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Customer:
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Oracle Products:
Weblogic 12c
Forms/Reports12c

Project Scale:
178 Forms
106 Reports
30 days

Solution:
Automatic migration with Forms-Api-Master from 6i to Forms 12c

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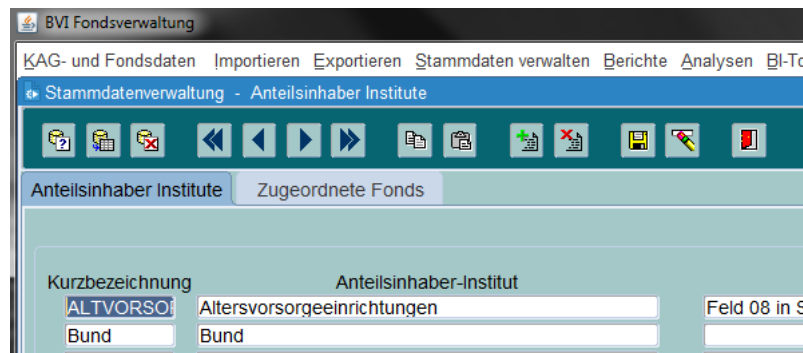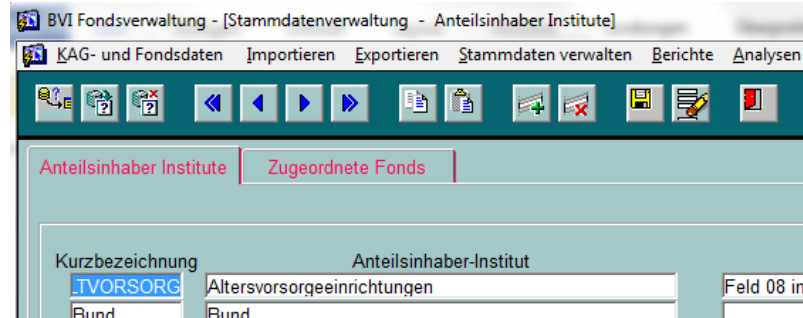Michael Ferrante, Principal Product Manager, Oracle Forms, Oracle

ORACLE Gold Partner

Cologne Data migrated the BVI- "Statistic Application" containing 178 Forms and 106 Reports from Forms 6i to Forms 12c

Fr. Dr. Lange, director of BVI Frankfurt:

"Cologne Data was a great support migrating our statistic application from Forms 6i to Forms 12c. All tasks of the project were finished quickly and absolutely uncomplicated. In the new version Forms 12c Cologne Data could even realize desired functionality that other companies could not develop in the past.

The complete migration was finished in less than 30 project days. The installation of Forms/Reports 12c on our server was precisely prepared and accompanied.
The whole migration was done with the tool Forms-API Master completely as an automatic batch creation. Some additional services were done from Cologne Data that were not even listed in the fixed price project. We can recommend Cologne Data for Forms services."

Solution

Cologne Data developed a customized Migration Script with the Tool, **Forms API Master**. The Script contained all customer requirements according layout and functionality. The complete migration process from 6i to 12c takes about 60 minutes and can be repeated at any time. After 2 weeks the customer started a testing phase with the old and the migrated version in parallel. During the migration phase the customer could even continue to develop the 6i Code without problems. The whole migration process could be finished within 30 days.

Business Benefits

The new Application is supported by ORACLE and no longer relies on Browser plug-ins. The software has a more modern view and is highly secured by an Apache Proxy Server. No Local OHS necessary, no customer JAR Files necessary.
Oracle support till 2023 (extended).

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Technical Highlights:

Client Runtime with FRMSAL(Forms Standalone Solution)

Automated Layout transformation from 6i to 12c

Silent Reports Backround Generation (no Dialogboxes)

Reverse Proxy Solution with Apache 2.4
(no OHS, one Port(443), Reports server invisible)