

Infor FMS SunSystems

➔ In the last two decades, Infor FMS SunSystems has been installed in 18,000 sites, with more than 100,000 users in more than 190 countries.



Be enterprising.

CFOs in enterprising companies today face greater challenges than ever before—and greater opportunities. Issues of growth, regulation, compliance, corporate governance, and cost control are complex, especially for businesses operating globally. At no time has the need been greater to provide more for less. Along with the challenges come opportunities for CFOs to add value to their organizations as strategic advisers and internal business consultants. These extended responsibilities mean an elevated position for financial management and the chance to make a real difference—provided you have the right technology support.

Leverage experience.

With thousands of implementations in more than 190 countries, Infor™ FMS SunSystems is a proven, customer-driven solution that meets the full range of your traditional and expanded business needs. You benefit from Infor's years of experience working with financial managers in a range of industries to solve the toughest challenges, experience that is built into every one of our solutions.

Using Infor Open SOA, a service-oriented architecture that accommodates constant but unavoidable changes in business practices, Infor FMS SunSystems allows you to turn change into opportunity. You're never locked into existing releases that are difficult to upgrade or that limit the contribution CFOs are expected to make in enterprising organizations today. By integrating with extended solutions for performance management and business analytics, Infor FMS SunSystems provides visibility that elevates the financial function to the strategic level.

Get business specific.

Infor FMS SunSystems brings together a wide variety of business functions in a scalable, multi-language, open systems platform. It supports global operations, is easy to use, provides visibility of information for decision makers, and delivers a low total cost of ownership.

At the heart of the solution is a single, integrated ledger that combines the functionality of the nominal ledger, receivables and payables ledgers, project ledger, cashbook, and user-defined ledgers. This provides a powerful, real-time financial transaction processing engine that lets you see the immediate impact of any financial posting.

Infor FMS SunSystems consists of the following traditional financial management solutions as well as solutions for meeting the challenges of the extended CFO environment:

- *Financials*—Infor FMS SunSystems financial modules are specifically designed to provide immediate access to all finance and accounting information for fast and effective decision making. They cover all aspects of financial management, including nominal ledger, payables and receivables ledgers, consolidation, corporate allocations, multi-currency, dual base currency, fixed assets, budget management, and debtor management. Our solutions are fully euro-compliant and support multiple GAAP reporting.

- *Procurement*—In a highly competitive and constantly changing environment, controlling purchasing has never been more important. Infor FMS SunSystems provides a complete web-based spend control and management solution for deployment to large numbers of employees—with a goal of providing visibility and control over purchasing activities. Employees are able to manage their own purchasing requirements within the rules and policies that are defined for their organization.
- *Order Management*—Functionality is included to help you take control of your sales, purchasing, and inventory management operations. Order Management is designed to integrate with partners and customers across your value chain. Infor FMS SunSystems also provides the capability to define custom process stages for purchasing, sales, and inventory movements. This enables the definition of the business sequence that transactions follow, providing for any associated documents, as well as ledger and inventory updates. With purchasing processes streamlined, purchasing professionals can focus on strategies and supplier negotiation and management.
- *Time, Expense, and Resource Management*—This module offers web-based, self-service applications that increase employee productivity and performance by recording, approving, and tracking time and expenses, as well as managing resources. Key benefits include faster administration, streamlined and simplified processes, as well as reduced errors and discrepancies.
- *Professional Services Automation*—For organizations that offer the services of skilled staff on a project basis, the system can accommodate sophisticated project accounting and costing requirements. It offers full professional services automation functionality for project accountancy, resource management, and web-based time and expenses management and billing. This improves staff use and drives revenue recovery.
- *Integrated Analytics*—This module provides a comprehensive set of reporting and business intelligence solutions that enable you to turn your data into meaningful information, and deliver it to the right people at the right time. By providing the ability to drill down into the multiple dimensions of your financial and business information, our solutions deliver unique insight into every aspect that matters to you. The integrated analytics infrastructure allows integrated reporting and analysis of data in your



Infor FMS SunSystems applications and from other third-party or legacy applications in your organization.


- *Performance Management*—Infor FMS SunSystems can be used to generate, manage, and securely deliver critical business information to thousands of users across the web. Reports on key performance indicators (KPIs) can be integrated into your website or intranet, with personalized views provided to authorized users to ensure important information is highlighted quickly. Budgeting, planning and forecasting, consolidation, balanced scorecard, and risk management capabilities are all included.

Infor FMS SunSystems can be structured to match the operational controls your organization requires by providing various levels of security, automated rules, and flexible processes. The use of these rules can increase efficiency by reducing input errors, ensuring the right data is captured at the source. A proactive warning on events helps improve communication, which empowers employees to do their jobs better and ultimately helps decrease transaction costs. You'll also see results from the system's sophisticated functionality for the costing of inventory through the order fulfillment cycle.

See results now.

Packaged with smart functionality to address the key challenges CFOs face today, Infor FMS SunSystems requires less customization, shorter implementation time, and fewer IT resources to maintain. That means an immediate return on your investment, and lower total cost of ownership over the long term. The solution can be reconfigured quickly to support changes in financial administration style and business operations. In one effective solution, you get everything you need to:

- *Cut costs and create efficiency in finance processes.* Infor FMS SunSystems significantly reduces budget cycle times by providing a single, integrated environment for budgeting and forecasting.

 Infor FMS SunSystems is a proven, customer-driven solution that meets the full range of traditional and expanded business requirements facing today's CFO.

- *Improve corporate performance.* Greater visibility and transparency of data will help you more easily meet corporate governance demands. Real-time reporting and analysis means that users and stakeholders can better understand how the business is performing. Real-time alerts let you focus on areas that need immediate attention.
- *Integrate financial and operational data.* Finance and operational data can be integrated to provide a consistent and auditable solution for accurate reporting and budgeting across the enterprise.
- *Reduce errors and avoid data duplication.* Financial planning and budgeting data is integrated to the general ledger, reducing accounting errors.
- *Provide a consistent and auditable environment.* The solution provides audit trails and sophisticated data reconciliation functionality. And XML-based workflow technology makes it easier to comply with requirements such as Sarbanes-Oxley.
- *Work globally.* Infor FMS SunSystems is built to accommodate multiple languages and currencies, so it stands ready to support you wherever your business grows. We also support local statutory compliance.
- *Extend and elevate financial management.* Integrated solutions for performance management and business analytics provide the platform for the finance function to shift its focus from transaction processing to decision support. You gain the ability to predict the impact of changes in your business conditions and strategy.

Many of the world's largest multinationals have found that deploying Infor FMS SunSystems in their subsidiary operations gives them a low-risk solution that coexists alongside corporate ERP applications. They like the fact that our solutions are backed by a company with the business expertise, commitment, and scale to deliver the value our customers require. We are unique in our global reach, providing a combination of global functionality and local support that is unmatched by other business software providers—a combination that enables your applications to be up and running quickly wherever you need them.

About Infor.

Infor delivers business-specific software to enterprising organizations. With experience built in, Infor's solutions enable businesses of all sizes to be more enterprising and adapt to the rapid changes of a global marketplace. With more than 70,000 customers, Infor is changing what businesses expect from an enterprise software provider. For additional information, visit www.infor.com.

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