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WHY DO BANKS LOVE NETDIMENSIONS?

Why do banks and other organizations in Financial Services love NetDimensions? It comes down to three words: Understanding, Security and Flexibility.

UNDERSTANDING: WE KNOW WHAT ORGANIZATIONS IN THE FINANCIAL SERVICES INDUSTRY WANT

NetDimensions staff has strong roots in banking; most of our programmers and developers are from the financial services industry and have significant experience in programming with security in mind. Not surprisingly, we applied our extensive collective experience in developing and implementing secure systems when we designed our LMS, the Enterprise Knowledge Platform (EKP).

SECURITY: A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH

NetDimensions' approach to security is comprehensive:

- Every EKP request is treated as a transaction with a single point of entry for all actions (e.g. one cannot go to a URL to find a 'backdoor' entry). There is also a transaction code, visible in the EKP URL shorthand that keeps hackers from entering the database.
- EKP does not employ script-based pages (i.e. .asp, .jsp) as the logic inherent in such scripts can potentially be exploited by hackers.
- All data is kept on the server with no user data kept at the client side. Furthermore, EKP does not employ cookies. Not surprisingly, our financial services customers like EKP as all sensitive information is kept within their secure environments.
- The database does not contain user accounts. EKP updates the database, not users. Consequently, strong

security features, strong passwords can be employed – and accounts, passwords, or both can be cancelled if a user 'guesses' too many times at a password.

- Extensive auditing – EKP incorporates extensive auditing capability storing, among other things, sources of a request, course and user deletions, in the database as part of an audit trail.
- ISO 27001-compliant Hosting Facilities: NetDimensions' hosted and managed services gives customers the option of having their applications and data managed on our world-class ISO 27001 compliant facilities where security is implemented at logical, physical, environmental and risk assessment levels.

FLEXIBILITY: COMPONENT-BASED ARCHITECTURE

In addition to being secure, NetDimensions' LMS is flexible.

The Enterprise Knowledge Platform LMS employs a modular design - it is built on Java components. This offers flexibility in integration, with respect to existing or preferred platforms (e.g. Oracle, Sybase, Tomcat, Websphere, etc.) and flexibility for future growth.

To learn more about why banks and other organizations in the financial services industry love NetDimensions contact us at sales@netdimensions.com.