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OpenText[™] Report & Output Management Interface for Microsoft[®] SharePoint[®]

Make SharePoint the single point of access for all report content

OpenText Report & Output Management Interface for Microsoft SharePoint captures and stores critical information from packaged applications (like Oracle[®] E-Business Suite, PeopleSoft[®], and SAP[®]) and custom, mainframe, or legacy applications—and makes this information available to Microsoft SharePoint.

Many organizations have come to rely on Microsoft SharePoint as a primary access point for enterprise information. Business users love its simplicity; IT enjoys the hands-off, self-service approach it provides to the staff; and chief information officers and chief technology officers like the fact that Microsoft SharePoint fits with the organization's overall infrastructure. These same organizations also have extensive report content and would like ways to use SharePoint to better connect report content with people and processes.

With Report & Output Management Interface for SharePoint, fixed content is captured into an electronic archive, from which it can be delivered to SharePoint users who work with report information.

Those users gain the ability to search and access reports directly from within SharePoint. Searches can optionally utilize indexes that are defined based on report content. Online viewing capabilities include annotations, search and sub-reporting, selective printing, extraction, hyperlink access to reports, drill down, page-level security, and more.

Bring Mainframe Reports to SharePoint Users

For many organizations, it makes sense to leverage their past investments in mainframe systems and unlock the business-critical information they contain. Mainframe systems remain an integral part of most enterprises, but integrating mainframe content into new systems and initiatives can also prove difficult. As a result, that content is often inaccessible to a broad range of employees who could benefit from access to it.

KEY BENEFITS

- Enhance the value of your Microsoft SharePoint investment by extending enterprise information management (EIM) to your mainframe system, ERP applications, and other semi-structured content
- Consolidate access to all content, including mainframe and ERP report output, through a single SharePoint portal
- Use SharePoint to offer self-service access (electronic bill and statement presentment) for customer billing, statements, invoices, and other documents
- Set access rights for entire reports, report segments, or specific pages
- Leverage the retention, accessibility, and auditability of fixed content managed in a compliant repository
- Reduce IT backlog associated with custom report generation

SOLUTION OVERVIEW

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The solution is to integrate mainframe-based information stores into the distributed IT environment and allow business users to leverage these valuable assets for customer and self-service initiatives.

Report & Output Management Interface for SharePoint is unique in its ability to capture and ingest report output generated from "legacy" mainframes, enterprise resource planning (ERP), and other large batch scheduled jobs. This approach exposes mainframe report content within SharePoint, extending the content sources and data types available to SharePoint and providing a single user experience when searching or viewing mixed content.



As a Microsoft Gold Certified partner, OpenText has won numerous Microsoft partner awards, including 2011 and 2012 ISV Partner of the Year. A "hit list" presents matching results to the user for further drill down and viewing. Report content is available from any location within a standard browser client, requiring zero footprint. In addition, users are only presented with report content that is specific to their requirements or access rights, including entire reports, report segments, or specific pages.

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