



## CLR for Oracle Applications™

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## Reconciliation and Optimization

# Continuous License Reconciliation™

Automated License  
Management

**Managing your Oracle licensing can be stressful. It is complex and the rules are always changing. VMs, Processors, NUPs, Database Options, and Enterprise licensing options make gaining control of your organization's Oracle license position feel like an impossible task.**

Oracle applications represent an extremely large expenditure, so having visibility into the current state of Oracle environments at all times is critical. It's not difficult to get out of license compliance and not even know it. Changes that are made by well-intentioned individuals who are not aware of the licensing consequences may result in very expensive out-of-compliance conditions. Technicians may turn on features or options during service work procedures, and if these are left enabled, your organization is liable for the cost of using them. These changes are often discovered for the first time during an Oracle audit, resulting in very costly penalties.

**Eracent's automated discovery and application reconciliation process helps reduce the stress around Oracle licensing.** It provides clear visibility into Oracle database product installations and the many configuration attributes that can have a significant impact on licensing costs. The modeling facility also helps to optimize licensing and reduce costs by showing multiple "what-if" scenarios and the costs associated with each one.

Software managers are alerted to any changes to their installed applications, newly utilized options and features, and any configuration changes to the physical and virtual server environments on which these applications are running.



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## Solution Overview

CLR for Oracle Applications provides SAM managers with a total view of Oracle-related activity via a streamlined interface for managing and viewing:

- License agreements with grants, rights, terms and conditions
- Configuration of physical and virtual Oracle servers
- All instances where Oracle database products are installed
- Products, features and options that are installed and in use
- Associated costs, payments and ongoing expenditures
- Upcoming renewal dates, and more.

## License Registration

Wizards guide users through the process of registering Oracle licenses. Associations are made with servers and virtual machines, systems, and license agreements.

## Installation Detection

The ITMC Discovery™ process automatically identifies any physical or virtual servers where Oracle database products are installed. Detailed collection scans provide a real time comprehensive view of installed products, features and options.

## Reporting

The CLR process continuously reports on actual license usage compared to the licenses that have been purchased. Collection results are provided in the Oracle Server Worksheet (OSW) format to meet Oracle LMS reporting requirements. The results may be viewed via the web interface, and reports provide various combinations of data required for continuous reporting of the current license position.



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