



OCI GRAILS CASE STUDY: FINANCIAL SERVICES

RELEVANT BACKGROUND

Our client is a leader in the global life reinsurance industry. In 2012, the company began using the Grails framework to support increased business demands for speed-to-market, continuous innovation, scale, and to reduce software licensing costs. The first Grails project was a major success.

BUSINESS CHALLENGE AND OUTCOME

Having successfully implemented Grails for its internal and external web services, XML SOAP-based services, REST services, AngularJS applications, and traditional web 1.0 applications, our client reached out to us for assistance in augmenting and supporting its teams. Our Grails team stood apart from other technology service providers, particularly with regard to our Grails 3 expertise, upgrade capabilities, and general software engineering skills.

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GRAILS ADVANTAGES

Using Grails, our client experienced seamless integration with other technologies and dramatic increases in developer productivity. Because Grails represents a combination of convention over configuration and sensible defaults, the framework works like "Java on steroids." Popular among shops that have invested in Java or JVM-based technologies, Grails facilitates rapid application development. It is welcomed by development teams (including those currently using Spring and Hibernate), with its ability to accelerate developer productivity by 50-70%; and applauded by businesses as a tailored feature set, resulting in streamlined learning, development efficiency, and support responsiveness. Software engineering support and strong documentation, bolstered by a vibrant user community, make Grails a terrific choice for any organization looking to quickly bring industrial-strength, scalable, and integrated solutions to market.

CLIENT TESTIMONIALS



"Grails is not just for rapid prototyping; our situation is proof that Grails is built for enterprise-scale application development."

"Development with Grails is significantly faster than with Java, or anything else we had worked with or explored."

"OCI consultants deliver a level of consistency that we haven't seen. And that consistency means reduced risk to our projects."

ABOUT GRAILS

- Accelerates web application development
- Supports exponential scaling
- Maximizes "convention over configuration"
- Deploys well within existing, complex environments
- Provides necessary flexibility to develop plug-ins, and to quickly resolve issues

OCI ADVANTAGES

- Grails co-founders lead the OCI Grails team, along with subject matter experts from around the globe
- Engaging the Grails core team enables quicker project upgrades, improving overall speed-to-market
- Training programs are delivered by the Grails core team, uniquely positioned to share first-hand experience with the framework & to provide customized, targeted training
- Engaging the OCI team affords access to OCI's network of Open Source technologists, delivering quick and seamless support for other projects

We write some of the world's most powerful software solutions, are deeply committed to Open Source, and have trained over 50,000 developers. We proudly sponsor the Grails framework and stand ready to help you enhance your Grails journey.

Please contact us today to discuss your next Grails project.