

Customer Name: McDonald's

Country: Egypt



Success Story about "McDonald's":

McDonald's restaurants in Egypt are owned and operated by Manfoods. The first two McDonald's restaurant opened in Cairo on October 20th, 1994 and the company has expanded rapidly and significantly, with over 50 restaurants and points of sale across the country.

Business Needs:

In year 2000, McDonald's Egypt has chosen HITS HR/Payroll system from many other international and local solutions. With the accelerated growth rate of its business in Egypt, McDonald's needed fast and reliable way which can integrate between different restaurants, in a way to enable them to share and exchange data such as:

- Entering Employees vacations.
- Time attendance handling.
- Getting reports for each location such as; salaries, benefits, vacation balances, etc.

Why HITS? (The Solutions):

To meet McDonald's intended goals, developers at HITS have decided to convert its solution into multi-tier application using '.NET' framework, 'ADO.NET' technology with Microsoft SQL server 2000. The plan was as follows:

- Using '.NET' framework with 'ADO.NET' technology for work flow, self-service Internet based business.
- Using VFP code as middle tier application that contains some of the business rules as client server application.
- Using web services to deploy web and windows reports. Using OLAP cubes as DDS system for top management to get any data based on security levels.
- Using Excel XP as the client for SQL OLAP Analysis service.

Benefits:

- The most rapid internet productivity: With Visual Studio.NET the productivity is so high compared with the previous tool such as Interdev. What we can accomplish can be done within a range of days. Sustaining HITS's unmatched user interface: '.NET' Framework is a very rich environment. HITS developers can sustain their unique level of client/server user interface, which is now supported by the power of Web.
- McDonald's is one of the early adaptors to HITS technologies, so now they are enjoying HITS latest web version of HITS HR/payroll solution.