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Solix EDMS Application Retirement and Sybase IQ

APPLICATION PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT WITH SOLIX ENTERPRISE DATA MANAGEMENT SUITE AND SYBASE IQ

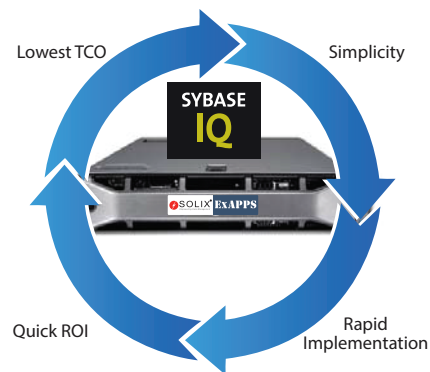
Application retirement is part of the process that includes holistically managing the enterprise application portfolio. Applications also age and become legacy, where they are no longer adding business value to the enterprise but consume significant portion of IT maintenance budgets. The main reason these applications still have to be maintained is for the sake of data which has to be preserved for compliance and regulatory reasons. The obsolescent applications include applications on mainframes slated for replacement with less expensive servers, and applications with duplicate functionality that have accumulated in the environment through mergers and acquisitions. Obviously retiring legacy applications would create a major savings on the IT operating budget by freeing staff for more important assignments, eliminating licensing and maintenance fees, and allows IT to shut down the hardware they run on, saving power and heating costs immediately. The prospect of these savings is a major driver in establishing application portfolio management and application rationalization in large IT environments.

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Data migrated from legacy applications have to be managed in long term archive, so that the data can be managed according to regulatory requirements and meet any compliance requirements. Appropriate retention periods have to be applied to different data objects in long term archive so that the data can be kept in the archive as dictated by corporate policies. Data in the long term archive can be subjected to legal holds where the data under hold needs to be preserved so that it cannot be tampered and need be exported to legal discovery tools.

KEY FEATURES

- Industry's first Application Retirement appliance embedded with Sybase IQ
- Solix ExAPPS is integrated, tuned and optimized for reliability and performance and built as a singlepurpose appliance which is hardened for security
- Fast Query & Reporting for data stored in long term archive
- Systematic approach to Application Retirement
- Support for heterogeneous IT infrastructure that includes wide variety pre-packaged applications, databases, legacy and custom applications
- Provides automated, secure data migration and legacy data access using Solix APM
- Retains the application context, business objects and reports
- Retains archived data securely in Sybase IQ to ensure compliance & data retention.

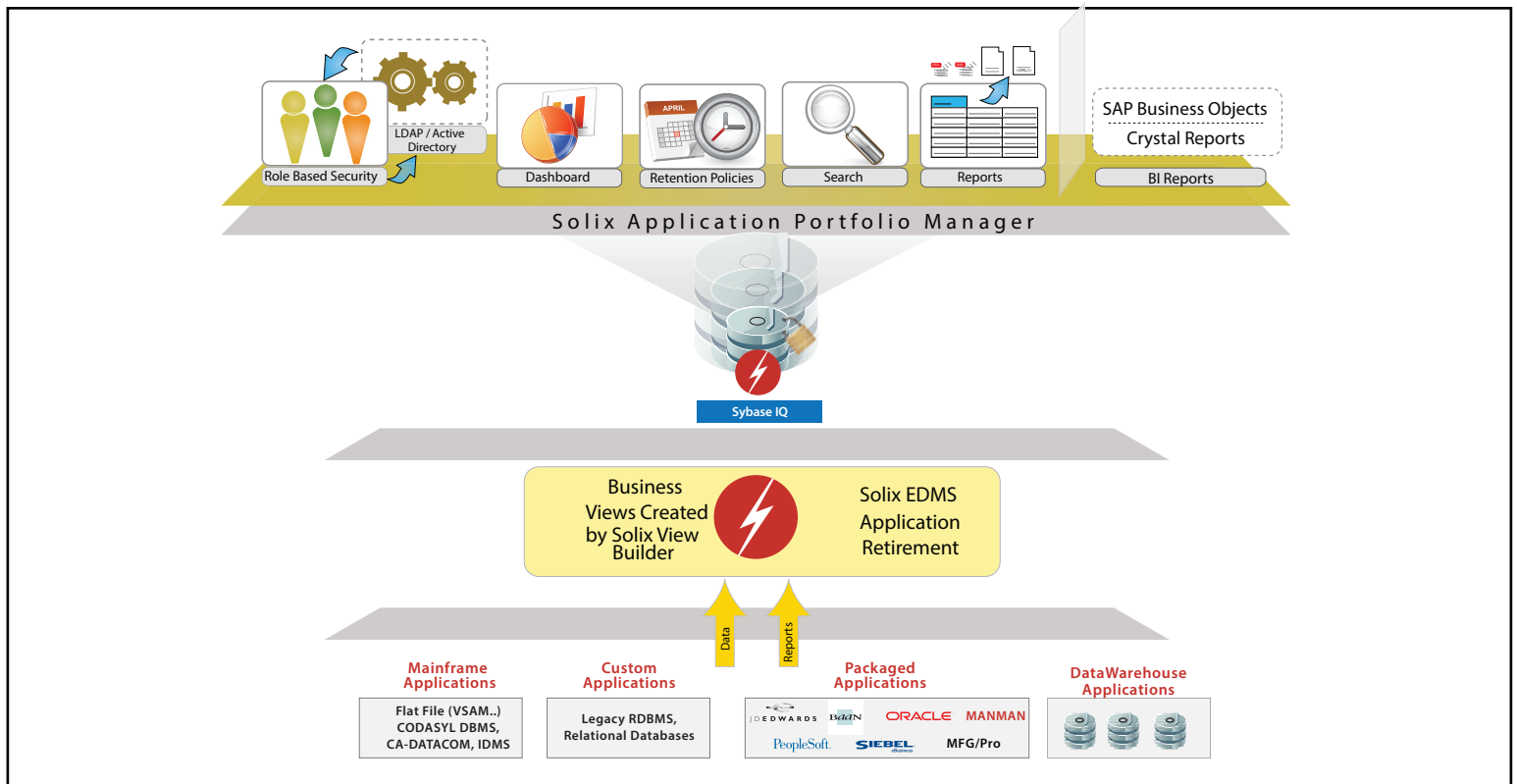


Solix Technologies provides comprehensive solution for application retirement through two products lines

1. Solix EDMS Application Retirement
2. Solix ExAPPS – Industry’s first Application Retirement Appliance

Solix EDMS Application Retirement is an enterprise software that can be installed onpremise and Solix ExAPPS is a purpose-built appliance for application retirement. Solix EDMS application retirement helps enterprises to retire or decommission applications, while retaining access to the business-critical data. By retiring the applications, organizations can optimize their portfolio, reducing cost and risk.

Sybase IQ with its patented compression technology serves as a long term archive, to reduce the storage requirements for the data coming from applications that are being retired or de-commissioned.



Solix EDMS Application Retirement is integrated and certified with Sybase IQ. This integration allows customers use Solix EDMS along with Sybase IQ as a long term archive so that customers can get an end-2-end application retirement solution. The solution provides data classification, migration, validation, preservation of application context, along with patented compression to reduce storage requirements and role-based data access to the data stored in Sybase IQ.

Solix ExAPPS and Sybase IQ

The newer configuration of the industry’s first application retirement appliance – Solix ExAPPS embeds Sybase IQ delivering a pre-configured, pre-tested, and certified appliance for application retirement so that customers can get a jump start with application portfolio management projects.

Together, Solix ExAPPS and Sybase IQ provide a comprehensive solution for application portfolio management and managing the data retention based on corporate policies with lowest TCO. Solix ExAPPS along with Sybase IQ simplify and reduce the cost of retiring legacy applications in the enterprise without sacrificing data preservation. A single Solix ExAPPS appliance can replace multiple physical servers, applications and storage. In addition, organizations can continue to access the data residing in Sybase IQ using Solix

Application Portfolio Manager (APM) data access environment or standard business intelligence tools like SAP Business Objects. This integrated and purpose-built solution meets the enterprise compliance requirements, creates a streamlined application portfolio & with access to the information stored in Sybase IQ.

ABOUT SOLIX TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Solix Technologies, Inc., the leading provider of Enterprise Data Management (EDM) solutions, is transforming information management with the first enterprise archiving and data lake application suite for big data: The Solix Big Data Suite. Solix is helping organizations learn more from their data with enterprise analytics and achieve Information Lifecycle Management (ILM) goals. The Solix Enterprise Data Management Suite (Solix EDMS) and Solix Enterprise Standard Edition (SE) enable organizations to improve application performance, meet compliance objectives, and reduce the cost of data management across the enterprise. Solix Technologies, Inc. is headquartered in Santa Clara, California and operates worldwide through an established network of value added resellers (VARs) and systems integrators.

