

COGNOS SERIES 7 FOR PEOPLESOFT ENTERPRISE PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT



PeopleSoft Enterprise 8 validated software integration. Delivers end-to-end Business Intelligence solutions. Integrated reporting and analysis for PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management.

Cognos Series 7 provides Oracle's PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management (EPM) customers with enhanced analytical, reporting, and scorecarding capabilities. Cognos Series 7 integrates business intelligence components into a single, end-to-end business intelligence framework serving all of the diverse informational requirements of users across large organizations. From the consolidation of a company's various data sources to create a unified view of the business, Cognos provides the consistent information environment businesses demand.

Cognos, Inc.

Cognos, a major provider of business intelligence (BI), delivers software that helps companies improve business performance by enabling effective decision-making at all levels of the organization. A forerunner in defining the BI software category, Cognos delivers the next level of competitive advantage—Corporate Performance Management (CPM)—achieved through the strategic application of BI on an enterprise scale.

Integration Overview

Cognos Series 7 enables PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management customers to extend the value of their EPM investment by allowing for the timely reporting, analysis, and delivery of information. By combining Cognos Series 7 with PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management 8.3, data from multiple sources is united to provide information consumers with enhanced analytical, reporting and scorecarding capabilities.

Cognos Series 7 for PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management 8.3 Integration

Cognos integration with PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management is enabled through a software utility known as StrategyPlus for Cognos. StrategyPlus for Cognos works with PeopleSoft Enterprise metadata and security information, giving Cognos users access to data housed in the PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management. StrategyPlus for Cognos uses the PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management datamart security information to create secure individual database views. The user-specific EPM data access privileges will determine what an

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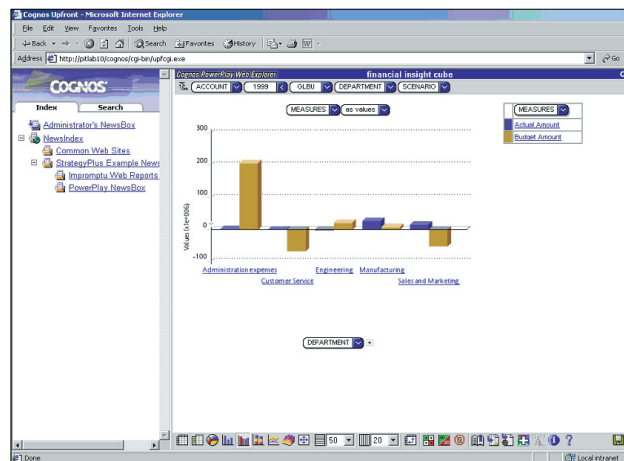


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Through the Oracle PartnerNetwork Applications Integration Initiative, partners with validated integrations are able to provide customers with standards based vanilla product integrations, tested and validated by Oracle. Customers benefit from improved risk management and smoother upgrade capability, leading to a lower total cost of ownership and greater overall satisfaction.

Cognos PowerPlay Web Reports

Generated from PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management data.



authenticated user is able to view within the database. StrategyPlus for Cognos includes Cognos Impromptu, PowerPlay, Transformer, and Access Manager products.

StrategyPlus for Cognos allows users to:

- Synchronize PeopleSoft operator IDs with UserClasses in Access Manager.
- Create an impromptu catalog using the PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management metadata, complete with PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management security views. This software will query the PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management database for all information.
- Generate a PeopleSoft Enterprise security script that can be appended to an existing Transformer cube model.

Availability

Cognos Series 7, StrategyPlus and integration services are available from Cognos, Inc. For more information, contact your Cognos representative or visit us on the Web at www.cognos.com

Support

Cognos Series 7 and StrategyPlus are fully supported by Cognos, Inc. The toll-free number is 1 800 637 7447, or contact your local Cognos representative.

Validation Environment

Hardware: Intel

Software: PeopleSoft Enterprise Performance Management 8.3, PeopleTools 8.17

Partner product: Cognos Series 7

Database platform: SQL Server

Operating System: Windows NT

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