OpenText Extended ECM for Microsoft Office 365

Connect leading ERP, CRM and HCM applications to Microsoft Office 365 content

Solution overview

Organizations must be nimble in today’s rapidly evolving digital world. Many companies have responded by using Microsoft® Office 365® for cloud computing to help their mobile workforce improve productivity. Yet, companies still struggle with dated and inefficient internal systems and processes.

Silos of data in leading business applications, complex linear processes and disparate application landscapes are all barriers to digital transformation. Companies using ERP, CRM and HCM systems, such as SAP®, Oracle®, Microsoft® Dynamics® or Salesforce®, find it difficult to provide users with a holistic view of important information. This leads to decisions made with incomplete information and time spent searching for what is needed. In addition, Office 365 users can’t efficiently use content in Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) and Customer Relationship Management (CRM) systems.

In the pursuit of a single source of truth, organizations are realizing it is critical to fully integrate Office 365 into ERP, CRM, Human Capital Management (HCM) and other critical processes.

OpenText™ Extended ECM for Microsoft® Office 365™ provides the critical connection between content and business processes that enables organizations to maximize their investment in Office 365 and accelerate efficiencies across their enterprise. By transforming to process-driven collaboration and integrating key business systems such as ERP, CRM and HCM with Office 365, users have the right information at their disposal, leading to improved efficiency and compliant and controlled information.

Increase worker and team productivity

Simplify business processes across ERP, CRM and HCM

Maintain control over enterprise information
Increase worker and team productivity

Users can collaborate in the familiar Office 365 environment with quick access to content in leading business applications. This facilitates quick, simple and intuitive collaboration with virtual teams, getting more done in less time.

Simplify business processes across ERP, CRM and HCM

Processes are more efficient when structured and unstructured content is shared between Office 365 and critical business applications such as SAP, Oracle, Microsoft Dynamics or Salesforce. This 360-degree view of all content and information, no matter where it resides, accelerates the processes that drive business.

Maintain control over enterprise information

The exponential growth of unmanaged, unstructured content is a rising regulatory and legal risk for many organizations. Extended ECM for Office 365 mitigates these risks by applying records management classifications to all unstructured content, whether it is created by users in Office 365 or business applications, to control its entire lifecycle from creation through archiving to destruction.

Bridging the gap with business workspaces

Most content created in Office 365, from emails to formal documents, such as a contract, is related to business processes. Without the context of the underlying business process, business-critical content becomes difficult to find and manage, which leads to duplicate or lost work and legal risks.

Extended ECM for Microsoft Office 365 enables the creation of business workspaces for specific projects and activities. These workspaces permit direct access to core business objects and processes. The workspaces can display ERP, CRM and HCM data in the familiar Office 365 user interface together with unstructured content, such as Office 365 documents. This helps users increase productivity and save time from trying to find the related information in their ERP, CRM and HCM system.

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Offering enterprise-strength content management

OpenText offers comprehensive capabilities to manage all enterprise content and connect Office 365 to critical business processes.

The solution builds upon the OpenText Extended ECM 20.2 platform, developed in a cloud-native architecture that allows customers the choice of where to deploy from on-premises to hyperscaler platforms. The new architecture allows customers to deploy and upgrade faster, allowing end users faster access to new features.

OpenText draws on more than 20 years of expertise and an exclusive focus on content management and information governance.

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Connect Microsoft Office 365 content to key business processes with OpenText Business Workspaces, streamlining business and providing a single source of truth.

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