



ROADMAP: 2024 – 2025

FIS/edc for Document Processes

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THE APPLICATION AND ITS BENEFITS

Document management is of high importance for the digitization of business processes. It is the central element for **optimizing** the operative business and **simplifying** the work within the user departments.

You can use *FIS/edc*, the **Electronic Document Center for SAP**, as a convenient tool for entering, processing and archiving paper documents and electronic formats (e.g. ZUGFeRD, EDI, XRechnung). *FIS/edc* enables the **connection and integration** of customers and vendors to your existing SAP system. Documents, such as invoices, order responses, delivery notes and orders, are processed automatically. Fast processing times have a positive effect on the cost structure of your company.

Your benefits:

- Full integration into the SAP system
- Increased productivity and efficiency due to integrated and automated business processes
- High flexibility through integrated mobile approval procedures for invoice verification
- High transparency of invoice verification has a positive effect on enterprise management due to process-related evaluations
- Improved cash management through modernization of the payment process
- Promotion of vendor relations through shorter payment cycles
- More satisfied customers through accelerated and automated sales order processing

ROADMAP FIS/edc NextGeneration

2024 – Latest Developments

- No new ECC developments
- FIS/edc Release 2024 ready for S/4HANA
- FIS/edc Invoice Receipt Monitor
 - Optical adjustments of the Fiori Apps in the Launchpad
 - Automatic posting enhancement for G4A and M4A workflows
 - Enhancement and modification of workflow overview in the Fiori App

ROADMAP FIS/edc Cloud

2024 – Latest Developments

- FIS/edc Sales Order Monitor
 - Provision of the sales order monitor as a by-side solution in the cloud
- FIS/edc Order Response Monitor
 - Provision of the order response monitor as a by-side solution in the cloud

ROADMAP FIS/edc NextGeneration & Cloud

2024 – Planned Innovations

- Optimization of the interface landscape
- Provision of graphically valuable dashboards for all monitors
- FIS/edc enhancement by further objects "Delivery note" and "Forwarding invoice"
- FIS/edc Order Response Monitor
 - Cloud solution developed (Q2/2024) - Minimum Viable Product (MVP)
- FIS/edc Invoice Receipt Monitor
 - Cloud solution developed (Q4/2024) - Minimum Viable Product (MVP)

2025+ – Future Orientation

- Provision of FIS/edc Order Response Monitor, Order Response Monitor and Invoice Receipt Monitor as a by-side solution in the cloud with a full scope of functions

RELEASE-HIGHLIGHTS FIS/edc NextGeneration

2024 – Latest Developments

- **No new ECC developments**
 - New developments are only made in case of customer-specific requirements and if needed. However, the focus is on the cloud environment.
- **FIS/edc Release 2024 ready for S/4HANA**
 - With the publication of the 2024 Release, all monitors are ready for S/4HANA.

RELEASE-HIGHLIGHTS FIS/edc NextGeneration

2024 – Latest Developments

MONITOR FOR INCOMING INVOICES

- **Optical adjustments of the Fiori Apps in the Launchpad**
 - In the Fiori Launchpad, optical adjustments were made to enable the display of the apps in full size. For the user, this adjustment has a positive impact on usability.
- **Automatic posting enhancement for G4A and M4A workflows**
 - The automatic posting for G4A and M4A workflows was enhanced by the check for vendor and document value. Via the /FIS/MONW_WERTGR table, the option of controlling this check in detail according to company code, vendor and document value was created. This enables automatic posting up to a freely definable posting value.
- **Enhancement and modification of workflow overview in the Fiori App**
 - Furthermore, reorganization of workflow data in the workflow overview of the FIS/edc "Approve Vendor Invoice" app and enhancement by operation type display (invoice or credit memo).

RELEASE-HIGHLIGHTS FIS/edc Cloud

2024 – Latest Developments

MONITOR FOR SALES ORDERS

- **Provision of the sales order monitor as a by-side solution in the cloud**
 - The sales order monitor has been developed for the cloud on BTP. The product itself has the "status" (status ohne Anführungszeichen) of a "Minimum Viable Product" (MVP). Processing of sales orders can be posted as a by-side solution for SAP S/4HANA Cloud, public edition as well as for SAP S/4HANA Cloud, private edition and SAP On-Premise S/4HANA as of Rel. 2022. The provision as a service in the cloud and the exclusive use of cloud-compatible enhancement techniques spares the application an adjustment of the SAP core, which facilitates the update of the SAP system. Moreover, the provision in the cloud enables regular process optimizations and innovations without comprehensive release upgrades.

RELEASE-HIGHLIGHTS FIS/edc Cloud

2024 – Latest Developments

ORDER RESPONSE MONITOR

- **Provision of the order response monitor as a by-side solution in the cloud**
 - The processing of order responses can be posted as a by-side solution for SAP S/4HANA Cloud, public edition as well as for SAP S/4HANA Cloud, private edition and SAP On-Premise S/4HANA as of Rel. 2023. The provision as a service in the cloud and the exclusive use of cloud-compatible enhancement techniques spares the application an adjustment of the SAP core, which facilitates the update of the SAP system. Moreover, the provision in the cloud enables regular process optimizations and innovations without comprehensive release upgrades.

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2024 – Planned Innovations

- **Optimization of the interface landscape**
 - The interface landscape is to be optimized by means of "SAP Direct Access".
- **Provision of graphically valuable dashboards for all monitors**
 - For 2025, graphically formatted dashboards are to be provided for all FIS/edc monitors. They are to be individually customizable and map the most important KPIs. As a result, a consistent document analysis and real-time reporting are to be enabled for users in the future.
- **FIS/edc enhancement by further objects "Delivery note" and "Forwarding invoice"**
 - To further increase the benefits of the solution and to ensure its added value, the FIS/edc enhancement by further objects "Delivery note" and "Forwarding invoice" is being planned.
- **FIS/edc Order Response Monitor**
 - The development of the order response monitor in the cloud is estimated to be completed in the second quarter of 2024. From that point in time, the product will have reached the "MVP" status. The order response monitor will be fully completed in the course of this year.
- **FIS/edc Invoice Receipt Monitor**
 - The development of the invoice receipt monitor in the cloud is estimated to be completed in the fourth quarter of 2024. From that point in time, the product will have reached the "MVP" status. The invoice receipt monitor will be fully completed in the course of this year.

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2025+ – Future Orientation

- **Provision of FIS/edc KAM, BBM and REM as a by-side solution in the cloud with a full scope of functions**
 - To increase flexibility when using the application, the FIS/edc functions are to be offered as a by-side solution in the cloud. This enables the connection of the application with a local S/4 system or a cloud provision by SAP. The provision as a service in the cloud and the exclusive use of cloud-compatible enhancement techniques spares the application an adjustment of the SAP core, which facilitates the update of the SAP system. Moreover, the provision in the cloud enables regular process optimizations and innovations without comprehensive release upgrades.

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