


Top Reasons to Upgrade Infor ERP XA



➔ Make the most of new opportunities, avoid new risks, and get the most from your Infor ERP XA investment by upgrading to Release 7 today.

Would you rather change or get changed?

Face it, everything you know is wrong. Everything everyone knew a few months or years ago about the way business works has been proven wrong with a bang. You need to be prepared for change, lots of change. In an economy that's pushing every organization to reexamine its business model, you need all the agility you can get. By running the latest release of Infor™ ERP XA, your business can adjust rapidly to the most surprising changes in business conditions and take advantage of new opportunities.

Making the most of what you have.

Current customers using Infor ERP XA have an important advantage today. For 30 years our experts have helped companies like yours adapt to changing conditions. We've seen just about every kind of business challenge and learned how you can adapt quickly and profitably. What's more important, we've concentrated on creating business software with the greatest degree of flexibility so that you can adapt quickly to changing economies, markets, business models and regulations. When your business needs to change, we can help you change, too.

The Top Ten Reasons to Upgrade Infor ERP XA

You're smart to use ERP XA in the first place. You already know that there's no better way to keep your entire business process connected, integrated and on target. And Release 7 makes ERP XA the most flexible, powerful, adaptable ERP platform ever, including:

- **Maximum readiness for change.** Never have more businesses needed to change their business models all at once—manufacturers become distributors, distributors become dealers, dealers become web merchants. Infor ERP XA Release 7 builds on the latest technology and the best business practices so that you can respond instantly to the most abrupt shifts in your market.
- **Improved security.** Every day “black hat” operators find new ways to disrupt someone's business. Don't let your business fall victim. ERP XA Release 7 reduces your vulnerability to even the most sophisticated attacks and keeps you safe.
- **Better compliance with government regulations.** More government regulation is clearly on the way. Infor ERP XA Release 7 can bring you the fastest possible response to any new government regulations around the world.
- **Better Sarbanes-Oxley compliance.** The demands of the Sarbanes-Oxley law remain as stringent and confusing as ever. As new interpretations arise, you'll be able to incorporate changes rapidly to Release 7 to keep your company out of legal peril.
- **More ready to meet customer demands.** A few years ago, Wal-Mart demanded that all suppliers institute RFID inventory tracking. Many suppliers simply couldn't comply because their systems lacked the capacity to address that demand. Now that a few giant customers wield even more clout in the market, you may need the flexibility of ERP XA Release 7 to hold on to the customers that you already have.
- **Windows interface.** Today's replacement workforce grew up with the Microsoft™ Windows environment, so there's no reason for you to spend time and money training people on an older interface. Infor ERP XA Release 7 lets your employees work in the interface they already know.
- **Best for replacing home-grown apps.** If you've been augmenting your earlier ERP XA releases with home-grown

apps to suit your specific needs, you'll be better set to replace those applications with extensions to ERP XA Release 7 than ever before.

- **System i® Center of Excellence.** Our new System i Center of Excellence is a one-stop location for addressing the needs of companies who enjoy the performance and reliability of System i.
- **Support for latest releases.** All the newest features and improvements to ERP XA will be built for Release 7, which means that you'll always have the most productive and powerful tools available.
- **You already have it.** Today you need to get the most from the resources that you already have. It only makes sense to get maximum value from all the installation, training, and customization you've already invested in your System i solutions.

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