

BENEFITS OF INTEGRATED MANUFACTURING SOFTWARE

Here's why emerging manufacturing companies can't afford to make due with off-the-shelf accounting software and basic office tools.

Today's integrated manufacturing systems are powerful, scalable, and don't require a large capital investment to deploy.

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GAAP COMPLIANCE

Off-the-shelf accounting packages like QuickBooks are not secure. Transactions can be deleted without leaving an auditable transaction record.

Bankers, business partners and venture capitalists give more serious consideration to companies whose financial reports are generated using an auditable business system.

Business success starts with knowing you can trust your numbers.

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SINGLE TRANSACTIONAL DATABASE

An integrated business system unifies the entire company under a common data repository where everyone sees the same information in real time.

The whole organization unites around a single version of the truth.

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BUILT-IN BUSINESS RULES AND LOGIC

An integrated system provides structure and control to the organization. All transactions are recorded using standards-based checks and balances that foster compliance with industry guidelines.

With all business transactions recorded using consistent workflow and system-validated data, your business gains the foundation to make confident decisions and streamline processes.

INSTALL CHECKS AND BALANCES

- Real-time reporting and analysis
- Reporting rules compliance
- Validated transactions
- Consistent data records
- Normalized business processes
- Conforming standards

Everyone becomes more productive, more responsive to customers, and better decision-makers.

Top 5 Benefits of Integrated Manufacturing Software

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LET THE SYSTEM DO THE HEAVY LIFTING

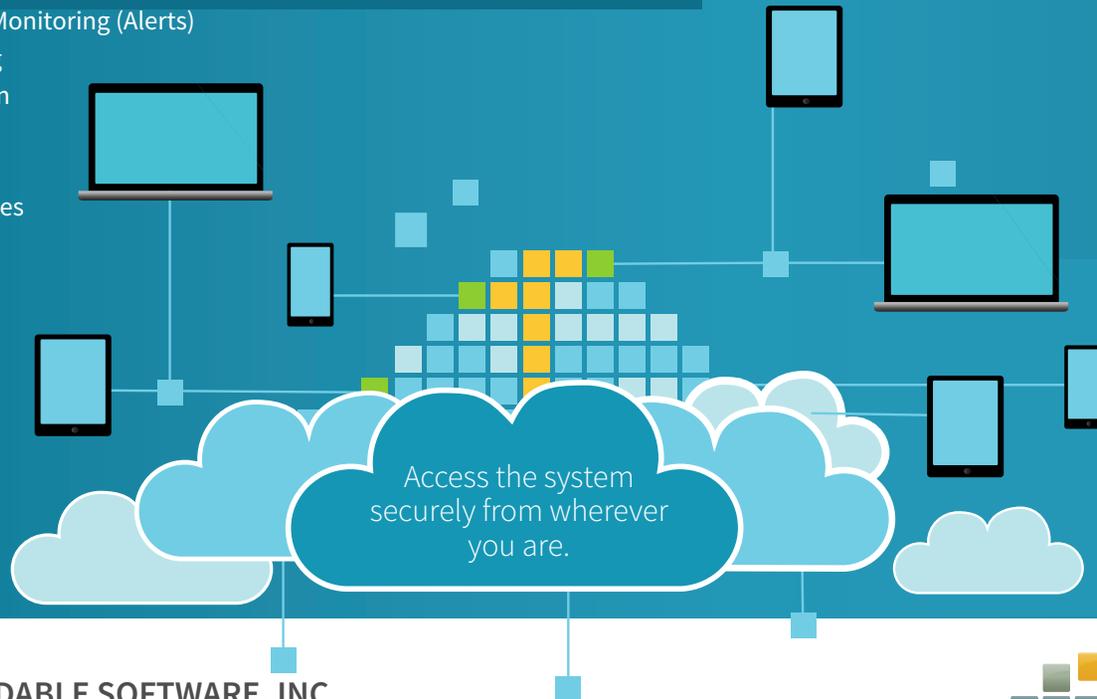
As vigilant as we may be at monitoring the health of our organization, we'll never be as good as the server that never sleeps.

An integrated system can continuously measure key performance indicators, ready to alert you to any anomalies.

Manufacturing software channels computing power so the system performs calculations that are almost impossible to do by hand and always tedious to set up in a spreadsheet, like cost rollups, real-time inventory valuations, variances, and materials requirements planning (MRP).

AUTOMATE REPETITIVE TASKS

- Business Activity Monitoring (Alerts)
- Month end closing
- Report distribution
- Work orders
- Backups
- Labeling receivables
- Invoicing



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Expandable designs, sells, implements and supports a scalable ERP system designed as a complete business foundation for manufacturers growing from the early stages of the expansion cycle all the way to the billion dollar mark.

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ACCELERATE GROWTH

With an integrated manufacturing system in place companies are able to commit to larger production volumes and reap the benefits of economies of scale.

Personnel are able to do more with less as they use the system to eliminate manual processes and better control production.

Typical growth pains like inventory shortages are minimized as the system computes accurate order quantities and schedules delivery based on lead times, current inventory levels and sales quantities. Customer orders are delivered on time with complete visibility of costs, margins and product details.

REAL-TIME VISIBILITY

- Inventory levels
- Credit balances
- Order information
- Sales volumes
- Vendor info
- Shipment status
- Customer details

EXPECTED RESULTS

- Increased profitability
- Improved productivity
- Informed decision-making
- Enhanced competitive advantage
- Reduced manual processes
- Unified company
- Superior customer responsiveness