



Business Intelligence



Business Objects

COMSYS recently acquired Praeos Technologies Inc., a leading Atlanta-based provider of IT consulting services specializing in the business intelligence, data warehousing and analytics sectors.

Praeos' strong practice in business intelligence and data warehousing have become the platform for these services offerings within the COMSYS Managed Solutions Group. Together, these combined business intelligence practices, now called COMSYS BI Practice make COMSYS a leading provider in these sectors.

The COMSYS BI Practice, a BusinessObjects consulting partner, provides professional services based on our proven methodologies and best practices. We help you get the most from your BusinessObjects technical and intellectual investments.

As markets and priorities shift, organizations are forced to grow, condense, refocus, reprioritize or just plain change to keep up. Your organization needs the BusinessObjects solution more than ever to support the business vision and help leaders navigate through these changes.

The COMSYS BI Practice, part of COMSYS' Managed Solutions, offers clients an unparalleled BusinessObjects consulting experience including:

- Project management with end to end consulting
- Business process consulting and redesign
- Data quality assessments and implementations
- Technical implementations
- Data delivery
- Report dashboard and portal design and delivery
- User and IT training and knowledge transfer
- Migration services



THE WHOLE PICTURE

Not only do we offer expertise with both the technical and functional aspects of the BusinessObjects suite, but because our consultants are part of the COMSYS BI Practice, they come with a deep understanding of data structures and data quality and with real experience implementing Business Intelligence solutions either standalone or as part of a broader program.

We work at the enterprise level, managing more than just report design and development.

The COMSYS BI team, in addition to providing BusinessObjects consulting services also includes environment assessments, data integration, data quality analysis, technical architecture design, data warehouse architecture design and modeling, testing, and training services.

Our data modeling experience allows us to implement complex business processes in the BusinessObjects universe and maintain transparency to the end-user. We are able to implement multiple level fact and aggregate tables within the same universe, using contexts to control the complexity. For the end users, all they see is an organized, logical, usable, ad-hoc and canned reporting front-end.

We have a strong process driven approach to planning and requirements activities that lead to the design of the BusinessObjects universe. Our goal is to plan so that one universe meets all reporting requirements and future ad hoc needs and that users only have to maintain one universe, rather than multiple universes meeting different needs.

When having one universe doesn't make the most sense, our team will help you implement a 'linked universe' concept, wherein a single universe with all the conformed dimensions offers a central place to maintain the static dimensions and metadata.

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Our BI practice includes some of the best data integration consultants in the data warehousing space who can help determine if your BusinessObjects implementation capabilities can be improved through changes within BusinessObjects or in the ETL processing, data warehouse or data marts.

QUALITY DATA & QUALITY SERVICES

Our practice emphasis has always been on data quality as it is the cornerstone to a strong BI implementation. Our consultants will work with you to ensure you have the right processes in place to generate, detect, move and report on quality data. We will help you implement quality controls both within the BusinessObjects application, as well in the processes and integration that feed into the BusinessObjects application. The BI practice team can help you define and initiate a data governance program that will help ensure continuing data quality and consistent data definitions.

Our methodologies and best practices are built on a data quality platform, with all activities contributing to the highest quality data. This methodology fits naturally in with SAP and BusinessObject’s emphasis on delivering accurate and timely data.

KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER

Knowledge Transfer is a fundamental part of the COMSYS implementation process for the BusinessObjects suite. In fact it is built into every phase of our methodology. Our team places a tremendous emphasis on not only ensuring users know how to use the BusinessObjects features, but also understand where their data came from and what it means to their business.

WORKING TOGETHER

Our consultants can help you with a large or small BusinessObjects project, or a BusinessObjects initiative that is part of a broader Business Intelligence or Data Warehousing program. We can help you:

- Define and manage project scope
- Develop and execute a Communications Plan to educate other business areas on the benefits, and potential within your BI and BusinessObjects program
- Develop ROIs and case Studies to support the project and “gut feel”

- Create a BO/BI roadmap with priorities, dependencies and constraints
- Gather the right requirements from the right people
- Build reports, portals and dashboards that satisfy the user and “wow” the executives
- Define the power user and data steward functions and then train and deploy these resources
- Manage the data training process to ensure users know what data they have, where it came from and what they can do with it
- Migrate from your current version to the latest versions of BusinessObjects

COMSYS RESULTS

When you partner with COMSYS BI, you can expect:

- Expanded use of tool, and data across organization
- Better understanding of data
- More confidence in data
- More powerful operational dashboards and reports
- Better business decisions



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