Acette Smart Match™

PROCESS AUTOMATION

Reconciliations Automated!

Customer comments

- "With Smart Match, we have reduced our reconciliation staff by half."
- "With Smart Match our reconciliation backlog is less than a month!"
- "Smart Match provides professional and consistent multi-channel correspondence capabilities which result in productivity gains."
- "Reconciliation is no more a boring and time consuming process!"
- "We don't require high-skilled personnel for reconciliation."
- "Smart Match is one application that clearly leverages on Windows presentations to add productivity to an otherwise difficult job!"

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Applications

Acette Smart Match[™] is an easy-to-use, flexible and quickly installable computer system for the automation of reconciliation activities in banks and financial institutions.

Smart Match^M can easily be customized to integrate into existing computer systems and works independent of the existing database environment or application structure. It supports multi-account and multi-item reconciliation.

Product Features

Smart Match[™] is interactive with GUI screens and has multi-user functions, with supervisory override and review capabilities. It supports "windowed-vision" for quickly identifying and locating matching items where no exact match exists. Windowing is supported on various key value fields, like dates and amounts.

Smart Match^m displays different sort views at the click of a mouse, or the push of a button to help locate matching items. A simple double click identifies matched items. It maintains personal journals for each terminal operator.

Smart Match[™] provides supervisory and management reporting, including selective or complete review of "forced-matching" done, ageing reporting and MIS reports for follow-up activities. It incorporates intelligent filters can be used to re-format data being picked up from other computer systems and networks (like SWIFT, ATM and EFT-POS Switches, electronic payment gateways, etc.)

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Broad range of applications

- Smart Match™ can bring about considerable labour saving in the back office and can further reduce costs of running a back-office operation by reduction in operational risks, saving in interest losses and other jobs that have indirect cost implications to financial and banking operations.
- Full integration with the existing pre-packaged or inhouse developed computer systems can be achieved either by directly accessing data held on external databases or through file extracts.
- Smart Match[™] can be used to send out pre-formatted correspondences by letters, faxes or email to customers and correspondents to inform them about events and for follow-ups.
- The product can cater to the needs of both small and large organizations.

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Smart Match Product Overview

Reconciliation of transactions is among the finance industry's most labourintensive activities. It calls for the painstaking efforts of many very highskilled people. In spite of using top quality staff, traditional manual methods become error-prone, cumbersome and tedious. So, it is not uncommon to see months of backlog in reconciliation departments that lack automated processes.

Most common computer systems have the facility to auto-match those transactions where exactly identical key fields are available. However, in practice, identical matches typically comprise less than 5 to 10 % of all transactions. This would mean that "forced matching" has to be done by manual intervention and searching through massive computer print-outs.

Smart Match^m, which is a generic automated reconciliation system, can be used for reconciling various financial transactions. The system can be used very effectively for:

- Nostro-Account Reconciliation (reconciles entries for various types of instruments and has intelligent SWIFT interface filters).
- ATM and Switch message matching.
- Confirmation and Advice Matching for stock and FX trading and MM placements.
- Inter-branch transaction matching.
- Securities matching for cash and assets.

The system can be deployed both in a single user or a multi-user environment. The system is built around very flexible RDBMS technology and can work with Microsoft Access, Microsoft SQL Server or ORACLE or IBM AS/400 DB2 as the database.

System Pre-requisites:

Hardware Requirements

Smart Match^{\mathrm{M}} requires the following minimum hardware configuration:

• Pentium IV 2.0 GHz; 20 GB Hard Disk; 256MB SD-RAM.

Client Components

Smart Match[™] requires the following operating system and tools:

- Operating System: Windows NT Desktop, 2000 Professional or XP Professional
- Windows 2000 SP4 or XP SP2

