

ORACLE COLLABORATION SUITE 10g CALENDAR

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KEY FEATURES:

- Advanced group/resource scheduling functionality
- Real-time architecture
- Flexible access via desktop, web, wireless and voice
- Integrated with other Collaboration Suite applications
- Cross platform support
- Standards based
- Extensible and customizable

KEY BENEFITS:

- Work smarter with the ability to manage and share your calendar information in real-time – it's always accurate, and always up-to-date.
- Streamline your business processes and increase efficiency with powerful group and resource scheduling functionality and integrated services that ease collaboration
- Access your calendar anytime, anywhere with unparalleled client, platform and mobile support.
- Integrate time management functionality with other applications by using developer tools to leverage the standards-based central calendar store and customize it to suit your needs.

Oracle Calendar is powerful time management built for today's enterprise, combining advanced group and resource scheduling functionality with a wide range of access methods to give you up-to-date calendar information - anytime, anywhere, and on any platform you need it. An extensible platform based on a centralized real-time architecture, Oracle Calendar provides the ability to connect time and location-based information across enterprise applications to optimize business processes throughout your organization.

Advanced Group and Resource Scheduling

Streamline business processes with Oracle Calendar's advanced group and resource scheduling features:

- Use the calendar's intuitive interface to view one or more persons' agendas at a glance, choose a meeting time and perform automated conflict checking, easing the process of booking meetings and avoiding scheduling conflicts.
- Maximize the use of shared resources such as meeting rooms by conducting searches based on geographic location or seating capacity, or you can even integrate resources with your workflow system, enabling administrators to reject or approve access to highly valued equipment.
- Create, modify and delete complex meetings quickly and efficiently, by using pre-defined groups, recurrence rules, and support for multiple time zones. Or let Oracle Calendar do it all for you with automated suggestions for meeting times based on invitee and resource availability.

Real-Time Accuracy

Work smarter with Oracle Calendar's ability to connect you directly to the calendar server to access up-to-the-minute user and resource information. Unlike Microsoft Exchange's® message-based time management system, with Oracle Calendar there are no lags, no message queues and no data replication; the data you receive is always current and completely accurate.

Access for Everyone

Oracle Calendar provides a full range of client access methods to serve the most diverse workforce, from the integrated Oracle Connector for Outlook, to the rich feature set of the desktop clients (for Windows, Mac and Linux), and the anywhere convenience of the web client. In fact, flexibility and choice are what Oracle Calendar is all about, because everyone has different ways of managing their time.

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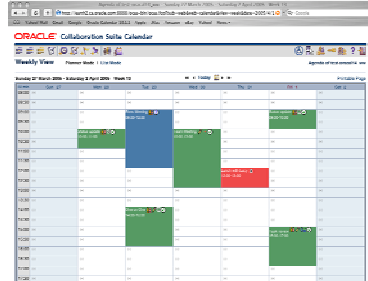
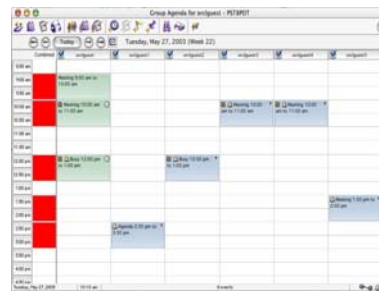
Oracle Calendar combines a standards-based real-time architecture with a wide range of access methods, seamlessly integrated with other components of Oracle Collaboration Suite to provide a unified source for all time-based information.

As the most robust, intuitive and scalable time management system available for complex enterprise scheduling needs, Oracle Calendar doesn't just keep people working together; it actually changes the way people think about managing their time.

RELATED PRODUCTS AND SERVICES:

The following products are available as part of Oracle Collaboration Suite:

- Oracle Mail
- Oracle Voicemail & Fax
- Oracle Mobile Access
- Oracle Real-Time Collaboration
- Oracle Content Services



L to R (clockwise): Connector for Outlook; the Calendar desktop client for Mac OS X; the Calendar web client.

Support for multiple platforms enables Oracle Calendar to break down communication barriers in heterogeneous enterprise environments, by providing the ability for users running different operating systems to schedule with each other seamlessly.

Oracle Calendar also includes PDA synchronization for your calendar with support for Palm OS (Windows or Mac), or PocketPC, to enable full two-way synchronization of meetings, appointments, contacts, notes and tasks to their handheld, and updates directly between your device and the Calendar Server. Additionally, through Oracle Mobile Access, you can receive SMS alerts of calendar events or browse your calendar from your mobile device, or even synchronize your calendar over the air.

Time Management Fit For a Suite

Oracle Calendar is integrated with the rest of Oracle Collaboration Suite to optimize business processes for increased productivity. Oracle Mail offers a user-friendly, web application for managing mail as well as a view into your Calendar. The TimeBar view provides users access to calendar appointments and reminders, with direct access to the Oracle Calendar Web client for creating and editing meetings. Oracle Real-time Collaboration. Oracle web conferences can be easily set up and accessed through Oracle Calendar and instant messages can be launched via your Calendar.

Embed Time Management into your business processes

As enterprises look for ways to integrate calendaring data directly within their existing corporate portals or build custom applications, Oracle Calendar's standards-based developer tools include a Web Services Toolkit that provides XML and SOAP based mechanisms to allow access and the transfer of calendaring data to other applications, and the Calendar SDK uses the iCalendar standard for data representation to facilitate data interchange.

For more information

To see what's new in the 10g release of Oracle Calendar, see the Oracle Calendar 10g Overview at: <http://www.oracle.com/technology/products/ocal/index.html>