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Food & Beverage

Perfecting the recipe for resilience

During the Covid-19 pandemic, the agriculture industry decelerated as consistent migrant labour couldn't be relied on at the time. Moreover, the aftermath of the pandemic have culminated in challenges for the F&B industry. Rising cost of raw ingredients, high energy costs, ongoing supply chain disruptions and changing needs of customers are putting food and beverage manufacturers under pressure.

As a global enterprise and digital services company, Fortude has worked in over 25 countries and with over 100 customers to connect digital solutions to their businesses.

At Fortude, we are taking a fresh approach to fuel your appetite for growth. We truly believe that technology is the key to reducing manufacturing and operational costs while meeting your sustainability requirements. Harnessing the power of Infor M3 and CloudSuite Food & Beverage, our experts can help unlock a new way of making your entire supply chain effective and better equipped to handle the challenges posed by the present inflationary environment.

Experiment with a digital diet

End-to-end supply chain visibility allows manufacturers to identify any issues with the supply chain before it impacts their warehouse inventory. The powerful industry-specific capabilities of Infor M3 and CloudSuite Food and Beverage allow you to do just that. Whether you are looking to enable end-to-end traceability–from farm to the finished product, or monitor and minimize waste across your purchasing, production and distribution processes, Infor's core solution gives you full control of your food and beverage value chain. Infor's ERP solution also empowers manufacturers with the insights required to accurately manage their inventory.

From end-to-end implementation or simply looking to extend the capabilities of your core Infor solution with our extensive suite of extensions and integrations, Fortude has got you covered. Your food and beverage business can extend the capabilities of the core Infor solution with:

Infor Product Lifecycle Management for Process (Optiva) to help manufacturers like you gain better visibility and understanding of your end-to-end product development process, while helping you meet quality standards and regulatory requirements.

Product Information Management (PIM) solutions to ensure cost effective and error free compliance with industry regulators and regional authorities for published information such as nutrient, allergen content and labelling regulations.

Demand Planning and Forecasting systems to accurately forecast demand, optimize inventory levels and reduce the risk of overstocking or stockouts.

Plant Maintenance Systems to help manufacturers optimize maintenance costs through preventive maintenance schedules and analytics on un-planned stoppages and breakdown to identify potential issues.

Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) system to facilitate seamless transmission of data between your business applications.

Warehouse Management Systems and 3PL integrations for holistic management of your distribution center activities.

Demand planning solutions for a synchronized view of demand and eliminate supply chain inefficiencies.

Infor M3 Graphical Lot Tracker provides thorough traceability information to help you quickly isolate and recall finished goods and raw materials associated with any suspected product quality or safety issue.

Managing your Infor applications, for you

Our Application Managed Services team takes away the burden of driving application uptime, to help you focus on what you do best. While we manage your Infor applications, your team can make the most of your enterprise tech stack to delight your customers, outpace the competition and boost profitability.

Fired by data

A robust analytics solutions can help you to monitor key performance indicators and other business metrics so they can pick out any deviations. This enables the business to quickly identify potential issues and take corrective measures swiftly. Whether you are looking to build an analytics solution from the ground up, set up a data strategy or overcome data governance challenges, we can help you in every step of your data analytics journey.

Automating the complex

From automating inventory updates to processing purchase orders, Fortude's Robotic Process Automation and Intelligent Automation solutions can eliminate your manual workload so your teams can focus on innovating and scaling the business. Watch your team celebrate productivity and efficiency gains with automation-powered workflows.

Fortest, Fortude's powerful automation regression testing tool automates your testing processes for Infor M3/CloudSuite applications. With M3 specific libraries for accelerated implementations and pre-built industry-specific test cases, Fortest can save your team the burden of manual testing.

We are an Infor customer, just like you

Our parent company, a supply chain leader to global brands, Brandix, is an Infor customer. Whether it's fragmented business processes, data silos or difficulty in managing supply chain disruptions, we understand your challenges all too well.

As an Alliance Partner for Infor CloudSuite, we are well equipped to help you address the complex distribution challenges plaguing your business. Fortude has extensive experience in leveraging Infor M3 and CloudSuite solutions to help businesses just like yours to reduce complexity, costs, and risks.

Our Customers

> " We have hit many milestones together with Infor and Fortude. One highlight has been our ability now to script and automate our testing end to end and increase our pace of change. Testing our environment now takes 16 hours, down from 450 hours in the pre-Infor, manual days. This vast improvement has been a real enabler for rapid change in the business. "
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> **Zack Chisholm**
> Chief Information Officer, Bega Cheese

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Fortude is a leading global enterprise and digital technology solutions company, delivering solutions that matter to customers around the world. Our teams are based out of offices in the US, Canada, UK, Sri Lanka, India, and Australia, and have experience in implementing projects across multiple locations and continents. We are also a partner to some of the world's largest technology, cloud, and automation software solution providers including Infor, Microsoft and Ui Path.

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