



Success-Story: American Financial Services Corporation

One of our customers is an American financial service corporation and one of the largest mutual funds and financial services groups worldwide. This company manages mutual funds and provides their distribution, investment advice services, insurances and a number of other services. The asset under management is about US\$ 5 trillion and the number of employees is about 40,000.

The Initial Situation

Our customer has many different requirements for data integration systems based on their heterogeneous operative system environments, hence they have to provide opportunities to report all business generated data. This includes the implementation of appropriate data integration applications, in this case with Informatica Powercenter Software, which are continuously further developed. The results of this development processes have to be delivered to diverse environments by using defined deployment procedures.

The Challenge

"We are looking for a central based solution to manage our data integration systems and development environments including integrated auditing capabilities."

N.N., 2012

The main challenge was finding a software solution to define, standardize and manage all heterogeneous deployment procedures for implemented or changed data integration applications. In addition, the solution was supposed to be used by one single point of access and satisfy the requirements of extensibility, changeability and fully auditability. Further demands were consolidated deployment paradigm plus a fully trail of audit history.

In early 2012, initial talks were held between our customer and InfoDyn GmbH. In summer 2012, the successful realization of a Proof of Concept was realized. Just a few months later, in the end of 2012, our customer rolled out the ID environment manager and began their configuration and use.

The Result

What has changed since the roll out of ID environment manager for our customer?

"Our most important benefit is that we have finally one single way to deploy across all the participating units using one source of truth."

N.N., 2013

"Our deployment auditors are happy to see all deployment actions and contained objects (over 100,000 since IDem roll out) and their history without any lag of audit trails."

N.N., 2014

"We have currently 300 registered users with 400 applications, based on Informatica Powercenter folder level, based on 13 units and plan to increase the applications to a number of 800 to the end of 2015. Our deployment management users realize averagely 24/145 (productive/non-productive) fully and successfully release deployments per week."

N.N., 2014

The ID environment manager offered by InfoDyn GmbH has simplified deployment processes by using consolidated deployment approaches and paradigms. This means that the focus is on the organizational topics and the distribution management of releases. In addition to this, the entire deployment process starting with the approval of a further/new development to the utilization in the live system is easier, faster, automatically completely documented and mostly fail-safe.

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