

DB2. Information Management Software

IBM® Implementation Services for DB2® Information Integrator



Highlights

- Uses proven engagement techniques for product installation and configuration
- Enables IT team to focus on business-related activities rather than technical enablement
- Educate your employees with data replication scenarios and upgrade strategies
- Deploy diverse methods of accessing data stores across the enterprise

Integrating multiple data sources for improved information access

Many companies' information technology (IT) infrastructures contain multiple types and brands of databases. To optimize capabilities, and to leverage information and data for improved decision making, companies are seeking to implement data replication strategies across multiple, multi-vendor relational and non-relational database systems (XML, Excel, Web Content, Flat Files, Message Queues, Content Repositories) to better coordinate applications and systems. Yet, historically, creating replication strategies across these different database systems has been technically challenging.

IBM Implementation Services for DB2 Information Integrator, uses the Internet to help customers replicate, join and integrate multiple databases to create more efficient ways to access, store and mine information across the enterprise. The solution helps IBM DB2 Universal Database™ customers establish connectivity for data access and linkage to almost any database and non-relational database environment.

Relying on the experience of a global team

Your company's ability to identify new market opportunities, measure the effectiveness of marketing campaigns and monitor corporate growth can be improved through replication and joint strategies. IBM Implementation Services for DB2 Information Integrator builds on our service experience and product depth to help you accelerate your return on investment. By providing a comprehensive solution and shortening configuration time, we can help you make the most of your data and IT investments.

Applying established engagement techniques

IBM Implementation Services for DB2 Information Integrator is centered around three core components:

- IBM DB2 Universal Database links distributed IBM relational databases into a cohesive and integrated database solution.
- IBM DB2 Federated Database
 Support a multi-database server that
 is designed to provide high levels
 of data access and seamlessly
 integrate enterprise wide data.
 IBM and multi-vendor, relational,
 non-relational, local, remote and
 geographic data can be viewed as
 if it were local.
- IBM DataPropagator™ a data replication solution for relational environments.

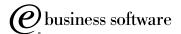
The combination of these three products allows for a replication strategy that supports the development of data warehouses, client/server applications or mobile computing across the enterprise.

Providing basic skills instruction

Although many companies have large, capable IT teams, the specialization of these resources into mainframe, client and distributed skill sets leaves an expertise gap when it comes to cross-technology solutions. IBM Implementation Services for DB2 Information Integrator provides basic instruction for your employees on replication strategies so they can learn how to best use legacy applications in a distributed environment.

What's Involved

This service offering is based on tested IBM engagement techniques, and includes the following implementation



phases:

- Installation planning
- Installation, configuration and verification testing of the product
- Configuration and Strategies for access of Data Sources across the Enterprise
- Operational customization
- Basic skills transfer during the course of the engagement
- Installation record
- Upgrade strategies and assistance for migrating to DB2 Information Integrator

Focusing on day-to-day business rather than technical enablement

The people of IBM Global Services
- Integrated Technology Services have
extensive experience in developing,
deploying and supporting database
replication solutions. By using IBM
Implementation Services for DB2
Information Integrator, you can be
confident that your implementation
will go smoothly and quickly. Our
professionals will help you better
exploit the value of your data while
your IT team focuses on the day-to-day
aspects of running your business.

IBM Software Services for Data
Management and IBM Global
Services work closely to provide
you with expertise in all aspects
of your information management
solution; whether you're looking for
deep product expertise, business
consulting, or project management,
you can rely on experienced consulting
services from IBM.

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