

HP Reference Information Manager (RIM) for Databases

Solution brief



Information is the fuel that drives today's organizations. Every business—large and small—uses information in almost every task. It's no wonder information is imperative for organizations to grow, compete and strengthen relationships and even retain and protect their corporate reputation and brand. With HP Information Solutions, you can make better decisions and manage business-critical information throughout its lifecycle.

Highlights

- Simplify business intelligence (BI) data management
- Increase data warehouse performance
- Gain greater return on investment (ROI)

Get ahead of the data explosion

Every year, companies almost double the amount of data they need to store and analyze. You need just-in-time information as well as historical data to remain competitive in the marketplace. As a result, data warehouses (DW) are bursting with data, users and queries. So, you look for easy ways to reduce complexity and cost while increasing overall data warehouse performance. The trend is to increase server and storage capacity to accommodate more data or move older data to offline storage where it must be reloaded and re-indexed to access again. Either way, you increase costs and decrease performance.

What if you could identify inactive data and transparently relocate it to the right place in your BI infrastructure so you have the data you need at your fingertips? You would better manage data growth, improve overall data warehouse performance and availability, and improve your ROI.

HP Reference Information Manager (RIM) for Databases lets you do exactly that. This software suite significantly boosts data warehouse performance by reducing the size of your data warehouse. HP RIM for Databases also provides transparent online access to archived data using existing DW queries at any time for business users and regulatory compliance. Its open architecture supports a wide range of configurations for BI databases and storage types.

Key features and benefits

Simplify BI data management

- Allows you to proactively manage data growth through database archiving
- Provides transparent access to both active and inactive data
- Automatically classifies unique business transactions with unique policies
- Lets you keep BI data sources at a certain size

Increase BI data warehouse performance

- Increases data availability for access, analysis and reporting
- Enhances system availability by reducing maintenance windows
- Speeds up load and query performance for BI applications

Gain HP and SAP partner advantage

- Enhances the value of your server and storage hardware through database tiering
- Improves report performance by removing old data from queries
- Allows for redeployment of resources to other projects
- Reduces costs by archiving data to less expensive servers and storage

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HP related services:

- **HP RIM for Databases Implementation Service**—facilitates rapid, smooth deployment, startup and integration of this powerful policy-based solution within your customer's IT infrastructure. An easy-to-buy, easy-to-use HP Care Pack Service, it is delivered by an HP Services storage specialist with in-depth data archiving knowledge and know-how.
- Other applicable HP storage services include:
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 - HP Reference Information Manager Installation and Startup Service
 - HP RISS Backup Installation and Startup Service
 - HP RISS Replication Installation and Startup Service
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