

QUESTIONS TO ASK AN ORACLE EPM CLOUD PROVIDER

Given all the Oracle EPM Cloud providers you might partner with, developing a short list could seem like a daunting task. This checklist will speed things up considerably.



“[Strafford was] very knowledgeable on the products and on the business side. They displayed technical expertise but also had the business and finance skills that we felt were important.”

~ John Bloome, Senior Business Analyst,
Parkland Fuel Corporation

- Are you an Oracle Platinum Partner?
- If I migrate my Hyperion applications, will I have the same functionality that I have today?
- Can I restore backups from any specific time?
- Does data restoration include EPM exports, file copies and instant backups?
- What kind of EPM system monitoring can I expect?
- How do you keep our applications and data secure?

“Rather than having to wait until someone comes in in the morning to resolve an issue with the old on-premises system, now if I have an issue, if something isn’t working, I can make a call [to Strafford] to get some assistance.”

~ Kathy Gates, System Administrator
Aspect Software

- Can you help us with business rule changes, scripts and reports?
- Do you offer business consulting?
- How well does your team know finance procedures and best practices?
- Do you offer a free development environment for future enhancements?
- What kind of compliance services do you offer?
- Will our data be (and stay) isolated?
- Would you say your implementation approach is agile or waterfall?
- Do you offer 24/7 help desk and support services?

FAST. RELIABLE. SUPPORTED.

Can you say that about your existing EPM environment?

Strafford offers consulting, cloud hosting, EPM support and staffing services for finance teams looking to improve their budgeting, planning, consolidation, and reporting processes. **We know finance. We know technology.** Strafford partners with forward thinking technology leaders to deliver enterprise solutions that will improve finance productivity and team efficiencies. We approach every project with the goal of delivering a fast, reliable and supported environment that allows finance teams to spend more time analyzing results and less time managing their financial ecosystem.

How can we help you?

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