

Case Study

Customer Background

The client is a global consortium specializing in vehicle component manufacturing. The company has more than 25000 customers with operations spread across 130+ countries. Their 43 subsidiaries and 14 production facilities provide customized equipment for the Construction, Transportation and Mining Segments. Having started its operations in India almost 22 years ago, the company today has 5 manufacturing plants across geographical regions in the country.

Business Case

Being part of a global entity, and also a fully functional Indian subsidiary led to challenges in terms of dual rules and standards to be followed. The company was facing issues with regards to the manual effort spent in consolidating financial and tax information. Cost Accounting processes were extremely tedious with high possibilities for human errors. Tracking actual vs. estimated product cost was a critical requirement for evaluating the financial performance for this company. Maintaining multiple disparate systems were proving to be expensive in terms of time, effort and cost.



India's Leading Automotive Manufacturer and Supplier Implements Infor LN FP 6

Highlights

Industry: Discrete Manufacturing

Employees: 2000+
Project Location: India
Engagement Since: 2008

Solution Snapshot:

- Production Planning
- Barcode Scanning at Warehouse
- Subcontracting Support
- India Taxation

Environment:

- Operating system Linux
- Database Oracle

Modules:

- Planning
- Inventory
- Warehouse
- Finance
- Sales
- Tax

Customer Speak:

"Our organization is satisfied with the support services provided by Godrej Infotech Ltd. during the Support Contact Period. Quality of services in content and delivery is appreciable. In more than one year from the implementation phase of Infor ERP Ln 6.1, we have built up a strong business relationship with Godrej Infotech Ltd. and are sure of further strengthening the same."

- IT Manager

Business Solution

The client decided to implement the Infor LN ERP system as an integrated solution across geographical locations. The need for skilled techno-functional consultants in the areas of Cost Accounting, India Taxation and Production Planning was addressed by selecting Godrej Infotech Limited (GITL) as the preferred partner. The solution offered by GITL had the following features:

- **Taxation Compliance**: With the help of the integrated ERP solution, all financial information was sourced out of a single data platform, leading to ease in tax calculations.
- Financial Accounting: The financial structure in the system was set up to handle multiple locations and currencies. With this feature in place, the company was able to accurately track estimated vs. actual costs for all of its products.
- **Subcontracting:** Customization of the subcontracting module to incorporate local rules allows the client to keep the system updated with the subcontracting processes practiced.
- **Production Planning:** The production activities were streamlined by implementing real time machine monitoring, inventory look ups and stock loading charts.

Challenges

The challenge for this engagement was the accurate mapping of existing manual processes to the automated ERP system. Complex warehouse, manufacturing, taxation and cost accounting processes were simplified by the leadership and direction of experienced functional consultants. The 'Infor One Point Implementation Methodology' was implemented to successfully streamline the planning, piloting, data conversion and review activities for this project. In-depth trainings and workshops prepared the user community for a smooth cutover to the new system.

Benefits

The benefits of implementing the integrated Infor LN ERP system were:

- Efficient tracking of rejections
- Simultaneous INR and EURO financial reporting
- Reduction in data entry effort due to barcode scanning
 - Increase in product cost accuracy
 - Lowered total cost of ownership due to a single consolidated system

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