Route to 12™

Birlasoft's Rapid Upgrade Framework for Oracle E-Business Suite for Manufacturing, Supply Chain and Engineering Companies

Why Upgrade?

Oracle E-Business Suite has evolved and expanded significantly in functionality, scalability, usability, and reduced cost of ownership with the recent Oracle E-Business Suite Release 12.

Few of the compelling reasons for upgrading your current Oracle E-Business Suite version are:

Business Drivers

· Operational efficiency
· Process improvements
· Opportunity to re-engineer
· Addressing new requirements
· Leveraging new features and functionality

IT Drivers

· Supportability
· Stability
· Improved performance
· New Features
· Reduce maintenance cost
· Out of box use
· Retire Customizations

Experience the Route to 12™ Difference

Route to 12™ delivers through a tools based approach incorporating utilities that we have developed to assess and accelerate necessary processes. With quality checkpoints at every phase of the upgrade and built-in accelerators, Route to 12™ is a unique solution that covers every-thing your organization needs for both a successful and cost-effective outcome in a rapid timeframe. Our project plan and carefully mapped processes allow you to save approximately 35% on project consumable time, and 30% on cost.

Inherent questions before R12 upgrade

· Is your organization ready for an upgrade?

· How long will it take?

· When exactly should planning start?

· What about custom code, third party tools, testing, and training?

Meticulous planning based on sound understanding of your EBS environment can provide answers to the above questions as well as help you in ensuring a successful upgrade. Consideration should include the initial evaluation of existing CEMLIs (Configurations/Customization, Extension, Modification, Localization and Internationalization, and Integration) that may be totally removed or will require updates due to the enhancements of the upgrade.
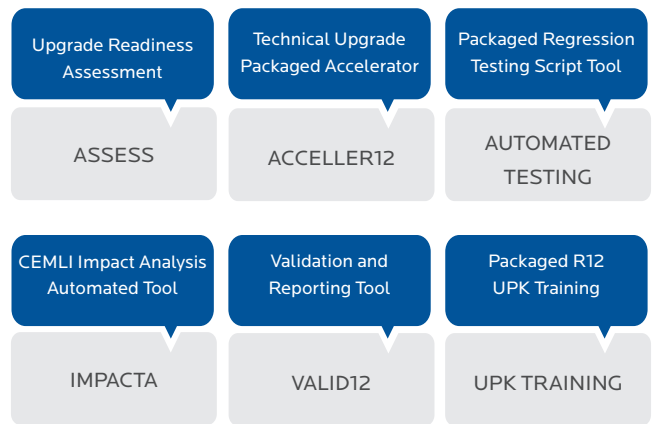
Birlasoft's Solution

Birlasoft has always strived to find novel ways to execute EBS projects faster with minimal risk through our pool of experienced consultants. Our EBS COE has devised a comprehensive methodology and toolkit for EBS upgrades: Route to 12™. Birlasoft's Route to 12™ encompasses E-Business Suite Finance, Distribution, Manufacturing, and Supply Chain modules. By combining industry experience with Oracle expertise, we deliver a comprehensive approach that includes a readiness assessment, upgrade path, testing, training, go-live preparation, and post go-live support while keeping costs and time to a minimum.

Route to 12™ Highlights

· Quick Readiness Assessment (ASSESS)
· Customization Impact Analysis (IMPACTA)
· Upgrade Pre-requisite Checks
· Automated Testing
· System Performance Validation Check
· Key Business Data Validation Check
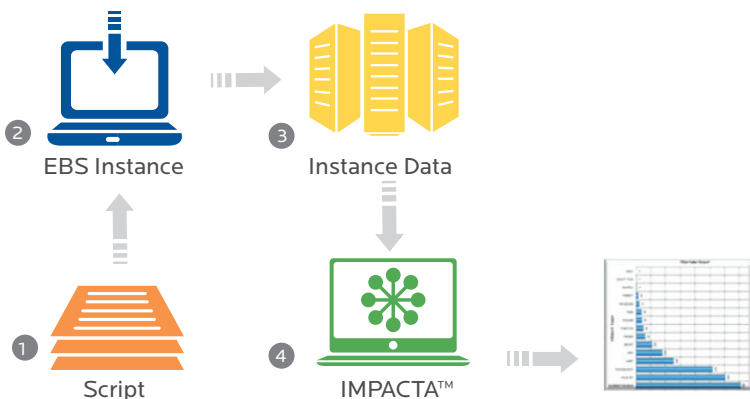· Quick Path Training on UPK

Birlasoft's Oracle Certified Rapid Upgrade Path to R12

Upgrade Readiness Assessment	Technical Upgrade Packaged Accelerator	Packaged Regression Testing Script Tool
ASSESS	ACCELLER12	AUTOMATED TESTING
CEMLI Impact Analysis Automated Tool	Validation and Reporting Tool	Packaged R12 UPK Training
IMPACTA	VALID12	UPK TRAINING

Pre-built Framework for R12 Upgrades
Achieves 30-40% Time & Cost Savings

Our tools help you assess before you execute...

IMPACTA™ is a key component of our Route to 12™ offering to assist you with collection of all critical information, impact analysis of all existing customizations and planning your upgrade projects.

2 EBS Instance → 3 Instance Data

1 Script → 4 IMPACTA™
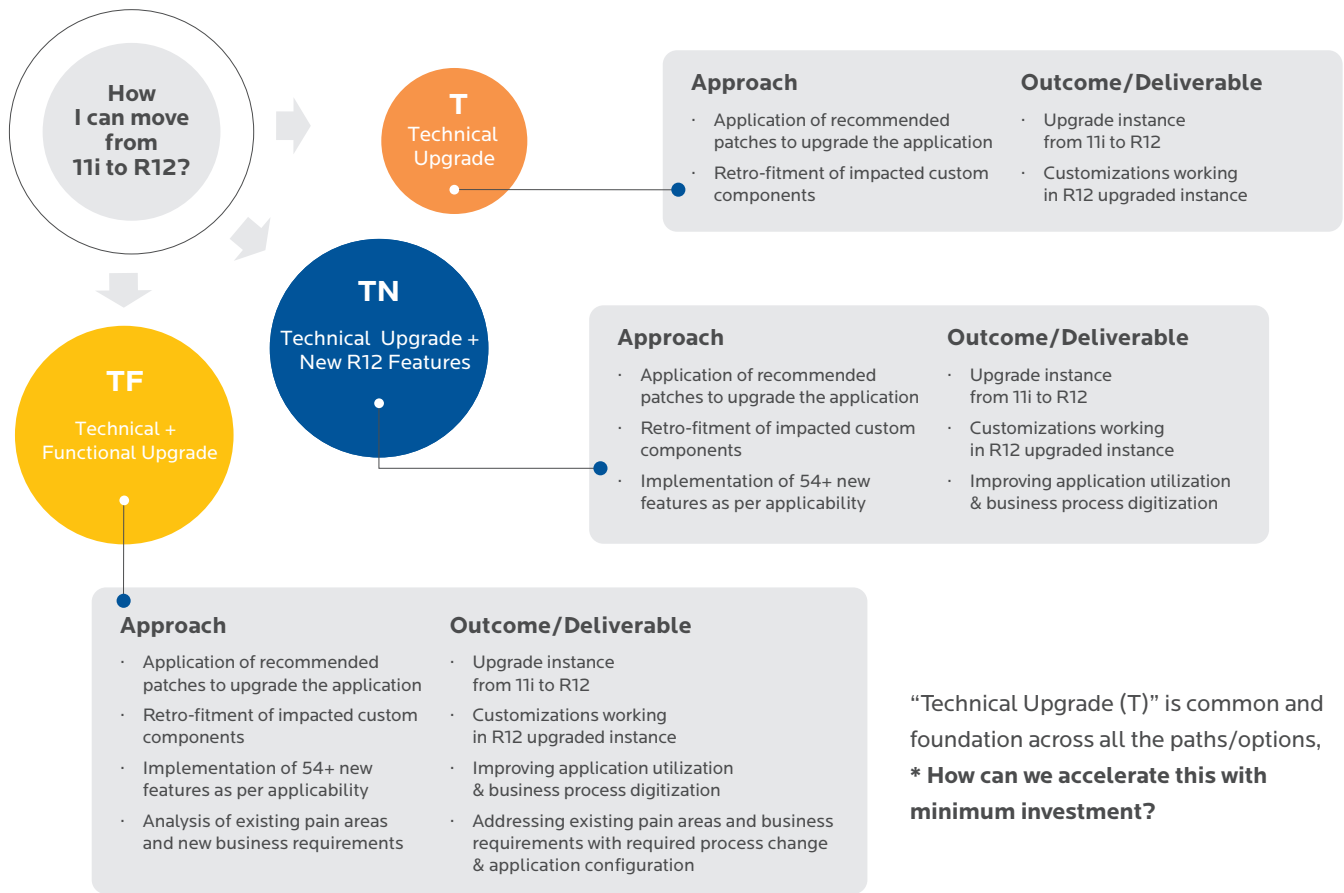
Industry Expertise
Defines Birlasoft

Pre-Upgrade Assessment Offerings

At Birlasoft, we understand the fact that the needs of each enterprise are different and hence we have created custom packages which would suit your needs:

Area	R12 Pre-Upgrade Assessment offerings		
	Silver	Gold	Platinum
Execution	Impacta Tool (To identify impacted custom components)		
		Business Process Workshops (To find suitability of new features of R12)	
			Pain Areas & New Requirement Workshops (To come up with high level solution to address pain areas and new requirements)

Deliverables	Silver	Gold	Platinum
	1 Listing of impacted custom components	1 Listing of impacted custom components	1 Listing of impacted custom components
	2 Plan for the retro-fitment of custom components	2 Plan for the retro-fitment of custom components	2 Plan for the retro-fitment of custom components
	3 Proposal with project plan, training & test iterations along with cut-over	3 Plan for the implementation of new features	3 Plan for the implementation of new features
		4 Proposal with project plan, training & test iterations along with cut-over	4 Plan for addressing existing pain areas and requirements
			5 Proposal with project plan, training & test iterations along with cut-over

Route to 12™ - Birlasoft's Rapid Path solution for technical upgrade of Oracle EBS 11i instance to R12

R12 Upgrade Offerings:

How I can move from 11i to R12?

T Technical Upgrade

Approach
- Application of recommended patches to upgrade the application
- Retro-fitment of impacted custom components

Outcome/Deliverable
- Upgrade instance from 11i to R12
- Customizations working in R12 upgraded instance

TN Technical Upgrade + New R12 Features

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- Implementation of 54+ new features as per applicability

Outcome/Deliverable
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- Customizations working in R12 upgraded instance
- Improving application utilization & business process digitization

TF Technical + Functional Upgrade

Approach
- Application of recommended patches to upgrade the application
- Retro-fitment of impacted custom components
- Implementation of 54+ new features as per applicability
- Analysis of existing pain areas and new business requirements

Outcome/Deliverable
- Upgrade instance from 11i to R12
- Customizations working in R12 upgraded instance
- Improving application utilization & business process digitization
- Addressing existing pain areas and business requirements with required process change & application configuration

"Technical Upgrade (T)" is common and foundation across all the paths/options, *** How can we accelerate this with minimum investment?**

Birlasoft Oracle Practice provides Oracle and process-based expertise to Manufacturing, Automotive and Energy industries. More than 2,000 Oracle professionals deliver a powerful combination of industry experience and Oracle knowledge in the following areas:

- E-Business Suite
- JD Edwards
- Agile PLM
- CRM On Demand
- Value Chain Planning
- Value Chain Execution
  - Warehouse Management
  - Oracle Transportation Management
- Business Intelligence and Hyperion
- Fusion Middleware
- Global Services and Support

Birlasoft holds

20+ Oracle specializations

and

5 advanced specializations

Enterprise to the Power of Digital™

Birlasoft combines the power of domain, enterprise and digital technologies to reimagine business processes for customers and their ecosystem. Its consultative and design thinking approach makes societies more productive by helping customers run businesses. As part of the multibillion diversified CK Birla Group, Birlasoft with its 10,000 engineers, is committed to continuing our 150 year heritage of building sustainable communities.