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Announcing JD Edwards EnterpriseOne Enhancements for Mobile Applications, JD Edwards in the Oracle Public Cloud, Outbound Inventory Management, and Legislative Updates

Extending its commitment to JD Edwards EnterpriseOne applications, Oracle is announcing JD Edwards EnterpriseOne availability of enhancements for Mobile, Oracle Public Cloud, Outbound Inventory Management, Upgrades, Certifications, and Legislative/Regulatory updates. These enhancements enable companies to innovate in the digital economy with enhanced platform choices and deployment options to run their business their way.

Mobile Updates
JD Edwards EnterpriseOne Mobile Enterprise Applications enable your mobile workforce to accelerate business execution on mobile devices.

JD Edwards EnterpriseOne Mobile Enterprise Applications have been upgraded to Oracle's Mobile Application Framework 2.2.1 to provide access to new features in the tool for building custom applications or extending out-of-the-box applications. Included with the updated mobile apps is the certification for iOS 9.

JD Edwards EnterpriseOne Applications Now Available on the Oracle Cloud Marketplace
Oracle recently announced the availability of two JD Edwards EnterpriseOne offerings on the Oracle Cloud Marketplace. The first offering, called JD Edwards EnterpriseOne Trial Edition, is a single all-in-one image that can be provisioned in an hour without additional hardware capital cost. Trial Edition enables customers to explore new functionality in JD Edwards EnterpriseOne Application Release 9.2, such as new industry modules, One View Financial Statements, Internet of Things Orchestrator, as well as mobile applications and user experience enhancements.

The second offering provides automated provisioning of a multi-tier environment for JD Edwards EnterpriseOne Application Release 9.1. This offering includes a migration toolkit, which allows customers to easily move their business configuration, data, customizations, and patch level from their on-premise instance to Oracle Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS). This offering also includes an instance of Server Manager and a deployment server for full

manageability of the configuration. Furthermore, customers can optionally leverage the Oracle Database Cloud Service for the JD Edwards database layer.

Both offerings deploy into virtual compute environments that are provisioned on Oracle's Compute Cloud Service. Oracle's Compute Cloud Service offers self-service provisioning of network, compute, and storage resources, tested with JD Edwards EnterpriseOne applications. Subscription-based pricing for the Compute Cloud Service, predictable performance from an optimized hardware infrastructure, and highly secure data center operations provide JD Edwards customers with a trusted Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) solution. This IaaS solution eliminates capital expenditures for hardware, releases internal resources to focus on initiatives that provide competitive advantage, and enhances the operational agility which creates business transformation.

The combination of IaaS and Database Cloud Service enables customers to quickly provision new instances of JD Edwards EnterpriseOne, resulting in reduced administration cost and increased agility.

Companies that rely on JD Edwards solutions for innovating in the digital economy benefit from an enhanced platform choice and operational control, including running JD Edwards with other Oracle solutions in a hybrid cloud model.

Oracle continues to lower the total cost of ownership (TCO) for customers with simple provisioning of JD Edwards EnterpriseOne in the Oracle Cloud. Customers continue to have full control of their JD Edwards EnterpriseOne deployment options to meet their unique business requirements, to adopt new product capabilities, and to do so on their terms and their timelines.

Outbound Inventory Management

Outbound Inventory Management improves the order-to-cash process for suppliers within the Consumer Goods, and Manufacturing and Distribution industries providing vendor-managed inventory (VMI) or consignment inventory services for their customers. It supports the complete VMI/consignment lifecycle from defining agreements through ordering, shipments, invoicing, and replenishments, providing stronger customer collaboration, reduced customer stock-outs, and improved forecast accuracy resulting in increased customer loyalty—a combination that equals improved supplier profitability.

Outbound Inventory Management has been enhanced to include the following new capabilities:
- Enhanced return processing including the ability to create a Return Material Authorization (RMA), request a return, and approve a return request.
- Expanded business interfaces including EDI support for reporting consumption and business services to facilitate collaboration between customers and suppliers.
- A new Consumption Audit process that allows cycle count information captured at the customer's location to be reconciled with the on-hand balance information maintained by the supplier.
- Agreements for groups of items that are easier to set up and maintain.
- A new replenishment method based on a frequency schedule allowing the supplier to consolidate replenishment orders.
- Additional One View reports enhancing the ability to make informed business decisions.

Health & Safety Incident Management
A new My Task Management application provides a comprehensive view of assigned tasks that helps the responsible task owner to keep abreast of required actions. Assignees can filter tasks by due date, type, priority, and status to ensure that they are completing tasks as needed. From My Task Management, task owners can also directly access the incident to update their progress.

Upgrades

JD Edwards EnterpriseOne World Migration Path Support (A7.3 and A9.2.1)
Migration support provides World customers with a matrix of previous releases from which migration paths will be supported. This migration support enables customers to efficiently plan their migration to EnterpriseOne 9.2. Migration paths from World releases A9.3.1 and A9.4 to EnterpriseOne 9.2 were previously announced.

Legislative Updates

Affordable Care Act for United States Health Coverage
Affordable Care Act (ACA) Health Coverage Information Returns for JD Edwards EnterpriseOne and World is a new year-end reporting solution for reporting to employees and to the US federal government information about health coverage. ACA Employer Shared Responsibility provisions mandate that applicable large employers offer affordable health coverage to their full-time employees and their dependents and report information about health coverage.

This next installment of the enhancement includes functionality for electronic filing of Form 1094-C and 1095-C and functionality for processing correction forms for filing with the IRS.

Global Revenue Recognition
The Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) and the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) have created a new joint standard for the recognition of revenue. This is our third installment of the enhancements that will allow our customers to comply with the standard. For Releases 9.1 and 9.2, enhancements have been made to the JD Edwards EnterpriseOne Project Costing system.

Project Costing customers will now be able to:
- Specify, manage, and report revenue performance obligations that allow customers to manage multiple performance obligations within a single job.
- Select accounts for revenue performance obligations.
- Make revenue and cost adjustments to revenue performance obligations.
- Utilize the new functionality in the Profit Recognition process.

Other Legislative Updates
- For SEPA Direct Debit (SDD), automatic debit processing will provide the ability to select certain mandate types when processing SEPA Direct Debits.
- For SEPA Credit Transfer (SCT) and SEPA Direct Debit, the payment grouping process will utilize information and validation required by SEPA and choose the base software payment process that best suits the local requirements.
- Customers can generate SEPA Direct Debit XML payment format via the draft remittance process.
- Brazil PIF CONFIS enhancements.

- The Hungary Localization solution will allow EnterpriseOne customers to generate electronic XML invoices for submission effective January 2016.
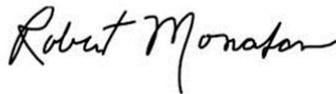
Platform and Third-Party Certifications

JD Edwards EnterpriseOne deployments offer customers a choice of platforms and products from Oracle and third-party vendors. The product support lifecycle of these components is driven by their vendors, creating a continuous need to certify the latest versions of these products to give customers a complete technology stack that is functional, well-performing, and supported by the vendors.

- 9.2 Certifications and Certifications Notes for:
  - IBM WebSphere Portal 8.5.5
  - Microsoft Windows 10
  - Microsoft Edge Browser
- Updated Platform Statement of Direction (SOD) document for 9.2 (My Oracle Support Document ID 749393.1)
- Certifications for JD Edwards EnterpriseOne are on Certify on My Oracle Support.

Supporting Resources

- Oracle's JD Edwards EnterpriseOne
- LearnJDE.com

Congratulations to the JD Edwards organization on this important announcement.
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