R+V Insurance ensures efficient SAP test data management

EPI-USE Labs' Data Sync Manager™ (DSM) Suite, including System Builder, helps one of Germany's largest insurers automate and simplify test data management.

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- Monthly HCM test client created in < 6 hours

- Copy business scenarios with dependencies in < 5 minutes

- Testing on accurate, daily copied SAP data

- Flexible software to meet customer-specific requirements

- Supports SAP Industry solution for Insurance

> " With Data Sync Manager, we were able to automate and simplify complicated processes in the area of test data management.

Holger Bauer, Senior SAP Consultant Application Management, R+V Insurance

About R+V

R+V Insurance is one of Germany's largest insurers for private and corporate customers, and is part of the Volksbanken Raiffeisenbanken cooperative financial network. R+V's diverse services range from cross-sector target group concepts for the retail sector in composite insurance to company pension schemes in industry pension organisations. R+V also operates worldwide as an active reinsurer. Independent rating agencies regularly confirm the high quality and financial strength of R+V and its products.

Test data challenges with complex insurance contracts

To ensure their complex insurance processes ran smoothly, R+V needed to run daily tests with accurate, up-to-date data from their Production system to test process scenarios. The wide range of R+V insurance contracts adds complexity, and numerous combinations need testing in the SAP insurance industry solution.

Previously, R+V did a full system copy of their Production system for mapping tests. In a further expansion stage, test clients with a subset of data were required. Their main focus was creating a data-slice to a module or a module group, and an additional time-slice of data.

DSM for daily test management updates

R+V chose EPI-USE Labs' Data Sync Manager™ (DSM) Suite, because there was no comparable solution on the market to map daily updated SAP test management. For R+V, the testing of business transactions in SAP ICM or FS-CD is essential. DSM allows you to copy these business transactions, including all documents from the SAP Production system, directly to the test system.

R+V was also impressed by the simple creation and extension options for business transactions. Customer-specific scenarios that were not included in the scope of delivery for DSM are created independently by R+V.

Automated process for daily test data

Thanks to DSM, R+V now has an automated procedure for generating test data daily in their SAP Collections and Disbursements (FS-CD) system. They also leverage System Builder, part of the DSM suite, to create 'empty' clients without data, and then copy specific business objects into it for testing. Today, R+V create separate clients, such as a monthly SAP HCM test client to test payroll reconciliations.

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