

# OpenText™ Report & Output Management for Content Server

Manage reports and other output as part of your enterprise information management (EIM) strategy

Output from enterprise resource planning (ERP) and other applications can and should be included as part of your EIM strategy. Incorporating this content into your OpenText EIM system allows you to provide controlled distribution with security and access controls to ensure that people who need to view and print reports and other output can do so, even if they aren't able to open the source application.

Packaged applications like Oracle® E-Business Suite, PeopleSoft®, and SAP®, as well as custom, mainframe, or legacy applications, generate output that can be managed like other enterprise content. OpenText™ Report & Output Management can ingest this semi-structured content, transform the information into compatible formats, and expose it within OpenText™ Content Server, OpenText™ Document Management, eDOCS Edition, and Microsoft® SharePoint®. Report & Output Management for Content Server extends an organization's EIM strategy to include output from ERP and mainframe applications, and gives business users a single source and consistent user experience to search for, view, and print this content.

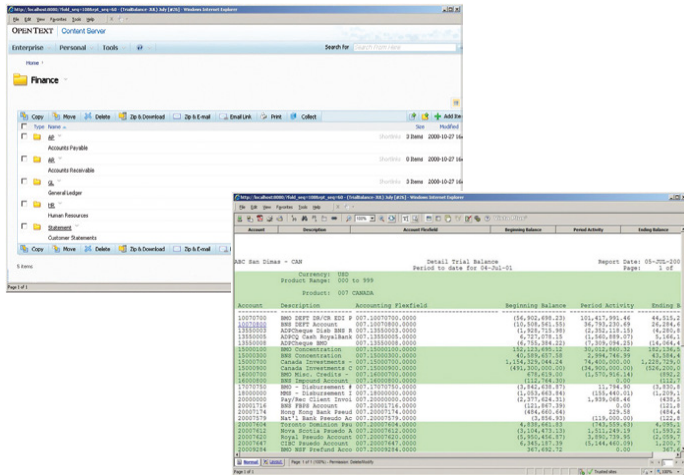
OpenText Content Server acts as the central repository and foundation for OpenText EIM. With a combination of Report & Output Management for Content Server and the OpenText™ Output Transformation suite, batch output such as financial reports, inventory reports, invoices, and statements can be ingested and accessed by repositories where such formats are not natively supported.

Users gain the ability to search for and access reports directly from Content Server, eDOCS DM, or SharePoint. However, users are presented only with report content that is specific to their requirements or access rights, which could include entire reports, report segments, or specific pages. Report viewing capabilities include annotations, search and sub-reporting, selective printing, extraction, hyperlink access to reports, drill down, page-level security, and more.

## KEY BENEFITS

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- *Extend EIM to your mainframe system, ERP applications, and other semi-structured content to enhance the value of your investment in the OpenText ECM suite*
- *Consolidate access to all content, including mainframe and ERP report output, through a single interface*
- *Offer self-service access (electronic bill and statement presentment) for customer billing, statements, invoices, and other documents*
- *Set access rights for entire reports, report segments, or specific pages*
- *Leverage the retention, accessibility, and auditability of fixed content managed in a compliant repository*
- *Reduce IT backlog associated with custom report generation*



## Bring Mainframe Reports to Content Server Users

For many organizations, it makes sense to leverage their past investments in mainframe systems to unlock the business-critical information they contain. Mainframe systems remain an integral part of most enterprises, but integrating mainframe content into new systems and initiatives can also prove difficult.

As a result, that content is often inaccessible to a broad range of employees who could benefit from access to it.

The Output Transformation suite addresses this challenge by providing industry-leading technology that can transform mainframe content into the appropriate format prior to loading into Content Server. This step essentially “mainframe-enables” Content Server, providing the ability to ingest mainframe-generated content not natively supported by Content Server. This capability reduces IT backlog associated with custom report generation and it enhances the value of your investment in the OpenText enterprise content management (ECM) suite.

**Report content is now searchable and viewable directly within Content Server, and is available from any location with a standard browser client**

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