

Uncovering the DARK SECRETS of Web ADI



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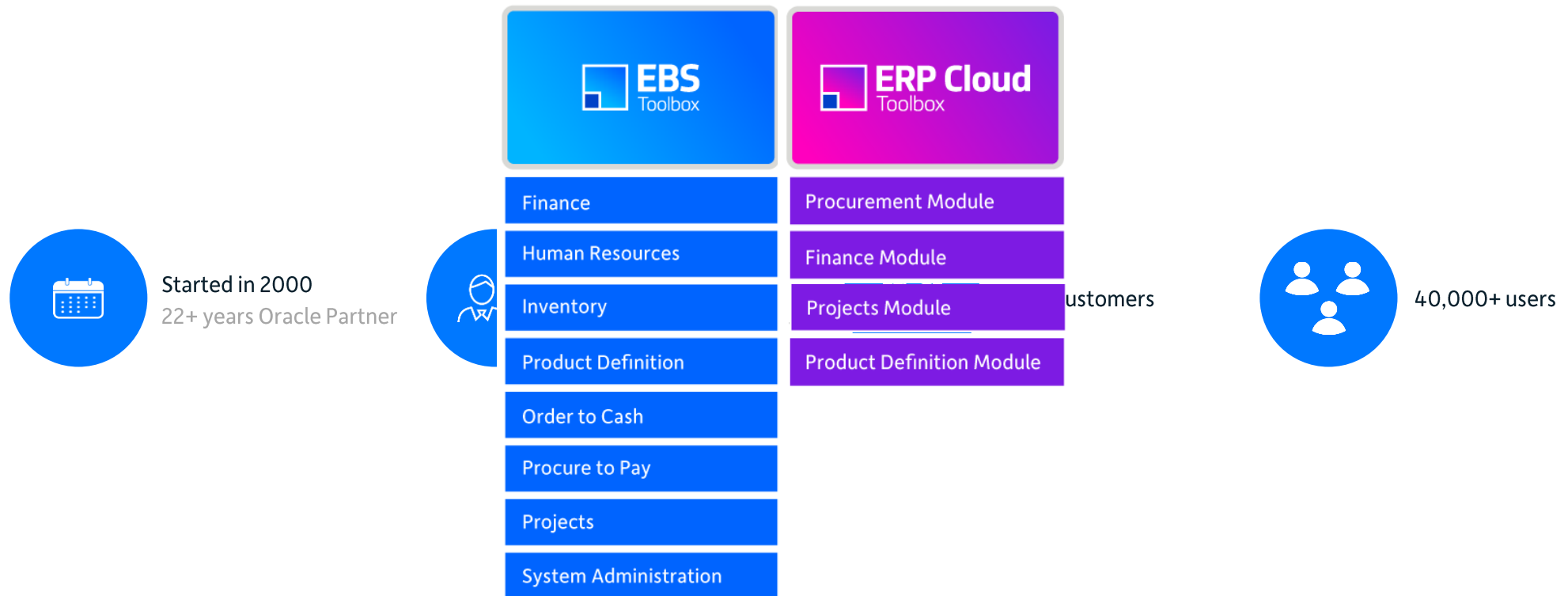
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Agenda

- More4apps
- The data entry problem
- The WebADI offerings
(+ polling question)
- EBS Toolbox
- Your questions

Your Excel Interface for Oracle: Secure. Trusted. Proven.



The data entry problem

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ERP systems rely on CLEAN and COMPLETE data



Slow Processing of that data leads to BOTTLENECKS



Which yields:

Reduced Business Oversight
Slower Gathering of Revenue

Use a spreadsheet to speed things up



Your documents

Electronic, physical,
contracts,
external data sources etc.



Excel Spreadsheet or IT Dept

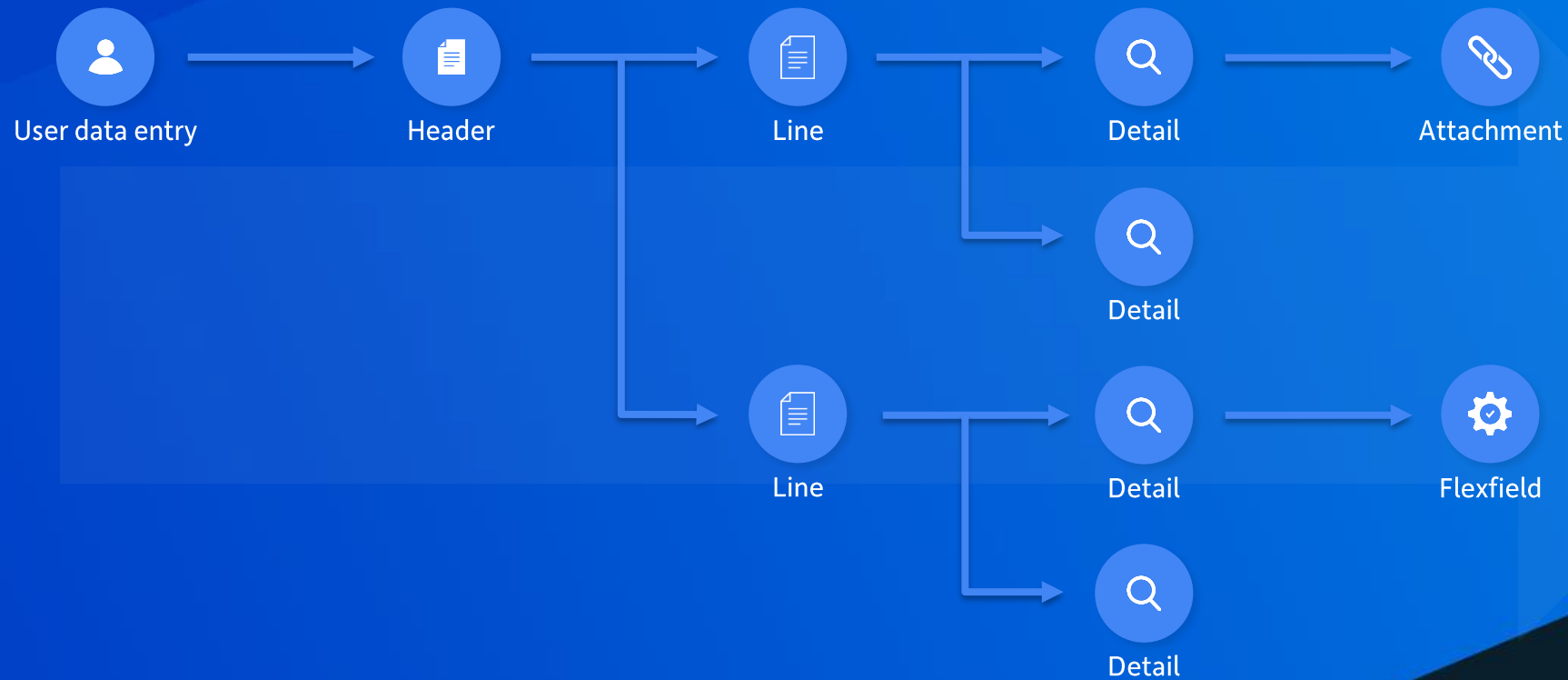
Wide visibility of your data
across broad range of columns



Oracle documents

Information loaded into
Oracle Ecosystem

Navigating forms for data entry



ORACLE

WebADI

Oracle's Spreadsheet "solution"

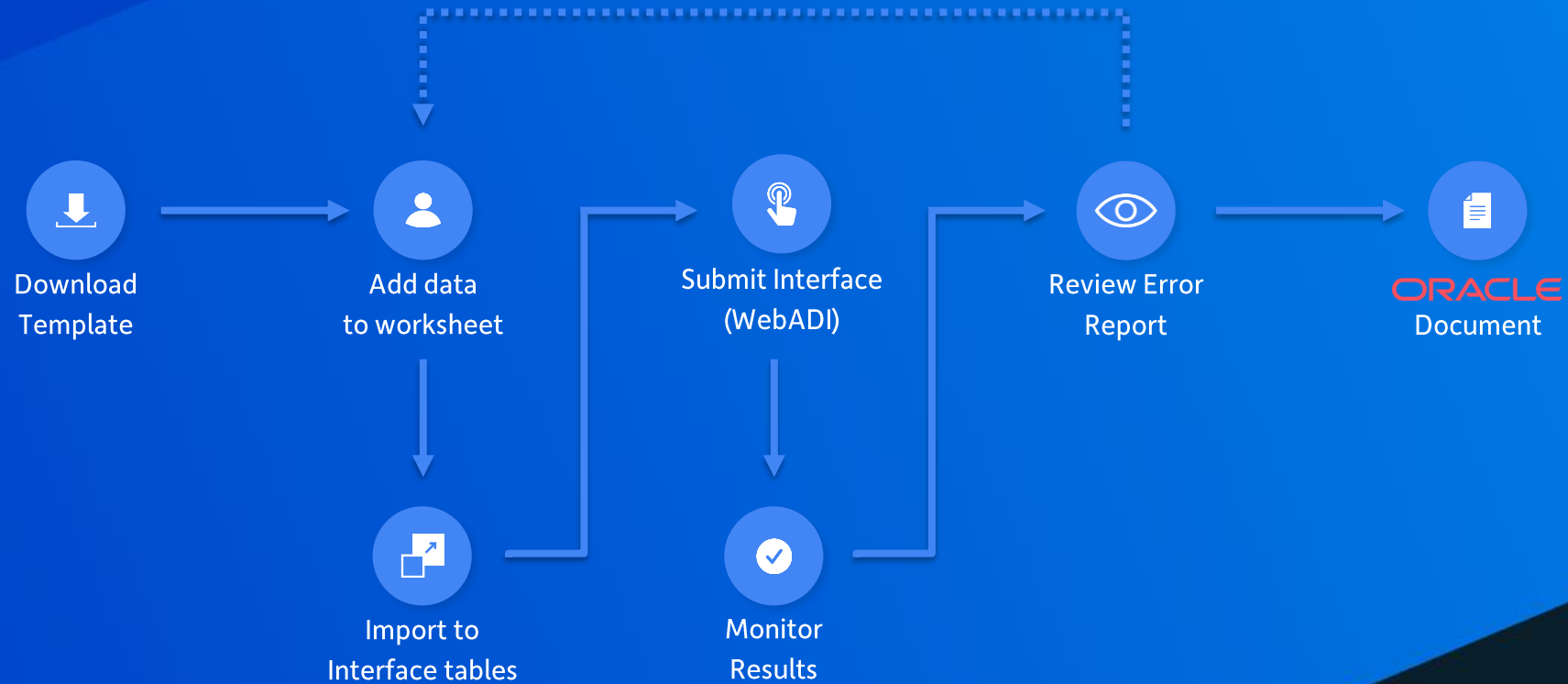
WebADI can be implemented in 2 ways

- Seeded WebADI Templates
- Custom Developed WebADI Templates

Neither are ideal

Let's dive into why

WebADI process flow

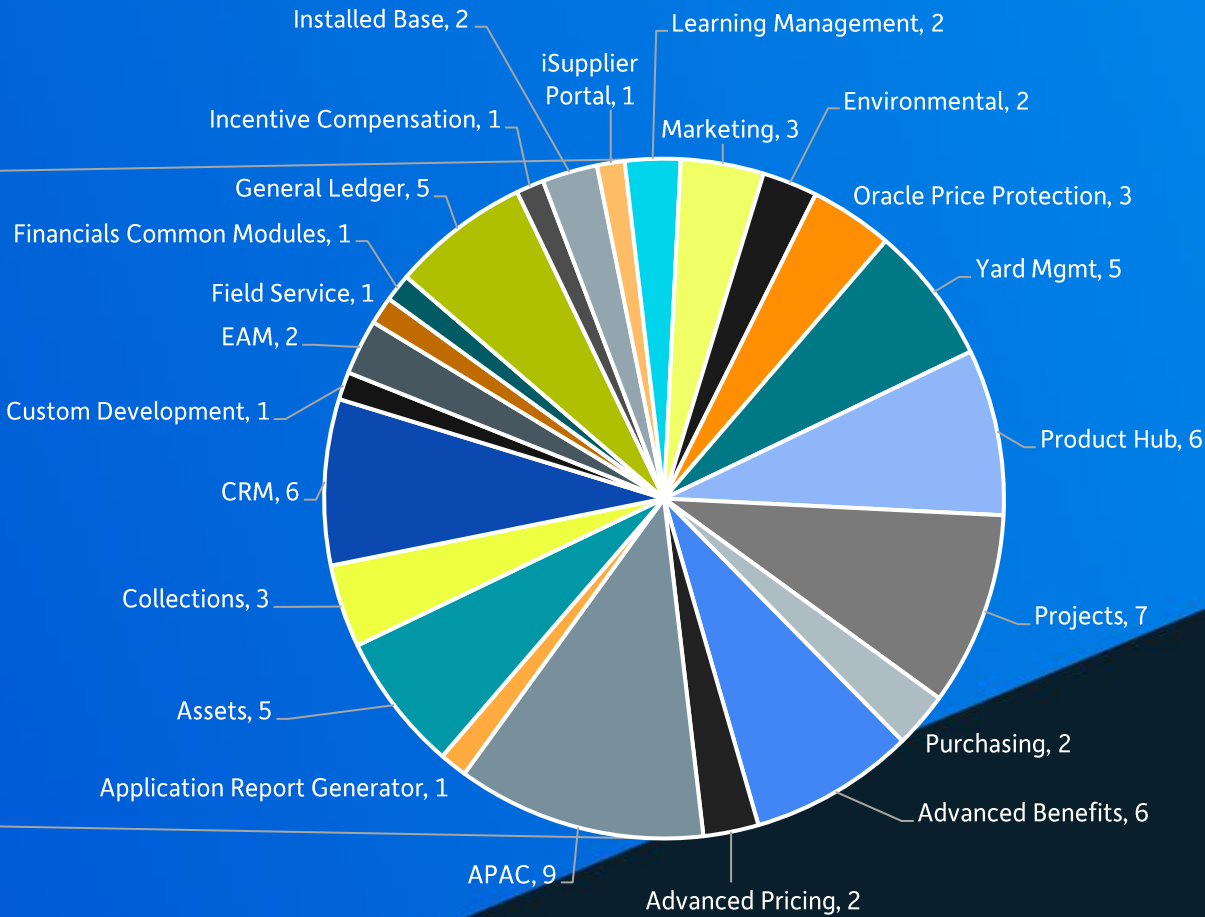
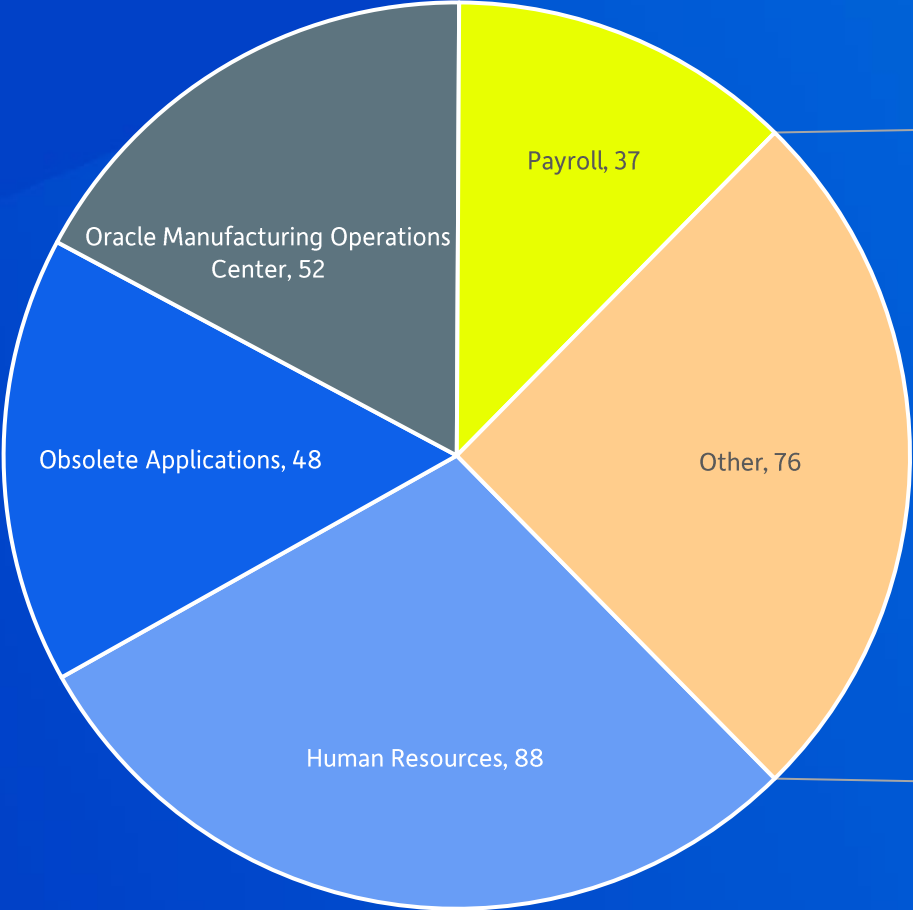


WebADI

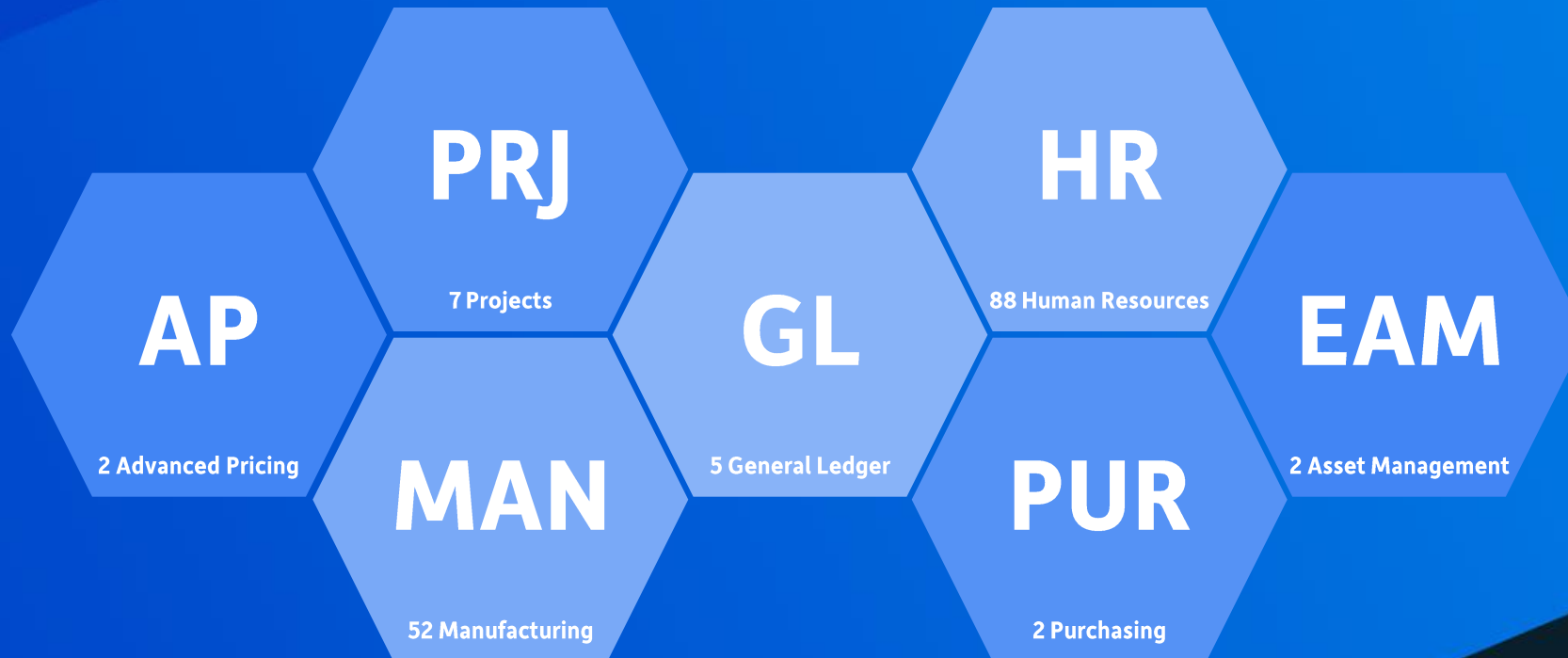
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What's the biggest problem with WebADI in your organization?

Seeded WebADI Templates (12.2)



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Projects



7 Templates

- 4 to create Budgets
- 2 to create Transactions
- 1 to connect to MS Projects

Seeded WebADI Templates (12.2)

Human Resources



88 Templates

Lots of templates – mostly unusable

- 10 are related to localizations
- Most not suitable for even simple tasks

Seeded WebADI Templates (12.2)

Manufacturing



52 Templates

Not for data uploading

- 52 to resolve errors on interface tables

Seeded WebADI Templates (12.2)

Purchasing



2 Templates

Usable only if you have specific modules enabled

- Purchasing Documents Dashboard Integrator
- Purchasing Document Bulkload Integrator

Seeded WebADI Templates (12.2)

General Ledger



5 Templates

- 3 Integrators for currency upload
- 1 GL Budget
- 1 Journal Entries

Seeded WebADI Templates (12.2)

Enterprise Asset Management



2 Templates

Not enough functionality

- EAM Asset Attr WebADI INTG
- EAM Asset Num WebADI INTG

Seeded WebADI Templates (12.2)

Advanced Pricing



2 Templates

Not enough functionality

- QP Manage Modifiers
- QP Manage Price Lists

WebADI

Summary of challenges

1. The Templates you need are just not there
2. The functionality is limited, confusing and difficult to operate.
 - Redundancies: Multiple templates for the same type of operation
 - Partial Validations: Status on the sheet does not always reflect what really happened
 - Lots of switching in and out of Oracle and the Spreadsheet to accomplish the task.
 - Lacks customized LOVS
 - No facility to extend validation logic
 - Inconsistent look & feel between templates
 - No data-value defaulting
 - Rigid layouts
3. It is not Upgrade-proof
 - Inclined to break when Oracle Patches and Upgrades applied
 - Susceptible to Excel upgrade problems
 - Not supported by Oracle in versions earlier than 12.2

[illegible]

WebADI Patches

Create Document

Document Display

[https://support.oracle.com/epmos/faces/SearchDocDisplay?_adf.ctrl-state=innk](#)

Integrator Key (2658336.1)

R12:PA: Projects Transaction Import WebADI Integrator Shows Different Columns Layout for Debit/Credit Combinations After Upgrade. (2098206.1)

R12 Transaction Import Integrator PAXTTRXB Is Missing After 12.2.4 Upgrade (1951499.1)

R12: PA: Web-ADI Custom Layouts Didn't Migrate After Upgraded From 12.1.3 To 12.2.7 (2551489.1)

Information Center: Oracle Project Costing (All Applicable Versions) (2714150.2)

Projects - Transaction Import WebADI Fails with: "A value must be entered for Layout" And "A value must be entered for Content" (2712068.1)

Projects Transaction Import Web ADI Issues (1669751.1)

Transaction Import Via WebADI Spreadsheet Fails

4. Confirm the following file versions:

You can use the commands like the following:
`strings -a $PA_TOP/patch/115/import/US/pabneint.ldt | grep '$Header'`

After Patch application the version should be 120.12.12020000.11 of file - pabneint.ldt

5. Retest the issue.

6. Migrate the solution as appropriate to other environments

Note: If any custom Layouts are created, they would be gone and needs to create them again.

REFERENCES

[NOTE:2658336.1](#) - Transaction Import WebADI Layout Getting Error PA: PAXTTRXB Is An Invalid Integrator Key
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Related

Products

- Oracle E-Business Suite > Projects > Projects > Oracle Project Costing > Expenditure Processing > Expenditure Processing

Keywords

LAYOUTS; TRANSACTION; WEBADI

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Integrator Key [2658336.1]

R12 11i: Web Applications Desktop Integrator (Web ADI) - Expenditure Entry Using MS Excel [1426072.1]

R12: PA: Web Adi For Projects Expenditure Entry -Transaction Controls Validation [1365627.1]

FAQ - Payable Invoice Import through Spreadsheet, FBDI/ADFBI [2639825.1]

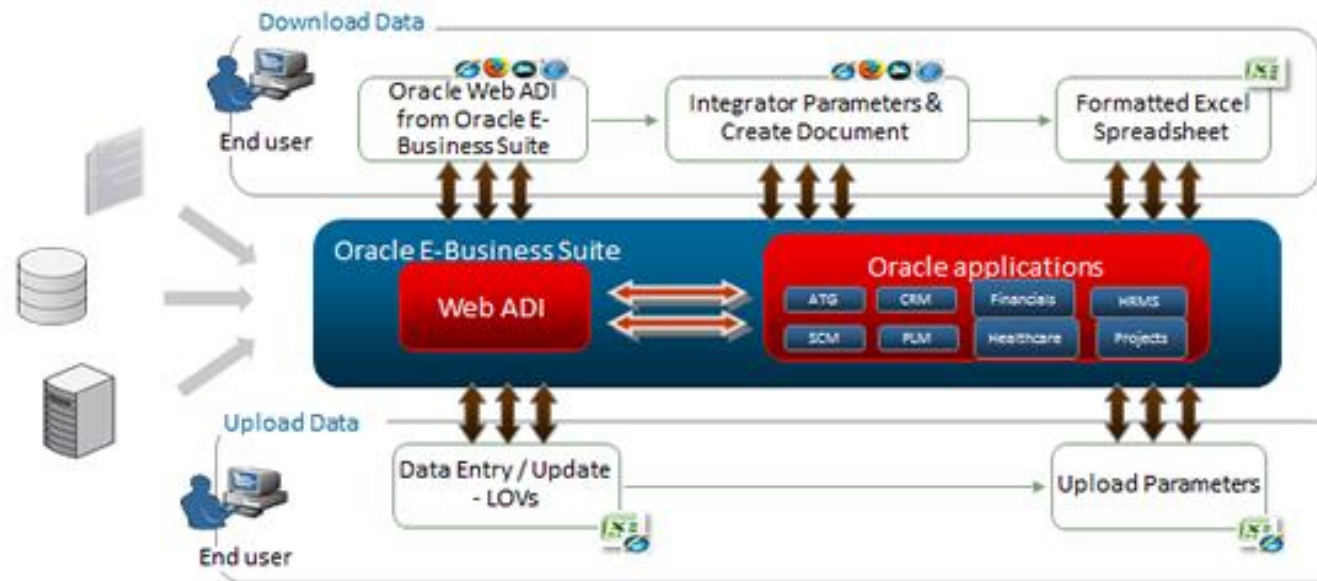
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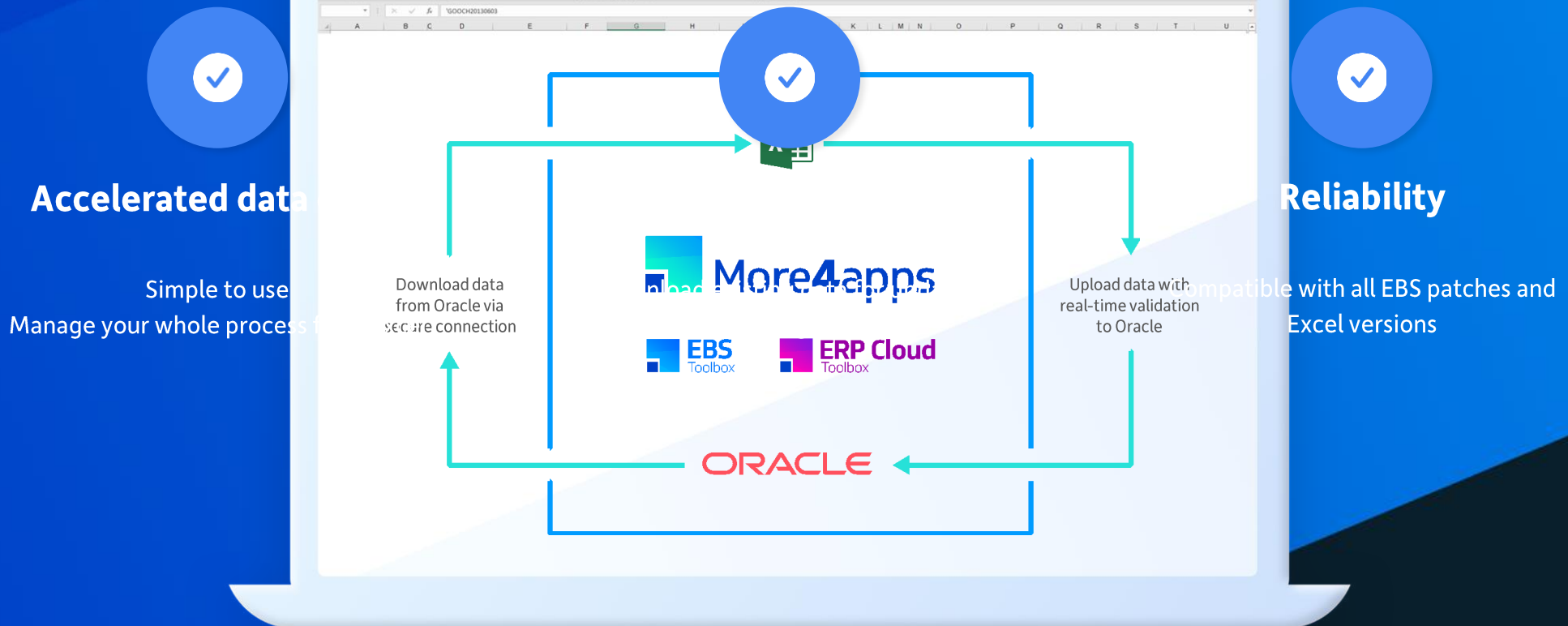
WebADI Template Development Process





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Spreadsheet loading tools that work for your business



Your Excel Interface for Oracle

Secure. Trusted. Proven.

Simplify data processes
in a user-friendly, efficient, and cost-effective manner.



Finance

Human Resources

Inventory

Product Definition

Order to Cash

Procure to Pay

Projects

System Administration



Finance

Asset Wizard
General Ledger Wizard

Human Resources

Employee Wizard
Element Entry Wizard
Special Information Wizard

Inventory

Item Cost Wizard
Material Transaction Wizard

Product Definition

Bill of Materials Wizard
Item Wizard
Routing Wizard

Order to Cash

AR Invoice API Wizard
AR Receipt Wizard
Customer Wizard
Pricing Modifiers Wizard
Price List Wizard
Sales Order Wizard

Procure to Pay

AP Invoice Wizard
Purchase Order Wizard
PO Receiving Wizard
Requisition Wizard
Supplier Wizard
Sourcing Wizard
Price List Wizard
Pricing Modifiers Wizard

Projects

Project Wizard
Budget Wizard
Project Transaction Wizard
Event Wizard
Agreement & Funding Wizard

System Administration

System Administration Loader



Key Features

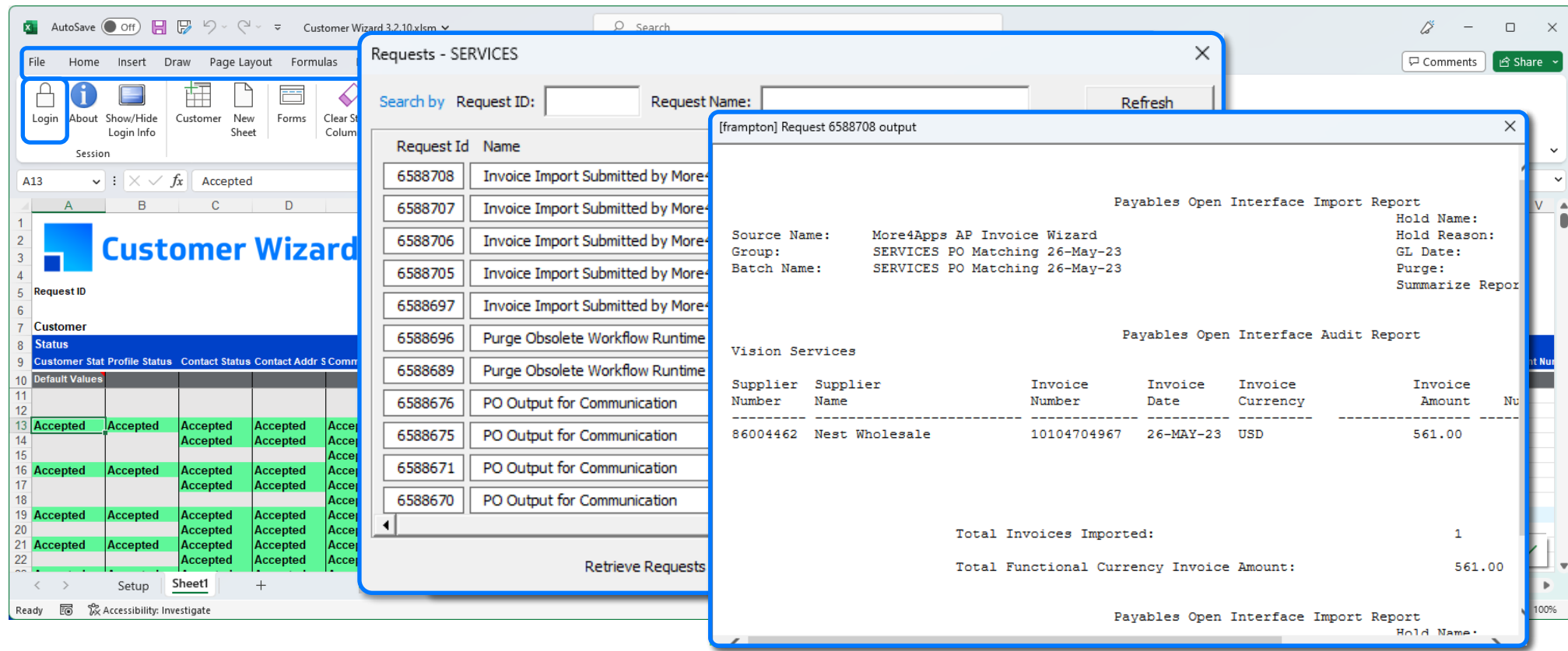
Easy to use

- Designed for the end user
- Works out of the box
- Integrated DOWNLOAD functionality
- Advanced validation before upload

Reliable

- Tested & Supported by More4apps
- Not affected by patches
- Works in all desktop versions of Excel
- Consistently enhanced & improved
- Same tool for 11i, R12.1 and R12.2
- Controlled, predictable cost
- Uses Oracle APIs & interfaces

Functionality at your fingertips



The screenshot displays the 'Customer Wizard' application interface with several overlapping windows:

- Main Application Window:** Features a ribbon menu (File, Home, Insert, Draw, Page Layout, Formulas) and a session management section. The main area shows a table with columns for Request ID, Name, and Status. The status column contains 'Accepted' for all entries.
- Requests - SERVICES Window:** A modal window with search filters for 'Request ID' and 'Request Name', and a 'Refresh' button. It lists requests with IDs 6588708 through 6588670.
- [frampton] Request 6588708 output Window:** A detailed report window showing the following data:

Payables Open Interface Import Report					
Source Name:	More4Apps AP Invoice Wizard	Hold Name:			
Group:	SERVICES PO Matching 26-May-23	Hold Reason:			
Batch Name:	SERVICES PO Matching 26-May-23	GL Date:			
		Purge:			
		Summarize Report			

Payables Open Interface Audit Report					
Vision Services					
Supplier Number	Supplier Name	Invoice Number	Invoice Date	Invoice Currency	Invoice Amount
86004462	Nest Wholesale	10104704967	26-MAY-23	USD	561.00
Total Invoices Imported:					1
Total Functional Currency Invoice Amount:					561.00



Security Features

- Uses your EBS authentication
- Access granted by your responsibility
- Supports single sign-on
- Digitally signed
- No installation required on the Desktop
- Invokes Public APIs or Interfaces Import Jobs

More4apps vs WebADI

	Oracle forms	WebADI	DataLoader	 EBS Toolbox
Designed for end users				
Completely supports mass data entry				
Sheet data entry				
User data entry forms				
User customizable Layout				
Realtime data validation				
Form/sheet error feedback				
Handles patches and upgrades with ease				
Download existing data objects without limitations				
Robust and stable				
Free from development & internal support				
Secure end-user connection to Oracle				

A simple equation

Oracle E-Business Suite

+ More4apps

Increased flexibility with data maintenance
Increased data entry performance
Increased data accuracy
Increased reliability

= Better results for your business

Reduced Operating Costs
More reliable data
Better insight
Improved confidence in your business

Your Questions



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