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# We moved our Payroll to HCM Cloud and packed some data into Arrays

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»Implementing Oracle Payroll for over 20 years

»Implemented the 3<sup>rd</sup> US Payroll site to go live in 1997

»This is my 3<sup>rd</sup> Oracle Cloud Payroll implementation

»Frequent OHUG, OAUG and Open World Presenter, mostly on Fast Formula solutions



# Agenda

- » Introductions
- » YRC HCM project
- » YRC challenges
  - Timecard transformations
  - Payslip customizations
  - Local employer taxes
- » Fast formula features
  - Basic features
  - Working storage
  - Arrays
  - Looping
- »Q&A







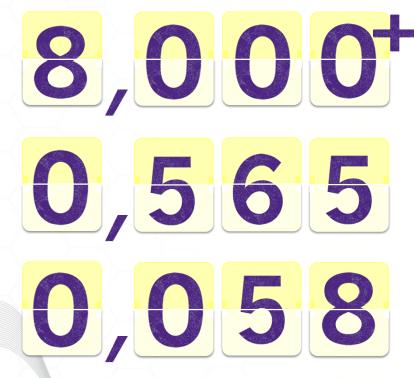
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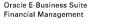
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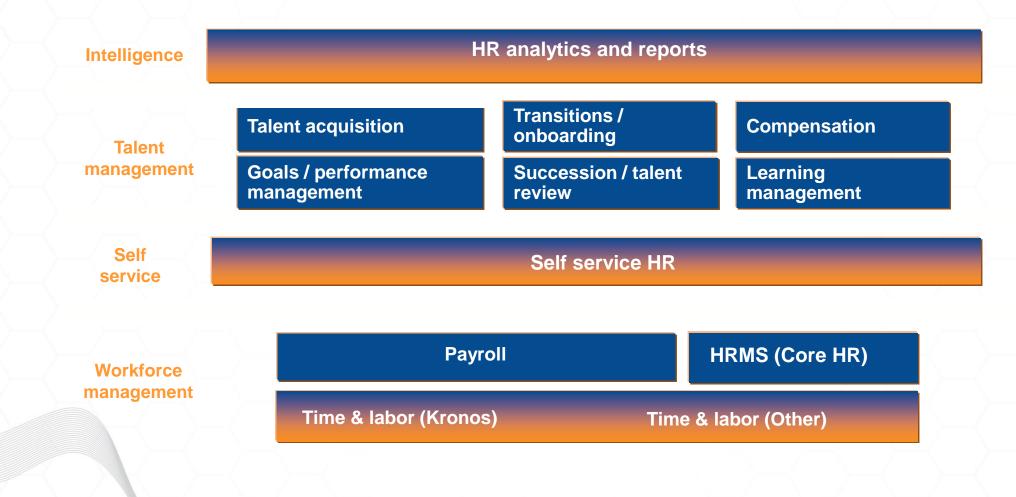
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# **HCM areas of focus**





# Challenges

### **»**Timecard transformations

- Standard fast formula type to support timecard transformations
- Designed for simple mapping and file parsing
- Attempted to apply complicated business rules during transformation
- Union override rate issue
- Formula worked, but long run time
- Developed pre processor using PL/SQL
- Possible PAAS future application

# Challenges

- »Payslip customizations
  - Driver summary on Payslip
  - Created information elements to capture detail
  - Sent from timekeeping systems
  - Added to archive (manage enterprise HCM information)
  - Modified Payslip template



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### YRC FREIGHT

**ROAD DRIVER'S PAYROLL SUMMARY** 

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### Element Summary: LH Miles

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\* Effective As-of Date

### Global Payroll Element Information to Archive

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	United States LDG	LH Miles	Hours	Amount	Rate	Dispatch ID	Equip Type
	United States LDG	LH Event Review	Hours	Amount	Rate	Dispatch ID	Equip Type
	United States LDG	LH Linens	Hours	Amount	Rate	Dispatch ID	Equip Type
	United States LDG	LH Meal and Lodge	Hours	Amount	Rate	Dispatch ID	Equip Type
	United States LDG	LH Misc Enroute	Hours	Amount	Rate	Dispatch ID	Equip Type
	United States LDG	LH Impassable Highway	Hours	Amount	Rate	Dispatch ID	Equip Type

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### YRC FREIGHT ROAD DRIVER'S PAYROLL SUMMARY

DA	TE	DISPATCH IDENTIFICATION		D	RIVER					WAGE	
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10	02	8302763318	2DP	830	875	1	1020		0.27508	280.58	LH Miles
10	02					1		3.50	21.37750	74.82	LH Wait Equipment Repair
10	04					2		1.00	21.37750	21.38	LH Enroute Fuel
10	04	8752771425	2DP	875	813	2	<mark>650</mark>		0.27508	178.80	LH Miles
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10	04					2		2.00	21.37750	42.76	LH Wait Drop and Hook

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### <?template:Payslip\_GLB\_subt\_EmpInfo?>

Employee Name	Person Number	Payroll Relationship Number
DISPLAY_NAME	PERSON_NUMBER	PAYROLL_RELATIONSHIP_NUMBER
Tax Reference	Job	Assignment Number
TAX_UNIT_NAME	JOB_NAME	ASSIGNMENT_NUMBER
Payroll		
PAYROLL_NAME		
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<?end template?>

### <?template:Payslip\_GLB\_subt\_PayPeriod?>

Period Type	Period Start Date	Period End Date	Payment Date	Base Salary
Period Type	1-Jan-2016	15-Jan-2016	20-Jan-2016	BSIFPm IFPmBS

<?end template?>

### <?template:Payslip\_GLB\_subt\_Summary?>

IFSUMMARY

Summary		
Description	Current	Year to Date
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<?end template?>

# Challenges

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- » Local employer taxes
  - Oregon TriMet
  - Oregon transit
  - New York MCTMT
- » Created user defined table
  - Rows local tax name
  - Column Rate
- » Create employer tax elements
  - Non Recurring
- » Create information element
  - Standard link

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- Attach fast formula
- Send results via indirect results to employer tax element

### User-Defined Table: YRC\_EMPLOYER\_TAX\_RATE

#### **Basic Details**

Name YRC\_EMPLOYER\_TAX\_RATE

Range or Match Match

#### User-Defined Columns

Actions View + X X Column Name RATE

### **User-Defined Rows**

Actions View View +	View History	
Sequence	Exact	Effective Start Date
	OR_TRIMET_PCT	01-01-1951
	OR_LANE_PCT	01-01-1951
	NY_MCTMT_PCT	01-01-1951
	NM_EE_AMT	01-01-1951
	NM_ER_AMT	01-01-1951

### User-Defined Table: User-Defined Table Values

### User-Defined Table

Name YRC\_EMPLOYER\_TAX\_RATE

Column Name RATE

### **User-Defined Table Values**

Actions  View	+ 🖉 -	View History	<b>₽</b>	
Sequence	Exact	Value	Effective Start Date	Effe Date
	OR_TRIMET_PCT	0.7437	01-01-1951	
	OR_LANE_PCT	0.71	01-01-1951	
	NY_MCTMT_PCT	0.34	01-01-1951	
	NM_EE_AMT	2.00	01-01-1951	
	NM_ER_AMT	2.30	01-01-1951	
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```
FORMULA NAME: YRC_LOCAL _TAXATION_CALL
    FORMULA TYPE: Oracle Payroll
    VERSION: V1
    OWNER: GT FOR YRC
    Date: 2016/12/12
8
   L_DEFAULT_VALUE = 'PRD'
9
10
   NY_Percent = TO_NUM(GET_TABLE_VALUE('YRC_EMPLOYER_TAX_RATE', 'RATE', 'NY_MCTMT_PCT', '99999'))
   IF NY Percent = 99999 THEN
12
13
      PCT MESG = 'Missing Tax Rate for Employer tax '
4
     RETURN PCT MESG
15
16
17
   OR_LANE_Percent = TO_NUM(GET_TABLE_VALUE('YRC_EMPLOYER_TAX_RATE', 'RATE', 'OR_LANE_PCT', '99999'))
18
    IF OR LANE Percent = 99999 THEN
19
20
      PCT MESG = 'Missing Tax Rate for Employer tax '
21
      RETURN PCT MESG
22
23
24
    OR_TRIMET_Percent = TO_NUM(GET_TABLE_VALUE('YRC_EMPLOYER_TAX_RATE', 'RATE', 'OR_TRIMET_PCT', '99999'))
25
    IF OR TRIMET Percent = 99999 THEN
26
27
      PCT MESG = 'Missing Tax Rate for Employer tax '
28
      RETURN PCT MESG
29
30
31
32
   RETURN L DEFAULT VALUE, NY Percent, OR LANE Percent, OR TRIMET Percent
33
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Actions <b>view</b>	🗙 💉 🖷 Detach					
* Result Returned	* Result Rule	Target Element Name	Target Input Value	Unit of Measure	Severity Level	Employm Level
OR_TRIMET_PERCENT	Indirect Result	Oregon TriMet Transit	Percentage	Number		
L_DEFAULT_VALUE	Indirect Result	Oregon TriMet Transit	Period Type	Character		
NY_PERCENT	Indirect Result	New York MCTMT	Percentage	Number		
PCT_MESG	Message				Warning	
OR_LANE_PERCENT	Indirect Result	Oregon Transit	Percentage	Number		
L_DEFAULT_VALUE	Indirect Result	Oregon Transit	Period Type	Character		
L_DEFAULT_VALUE	Indirect Result	New York MCTMT	Period Type	Character		



# **Fast Formula Basics**

»Fast formulas can be used across various Fusion HCM products to:

- Perform payroll calculations
- Define rules for paid time off (PTO) accruals
- Calculate absence duration
- Define custom calculations for benefits administration
- Edit rules for object group population for elements or people
- Validate element input values or user-defined tables
- Validation and HCM extracts

# **Fast Formula References**

» Oracle Online Documentation Oracle Fusion Applications Fast Formula Guide http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E38454\_01/doc.1117/e36894.pdf (Release 7)
» Fusion Payroll: Fast Formula Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) (Note 1579739.1)
» Fusion Payroll: Fast Formulas Troubleshooting Guide (Note 1560556.1)
» Case Study: Fusion Payroll: How to Create and Modify a Fast Formula(Note 1579738.1)
» Case Study : Fusion Fast Formula: How to Create Fast Formula For Element Entry Input Value Validation (Note 1615323.1)
» Fusion Global Payroll: Types Of License In Fusion Payroll (Note1611941.1)
» Benefits Fast Formula Reference Guide for Oracle Fusion Benefits (Note 1456985.1)
» Fusion Fast Formula: OHUG Presentation June 2014 (Note 1900375.1)

# **Problem Definition**

»Company paid union health and welfare benefits
 »Over 100 different funds based on union local
 »Benefit is based on different criteria

- Days worked in a work-week
- Hours worked in a work-week
- Trips completed in a work-work
- Gregorian month

# **Days Worked Scenario**

»Multiple timecards in a day, must count as one
»Used working storage/arrays to keep track of date earned
»Timecard formulas were modified to track the number of days
»Employer liability formulas were modified to calculate the actual liability

# **Working Storage**

Internal cache memory that is global to the payroll process
Values stored by one formula can be referenced in subsequent formulas
There are four working storage area call methods:

- WSA\_EXISTS
- WSA\_DELETE
- WSA\_SET
- WSA\_GET



» Variables that can hold dates, numbers or text
» Similar to PL/SQL index-by tables
» Methods are provided to get the first and last indexes and to get the next or prior index given an index

J = J + 1

Date\_Earned[J] = This\_Date\_Earned





»WHILE-loop type is supported

• Allows to go through a set of values (users-defined tables, date tracked values)



# **Putting it all together**

» Since the names are global, had to add assignment ID to the WSA name

Date\_Earned\_Name = 'HWP\_Date\_Earned' + '\*' + TO\_CHAR(Assg\_ID)

» Check for existence of the WSA variable:

```
This_Date_Earned = TO_CHAR(Earned_Date)
```

```
IF (WSA_EXISTS(Date_Earned_Name,'TEXT_NUMBER'))
THEN YRC_Date_Earned = WSA_GET(Date_Earned_Name,EMPTY_TEXT_NUMBER)
ELSE
```

YRC\_Date\_Earned[1] = This\_Date\_Earned

# **Putting it all together**

»Loop through the array to see if current date exists:

```
i=1
Found = 'NO'
WHILE (YRC_Date_Earned.EXISTS(i)) LOOP
(
    IF YRC_Date_Earned[i] = This_Date_Earned THEN Found = 'YES'
    i=i+1
)
```

IF Found = 'NO' THEN YRC\_Date\_Earned[i] = This\_Date\_Earned



# **Putting it all together**

»Store array back into working storage

WSA\_SET(Date\_Earned\_Name, YRC\_Date\_Earned)





»Working storage is a good way to pass data between formulas and assignments

»Arrays can simplify the storing of local variables

»Looping provides an efficient means to traverse through arrays of data

»Knowledge of the capabilities of fast formulas can turn gaps into fits





