

A Business Partner Solution for the Cross Industry Sector

Migrating IBM FileNet COLD & IBM FileNet Report Manager to IBM CMOD

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RM2CMOD

Technology Description

IBM provides two types of computer generated report management solutions: IBM FileNet COLD 2.0 and IBM FileNet Report Manager. IBM has announced end of service for these products, so customers will need solutions for both backfile data migration and report capture solutions. Customers can select from two options: IBM FileNet Content Manager (CM) and IBM Content Manager OnDemand (CMOD). Report data can be migrated to FileNet Content Manager if report management capability is not required. Softech's tools can capture the reports, convert them to PDF documents and store them on the FileNet CM system.

CMOD is IBM's mainstream report management product which is designed to process high volumes of print output. CMOD offers more report management and day forward report capture capabilities than FileNet COLD and FileNet Report Manager. Mapping FileNet Report Manager report formats and templates to CMOD report templates require knowledge of both products. Softech's tools and processes have been successfully used and deployed on multiple customer projects for both backfile conversion and day forward report capture solutions.

Features & Benefits

- FileNet COLD 1.0 and COLD 2.0 compressed and uncompressed documents residing on FileNet Image Services are supported.
- FileNet Report Manager standalone storage (not connected to Image Services) and documents archived on FileNet Image Services storage are supported.
- Export of all IBM FileNet P8 annotations structures.
- Decompress, merge, and reconstruct text-based reports into the original stream format.
- If the source data was AFP or Xerox metacode, the documents were converted to PDF by Report Manager. The PDF documents will be retrieved as-is or combined into one PDF file or multiple PDF files.
- Provide consulting, training, migration and support services to assist customers with the migration.



IBM Segment

- Enterprise Content Management

Business Function

- Migration

Target Industry

- Cross Industry



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Value Proposition

Softech's RM2CMOD migration tool provides clean migration paths and tools for existing IBM FileNet P8 customers to migrate data to supported IBM ECM products. Softech personnel have extensive knowledge and experience in successfully migrating from FileNet COLD and FileNet Report Manager to FileNet Content Manager and Content Manager OnDemand. Customers can take advantage of Softech's high performance migration tools and perform the migration in-house or partner with Softech. Softech provides one year post-migration warranty.

Company Description

Softech & Associates is a leading provider of flexible client configurable document imaging and workflow solutions and tools that allow IBM ECM customers to better leverage their investment. Softech provides consulting services expertise in system installation and optimization, release upgrades, volume image conversions, high-speed document import/export, platform, data and application migrations and customer support.



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