

Sapphire Project Manager for SAP Business One



Simple yet powerful, SAP Business One can serve as a company's primary business management application.

The core SAP Business One solution gives companies all of the functionality they need to run their businesses – plus it offers specialised features to meet the unique needs of your company. If necessary, you can even add further functional enhancements. SAP Business One connects seamlessly to other applications via numerous standard interfaces. As a result, the solution offers a comprehensive and versatile enterprise management tool for SMEs.

SAP Business One is the ideal choice for SMEs working in project based industries. Sapphire Project Manager for SAP Business One adds project co-ordination between planning, materials, capacity and engineering within budgets and delivery times. The solution offers CRM, logistics, job costing, accounting, project & capacity planning, time registration and down payment schedules; all delivered as one seamless entity with one interface and one database. Sapphire Project Manager for SAP Business One is easy to use and companies are guaranteed full support to their back office through complete integration between project accounting and the general ledger. The result is: short lead-times, better project margins, improved resource utilisation and... less stress.

Sapphire Project Manager for SAP Business One Functions:

- ▶ **Project planning** - Graphical planning through multiple levels with milestones. Material deliveries are linked with project activities and are directly visible in the plan!
- ▶ **Capacity planning** – Graph-based 'rough' plans at department level. Using drag & drop, hours in the rough plan can be allocated directly to employees and machines
- ▶ **Bill of Material** – Support of multi-level BoMs
- ▶ **Job costing** – Direct access to projected, pre and post calculations, and actual project margin, extensive 'drill-down' options to activity, material and man-hour details
- ▶ **Account and Invoicing** – Powerful analysis and reporting option. Multi-currency support and rich cash management. Invoice schemes supported with down payments linked to the plan
- ▶ **Sales management** – Support of the project scale with a business partner register, contact, and proposal management
- ▶ **Workflow** – All users receive pro-active tasks and automatic alerts in case of process disturbance
- ▶ **Procurement and Inventory** – Comprehensive procurement functionality. Purchase lines linked to the project. Support of project inventory, multiple warehouses, and re-order requests
- ▶ **Time registration** – booking of direct and indirect times sheets (e.g. for sickness and annual leave)

ABOUT SAPPHIRE

Sapphire Systems plc is the UK's leading Channel Partner for SAP Business One. During the past 20 years, Sapphire has built a team of technical and service personnel who have led some 2,500 system implementations - from single-user systems to large, multi-national finance and ERP applications.

Sapphire have global rollout capabilities that are available across all continents, and that are backed by a large team of SAP Business One specialists. With consistent, double digit revenue growth over the last several years, Sapphire joined the ranks of the Deloitte Fast 500 EMEA Technology Providers in 2005.

Headquartered in London with offices in Manchester, the Isle of Man and the USA, the group today provides solutions, services and support to over 500 companies worldwide.



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With Sapphire Project Manager for SAP Business One you can benefit from the following:

- ▶ **Improved project margins** – The budget calculation becomes more reliable because of capacity planning and usage of historical data. During production, margin improves by better procurement, efficient resource usage and control of overtime and outsourcing. Finally, yet importantly, this solution, offers real time visibility in job costing and profit margins. This makes timely and more accurate corrections possible.
- ▶ **Company efficiency** – The utilisation levels can be improved as the result of better control of departmental work schedules. One direct effect is the reduction of outsourcing and the 'temporary' work force. Further benefits are a reduction in project overheads by eliminating rework, minimising mistakes and search time, and by simplifying procurement and invoice procedures.
- ▶ **Customer satisfaction** – With Sapphire Project Manager for SAP Business One, meeting deadlines becomes more reliable. One integrated plan, with milestones, controls all the contributing processes. Problems inside and between projects are visible and resolved quickly.

Implementation and Support Services

Sapphire's team of experienced technical, application and business consultants work with clients to help manage the entire lifecycle of a system implementation project. This enables client personnel to remain focused on their core responsibilities whilst new systems are put in place – and ensures that a successful system roll-out is achieved in the shortest possible time.

Post-implementation, Sapphire offer a broad range of services which include telephone and web-base support, product training and consultancy, systems integration and product upgrades.

Together, the Sapphire team bring their clients the knowledge and experience gained on over 2,500 system implementations.

To further enhance the breadth of each solution, Sapphire's in-house development team can provide custom functionality and integration links to ensure all areas of the organisation can work together for maximum business efficiency.

The Sapphire Group of Companies operates from two offices, in London and Manchester, and have dedicated training centres in London, Manchester and the Isle of Man. For further information please email info@sapphiresystems.co.uk or telephone our Project Team on **020 7648 2000**.