

Infor Birst connectivity

BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE

Access data from thousands of sources with Infor Birst's Connectivity Framework

Big data, small data, fast data. Organizations today must deal with an explosion of data spread across disparate systems: data warehouses, business applications, personal files, and big data platforms, as well as relational, non-relational, cloud, on-premises, and the list goes on. Combining and making sense of all this data has traditionally been a huge effort that impedes agile decision-making, which, in turn, impacts organizational performance and lowers employee productivity.

With Infor® Birst's Connectivity Framework, business users can easily and rapidly connect to any source of data across their entire organization and present a unified view of their business using Birst's next-generation enterprise BI platform. Now, all the disconnected spreadsheets, databases, and applications can be connected and refined in one interwoven analytical fabric, giving companies a richer understanding of their businesses. Infor Birst® enables companies to quickly and easily reach all their data wherever it lives.

Infor Birst Connectivity Framework

Birst provides a framework that enables companies to configure scalable access to thousands of sources with minimal effort. Also, Birst offers an extensive library of pre-built connectors to hundreds of popular systems based on technologies such as JDBC, ODBC, REST, JSON, MDX, and more.

With Birst's Connectivity Framework, organizations can:

- Configure a specific connector to any source in less than a day, without writing code
- Create connections customized to their specific business case.
- Deliver scalable analytics quickly to the entire organization.

The Infor difference

Other BI vendors offer hard-coded connectors that limit what companies can do. If a user needs to access a specific field that isn't already supported, they must wait for the vendor to release a new update to the connector. This results in frustrating delays and costly professional services expenses.

In contrast, Birst's Connectivity Framework gives our customers the ability to configure a connector to their specific requirements, and update the configuration as needed without depending on the vendor.

Modern enterprise-class architecture

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| INFOR BIRST CONNECTORS | | | | | | | | |
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| ACORD | Facebook | Lotus Notes™ | Oracle E-Business Suite | Snowflake | | | | |
| Actian | FileList | Marketo® | Oracle Hyperion Essbase | SOAP Web Services | | | | |
| Adobe® PDF | Finario® | Microsoft® Analysis Services | Oracle JD Edwards® | StrikeIron™ | | | | |
| Amazon DynamoDB® | FpML™ | Microsoft Azure® | Oracle Peoplesoft™ | SugarCRM® | | | | |
| Amazon Redshift® | Gallagher Benefits | Microsoft Dynamics® | Oracle Taleo™ | SWIFT | | | | |
| Amazon® S3 | Google Analytics™ | Microsoft Excel® | ParAccel | Sybase IQ | | | | |
| Apache Drill | Google BigQuery™ | Microsoft PowerPoint® | PostgreSQL™ | Talus Labs | | | | |
| Avature® | Greenplum™ | Microsoft SQL Server® | Quickbooks® | Teradata® | | | | |
| BAI | Hadoop™/HIVE | Microsoft Word | REST Web Services | Thomson Reuters | | | | |
| Bazaarvoice® | HL7 | Mismo | RiskMeter® | Tibco® | | | | |
| Bloomberg™ | HP® Service Manager | Mondrian® | RosettaNet® | Twist | | | | |
| Cassandra™ | HP Vertica | MongoDB® | Salesforce.com® | Twitter | | | | |
| Chatter | IBM DB2® | MSMQ | Salsa | UNIFI® | | | | |
| Cloudera Impala™ | IBM [®] Netezza | MySQL® | SAP [®] BW | Veeva™ | | | | |
| Concur® | IFX | NACHA™ | SAP ECC | Velocify [®] | | | | |
| Coupa® | Infobright® | NCPDP™ | SAP HANA® | Vertica | | | | |
| CSV, TXT | Infor [®] Data Lake | NetSuite® | SAS | VisualStudio | | | | |
| Cvent™ | InterSystems Cache™ | Netsuite OpenAir | SEPA tm | webMethods Broker | | | | |
| DataSift® | JDBC™ | OAGi® | ServiceNow® | Workday® | | | | |
| Dropbox® | JIRA™ | OData | SFTP | Xactly® | | | | |
| DTCC | JSON | ODBC | Sharepoint® | Zuora® | | | | |
| EBMS | Kapow | Oracle [®] CPQ Cloud | Siebel | | | | | |
| Exasol™ | LinkedIn | Oracle Database | SIX Telekurs | | | | | |
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Data sources in **bold** are included with an Infor Birst platform subscription.

Can't find your data?

Don't worry, Birst's Connectivity Framework supports thousands of additional data sources such as Basecamp, DocuSign®, ExactTarget®, HubSpot®, Instagram, Jive®, New Relic®, Percolate, Twilio®, YouTube™, and many more. Please consult with your Infor representative to confirm whether your required source system is supported.







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