

# ApplicationXtender Reports Management

## Enterprise reports management/computer output to laser disk for EMC Documentum ApplicationXtender

### The Big Picture

- Maintains format of print stream reports to ensure exact electronic reproduction in PDF format
- Provides a powerful and easy-to-use data extraction tool for intelligent parsing and indexing of reports
- Allows reports to be viewed on workstations or transmitted electronically via e-mail or websites
- Processes reports automatically in the background, facilitating immediate availability

Each day, organizations produce hundreds of thousands of pages of computer-generated reports, such as statements, bills, invoices, policies, contracts, and other internal reports. In the past, these reports have been produced on paper, routed around the organization or mailed to the customer, and subsequently stored on microfiche, microfilm, or paper. Those methods of report creation and distribution are outdated and inefficient compared to what is capable today. Producers and consumers of enterprise reports demand immediate, anytime access. Reports need to be available electronically and accessible on a 24x7 basis from anywhere in the world.

### Improving access to enterprise reports

Today's information-centric economy produces reports on high volume, all-points-addressable printers, using print stream technology that includes extensive formatting instructions. But creating reports is only one-half of the equation. Reports must also be available and consumable by the people who need to consult them.

EMC<sup>®</sup> Documentum<sup>®</sup> ApplicationXtender<sup>®</sup> Reports Management provides report processing for advanced print streams, as well as traditional computer output to laser disk (COLD) text formats, for management within ApplicationXtender. By providing fast and efficient capture of enterprise report data, ApplicationXtender Reports Management turns enterprise reports into e-reports, enabling internal and external report delivery. And by processing, indexing, and archiving enterprise reports for online retrieval, ApplicationXtender Reports Management provides a significant return on investment, allowing organizations to reduce the cost and improve the productivity of multiple business processes. It improves access to information while reducing or eliminating costs associated with paper, film, and microfiche.

ApplicationXtender Reports Management is an add-on ApplicationXtender module and an integral part of the ApplicationXtender family of content management solutions.

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## Capabilities for collecting and processing reports

- Includes direct support for IBM AFP, Xerox Metacode, and HP PCL print streams, Adobe PDF, as well as ASCII and EBCDIC(K) text formats
- Maintains the format of print stream reports, including fonts, boxes, logos, and other graphics, as well as interpreting dynamic formatting to ensure exact electronic reproduction in industry-standard PDF format
- Includes forms-overlay capability to enable enhanced presentation for text-based reports
- Provides intelligent, automatic parsing and indexing of reports, including mixed report types, with a powerful, easy-to-use data extraction tool
- Supports multiple indexing rules for basic and complex report processing integration for delivery
- Releases reports automatically for management and viewing within ApplicationXtender clients and web-based browser clients
- Enables customer service representatives to see report information in the same way as customers, improving response to customer inquiries
- Allows reports to be viewed on workstations, accessed over the Web, or transmitted electronically via e-mail

## An automatic and scalable report management solution

- Allows you to process reports automatically in the background, facilitating immediate availability
- Includes powerful tools to audit system use and performance, including job status information and confirmation of job completion
- Enables integration with EMC DiskXtender® for Windows to ensure long-term availability and retention of report information, using whatever media best meets enterprise requirements (optical, WORM, EMC Centera™, tape, DVD, or CD-ROM)
- Enables integration with ApplicationXtender Workflow to trigger business processes during report processing

## Take the Next Step

To learn more, contact your local EMC sales representative or authorized value-added reseller, visit our website at <http://software.EMC.com>, or call us at **800.607.9546** (Outside the U.S.: +1.925.600.5802).



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