



Portals

Most organizations today have deployed some type of portal to help organize corporate information and applications delivered via the web. Analysts estimate that over 40% of these portals are empty. With little more than links and announcements, portal usage is cyclical—dependent on when the latest company news is released. Typically, portal technology does not provide document management beyond project folders; content is assumed to be authored and managed elsewhere and linked into the portal for delivery. As a result, even after deployment of an enterprise portal, organizations continue to struggle with storage management, document security, content contribution and sharing for all employees.

Integration with Xythos Accelerates Portal Adoption and Usage

Xythos believes content is key to the widespread adoption and usefulness of any portal, and content management a critical success factor. By integrating collaborative file sharing and easy-to-use, document management functionality within the portal, employees have a compelling reason to use the portal on a daily basis. Other applications within the portal will also become more frequent as the portal becomes the single destination for employee's jobs.

Xythos' scalable, open standards-based content management platform is an ideal choice for enterprises because it:

- **Supports Single Sign-On and Enables Easy Portal Integration:** The Xythos platform is designed to leverage existing standards for system authentication and security—making it easy to integrate Xythos into an organization's current applications and portal infrastructure.
- **Improves Document Security and Compliance:** Enterprise Document Manager provides the platform and tools necessary to start addressing growing compliance requirements without making employee's jobs more difficult. Integrated document classification and file logging mean that compliance chores are performed transparently, and can operate independently on any document or folder.
- **Reduces IT Costs and Eliminates Email Attachments:** Enterprise Document Manager lowers the cost of file management and reduces network traffic by providing a safer and easier way for users to transfer files instead of using attachments. Employees can also download the latest documents and create electronic workspaces for team projects—all without requiring the IT department to assist them.

Xythos for Portals

- Improved portal interactivity
- Secure document collaboration
- Open standards-based technology
- Easy integration & customization

Xythos Products

- Xythos WebFile Server
- Xythos portlets

Representative Portal Customers

- Johns Hopkins Medicine
- SAS Institute
- Time Warner
- US Joint Forces Command

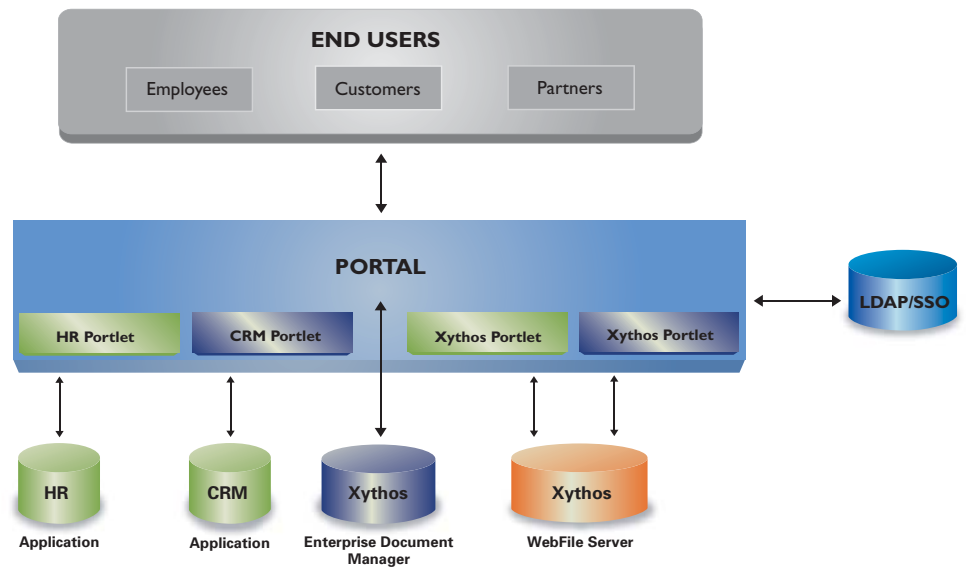


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“Open standards are essential for us to develop our own standards and applications”

Maj. Pete Carrabba
JFCOM Multinational Experiment 4
 technical lead
 Federal Computer Week

- **Offers JSR 168 Portlets:** Xythos provides out-of-the box JSR 168 portlets, including a File Search portlet, a Bookmark portlet and a Folder Contents portlet. These portlets can be embedded on a portal page, allowing users to see at-a-glance the documents and files they need within the larger Xythos WebFile Server application.



Xythos can be integrated into the portal as portlets or directly embedded into the portal via SSO, displaying the entire Xythos UI.

Customer Spotlight: U.S. Joint Forces Command

Because of the need to improve multinational information sharing, JFCOM developed a web portal to support U.S. and Coalition combat forces in Iraq. The portal included a News and Group Calendar portlet, as well as an Expert Locator and Help Desk portlet. In addition, the portal provided web-based document and file management capability, based on Xythos' WebFile Server. Previously, the only way for personnel stationed in Iraq to share files outside the unit was to send an email attachment or copy the file to whatever web server was available. Now, the Xythos-powered document collaboration capabilities within the portal make critical operational documents immediately and easily available, without compromising security.

With Xythos, the portal now facilitates information and knowledge exchange among members of the joint force and its supporting organizations, reducing planning times and enhancing operational effectiveness. Because Xythos' document management solution is web-based, it can be extended to operations throughout Iraq's combat zones.

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