- Knowledge transfer to your team during the review phase and presentation

How We Are Different

The Oracle Consulting team is focused exclusively on Oracle Technologies, and we have the experts that others turn to for leading practices in Oracle software implementations. We know Oracle best and can provide your business with tightly integrated, comprehensive, superior services throughout your ownership experience.

Getting Started

Leverage Oracle's methods, tools, and extensive experience with customer implementations across diverse industries and geographies. Tight integration across Consulting, Development, Support, Education, and Global Delivery puts the entire Oracle team behind your success.

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