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ANNOUNCING U2STAGE for U2 USERS

Extending the life of your U2 Application--moving from relational data,
and beyond...with extraordinary speed and ease of use.

“Intelligent Data Integration Tool”

U2STAGE is an extraction, transformation and loading tool for data migration and integration. U2STAGE let's you create a data warehouse to enable access by popular business intelligence and reporting tools.

Turn Data into Information

U2STAGE helps you understand and cleanse data to ultimately provide authoritative information. Integrated across the extended enterprise and delivered when you need it, this consistent, timely and complete information can enrich business processes, enable key contextual insights and inspire confident business decision-making.

U2STAGE enables you to tightly integrate enterprise information. Whether you're building an enterprise data warehouse to support the information needs of the entire company, building a “real time” data warehouse, or moving data into other repositories, U2STAGE helps ensure that you will have information you can trust.

Fast, Scalable Data Transformation

U2STAGE delivers three key capabilities necessary for success in enterprise data integration: the most comprehensive connectivity to easily and quickly map multi-valued data to any target system; advanced development and maintenance tools, which speed implementation and simplify administration; and a scalable platform that can easily handle today's massive volumes of corporate data.

U2STAGE supports the collection, integration and transformation of high volumes of data, with data structures ranging from simple to highly complex.

U2STAGE manages data within seconds of being acquired-- as well as massive quantities of data that flood the system, in daily, weekly or monthly processing intervals.

Current Enterprise Based Platform

(Dual Core)

INFOSPHERE ENTERPRISE
DataStage

\$110,000

COGNOS BI
\$130,000

U2 COGNOS BI PLATFORM

(Dual Core)

U2STAGE
Server \$20,000

COGNOS \$10,000



Joe Rodriguez/
President
STRATEGY 7
“Your data is no longer held captive with this Intelligent Data Integration Tool.”

“Easing the data extraction effort”

Strategy 7 is the first IBM Business Partner in the world to provide U2STAGE Data Transformation.

Now, S7 customers can
Extend their UniVerse and UniData (U2) application
utilizing IBM’s recent release--”U2 STAGE.”

Connect, Extract, Transform and Deliver

Here’s how it works:



Get started quickly

U2STAGE includes intelligent Assistants to make frequently used tasks easy to create. Intelligent Assistants are wizard-like functionality used for initial job creation. Job templates and pre-configured components also speed development.

Powerful pre-built functions

U2STAGE features an extensive data integration development environment, with a library of more than 400 pre-built functions and routines. This complete set of data transformation capabilities makes it easy to map data from source to target and enrich it along the way.

Reuse, versioning and sharing

U2STAGE shortens the development cycle by promoting the reuse of existing data integration business logic. This works through the concept of containers, which allow jobs and metadata created in one container to be shared and reused by other jobs. Versioning extends the development, test and deployment of jobs among multiple developers. Robust job specification reporting provides documentation so other developers can easily understand job design and provide additional support.

U2STAGE Highlights

- Access data from UniData or UniVerse, transform and deliver that data to a variety of targets including Oracle, SQLServer, DB2 and more
- Quickly deliver integrated views of enterprise data without complex, hand-coded integration processes
- Enable consistent application of business rules across data integration projects
- Leverage popular reporting and business intelligence tools to mine the data in the resulting repository

U2STAGE supports a virtually unlimited number of heterogeneous data targets in a single job:

- Text files Complex
- XML data structures
- Enterprise application systems including: SAP, Siebel and Oracle

U2STAGE supports almost any Database:

- Multi-value
- Oracle
- IBM DB2
- IBM Informix
- Sybase
- Teradata
- Microsoft® SQL Server Web services
- SAS
- WebSphere MQ

STRATEGY 7 FACTS

IBM BUSINESS PARTNER

Top 5 U2 VAR in North America

66,000 USERS

24/7 Phone & Online Support

PERSONALIZED SERVICE

“Intuitive” Development Environment

U2STAGE employs a “work as you think” design metaphor. Developers use a top down dataflow model of application programming and execution, which allows them to create a visual sequential data flow. A robust graphical palette helps developers diagram the flow of data through their environment via simple GUI-driven drag-and-drop design components.

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Available Platforms Servers:

IBM AIX® (Power)
HP HP-UX (PA-RISC and Itanium)
Sun Solaris (SPARC)

Red Hat Enterprise Linux (x86)
SuSE Enterprise Linux (x86)
INTEL
MICROSOFT (Windows)