



# Infor WM – Turning Costs into Competitive Advantage

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## **Infor WM Clients**

#### MFG / CPG



## **High Tech**



















Capitol































### Wholesale/Industrial































#### Retail











## **Manufacturing Clients Profile**







- → CPG distributor e.g. Wal-Mart
- → DC in Leesburg, Ohio (North of Cincinnati)



- → Abrasives division with industrial & home improvement retail distribution
- → Similar customer grouping/zoning & distribution



- → Manufacturer & distributor of pest management products
- → Lot controlled environment tracking raw materials and finished goods
- → Dallas, Texas



- → Commercial & Residential Home Comfort Systems
- Inbound from Mfg Facilities
- → Industrial Supplier & Home Improvement Retail Distribution
- → Retail display kitting
- → US site has 80 users; CN site has 15 users



- → Specialty Products Division in Chicago (adhesives, coatings and sealants)
- → 75 User site
- → Lot controlled environment



- → Building & Industrial Supplies
- → Inbound from Mfg Facilities, outbound to diverse markets including retail
- → 33 Global Sites & Growing
- → Largest Newark 2MM sq ft w/ 190 users. Smallest 30K sq ft with 10 users



## **Efficiency Improvements**



- → Overall productivity improved 5 times with WMS
- → Picking productivity improved 10 times
- → Inventory write-off down to \$7K of \$30 million
- → Shipping errors down from 2700 -> under 100



- → Reduced inventory by 50%
- → Reduced budgets by 20%
- → Increased productivity by 33%
- → Reduced forms expense by \$100,000



- → Overall productivity improved 15-25%
- → Space utilization increased 10%
- → Inventory accuracy improved 33% to 99.9%



- Labor productivity
- → Improved space utilization
- → Increased inventory accuracy
- Increased shipment accuracy







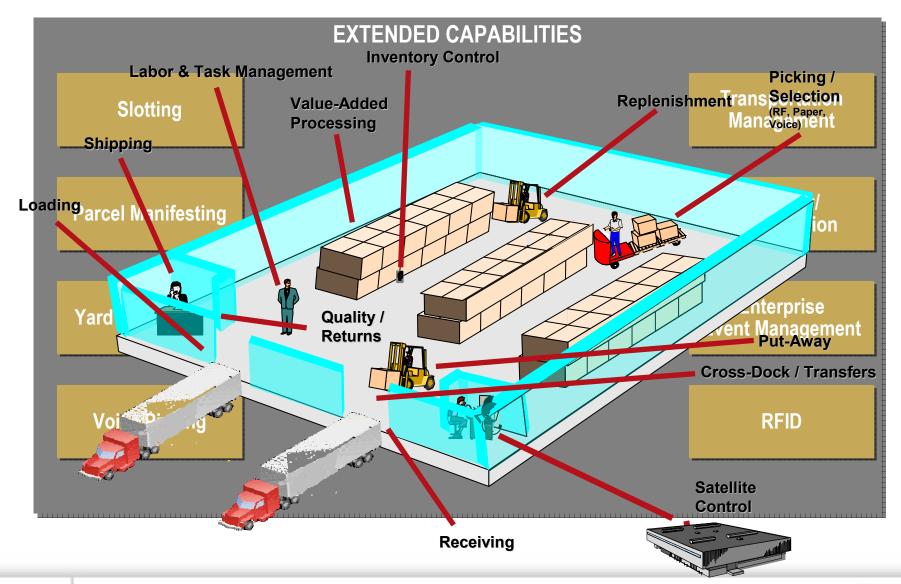




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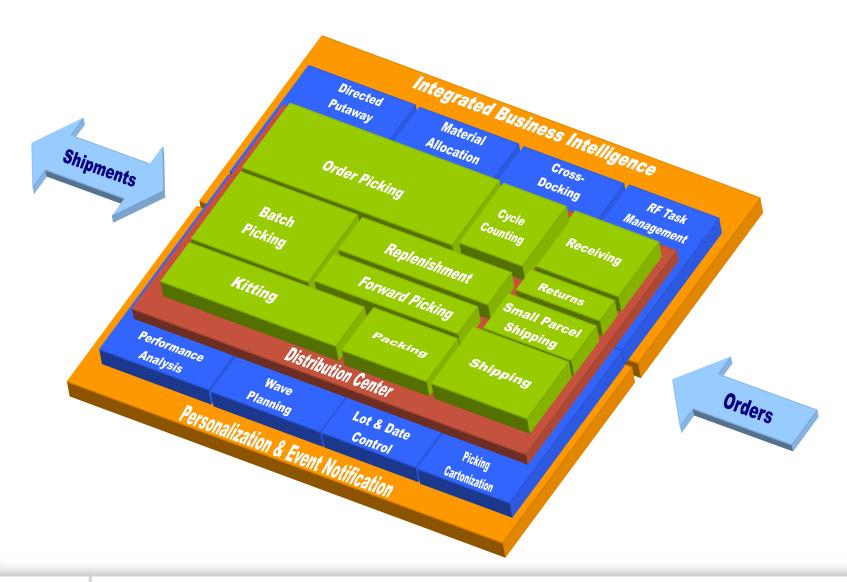


## **Best-In-Class Features**





## **Warehouse Management Functionality**





## **WM Architecture**

#### Scaleable architecture

- ⇒ Centralized or distributed support
- ⇒ Single architecture for browser, RF
- ⇒ Multiple warehouse support
- ⇒ Multiple language support

#### Zero-footprint

- ⇒ Wan deployable
- ⇒ No client administration

#### Database options

⇒ SQL server, Oracle, Informix

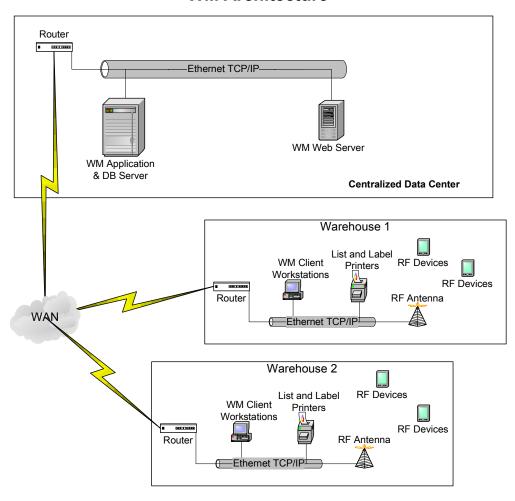
#### Platform options

⇒ Windows, Unix

#### Web services

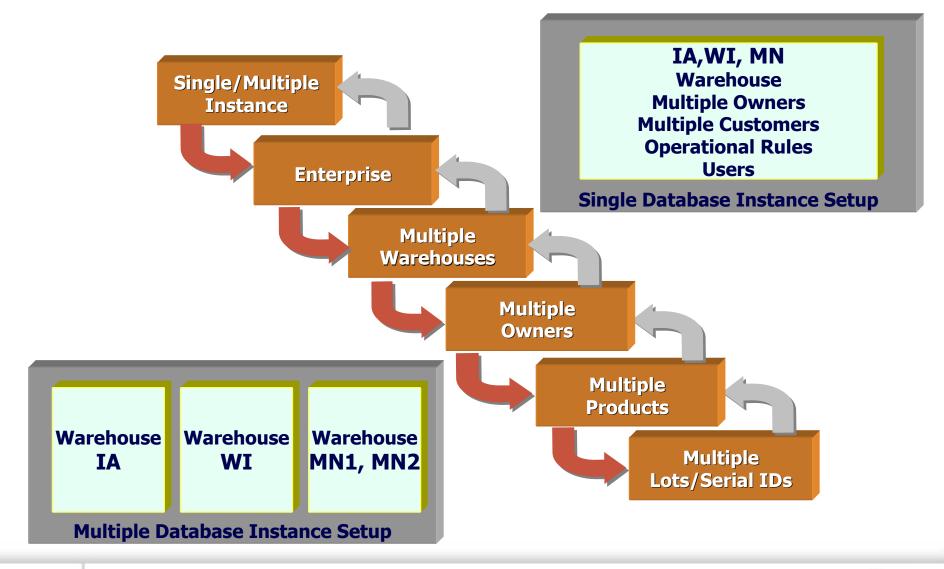
- ⇒ Easy mass import and export
- All transactions have associated web service

#### **WM Architecture**



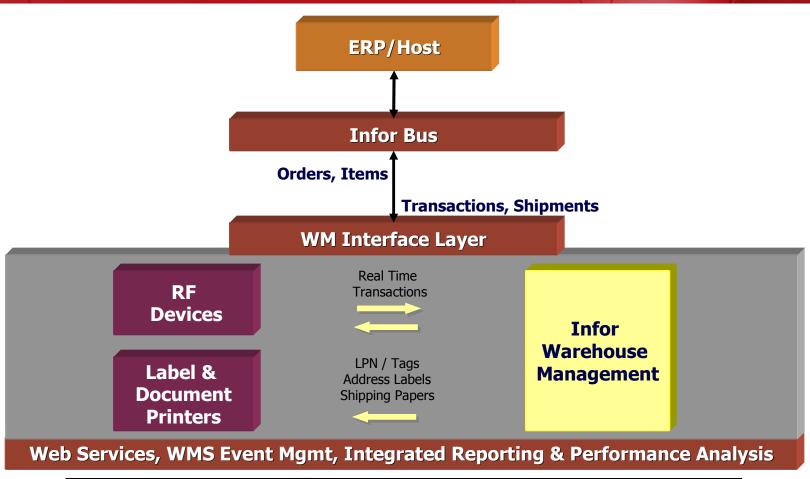


# Infor WM Application Architecture Database, Enterprise, Warehouse, Owner, Inventory





## **WM** Integration



#### **RF Transactions**

- Receiving, Putaway
- Picking, Packing, Shipping
- Replenishment, Cycle count
- Real Time Validation

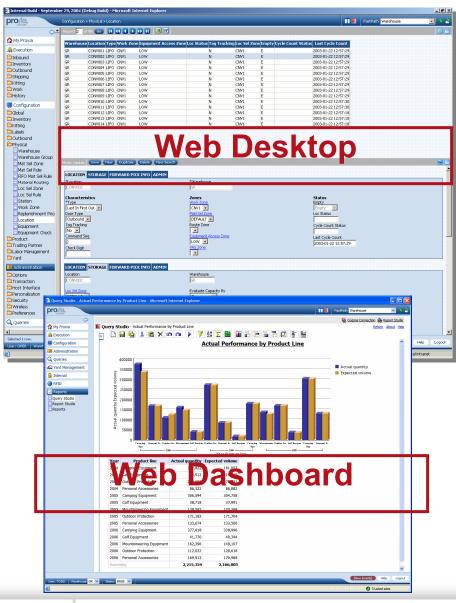
#### **WMS**

- Receiving & Putaway
- Pallet & Lot Tracking
- FIFO Movement
- Cycle Counting

- Task Management
- Picking, Loading, Shipping
- Value Added Services (VAS)
- Forward Pick Replenishment
- Picking Cartonization



# User Access & Personalization Flexibility to Meet Your Environment





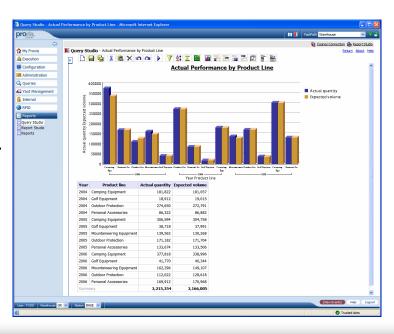
# **RF Transaction**



## **Integrated Performance Analysis**

- End user accessible
  - ⇒ Super User Manageable
- Drag and drop reports
  - ⇒ Grouping, cross-tabs, pivots
  - ⇒ Charts
- Output to
  - ⇒ Web page
  - ⇒ Printer
  - ⇒ PDF
  - ⇒ Microsoft Office
- Embedded advanced report writer
- User designed documents
  - ⇒ Packing list
  - ⇒ Bill of lading
  - ⇒ Manifest

- Integrated meta-data layer
  - Users do not need to know database layout
  - ⇒ Consistent data element names
  - ⇒ Reports easily survive upgrades
- Report scheduling and routing





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## **Inbound Process**



Inbound
Order & ASN
Creation

Visibility Workload Planning

#### **Receive Product**

RF and/or Desktop Lot & Disposition Capture

(Mfg, ASN, PO, RMA, Blind)

Labels

#### **Release & Putaway Work Flow**

Status Driven (Damaged, Rework)
Cross Dock (Outbound or Kit Order)
Potential Cross Dock (Hot Pick)
Forward Pick Location
Dedicated Location (Fixed)
Storage Rules (Slotting/Zoning)



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## **Inventory Management**

#### Inventory Attribute Tracking

- ⇒ License Plate/Tag Tracking
- ⇒ Lot & Date Control
- Ownership Tracking
- ⇒ Hold Status Tracking
- ⇒ User Defined Attributes

#### Full Traceability in History

- Detail of all movement by item, LPN, location, lot, serial number
- ⇒ Tracking of user, date, time stamps

#### Cycle Counting

- ⇒ Real Time Updates
- ⇒ Automation Options
- Discrepancy Triggers
- ⇒ Escalation

#### Forward Picking & Replenishment Handling

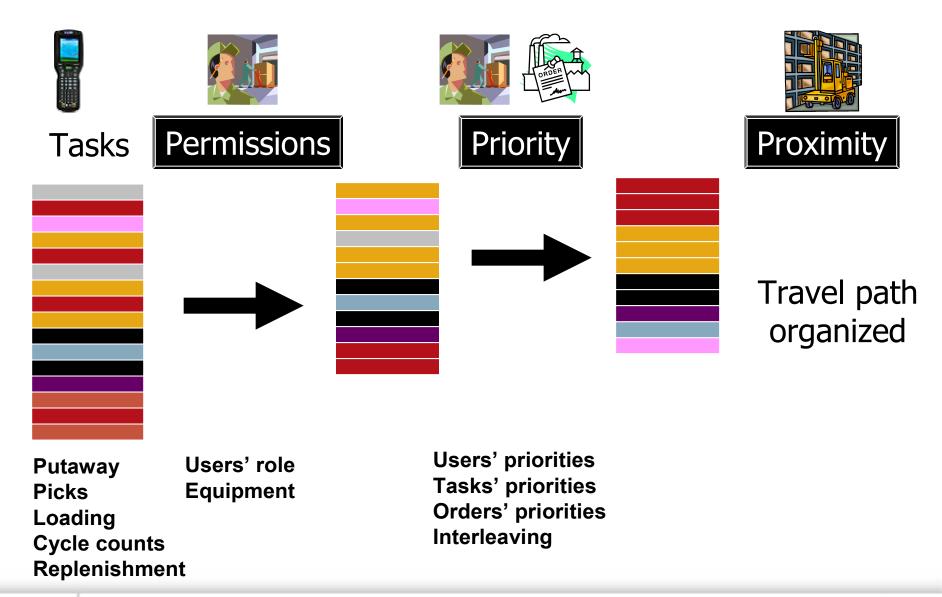




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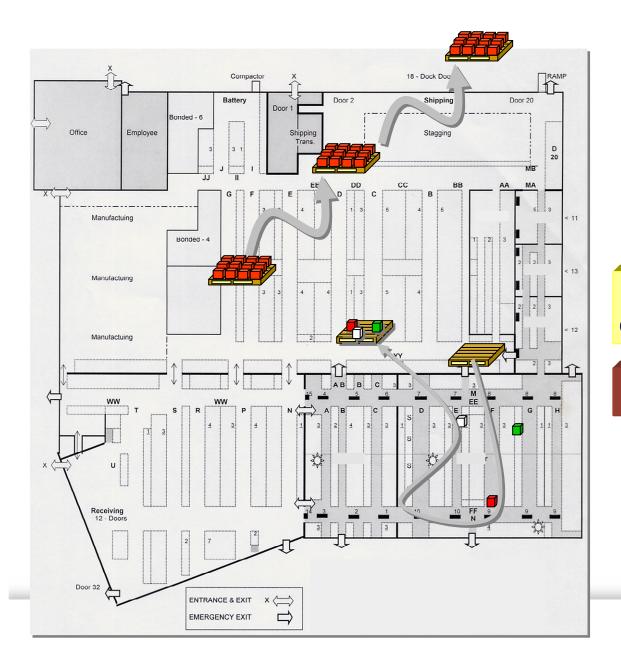


# **Dynamic Work Management Maximizing Labor Productivity**





## **Outbound Process**



Customer Order Creation

Release, Allocate & Pre-Cartonize Orders

Pick List Pick Labels Pre-Manifested Labels

#### **Picking Options**

(RF, Paper, Mechanical, Label) (by Order, Carrier, Zone, Pick & Pack)

> Triggered Cycle Count Replenishment

> > Check Pack, Trailer Load, Paperwork & Ship Order

Address Label BOL Packing List Manifest



## **Picking Methodologies**

- Execution Considerations
  - ⇒ RF System Directed
  - ⇒ Paper
  - ⇒ Label Directed
- Pick to Pack
  - ⇒ Cartonization Rules
  - ⇒ Label Directed Picking
- Streamline Options
  - ⇒ Cluster picking
  - ⇒ Palletized Picking
  - ⇒ Batch picking
  - ⇒ Zone picking
  - ⇒ Pick by ...
    - Order, shipment, carrier





## **Cartonization**

- Pick multiple orders in a single pass
- WMS optimizes travel path
- Configurable container selection logic
- Optional Pre-rate containers
- Pre-print shipping labels
- System or operator directed



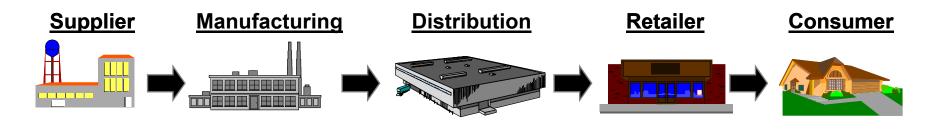


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## **Work Order Processing**

Operations performed in a warehouse that add value to existing commodities or combine component commodities into finished good commodities or sub-assemblies.







**Assembly** 







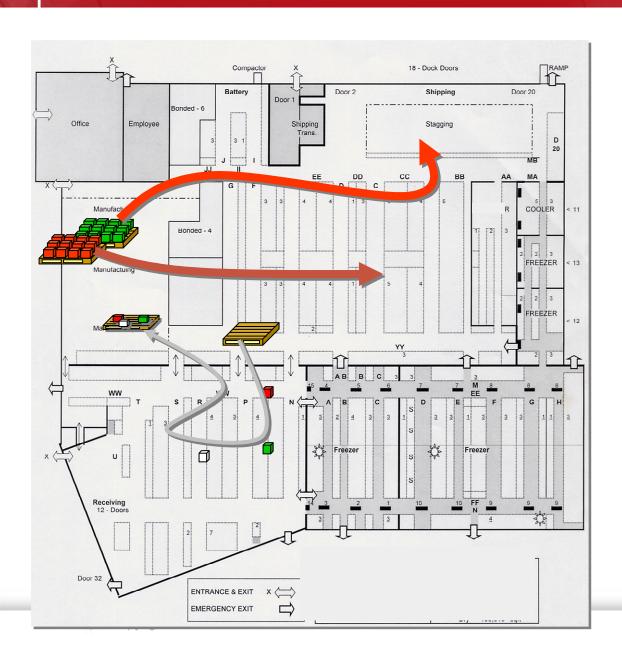


- Bill of Material
- Work Center Definition
- Kit to Stock
- Kit to Order
- Automatic Component Consumption





## **Work Order Process**



Work **Order Creation** Work Order Packet **Pick** Component **Items Materials** Consumption (Components) **Receive Work Order** (Finished Product) **Putaway or Pick for Order** 

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## **WM Event Management**

- Monitors the execution of <u>all</u> <u>applications</u> and <u>processes</u>
- Pre-defined, real-time "monitors"
- Intelligent alerts and messages across the community
- "Closes the loop with reporting and dashboards"

## **Event Management**



## **Examples**

#### Supply Chain

- ASN approaching or past
- Appointments carrier late
- Receiving hot item received
- Receiving damage tracking
- Picking pick variance
- Shipping not shipped, late
- Inventory reorder alert
- Inventory large adjustment
- Inventory product on hold

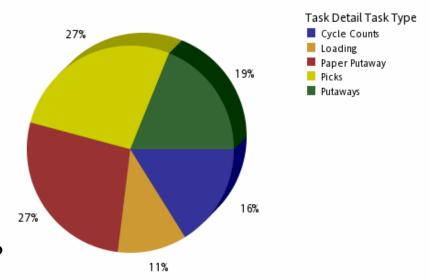


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## **Labor Productivity**

- Use historical information
  - All transactions & movement recorded
  - ⇒ Includes users, task type, and time stamp
- Reporting
  - ⇒ Who is working?
  - What are they doing?
  - Where are they working?
  - ⇒ How much are they doing?
- Overall operation
  - ⇒ How much by task type?
  - ⇒ How many orders, lines, cases, etc.?
- Workforce monitoring
  - ⇒ Outstanding work assignments
  - ⇒ Real-time view of completed, active, unassigned



Available Tasks for All Zones Selected

Available Tasks by Type

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## **Questions & Answers**

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