

IBM Unified Governance and Integration Platform enables you to know, trust, and use your data while providing improved flexibility to choose and switch between products as your data management and governance needs evolve

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At a glance

IBM[®] Unified Governance and Integration Platform is a robust and flexible offering with world class data governance and integration capabilities that enable your organization to identify, manage, and explore data for insights.

The offering provides great flexibility; you can buy entitlement to various capabilities in flex points which do not expire and can be applied to any product within the portfolio bundle as the needs of the business evolve over time. Some of the core offering capabilities within the platform include:

- Data integration and replication
- Data governance and quality
- Master data management
- Information lifecycle governance

Overview

Unified Governance and Integration Platform offering is a full suite of IBM offerings in data governance, data integration and data movement, master data management, and information lifecycle governance. It is designed to meet the needs of the enterprise in the new age of ubiquitous data, structured and unstructured, on premise or in the private or public cloud. In a digital economy, where the barriers to entry are constantly being lowered, data-driven insights are often the only real source of differentiation and competitive advantage. This offering enables businesses to bring efficiency and transparency into business processes to help drive greater insight from information assets, while enforcing regulatory and internal compliance.

This suite of offerings brings together the following capabilities that an organization needs to derive value from data:

- Integrate, transform, and replicate data
- Govern data and unstructured information and improve data quality
- Provide complete view of business entities

- Manage the information lifecycle

Key stakeholders include the CDO, Data Engineer, Data Scientist, Compliance officer, Data Steward, Developers, and the Citizen Analysts. This offering is intended to serve the full spectrum of clients, ranging from small businesses that require point solutions, to hyper-growth businesses with rapidly evolving business needs around compliance, to large multinational corporations with diverse structured and unstructured data assets that need to be managed both for compliance and insights.

The unique flex point approach to entitlement recognizes the rapidly evolving needs of clients in the marketplace and is tailor-made for you to derive optimal benefit from the various offerings in the Unified Governance and Integration Platform. You may purchase entitlement based on your expected needs and when requirements change, and you no longer need a product, you can stop using it and apply the same flex points to another product within the portfolio.

The flex points do not expire or lose value over time. Additional flex points can be purchased at any time as needs grow. Service and support entitlement is also available in flex points and can be applied to any or all products in the Unified Governance and Integration Platform offering.

Key prerequisites

For specific requirements for the offerings packaged within this platform, see the Software Announcements listed in the [Reference information](#) section.

Planned availability date

January 25, 2018

Description

The Unified Governance and Integration Platform offering is a robust suite of data management components that help guide your organization through its data mastery and data control strategies.

IBM InfoSphere^(R) Information Server offerings

InfoSphere Information Server provides a single platform for data integration and governance. The components in the suite combine to create a unified foundation for enterprise information architectures, capable of scaling to meet any information volume requirements. InfoSphere Information Server helps your business and IT personnel collaborate to understand the meaning, structure, and content of information across a wide variety of sources. It can deliver business results faster, while maintaining data quality and integrity throughout the information landscape.

The InfoSphere Information Server suite comprises numerous components, each providing distinct capabilities for information integration. Coupled together, these components form the building blocks necessary to deliver trusted information across the enterprise, regardless of the complexity of environment. The following offerings are available:

- **InfoSphere Information Governance Catalog** provides capabilities that help you understand and govern your information by using a standardized approach and common business language.
- **InfoSphere Information Server for Data Integration** provides capabilities that help you to transform data in any style and deliver it to any system, promoting faster time to value and reduced risk for IT.
- **InfoSphere Information Server for Data Quality** provides rich capabilities to create and monitor data quality, turning data into trusted information.

- **InfoSphere Information Server Enterprise Edition** provides end-to-end information integration capabilities that help you understand and govern data, create and maintain data quality, and transform and deliver data. Enterprise Edition consists of the Information Governance Catalog, Data Integration, and Data Quality offerings and includes the capability to run on a Hadoop cluster.
- **BigInsights^(R) BigIntegrate** provides capabilities that help you transform and integrate big data to deliver business results faster while maintaining data integrity throughout your information landscape. BigInsights BigIntegrate consists of InfoSphere Information Server for Data Integration running on a Hadoop cluster.
- **BigInsights BigQuality** provides capabilities that help you analyze and cleanse big data to deliver business results faster while maintaining data quality. BigInsights BigQuality consists of InfoSphere Information Server for Data Quality running on a Hadoop cluster.

Data replication tools

IBM data replication portfolio for Linux^(R), Unix, MicrosoftTM WindowsTM, and IBM i delivers trusted data synchronization, including change data capture capabilities, to replicate information between heterogeneous data stores in near-real time. Change data capture now includes Kafka target engine. Powered with the capabilities of IBM InfoSphere Data Replication, this software portfolio provides replication with transactional integrity to support big data integration, continuous availability, consolidation, warehousing, and business analytics initiatives. It also supports zero-downtime migrations and upgrades.

Master data management and entity analytics components

InfoSphere Master Data Management is a robust, flexible, master data management solution that creates trusted master views of critical data assets and can increase the effectiveness of important business processes and applications. InfoSphere Master Data Management provides the capability to manage master data throughout its lifecycle by integrating with each organization's specific business rules and processes for creating, verifying, maintaining, and deleting master data from the repository. It helps organizations realize the full benefit of their investments in customer relationship management (CRM), enterprise resource planning (ERP), and business intelligence (BI) systems, as well as integration tools and data warehouses.

With this solution, IBM offers quick time to value through prebuilt and customizable data models and business services. The solution is optimized for near-real time integration with source and consuming applications and business processes, particularly to support big data initiatives. It supports all domains, architectural styles, and use cases across all industries. The master data management goals are to manage, govern, develop, integrate, and analyze data.

InfoSphere Master Data Management helps your organization manage its data from source systems such as business applications, databases, and content sources. InfoSphere Master Data Management provides data stewardship tools that help promote quality and security. InfoSphere Master Data Management provides the development tools to create custom applications, and business processes business intelligence applications help to monitor and assess master data and how it affects business goals.

IBM InfoSphere Identity Insight^(R) helps organizations manage, analyze, and integrate data in near-real time from any source, such as customer databases, vendor lists, employee databases, regulatory compliance lists, and streaming data feeds. It can also help identify the network value of customers or their market segments, based on a comprehensive view of the customer. Using InfoSphere Identity Insight, organizations can construct a central, dynamic entity database that can be used as a platform for all of their knowledge-based applications.

InfoSphere Global Name Management is an industry-leading toolkit that gives you access to linguistic-based algorithms for processing multicultural individual and business names. It helps manage, search, analyze, and compare multicultural name

data sets. It conducts knowledge-based name matching that considers every name, which greatly reduces false negatives and false positives.

Information lifecycle governance offerings

StoredIQ^(R) helps organizations to improve information economics and reduce risk through governance of data to policy. Information lifecycle governance aligns information cost to value through value-based archiving and tiering; reduces information risk by instrumenting privacy, eDiscovery, and regulatory policy across the data environment; and enables the business to realize information value as context erodes and information volumes increase with in-place analytics, content management, and collaboration.

StoredIQ for Legal provides robust management of the eDiscovery process, from lifecycle governance through identification, hold notification, preservation, and collection. It adds automation, analysis, and insight throughout the process to increase the efficiency of eDiscovery efforts while reducing the cost and risk that are associated with eDiscovery events. It has one interface for management of all client legal preservation and collection requirements.

IBM Atlas Policy Suite (Policy Management) helps organizations improve information economics and reduce risk by defensibly disposing of data debris. It aligns information cost to value through value-based archiving and tiering; reduces information risk by instrumenting privacy and regulatory policy across the data environment; and enables the business to realize information value as context erodes and information volumes increase with in-place analytics, content management, and collaboration.

IBM Industry Models

Industry Models provides a complete fully attributed enterprise data model along with reporting templates that outline the key performance indicators, metrics, and compliance concerns for multiple industries, such as banking, financial markets, health care, insurance and energy and utilities. These models act as key accelerators for migration and integration projects, providing an industry-specific template to which all project participants can refer. By using the Industry Models, organizations can dramatically accelerate projects and reduce risk.

IBM InfoSphere OptimTM Test Data Fabrication

A component of IBM InfoSphere Optim suite of data solutions, InfoSphere Optim Test Data Fabrication can help your organization address the challenges of creating high-quality test data. It leverages deep expertise and years of experience in constraint satisfaction and automatic test data generation from IBM Research. The solution creates fictional yet realistic test data. The fabrication approach can minimize data privacy and security risks compared to solutions that directly use sensitive production data. InfoSphere Optim Test Data Fabrication focuses on generating data for structured and semistructured data sources such as relational database management systems, nonrelational databases, and various file and message formats.

Accessibility by people with disabilities

A US Section 508 Voluntary Product Accessibility Template (VPAT), containing details about accessibility compliance, can be found on the [Product accessibility information](#) website.

Reference information

For more information about IBM InfoSphere^(R) Information Server, see Software Announcement [LP17-0701](#), dated December 12, 2017.

For more information about IBM InfoSphere Master Data Management, see Software Announcement [LP16-0499](#), dated November 29, 2016.

For more information about IBM Industry Models for Banking and Insurance, see Software Announcement [LP17-0272](#), dated May 30, 2017.

For more information about IBM InfoSphere Optim™ Test Data Fabrication, see Software Announcement [LP17-0505](#), dated August 29, 2017.

Program number

Program number	VRM	Program name
5737-G67	1.1.0	IBM Unified Governance and Integration Platform

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Product information is available on the [IBM Offering Information](#) website.

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Publications

For documentation about the offerings within this announcement, see the **Publications** sections of the Software Announcements listed in the [Reference information](#) section.

Technical information

Specified operating environment

Software requirements

For specific requirements for the offerings within this announcement, see the **Software requirements** sections of the Software Announcements listed in the [Reference information](#) section.

Planning information

Packaging

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Product: IBM Unified Governance and Integration Platform (5737-G67)

Passport Advantage

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IBM Unified Governance and Integration Platform 1000 FlexPoints SW Subscription & Support Reinstatement 12 Months	D1WNELL
IBM Unified Governance and Integration Platform 1000 Flexpoints Annual SW Subscription & Support Renewal	E0P6NLL
IBM Unified Governance and Integration Platform for IBM Z 1000 Flexpoints License + SW Subscription & Support 12 Months	D1WNGLL
IBM Unified Governance and Integration Platform for IBM Z 1000 Flexpoints SW Subscription & Support Reinstatement 12 Months	D1WNHLL
IBM Unified Governance and Integration Platform for IBM Z 1000 Flexpoints Annual SW Subscription & Support Renewal	E0P6PLL

Charge metric

Program name	Part number or PID number	Charge metric
IBM Unified Governance and Integration Platform	5737-G67	FlexPoint

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No

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