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Oracle Forms: State of the Nation

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Agenda

- Review Oracle Forms strategy
- Modernize, upgrade or migrate?
- Q&A
 - Please ask!

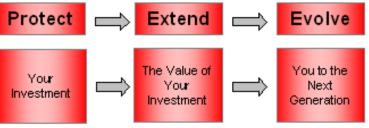


Review of Oracle Forms Strategy



Oracle Development Tools Strategy

- "...There are no plans to desupport Oracle Forms..."
 - Oracle Tools Statement of Direction
- Clear statement of direction
 - Upgrade
 - Support, certification, new features, platform for integration
 - Integrate
 - Use non-Forms technologies when/as business dictates
- Opening up JEE/standards development to "traditional" Oracle developers

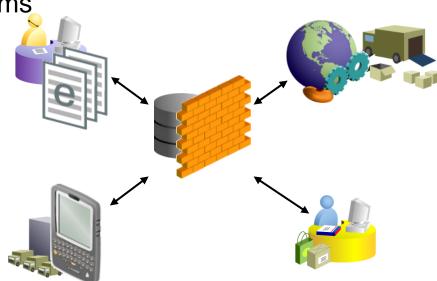


Upgrade, Modernize or Migrate?



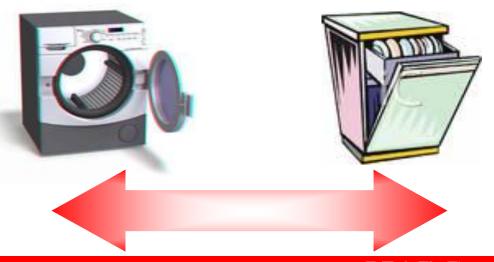
Some Modernization Options

- Upgrade
- Exploit new features
- Integrate with external service/events
 - Call to external events
 - External events calling into Forms
- UI modernization

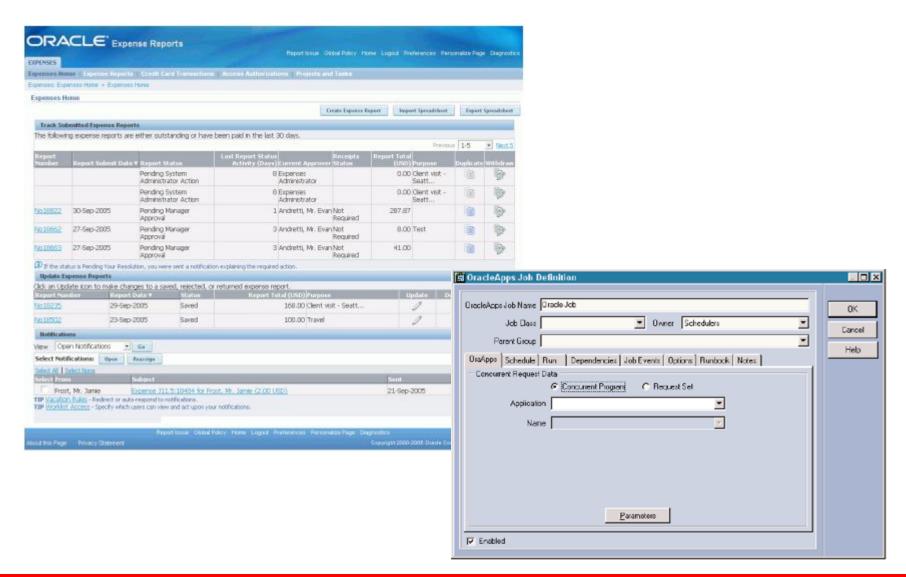


Migration of Oracle Forms applications

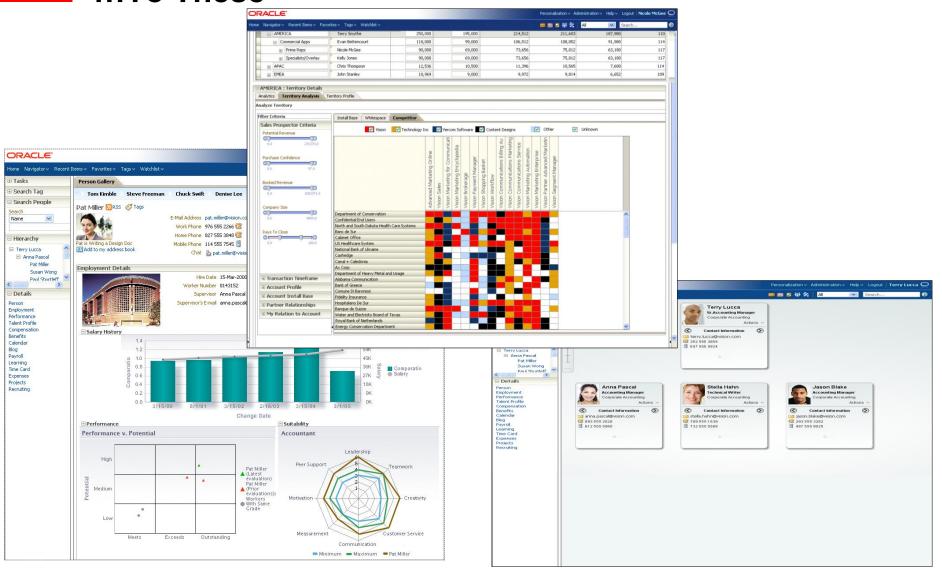
- We're not forcing you
- No magic bullet
- Don't be swayed by the "our tool is best" argument
- Hybrid approach?
- Why, Why Why?
- What is Oracle doing?



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Summary

- No plans to desupport Oracle Forms
- Protect, extend, evolve
- Migration
 - What is the business requesting?
- Understand Oracle's Fusion development strategy
 - Oracle ADF and Oracle JDeveloper

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