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Content Transformation Services (CTS)

Technology Description

Content Transformation Services (CTS) is a technology that simplifies the process of moving content and metadata between various repositories. It does this by a standardized document definition. Regardless of which repository or which taxonomy, all documents and their classification can be represented in this standardized xml-based approach. Document classifications can be transformed from one taxonomy to another to simplify the exchange of content and metadata between systems or between parties.

CTS goes beyond the typical approach of simply connecting to multiple repositories. By abstracting the content and metadata, it can be unlocked and re-used in ways never before possible. Documents can be exported from one system for later import to another without the need for direct connection or integration between the two. Alternatively, if both systems are simultaneously available, content can be copied directly from one to the other.

Export, import and migration of content can now be performed with the ease of drag and drop. In addition, repository taxonomies can be reported and compared against each other even for different systems.

CTS is integrated with IBM FileNet P8, IBM FileNet Content Services and Lotus Notes.

Features & Benefits

- Easily move or copy content and metadata across many different platforms, even non ECM platforms.
- Simplify taxonomy auditing and reporting.
- Express project specific business rules in auditable, reusable format.
- Bulk load from virtually any index format.
- Consolidate content from multiple repositories and/or taxonomies into one.

IBM Segment
- Enterprise Content Management

Business Function
- Migration
- Transformation

Target Industry
- Cross Industry

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Value Proposition

If you need to export, import or migrate content, then ECMG's Content Transformation Services is for you. Unlike any other product, CTS makes it easy to unlock content from the confines of its current format.   If you regularly receive content from outside sources or need to provide it to customers or business partners, handling all the various formatting requirements is greatly simplified.

If you are trying to consolidate content so you can decommission redundant or multiple systems, you know how difficult it can be to move content from one to another. Although different repositories have different object models, APIs and configurations, the basic concept of a document, a version, a set of properties is universal. CTS is based on this idea. Simplify a document down to its essentials and it can be made portable for many different uses. Saving documents to and importing documents from a standardized xml format breaks down the traditional barriers between different repository types and configurations.

Altering the classification of a document while in the standardized format by a rules-based engine means that document classifications can be translated across any repository. CTS breaks down all of the traditional barriers.

Company Description

ECMG, LLC (Enterprise Content Management Group, LLC) is a software and consulting company, focused entirely on Enterprise Content Management (ECM). The ECMG team was founded in 2005 by experienced ECM professionals with a particular focus on the IBM FileNet P8 suite of products. Content Transformation Services (CTS) is ECMG's suite of ECM tools.

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