

Query & Analysis

➔ Infor FMS Query & Analysis gives you a rapid understanding of the trends and patterns that drive your business and provides answers to critical business questions on demand with minimal IT involvement.



Do business better.

Business success demands a strong sense of direction and focus. Whether you're acquiring new companies, launching a new product, or finding a new way to beat the competition, knowing where you're headed and why is the key to top performance.

Leverage experience.

Excellent outcomes demand real business intelligence and reporting proficiency so that managers at all levels of your organization get the information they need to make strategic decisions. With so much at stake, you need an information technology partner with the strength and experience to help you reach your goals—Infor™ is that partner. We deliver proven, business-specific solutions with experience built in.

Get business specific.

Infor FMS Query & Analysis (formerly Vision) delivers a set of dynamic, multi-language, multi-currency business intelligence tools that are powerful, flexible, secure, and exceptionally easy to use. It integrates with Microsoft® Office for quick adoption by business users with minimal training and technical skills. Through familiar desktop applications, users can quickly and efficiently create reports that highlight trends, patterns, and exceptions. Because the solution requires only minimal IT involvement, maintenance is easy too. By getting the right information to the right people at the right time, Query & Analysis makes it easy for managers to analyze business data and accurately measure performance. Non-technical users can

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take direct advantage of powerful analytical capabilities without relying on IT. Users can even drill down to view supporting transactional information. The flexibility of Query & Analysis helps users to make many different kinds of inquiries and supports multiple options for visualizing data, including formatted reports, dashboards, and charts.

Principal components include:

Query & Analysis XL

Query & Analysis XL is an add-in for Microsoft Excel® that provides a faster, easier, and more adaptable way to analyze business data. You don't need to understand sophisticated database structures to create reports, since Query & Analysis provides that information in an intuitive user interface with common names for database structures. Features include the ability to publish reports to the web, report and query wizards, report designer, extract modes for statistical reporting, macro builder for automating XL functions, and security features.

Query & Analysis Executive

To give you a top-down view of the entire business, Query & Analysis Executive gives you dynamic analysis and reporting tools that include powerful ad-hoc analytical capabilities. It allows you to drill down, expand, break out, and analyze trends, problems, and opportunities that are often concealed within corporate transactional data. You can also save frequently used analysis procedures, combine data from multiple applications into a consolidated report, and publish reports to the web.

All Query & Analysis components take advantage of an intelligent metadata layer to expose enterprise data in an intuitive manner. We offer a number of pre-built integrations for Infor systems including Infor FMS SunSystems, Infor FMS SmartStream, and others. In addition, we offer an optional, integrated development studio that enables you to connect Q&A to other systems by allowing you to create or modify the metadata layers that describe your data in normal business terms. The combined solution makes it easier for business users at all levels to access data on their own.

See results now.

Infor FMS Query & Analysis provides analytics, business intelligence, reporting, and alerting software using familiar desktop tools. It also helps your company generate a fast return on your investment by:

- Getting users up and running very quickly with minimal IT involvement.
- Displaying a better understanding of trends, patterns, and exceptions affecting your business.
- Providing answers to critical business questions on demand.

About Infor.

Infor acquires and develops functionally rich software backed by thousands of domain experts and then makes it better through continuous innovation, faster implementation options, global enablement, and flexible buying options. In a few short years, Infor has become one of the largest providers of business software in the world. For additional information, visit www.infor.com.

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