

Solutions Overview

SmartGUI is a package of product and service deliverables aimed at simplifying and enhancing the usability of the SAP Graphical User Interface (GUI).

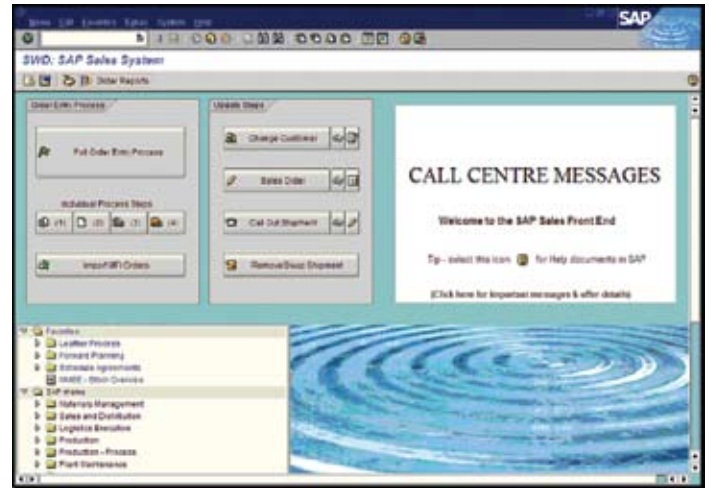
powered by GuiXT from Synactive GmbH, **SmartGUI** can help in the transformation of key SAP transactions, and significantly improve how users interact with the SAP system.

Usage is particularly relevant in those areas of the business where users are processing a high volume of transactions where speed and accuracy of data entry is important.

SCREEN SIMPLIFICATION

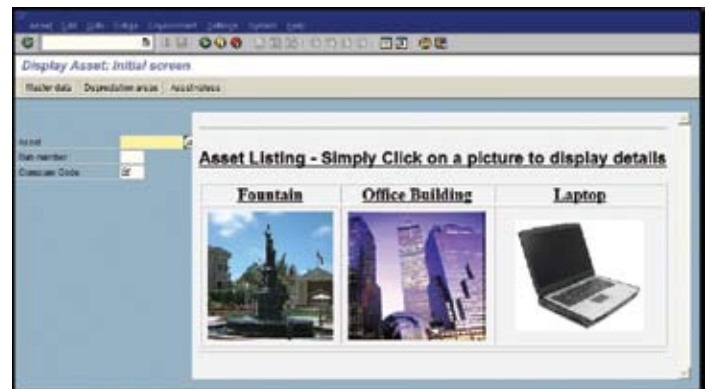
GuiXT allows the simple removal of unused fields from screens to aid simplification of data entry.

Transactions can be seamlessly linked together to make end-to-end processing from a single entry point possible.

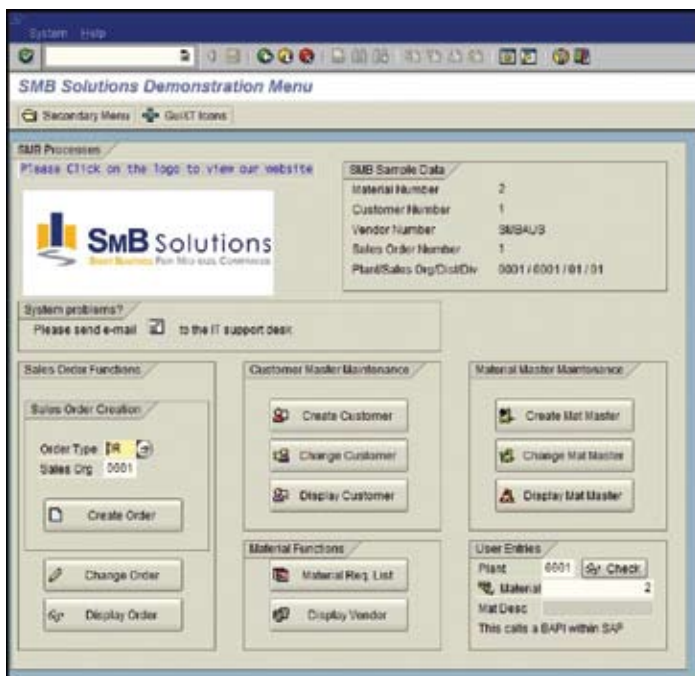


SmartGUI – Creating a call centre processing screen

Images and pushbuttons can be placed on the screen, reducing the need to use the drop down menus, and thus greatly speeding up entry of data.



SmartGUI – Asset Management screen



SmartGUI – Screen simplification

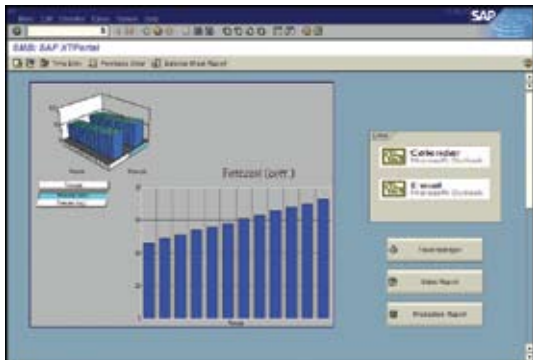
In addition, push-buttons can be added to aid users in the tasks that they are performing.

FUNCTIONAL PROCESS ENHANCEMENT

By using GuiXT Input Assistant and Designer tools, developments can be undertaken which enhance the functional capability of the SAP system.

With the portal it is possible to link to a variety of applications from within a single screen. For example a select number of SAP transactions or reports, intranet or internet sites, external programs (such as calendar or mail), other documents (help files or off-line reports).

These can all be viewed via a portal viewer, from within the SAP screen.



SmartGUI – Creating a simple portal

This can be a very cost effective way to implement simple portal technology, in companies where a large portal project may be prohibitive to implement when cost and time implications are considered.

GuiXT COMPONENTS

GuiXT has several components: GuiXT, Input Assistant, Designer and Viewer.

GuiXT

The standard GuiXT tool is delivered as part of SAP 4.6/4.7(Enterprise) onwards, and only requires activating to allow its use.

It can be used to change the layout of screens by removing un-wanted or un-used fields, or by replacing selection fields with radio or push buttons, adding images, or changing field text descriptions to industry specific terminology.

INPUT ASSISTANT

The GuiXT Input Assistant is an additional tool that is delivered with SAP 4.6/4.7 onwards, but requires an additional license key from Synactive to allow its use. Input Assistant facilitates the creation of single screen transactions where relevant fields that were on multiple tabs can be brought together onto one screen, simplifying use and speeding up the data input process.

DESIGNER

GuiXT Designer is an additional tool that is also delivered with SAP 4.6/4.7 onwards, but requires a license key from Synactive to allow its use.

The designer tool facilitates the partial automation of the generation of the GuiXT scripts, simplifying the design and creation of the modified screen.

VIEWER

GuiXT viewer is an additional tool that also requires a license key from Synactive to allow its use.

The viewer tool allows the integration of html and rtf files from, for example, MS Word, and integrate them into the SAP R/3 screen.

SmartGUI BUILDING BLOCK LIBRARY

SMB have worked with numerous clients in developing GuiXT-based system enhancements. We have built up a team of skilled consultants and a library of scripts covering a wide range of functional areas of SAP. As a result we are able to provide a library of scripts which can be used as the basis for on-going developments and further reduce the total implementation time.

SmartGUI TRAINING

SMB can offer a variety of GuiXT training courses, ranging from initial overview to on-site bespoke tailored courses, specific to the Customers needs.

SMB BUSINESS SOLUTIONS AND SYNACTIVE GmbH

SMB Business Solutions (SMB) is the dedicated software and solution services division within SMB Group Ltd, with business activities in the UK and Overseas. Our target market is the SAP SME market place including subsidiaries of larger organisations. We work directly with mid-enterprise customers as well as SAP SME Divisions and the SAP Partner community.

As a reseller of GuiXT in the UK, SMB has built up a team of experienced consultants skilled at implementing GuiXT and delivering real customer benefit. Additional consulting solutions are available from SMB Group and for further information please refer to our website at www.smbolutionsgroup.co.uk or e-mail: info@smbolutionsgroup.co.uk