

Case Study: A Solution for Legacy Data

A look at how FRC assisted a public biotechnology company to save their historical data while migrating to new ERP software.

At a glance...

When migrating to a new ERP system, one of the largest constraints is the loss of historical data. That's why a leading biotech company reached out to Frank, Rimerman Consulting for a custom solution.

Key metrics

For the biotech industry, historical data is key to design and analysis of clinical trails and also provides background for new research.



7+

Years of historical data required for compliance



360°

The view when have access to historical and future data

CHALLENGES

Operating in the complex and highly regulated biotech industry, this public company was required to retain 7 years of historical data.

However, this data was left behind when migrating from Microsoft Great Plains to Oracle NetSuite. Not only did they need the data, but they also wanted to include it into their future data analysis.

SOLUTIONS

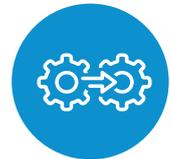
In the past, companies would be required to leave their legacy system up and running for an additional 7 years (or until they didn't need it). Frank, Rimerman Consulting (FRC) experts created a new solution, utilizing a data warehouse to store historical data and incorporating a custom strategy to access the legacy data in your new ERP system.



**Data
Warehouse**



**Custom
Reporting**



**System Add-on
Integrations**

OUTCOMES

1

Historical Data Storage

Whether you're required to keep historical data or you just want to hold onto it for future analysis, a data warehouse is a good solution for legacy data storage.

2

Data Visibility

Why not use the data you have to your advantage? There's a lot of information we can gain by analyzing historical data. Frank, Rimerman Consulting can customize a solution that gives you access to your legacy data.

3

Data Transformation

Since the past can help us make future decisions, FRC provided the biotech company the ability to transform their historical data into the new structure of the new NetSuite ERP system.



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