

Effectively Manage Your Global Enterprise



Decrease time to market for new products

Reduce production costs

Improve product quality

Ensure more accurate data

Increase collaboration

Infor ERP XA Enterprise Product Data Management (EPDM) — a critical component of the Infor ERP XA Java Architecture — links engineering to manufacturing, planning and scheduling into one comprehensive solution that enables you to effectively manage your global enterprise with powerful inquiry capabilities, integration with workflow and the necessary tools for creating and maintaining your product data.

The Challenge

In today's distributed enterprise, where development teams often consist of members from around the world who are collaborating on numerous projects at any given time, managing product data can be tricky. Failing to manage it effectively will unravel all of the hard work you have devoted to maintaining a balanced production structure.

The Infor Solution

With Infor ERP XA EPDM, you can control and manage your inventory on a global scale. Infor ERP XA EPDM makes it possible for organizations to share and maintain engineering data across multiple sites, reducing manual data entry needs. Infor ERP XA EPDM also encourages collaboration, enabling you to share all types of files electronically, including CAD drawings, illustrations, documents, graphs, spreadsheets and URL links.

Not sure about the plan you've made? Create simulation sites from existing sites to test item planning and costing changes before applying them to your real production operations. Then streamline maintenance and track changes so future plans benefit from your analysis. Visibility to the plan and related processes can also be an issue; fortunately, Infor ERP XA EPDM takes advantage of the Infor ERP XA Java Architecture features. Customize your own views to display the information the way you want it presented to you. Then navigate with a click to related processes to get the job done.

Features

Multi-site Maintenance

Maintain data for multiple sites — copy or “drag and drop” data between sites to save time and eliminate keystroke errors.

Sites

Create simulation sites from existing sites to test planning, and costing scenarios, and then apply the best version to your actual production operations. Quick change, Mass Change and Mass Delete functions available.

Multiple Revisions

Maintain multiple revisions of an item and use them in MPSP and MRP plans.

Routing Maintenance

Add, modify or delete routing operations directly from a card (client architecture). Maintain multiple routing versions for an item revision.

I discrete manufacturing

Infor takes pride in the 20 years of experience we have in the manufacturing industry. Using our deep base of industry knowledge and proven communications and planning applications, we help suppliers and manufacturers achieve their business goals.

We are passionately focused on providing comprehensive solutions that meet the unique challenges of the manufacturing industry on a global scale. Our solutions are comprehensive, open and modular, giving you the optimal choices to meet today's challenges and leverage tomorrow's opportunities.

Maintenance History

Get quick access to maintenance history that includes before and after scenarios.

Navigation

Use advanced navigation between processes via toolbar buttons, autogenerated menus, hierarchical tree structures and detail drill-down capabilities. See the data the way that you want to see it.

Security

Control access to content and the sequence of information viewed, while maintaining ease of use.

Reason Codes

Track engineering change orders; rename fields.

Visibility

Extend visibility of the product data to your vendors, suppliers and customers for integrated collaboration

Bill of Material

Maintain multiple Bills of Material for an item revision.

Communication

EPDM sends routings, facilities and associated costs to Production Control and Costing, sends Bills of Material, item processes and costs to planning. Provides Bills of Material, item numbers, item processes and cost information to inventory. Sends product structure detail for customer order/option items, and more.

Availability

MAPICS ERP for iSeries Release 4

Requirements

MAPICS CAS



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