KSS: Streamlining and Consolidating Business Processes with SAP® Solutions

When it comes to construction and logistics for oil and gas and other industries, KazStroyService Group (KSS) is a world-class leader. But with operations in Kazakhstan, India, and Turkmenistan and plans to expand to roads, power plants, and ports, the company needed a single IT platform to consolidate and streamline crucial business processes. With the SAP® ERP application and SAP BusinessObjects™ business intelligence solutions, projects, logistics, and finance are integrated across the group. The result is greater productivity and lower costs.

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Partner

Executive overview

Company
KazStroyService Group (KSS)

Headquarters
Almaty, Republic of Kazakhstan

Industry
Engineering, construction, and operations

Products and Services
Technology-driven engineering, procurement, and construction for oil and gas pipelines, compressor stations, turnkey refineries, and industrial plants

Employees
Approximately 5,000

Revenue
Over US$500 million

Web Site
www.kazstroyservice.com

Partner
Highbar Technologies Limited
www.highbartechnologies.com

BUSINESS TRANSFORMATION

The company's top objectives

- Install a single IT platform unifying all group companies and improving operational visibility across projects
- Provide accurate management reporting in real time

The resolution

- Engaged Highbar Technologies to upgrade to the latest version of the SAP® ERP application and deploy SAP BusinessObjects™ business intelligence solutions for multiple lines of business
- Completed over 40 rollout projects across three group companies in 11 months and within budget
- Deployed the SAP rapid-deployment solution for adoption of business intelligence in three months to manage projects, sales, financial reporting, procurement, and plant maintenance

The key benefits

- Streamlined and integrated projects, logistics, and financial processes
- Substantially increased productivity, accelerated process cycles, and reduced costs
- Accelerated management decisions with real-time dashboards and reports

"With SAP solutions KSS is now using a single enterprise platform to consolidate and streamline business processes across projects and subsidiaries. This has allowed us to increase operational efficiency and gain better control over projects and costs."

Hamza Saleem, Vice President of Information Systems, KazStroyService Infrastructure India Pvt. Ltd.

TOP BENEFITS ACHIEVED

60%
Faster financial close cycles

60%
Faster procurement-to-pay processes

99.99%
Faster preparation of management information system reports

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