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BUSINESS ANALYTICS

Gain business insight, make faster, smarter decisions, and equip employees to drive business performance with Business Analytics in Microsoft Dynamics® NAV 2009. Help ensure that everyone in your organization has easy access to the accurate, real-time data they need to identify trends and spot potential problems, and give them the ability to generate reports that fuel strategic, operational decisions.

Business Analytics in Microsoft Dynamics NAV helps you transform company data from almost any source into intelligent dashboards, revealing analysis and insightful reports—all in fewer clicks. Take advantage of predefined online analytical processing (OLAP) cubes or define your own, then create graphical displays and reports featuring the information each user needs.

With the ability to deliver deep business intelligence throughout the organization in a form that is easy to view and understand, you can empower employees to make collaborative, strategic decisions. Because Business Analytics in Microsoft Dynamics NAV is simple to use, everyone in the organization gets the perspective they need to keep performance on track.

ACCOUNT SCHEDULES MINI-SESSION

Just a quick reminder of our user group mini-session Thursday, June 4 from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in our conference room. Kerry Rosvold of Augsburg Fortress Publishing will lead a session on account schedules. She will cover the basics of account schedules (row and column setup, formulas, formatting, date filters), creating common schedules, and using account schedules with budgets and dimensions. The idea of a user-led session was very well-received at our last user's group and from early registration this topic seems to hold a great deal of interest with people. Please call Puja at ext. 106 or Dee at ext. 112 to register for this session or if you would like a more detailed agenda.

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DATABASE OPTIONS IN NAV 2009 SP1

Today, Microsoft Dynamics NAV 2009 contains two database stacks: The Classic Client, working on either the native NAV database or Microsoft SQL Server database, and the RoleTailored Client with the new user experience which works exclusively on the Microsoft SQL Server database. Microsoft Dynamics NAV 2009 SP1 will include both stacks as well; however, Microsoft SQL Server is the preferred database for Microsoft Dynamics NAV in all future releases. Therefore, we recommend that existing customers and partners consider this when they are planning an upgrade to Microsoft Dynamics NAV 2009 SP1

SALES AND PURCHASE DOCUMENT APPROVALS IN 5.0

Speed critical documents through your sales and purchase processes, standardize approval workflows, and enforce approval limits. With Microsoft Dynamics NAV, you can set up e-mail approval chains, define approval limits, and even substitute approvers to keep critical business processes moving.

Paper-based approvals can slow business to a crawl when critical documents such as sales and purchase orders are lost, misplaced, misrouted, or left sitting in inboxes when approvers are out of the office. Sales and Purchase Document Approval in Microsoft Dynamics NAV speeds order processing and helps make sure the right people are making approvals with e-mail notifications for quotes, sales and purchase orders, invoices, credit memos, blanket orders, and other important documents. Documents can reach approvers wherever they get e-mail, so your business can keep moving without delays.

SUPPORT

Problems with your system or questions about how to get something new to work correctly for you? Call the support hotline. The hotline will be able to open a support request for you. If the hotline is not able to answer your questions immediately they will get in touch with your project manager and get you an answer as soon as possible.

NEW EMPLOYEE

Solution Dynamics is pleased to welcome Nicole Barabash to our staff.

Nicole is the newest member of our programming staff. Originally from Brandon, Manitoba, Canada, she brings her college background in Business Administration and experience as a manager to Solution Dynamics. Nicole recently graduated with distinction with a degree in Software Development from Brown College, and has experience with a variety of programming languages. In her free time Nicole is an avid reader and enjoys spending time with her husband and two children.



NAV2009 Benefits

Enhance personal productivity. Role-Centers provide employees with

RoleTailored views that empower them to accomplish more each day with a clear overview of relevant tasks and information.

- Connect, adapt, and grow. Flexible three-tier architecture simplifies the process of add-in new functionality, integrating Microsoft Dynamics NAV 2009 with other line-of-business systems and growing the solution as your needs change.