

Upgrade Assessment Program (UAP) for JD Edwards



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Reliable and Predictable JD Edwards Upgrade Assessment at Your Fingertips

Successful JD Edwards upgrade projects rely on trusted advice. Clients need the right strategy that is tailored to their industry to reduce risks, optimize the utilization of resources, and maximize knowledge transfer.

KPIT Company has an Upgrade Assessment Program (UAP) that has a proven approach and methodology that supports your timeline, budget and individual business objectives. With our UAP, we break down what is unique about each client's business, vision, and Upgrade objectives. This in-depth analysis helps drive an efficient project and a highly effective outcome.

KPIT's UAP takes into account the constraints of the project timeline and the impact it might have on your business.

UAP Deliverables

- Upgrade Approach and Strategy
- Recommendations for implementation of new functionality
- Upgrade Project Plan
- Hardware sizing and upgrade technology recommendations
- High-level retrofit analysis with estimates
- High-level time and resource estimates
- Upgrade Training Plan
- Upgrade Assumptions, Risks and Mitigation Strategies



"KPIT is a high performing, proactive business partner, a true leader in the JD Edwards space."

- Kathleen J Sinatore,
CIO, Buckeye Partners, LP

4 Steps to a Successful JD Edwards Upgrade

The UAP methodology supplies the client with a report comprising of four tracks:

Business Process Track: Provides high level process improvement recommendations, potential quick wins for new functionalities, high level training plan for new modules

Technology Architecture Track: Provides current system architecture, architecture component analysis, technology analysis including environment analysis with technology architecture options

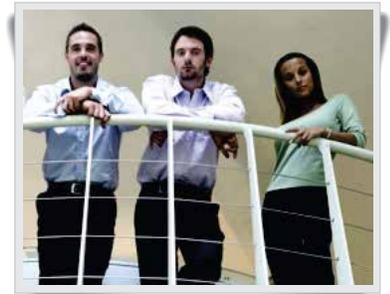
Technical Track: Offers high level retrofit analysis and integration process for 3rd party tools with a roadmap for existing customization and technical upgrade

Approach Planning Track: Lists overall objectives with project scope of upgrade, training recommendations and complete proposal which also encompasses risks, constraints and assumptions along with project deliverables

UTOPIA– Your answer to faster Upgrades

KPIT presents UTOPIA, an accelerator that builds reusable tools internal or external to your JD Edwards system. JD Edwards UTOPIA (JD Edwards Upgrade Tools, for Objects, Processes, and Interfaces Acceleration) provides the edge to our Upgrade solution by putting it on the fast track. The tool can be employed at various phases of a project: assessment, planning, configuration and support.

This unique tool significantly reduces time to analyze customizations to standard and cloned objects as compared to the traditional manual method. It can run remotely (offsite location) and suits complex and customized environments.



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- Lydia Smyers, Group Vice President,
Worldwide Alliances & Channels Programs and Communications, Oracle

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