CASE STUDY

WESTERN DIGITAL COMPANY

62,000 employees / 16 billion+ gross revenue
Solution: Incorta

SCOPE OF WORK

WDC's Executive team and Office of Finance were immensely frustrated with the speed, flexibility, and ease-of-use of reports that were formerly being delivered via Oracle Business Intelligence (OBIEE) and a traditional Data Warehouse. They needed the ability to provide insights in a matter of minutes, as opposed to waiting weeks or months for conventional development. Given the size and complexity of the data coming out of their Oracle ERP system, specific queries took as long as 6 hours to run, and both Finance and the Executive Team were utterly dependent on IT for access to information. Financial analysts were also spending an excessive amount of time stitching together data in Excel and manually creating reports instead of analyzing data to drive the business.

Within eight weeks, Western Digital was able to roll out a full stop data platform with Incorta against their Oracle ERP environment, with plans to bring in 3-4 additional data sources and deploy 5+ other use cases before the end of the year. The beachhead use case encapsulated GL Drill Down and Procure-to-Pay reporting, which has been incredibly time-consuming and cumbersome to deliver today with traditional methodologies.

With Incorta, OBIEE reports that used to take hours now process in seconds, new reports can be delivered in hours instead of weeks, and the Executive team now has unparalleled visibility into global financials, customer information, and supply chain operations. They're no longer stuck with summarized or pre-aggregated views of data – they can drill from summary level KPI's down to the individual transactions that comprise those metrics, with full confidence in the accuracy of the data. The business also now has true self-service access to data and is no longer dependent on IT for data or reports and can create their dashboards & insights on the fly.

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