



Oracle Reports Migration to Oracle Business Intelligence Publisher Enterprise

KEY BENEFITS

Key Benefits of leveraging this service offering include:

- Predictable implementation cost and timeframe
- Reduced implementation complexity
- Knowledge transfer around Business Intelligence best practices
- Reduced risk through the use of Oracle BI Publisher Expert Consultants
- Enablement of the next generation BI Publisher Platform for enterprise reporting

Oracle Business Intelligence Publisher Enterprise (BIP) provides organizations with the flexibility and functionality needed to meet the increasing demands for enterprise reporting. It is the next generation platform for Enterprises Reporting infrastructure. By leveraging experienced Oracle consultants the client can benefit from a well-defined migration methodology and minimize the time necessary to migrate from existing Oracle Reports to Oracle BI Publisher.

Overview

The migration from Oracle Reports to BI Publisher requires a thorough understanding of the functionality of both tools. This service offering is based on using a utility to convert the Reports Definition files to BI Publisher's Data and RTF template files and then deploy the BI Publisher reports onto BI Publisher Enterprise environment. Successful migration to BI Publisher will allow the customer to take advantage of the many benefits found in BI Publisher including:

- Access to heterogeneous databases
- Zero footprint, fully web based architecture
- Low cost of setup and Administration
- Simple reports development and low cost of reports maintenance
- Wide range of delivery support (Printer, Fax, Email, WebDAV, FTP/HTTP)
- Multi-language support
- Performance improvement
- Improved Scheduling functionality
- Data Caching
- Security enhancements

To ensure a smooth migration several critical activities will be addressed in the early stages of the project including:

- Review of the Oracle Reports architecture to ensure that all facets are considered during the migration.

- Complete review of the physical database schema
- Understand the report layouts requirements

Migrating to Oracle BI Publisher requires that all the necessary software licenses have been purchased.

Approach

The following are the high level activities performed during the migration:

- Ø Analyze the current Oracle Reports configuration, reports and metadata
- Ø Installation of the one instance of the BIP Enterprise platform
- Ø Migration of the existing Oracle Reports RDF architecture to BIP Data/RTF Template platform using the migration utility
- Ø Migration of 12-15 existing Oracle Reports reports(RDF files) to BIP Data/RTF Template files
- Ø Test the BI Publisher Enterprise environment and reports
- Ø Engage in active knowledge transfer with customer staff

Features and Benefits

Oracle Consulting offers this BI Publisher Reports Migration service to empower organizations by migrating existing Oracle Reports reporting architecture to a single complete enterprise reporting architecture with BI Publisher identifying essential business requirements, proposing a complete enterprise reporting solution, maximizing the existing investments, reducing overall expense and migration risk with an experienced BI Publisher experts. These capabilities will benefit your organization by delivering:

- Ø Reduced Costs – With the complete migration from Oracle Reports to BI Publisher's single enterprise reporting architecture, development and maintenance costs will be dramatically reduced.
- Ø Performance Improvement – Not only the performance improvement BI Publisher has over Oracle Reports, also Oracle Consulting reviews the data model and brings the best practice approach to achieve business performance improvement requirements.
- Ø Incremental Solution – Incremental solutions enables business users to benefit of the complete migration at time to time.

Oracle Advantage

- Ø Environment configured using Oracle best practices
- Ø Consistent user experience through the migration of your existing Oracle Reports RDF files
- Ø Reduced implementation risk

- Ø Leverages existing software investments
- Ø Accelerated time to value
- Ø Lowered cost of ownership
- Ø Oracle's long term commitment to your success!

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