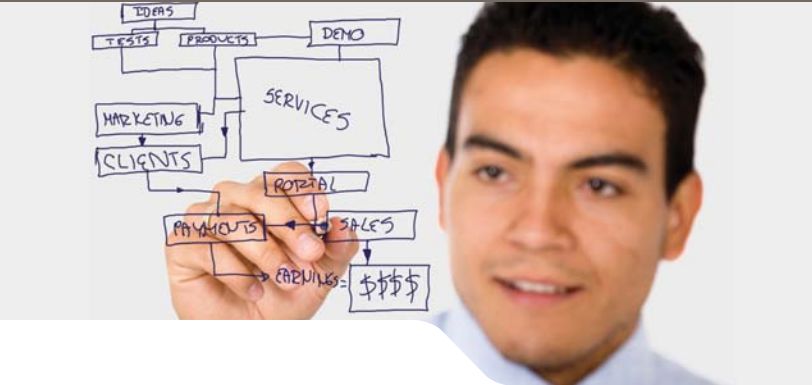


Business Analytics



Application Development

Is your reporting and analytical environment under construction...or should it be? Successful organizations are ones that are able to quickly translate their data and knowledge into meaningful and powerful business decisions.

If your organization is in the process of evaluating or improving your reporting and analytical environment, COMSYS' team of experienced developers, architects and Project Managers can help you tailor your solution to meet your needs. We have over 26 years of experience in providing high-quality, strategic solutions which have helped our clients access, analyze and deliver important information across the enterprise. Whether you need to customize your SAS solutions to meet the needs of the organization, or you need to create custom applications to complement your SAS solution, COMSYS has the development teams with the experience required to complete the project on time and on budget.

As a SAS Gold Alliance Partner, we receive early releases of new SAS products, special partner training at SAS Institute, and access to special product documentation. The SAS suite of products is well integrated with the common corporate IT standards. Data can be pulled from multiple types of sources and stored directly from SAS into any RDBMS. As a 4th Generation programming language the development time to extract, transform, cleanse and load is greatly reduced. The application accessing this data can be implemented in any of the latest technologies such as Java, .NET, or MS Office, depending on your corporate standards. Finally, the advanced statistical capabilities can be made available via easy-to-use, integrated interfaces directly to the people who need them.

The COMSYS Application Development team has extensive experience in all of these technologies, standards and platforms. Using true Software Development Life Cycle methodology and under the direction of our Project Management Institute certified Project Managers, you can be confident that we deliver what you need in the most efficient way.

COMPETENCIES

- **Process Automation** - One of our greatest passions is converting manual, tedious, error-prone tasks into an automated process that frees up your time for bigger and better things. Our team will evaluate the work being done and create a system that is accurate, transparent, validated and as automatic as possible. We have transformed applications and processes that take days and weeks to run into intuitive tools and solutions that take only minutes or hours to complete.
- **Business Analytics Reporting** - Today's world is complex and fast-paced with answers that come in shades of gray. Successful managers are relying more and more on statistical analyses as one of the pieces for sound business decisions. However, the analyses have to be accurate, timely, and readily available or they prove no value. Business Analytics Reporting can put advanced, robust statistical analyses into the hands of those making the hard decisions without a lot of ongoing overhead.

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CUSTOM DEVELOPMENT

For a more tailored solution, COMSYS will develop custom applications around your existing SAS infrastructure to meet your organization’s specific reporting needs. Our experienced developers are experts not only in SAS solutions and tools and other development technologies but most importantly in how to integrate them both.

Our Custom Application Development teams provide a variety of solutions including:

- Customizing the SAS Enterprise Business Intelligence reporting environment to meet the needs of individual executives and departments.
- **Creating ETL processes:** we will analyze, design and implement an ETL solution for you.
- **Customizing the SAS Information Delivery Portal:** we will develop portlets, design layouts matching your corporate look-and-feel, and configure different security levels for your data.
- **Developing Web Applications:** we will create high quality applications carefully designed and implemented following industry standard development full cycle methodologies. These applications will access your SAS data or any other database system to create meaningful user interfaces.

SCORE CARDING AND DASHBOARDS

Imagine being able to come in to work in the morning and take a quick glance at your business dashboard to see how you’re tracking on all your metrics. Because they are well presented with accurate data behind them you feel comfortable moving on to the next big decision when you see all green. And equally comfortable that you can quickly determine the reason that a metric has moved to yellow or red, because you can drill down into the data and see just what needs your attention. No more guessing or spinning your wheels. Better yet, if the Scorecard or Dashboard has incorporated predictive analytics, then the “issue” is only a potential “issue” and you can mitigate its effects before they become serious.

COMSYS statistical and development expertise can make this scenario a reality. We can bring to your business the data integrity, the statistical power and the information delivery provided by SAS Institute’s Enterprise Business Intelligence Platform which was placed in the Leaders Quadrant of Gartner, Inc.’s Magic Quadrant for Business Intelligence Platforms, 2008.

CLIENT BENEFITS

COMSYS Business Analytics Practice Application Development team provides our clients with:

- Services from highly-skilled and well-trained Application Developers
- The ability to create self-service reporting and analytical environments
- Increased efficiencies due to reduced time to completion of routine and semi-routine data based operations
- The ability to focus your internal team on other important tasks while the COMSYS Application Development team focuses on the development of your reporting and analytical environment.
- Transparency – Our project management approach keeps you in control of the work being done without the usual overhead.

SOLUTION SUMMARY

A COMSYS Application Development Solution can help you increase productivity, reduce costs, and provide better tools to decision-makers. With our experience and dedication to improving our client’s processes, we are the right choice to complete your “construction” project.

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