



Oracle EBS R12 Upgrade Roadmap for Airports

Intelligroup and Air Prime have assisted over 300 customers in planning and implementing Oracle Release 12.x upgrade. Through this experience we have identified the top 5 reasons for IT leaders to invest in a controlled upgrade as:

Top 5 reasons for R12 Upgrade:

- Risk of being de-supported on earlier releases
- Reduce the Total Cost of Ownership by eliminating or reducing Customization
- Rationalize Applications and use Oracle R12 'Out-of-Box' new functionalities
- Unify Processes, Increase Compliance and Reduce Cost of Compliance
- Improve "Production" cycle time—from months to days

In addition our Upgrade Planning assistance has led several customers to also adapt:

- Optimization of Business Process and adapting to R12 Architecture and new functionalities
- Establish a scalable Business process Integration by leveraging SOA/AIA tools available with R12 Tech Stack.

Intelligroup, an NTT DATA Group company has a successful recognized track record for delivering accelerated, innovative and cost effective Oracle Release 12 upgrades. We have conducted assessments at over 300 customers and implemented over 30 upgrades. Our upgrade customer portfolio includes some of the leading market giants both in Large and SME business segments.

AirPrime specializes in upgrading and extending airport ERPs, and helping airport users get the most from their ERP through re-training and developing operation procedure documentation. Air Prime has completed numerous business system projects at more than 20 North American airports over the last 10 years.

Common Upgrade Challenges

- Accurate Inventory of Customization that drives predictability in assessing impact, and estimate remediation effort

- Complexity in assessing Impact on Custom Profiles, Roles and Responsibilities
- Determine Data Archive and Purge Strategy - Increase performance and reduce Upgrade downtime
- Testing & qualifications— effective test strategy in environment commonly missing test assets Or out of sync test assets
- Training Efforts – User Adoption training on changed and new functionality moving to R12.

The INTELLIWAY partners with Air Prime for successful Airport Oracle Release 12.x upgrades

Intelligroup lays a structured roadmap for the upgrade lifecycle right from initial planning through live implementations, (enabling quick access to new functionalities and enhancements) and post upgrade support. Intelligroup's approach to Oracle Release 12 migration comprises of the following key Activities:

- Upgrade Assessment
- R12 technology Stack upgrade and Applications Upgrade
- Customization Remediation and Deployment
- Integration test Cycle(s)
- End User Training
- Acceptance testing
- Production upgrade
- Month end close support and Transition

Our proven upgrade delivery methodology built on a Global Delivery model guarantees:

- Technical stack upgrade Assessment results within five days
- Technical stack upgrade in 60 days
- Our Global Delivery Model ensures nil to minimal use of your computers, office space and meeting rooms to a small army of consultants at your airport. This model also assures you access to our Airport business aware single point of contact present all times to address incidents.

Accelerate and Reduce Costs with Optimizer for effective Upgrade Planning

You can now accelerate your Oracle R12.1 upgrades using our proprietary tool – Optimizer. It cost-effectively analyzes your current system before the actual start of an upgrade and gives you a clear picture of an upgrade resulting in significant reduction of total costs compared to the traditional upgrade processes. It takes only a couple of days to intelligently plan, budget, and manage your upgrade with no downtime or disruption to your current environment.

Upgrade today!! For an easy future Fusion transition

It's the perfect timing for Oracle Release 12.x upgrade. This will further ease off the migration efforts required for the future Oracle Fusion application.

Representative Case Study

The Challenge

- End of Oracle Support
- High Maintenance and licensing costs
- Performance Issues due to Outdated application and technology stack

Solution Highlights

- Functional Modules Included Financials, Project Accounting and HRMS suite
- Utilized Oracle R12 Optimizer for Technical Upgrade
- Upgraded Oracle data base from 9 to 10g
- Integration with Other Property Management & Leasing management Applications
- Platform migration from windows to Linux
- Discoverer upgrade from 4i to 10g
- Upgraded Database tier from 32 Bit to 64 Bit architecture to reduce memory fragmentation issues
- Maximum business benefits from the new functionalities of R12.

Order Today!!!!

ORACLE Release 12 Upgrade Assessment

Intelligroup offers a comprehensive Upgrade Assessment program which helps in Planning and presenting a Business Plan for project Approval.

R12 Upgrade Assessment Deliverables

- Customization Migration Strategy
- Technical Architecture recommendations necessary for a successful Upgrade
- Recommendations on "Low Hanging Fruits" New R12 Functionality which can be easily enabled without Business Process Re-engineering which is relevant to Customer environment
- Migration path for Functionality / Process in current usage , that has changed in R12
- Archive and Purge recommendations (Optional)
- Test Accelerators for Standard Business Processes (Optional)
- E-learning package for Customers wanting to learn the Functionality updates in R12.

Overall the Assessment effort summarizes the above in helping arrive at detail Upgrade Business Plan:

- Detail Scope of Upgrade
- Detail Project Plan for Steps
- Timeline and effort estimates
- Resource requirements from Customer
- Assumptions
- Roadmap to Optimizing the R12 environment post upgrade

We envision the upgrade Assessment is of 1-2 weeks in duration depending on the landscape and the size of the customer.

***Intelligroup uses its proprietary tool for upgrade assessments*

ORACLE Upgrade Best Practice's Kit

Intelligroup's Oracle upgrade best practice kit has been leveraged by many customers. Using our Best Practice Kit, we further enhance your upgrade strategy. We include the following components as highlighted below:

- **Master Data Management** – Real time data access is mission critical for faster decision making. We work with you in the upgrade planning phase to re-define your entire master data management strategy. Some of the key activities include data archiving, data cleansing and data mining. This process helps in accelerating the data migration efforts during the upgrade.
- **Upgrade Testing** – Intelligroup has proven capabilities and expertise for upgrade testing cycle leveraging test automation tools and manual test scripts. Customers can leverage Oracle ATS tool for functional and load testing.
- **User Productivity Kit (UPK)** –Oracle UPK can reduce project inherent risks and manage change by generating critical documentation, training and support materials to drive project team and user productivity throughout the lifecycle of Oracle applications and product suites. Intelligroup UPK implementation methodology will deliver maximum user performance and speed-up time-to-productivity.

Enhance your Operational and Financial visibility using Hyperion and OBIEE suite

Real time Operational and financial performance insights are a key demand for every company executive. You can further strengthen your overall Organizational strategy by leveraging Hyperion and OBIEE platforms for a better decision making platform Intelligroup takes a holistic approach implementation. Our industry best practices, defined methodologies, and leading applications to create a unified, enterprise-wide performance management solution, enable customers with an innovative reporting and analysis platform.

The Global Delivery Advantage

Having pioneered the Onsite/Offshore Global delivery Model since 1994, Intelligroup has more than 15 Years experience in Offshore ERP Services utilizing Critical-to-Quality (CTQ) Metrics & Flexible Engagement Model. We work with you closely to recommend the best resource utilization practices with associated cost and business benefits.

Inventory of all Custom Objects being migrated to R12.x

Impact analysis on code being migrated to R12

Impact analysis includes Profiles & Personalization

Effort estimate on remediation and migration of customizations

Information on data volumes on transaction tables to help in archive/purge decisions before an upgrade

Utility can be run before and after the upgrade to make sure there are no custom objects left out for migration



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