

Implementation Accelerator

Oracle Utilities Meter Solution Cloud Service

Oracle Utilities Professional Services

Prepare your Oracle Utilities Meter Solution Cloud Service for peak performance with a team who knows Oracle products: Oracle Utilities Professional Services. Our knowledge, experience, and pre-configured implementation approach helps utilities set up their Oracle product right from the start – making it easily supportable and configured to capitalize on the full capabilities of the application.



Leverage the full potential of your meter data

The importance of the Cloud continues to increase for the utility industry. The demand for modern technologies and business flexibility is requiring utilities of all sizes to take a closer look at cloud-based platforms. With a Cloud solution, a utility doesn't have to deal with the complexities of the underlying technology, but still reaps the benefits of enhanced capabilities and innovations. This is especially true when implementing meter technologies.

Today's modern meter data applications can provide your business with insight beyond simply serving as a system of record for readings and consumption. New meter technologies can help you:

- » Streamline data capture
- » Improve service and billing performance
- » Drive innovation that ensures uninterrupted power supply
- » Gather information consumers use to conserve power and water

With Oracle Utilities Professional Services, a utility gets one partner with a team of consultants who know the product and has a proven implementation approach.

Together, we will help you set the stage for a smooth transition so you take advantage of the full functionality as the product evolves and a meter solution that is supportable over the long term. This is a powerful combination that will enable you to get the most out of your meter data.

Pre-configured accelerated approach

Oracle has a unique approach to software delivery that integrates well with the most common out-of-the-box head-end systems used by utilities. With our pre-configured accelerated solution built on standard utility business processes and requirements, we can implement the Oracle Utilities Meter Solution Cloud Service quickly and efficiently. The benefits to you are reduced costs and complexity, as well as ensuring you focus on key requirements for your utility.

KEY BENEFITS

- Deployed faster than traditional implementations based on pre-configured processes
- Industry-leading Oracle technologies, including data conversion tools and processes
- Installation and implementation plans are completed Day One
- Simplified integrations
- Increased focus on your key business requirements

KEY COMPONENTS

- Service includes installation and configuration of the application:
 - Oracle Utilities Meter Data Management
 - Oracle Utilities Smart Grid Gateway
 - Oracle Utilities Analytics

INTEGRATES WITH COMMON HEAD-END SYSTEMS

- Itron MV90
- Itron MVRS
- Itron OpenWay
- Silver Springs Network
- Landis & Gyr
- Sensus
- Custom options possible

Lower Total Cost of Ownership

One of the benefits of moving to the Cloud is reduced costs. On average, a Cloud solution will be less expensive to implement than on premise. The hardware and software is put in place quickly, which saves time and the cost of the installation. Also, a utility doesn't have to buy equipment or learn new technologies. In addition, by using Oracle's accelerated delivery approach your project costs less because you won't need to customize the product – the processes and practices most utilities will need are pre-built for you.

- » Lower the number of capital expenditure requests and approvals with low monthly service structure
- » Eliminate up-front costs – no hardware or software licenses required

Reduce Complexity

With complexity there's risk. But with a streamlined, accelerated approach you have certainty – and fewer pieces and parts to build and manage. Because standard requirements and business processes are built into the accelerator there is reduced effort with pre-configuration. No need to reinvent anything. This means a simpler implementation.

- » Reduce customization with standard utility processes
- » Reduce impact on critical internal resources

The Oracle Advantage

No one knows Oracle products better than Oracle. A team who has in-depth product knowledge and knows how to best deliver, configure, and support the Oracle technology stack is a key advantage and added value for your Oracle Utilities Meter Solution Cloud Service project – an asset that will help you gain a competitive edge. Oracle has experience with hundreds of utility implementations. This deep industry background gives us insight so our customers get the most efficient processes possible to simplify and improve productivity. All these benefits combined provide transparency to your project and sureness in the end result. Oracle can take care of your system from beginning to end – top to bottom.

- » Oracle manages infrastructure and tech stack
- » Operational management handled by Oracle
- » Oracle manages application software
- » Deep product knowledge enables a more efficient and rapid deployment

REDUCE COSTS

- Pay-per-use model allows a utility to grow as needed
- Configuration vs customization lowers total cost of ownership
- Costs less to stay current during product lifecycle
- Reduced need for in-house product expertise

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