

**A leading US auto  
parts manufacturer  
transforms financial  
management with cloud**



## Client background

**Client:** A US-based automotive parts manufacturer

**Industry:** Automotive, manufacturing

**Products or services:** Design and manufacture of automotive parts

**Geography or areas of operations:** Worldwide

**Number of employees:** Over 10,000

## Challenges

The client, a leading automotive parts manufacturer, was looking for a partner who could advise and help them shift to Cloud ERP in order to improve their operations involving payables, receivables, general ledger and cash management. They needed a chargeback mechanism to meet the demands of their customers from automotive aftermarket, who expected timely discounts on their payments. Their existing business systems were dated, highly customized, and lacked the scalability to cope with the changing/increasing business demands. To tackle these business situations and to ensure transparency and improve customer experience, the client decided to shift to Oracle ERP Cloud platform.

## Solution

Wipro did a thorough assessment of the client's IT environment, mapped the findings to their IT strategy and, proposed a robust solution on public cloud which included the follow key components:

- Oracle ERP Cloud Financials - A comprehensive and scalable financial management solution that offers integrated business flow for financial activities in an organization

## The highly secure and scalable Oracle ERP Cloud solution enables agile finance, reduces costs, and modernizes business processes

- CloudAdopt solution, an application which is upgraded regularly with standard business solutions across the industries and bug fix, with minimum or no downtime
- Unique chargeback solutions to meet business requirements
- Complex EDI (Electronic Data Interchange) integrations with their bank to enable seamless payments for suppliers by
  - Automating the import of bank statement in Oracle Cash Management
  - Enabling import-lockbox for receipt of payments from customers into the Oracle Cash Management modules
- Integration of their new platform with third-party systems such as Baan, KABA, PeopleSoft and other multiple benefit providers with improved automation of invoice creation in payables, automation of receipt and transaction creation in receivables
- Development of integrations with trading partner to facilitate payments to suppliers and to track payment from trading partners
- Reporting and analytics for predefined analyses, dashboards and reports that help the client meet financial and business intelligence requirements with easy to develop custom reports and end-user enablement to customize reports

## Business impact

With a highly secure and scalable public cloud ERP solution, the client realized -



Better control over its overall IT spends



45% reduction in email handling time



Improved insights into business strategy



20% increase in operational efficiency



Seamless and timely disbursement of discounts on payments to the customers in the automotive aftermarket



“The client selected Oracle ERP Cloud Financials to gain access to the latest technologies, streamline their business processes and lower their maintenance costs. The scalability and flexibility of Oracle ERP Cloud enabled the client to integrate the system with third-party applications. Through system integration, Wipro helped them improve efficiency, gain reporting flexibility and, enable scale to support the business as it grows.”

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