Oracle Buys DataFox

On October 22, 2018, Oracle announced that it signed an agreement to acquire DataFox, whose cloud-based AI data engine and derived business content provide the most current, precise and expansive set of company-level information and insightful data to optimize business decisions. The transaction has closed.

OVERVIEW

DataFox’s AI data engine continuously extracts detailed company-level data on more than 2.8 million public and private businesses while adding 1.2 million businesses annually. Additional context from over 5 million digital properties, 70,000 daily news articles and 756,000 unique signals gives customers real-time insight to know when a business exhibits noteworthy behaviors. DataFox’s Company Intelligence Platform powers critical use cases, including account scoring, lead enrichment and in-browser company insights, among others, while continually refreshing and harmonizing CRM data in 3rd party applications. Leading organizations utilize DataFox’s insightful data to prioritize accounts, enrich CRM data and identify new prospects.

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The DataFox team is expected to join Oracle, bringing significant knowledge and capabilities to Oracle.

For more information, please visit oracle.com/datafox.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW AND STRATEGY

What is the rationale for this acquisition?

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**What products and services does DataFox offer?**

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**How will the proposed acquisition impact the DataFox product roadmap?**

Oracle is committed to protecting and enhancing customer investments in DataFox solutions. Oracle plans to continue investing in DataFox and Oracle’s cloud applications. We expect this will include more functionality and capabilities at a quicker pace. In addition, DataFox customers will benefit from better integration and alignment with Oracle’s other product offerings.

**BUSINESS CONTINUITY**

**Can I still purchase DataFox products and services?**

Yes. DataFox products and services continue to be available. Please contact your existing DataFox sales representative to assist you, or visit [DataFox.com](http://DataFox.com) for contact information.

**Should DataFox customers continue to call DataFox for account management and support?**

Yes. DataFox customers should continue to use existing DataFox contacts for sales and support to address immediate and ongoing needs. We will communicate all changes and transitions occurring well in advance through these familiar channels.

**Should DataFox partners continue to contact DataFox?**

Yes. DataFox partners should continue to use existing DataFox contacts to address immediate and ongoing needs. If contact information changes, we will communicate these changes through normal channels. Oracle partners may also use their existing Oracle channels for support to answer any questions.

**Where can I find out more information about the proposed Oracle and DataFox combination?**

For more information, please visit [oracle.com/datafox](http://oracle.com/datafox).
PRODUCT ROADMAP

Oracle is currently reviewing the existing DataFox product roadmap and will be providing guidance to customers in accordance with Oracle’s standard product communication policies. Any resulting features and timing of release of such features as determined by Oracle’s review of DataFox’s product roadmap are at the sole discretion of Oracle. All product roadmap information, whether communicated by DataFox or by Oracle, does not represent a commitment to deliver any material, code, or functionality, and should not be relied upon in making purchasing decisions. It is intended for information purposes only, and may not be incorporated into any contract.

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