

Vision XL

Real-time data query, reporting and analysis in a familiar Excel environment

Vision XL is an intuitive add-in for Microsoft Excel that provides a faster, easier and more adaptable way to extract data from your databases. Vision XL has pre-configured tables, joins within your database and uses plain English titles for tables and columns. There is therefore no need to understand sophisticated database structures to create reports, enabling you to develop reports easily and quickly.

SELF-SERVICE SPREADSHEET REPORTING

Vision XL enhances the already extensive functionality of Excel, enabling powerful reporting and presentation. Vision XL provides a dynamic link by allowing information to be extracted from multiple tables into a single Excel report. With its flexibility and ease-of-use, Vision XL allows non-technical users to effectively analyse data from a familiar desktop environment.

ACCESSING FINANCIAL DATA WITHIN EXCEL

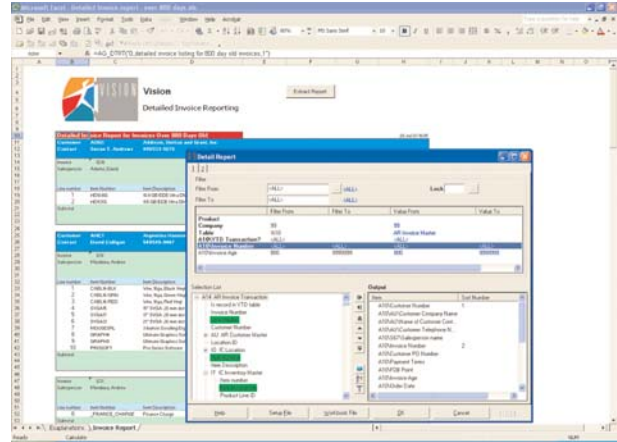
Vision XL optimises queries and presents information in simplified view within the Vision XL functions, enabling you to extract data from your applications and databases. Purpose-built functions, allow dynamic and flexible access to data from your database to populate your Excel worksheets. Both operational and financial transaction and reference information can be combined to generate formatted output, as you want it and when you want it.

PERFORM MULTI-DIMENSIONAL ANALYSIS

Use Cube Analysis to perform multi-dimensional analysis and drill down on live relational data. Vision enables any query to be output as a cube. This provides the capability to slice and dice data held in relational databases. Analyse a report, cell or group of cells by performing ad hoc drills and save cubes for offline browsing.

COMPREHENSIVE REPORTING AND ANALYSIS

Vision XL enables information to be extracted to Excel, and then combined with key data from other corporate or external



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sources held in Excel. Information held in multiple databases can be contained in the same report. This use of Excel allows for more comprehensive and wider ranging analysis and reporting.

AUTOMATE PROCESSES WITH MACRO BUILDER

Macro Builder enables you to combine Vision XL functions to automate complementary tasks without manual intervention. With the click of a button, different types of data can be extracted, processed in Excel and either returned to your application or displayed for viewing and outputting. Additionally, custom user forms and report packs can be easily developed, allowing non-technical staff to run reports at the click of a button.

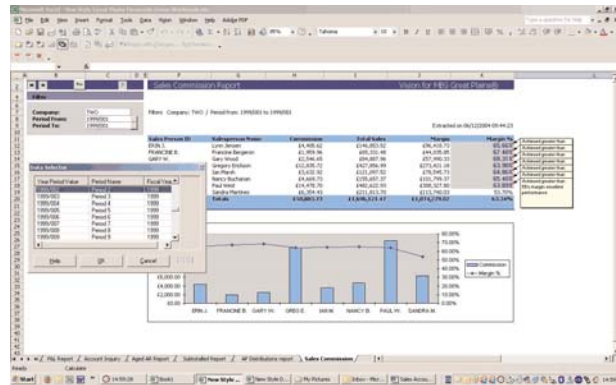
SECURE ACCESS AND CONTROL

Vision provides security features to ensure that only authorised users can access sensitive data. User privileges assigned to users in your database are fully respected in Vision. The user profile in Vision can match the same user profile in your database. The information a user can access will depend on the privileges assigned to that user in your database. Further data and access restrictions can be applied within Vision if required.

Customer Name	Australia	Canada	New Zealand	USA	Total
Bergeon, Francine	-	118,954.96	-	-	118,954.96
Buchanan, Nancy	-	-	-	279,719.43	279,719.43
Enckson, Gregory	-	-	-	535,447.96	535,447.96
Jensen, Lynn	-	247,942.49	-	-	247,942.49
Marsh, Ian	108,616.98	-	27,343.38	-	135,960.36
Martinez, Sandra	-	-	-	494,783.74	494,783.74
West, Paul	18,303.67	-	-	516,721.97	535,025.64
Wood, Gary	-	114,048.39	-	-	114,048.39
Total	18,303.67	108,616.98	27,343.38	1,826,673.10	2,461,882.97

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PRODUCT FEATURES

- Vision XL functions provide a dynamic link between Excel and your databases.
- Report and Query Wizards guide you through the report generation process.
- Perform multi-dimensional analysis using Cube Analysis.
- The powerful Report Designer provides for flexible reporting.
- Perform statistical reporting using Extract Modes.
- Macro Builder enables the automation of Vision XL functions.
- Use Data Selector to create and display a dynamic lookup from your database.
- Vision XL supports security features to ensure only authorised users can access sensitive data.
- Use Vision Setup to restrict data access



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