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# **Hyperion Financial Data Quality Manager (FDM)**

# **Description:**

This document provides a brief introduction about Hyperion Financial Data Quality Manager (FDM).

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#### What is Hyperion FDM?

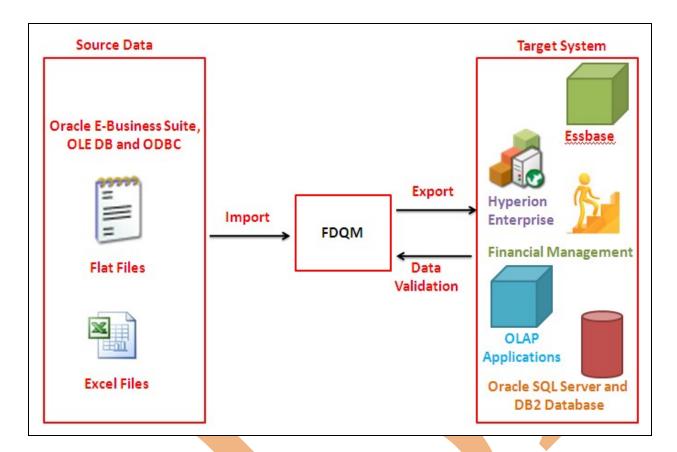
FDM is a packaged application for Financial Data movement from any data source to any Hyperion application (Enterprise, HFM, Essbase, Planning, etc.)

Hyperion's FDM Application provides a single, systematic process for loading source data from source systems into a target application. Hyperion FDM Applications are designed to provide data visibility, integrity, and verification for uploading financial reporting information to EPM applications. Extensibility, ease-of-use, stability, and performance are critical success factors to leverage business and IT investment in Hyperion FDM.

#### **Features**

- Archives all dimensional mapping from sources to target
- Complete transparency / audit trail for all data and user processes
- Built for business users to administer and maintain
- Web-based, guided workflow interface helps users easily create timely, accurate financial data management processes.
- Data validations and quality checking at every step in the process.
- Over 100 ready to use audit, log, system, and process management reports.
- Ability to incorporate Sarbanes Oxley Act 302 Sub-certification and 404 Sub-Assessments in closing process.
- Pre-packaged EPM adapters to reduce integration cost and data mapping complexities.
- Data preparing server aids the integration and validation from the source system.

#### **Overview**



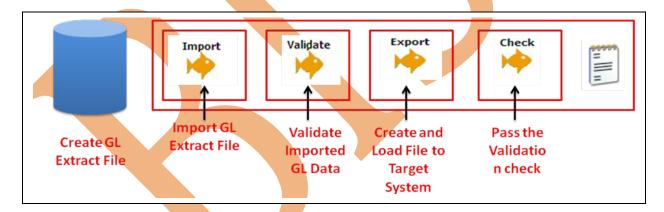
#### Why FDM

- Reduction in Data Mapping Errors & Data Inconsistency.
- Absence of Quality Validation Processes in other systems.
- Duplicate Data reduction.
- No Auditability/Accountability for data with other systems.
- Oracle Hyperion Financial Data Quality Management streamlines the time consuming task of manual data.
- Reconciliation by automating and verifying data submissions.
- Complete audit trails from trial balance to report give users a transparent, intuitive view of data and processes.
- A Web-based user interface enables business users to load, review, and verify data for any target system.

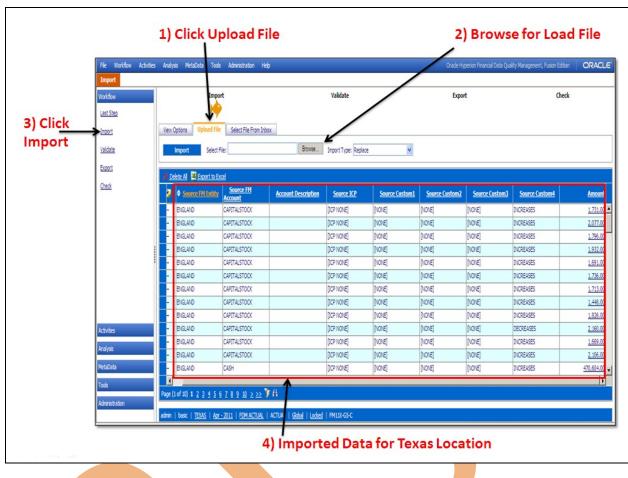
- Guided workflow helps users create sophisticated data mappings and repeatable processes.
- Support for multi-GAAP (IFRS) reporting and reconciliations.
- Along with a data preparation engine, Oracle Hyperion Financial Data Quality Management delivers prepackaged adapters that make it easy to integrate and map data. These adapters connect directly to applications within the Oracle enterprise performance management system, and can connect directly to many transaction systems as well, enabling you to save time and reduce IT costs while managing the integrity of your data.

#### **Data Processing Overview**

- Import source data.
- Validate source data against mapping tables.
- Export source data to target system.
- Consolidate target system data.
- Check target system data.
- Review and validate the company's internal financial controls.



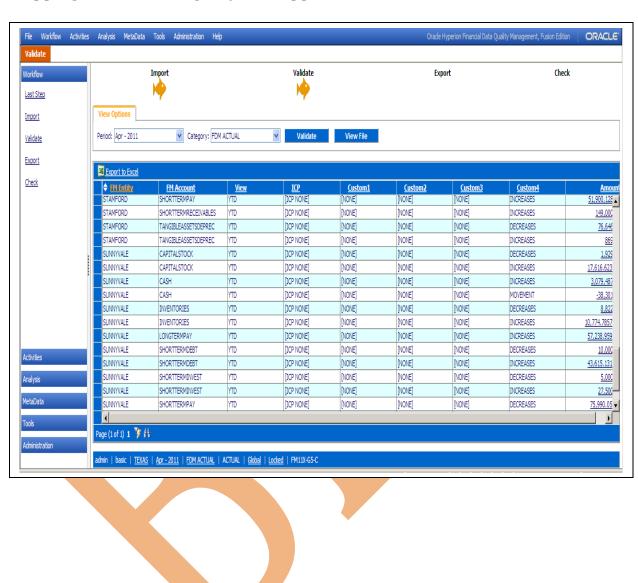
### **Importing Source Data**



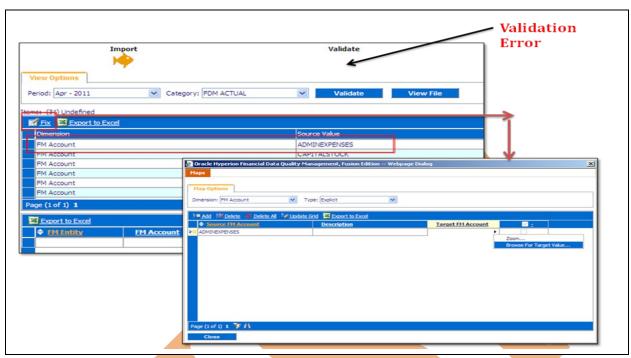


### **Validating Dimension Mappings**

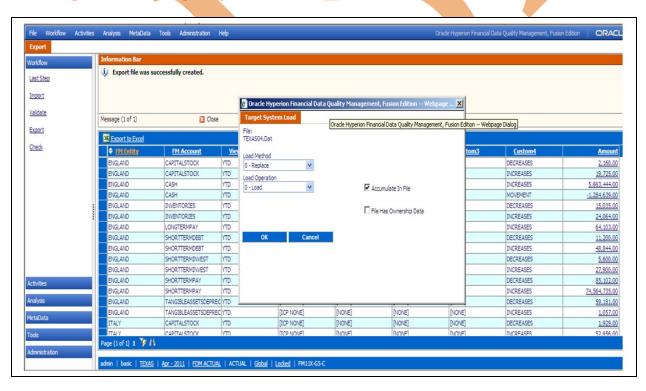
Click Validate to validate the imported source data against the location mapping tables and target system application intersections.



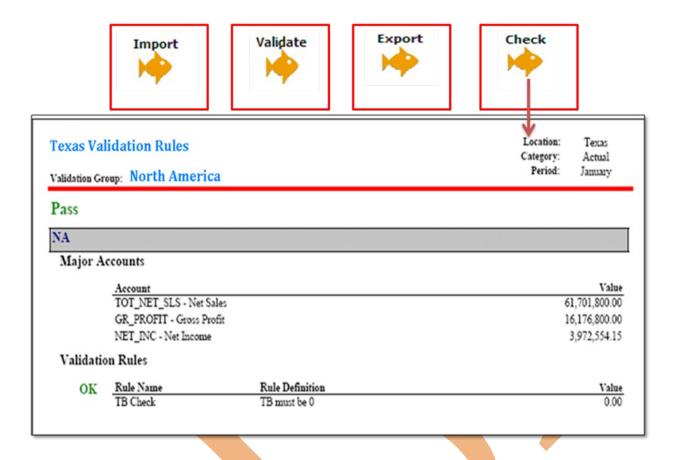
#### **Correcting Mapping Errors**



## **Loading Data to Target Systems**



## **Checking Validation Rules**



#### **Focus on Data Quality**

- Companies are using multiple target systems which require multiple data sources and levels of detail
- Companies are increasingly using tax systems and data warehouses that require financial data
- With these changes, companies are looking at the following items:
  - Reducing redundant loads
  - Requiring Data Quality on all of these submissions

#### **Advantage**

• Increase your financial data quality and confidence in the numbers.

- Simplify financial data collection, transformation, and verification process.
- Centralize and standardize repeatable financial processes.
- Lower the cost of compliance with Sarbanes-Oxley legislation.
- Improve the productivity of finance staff.
- Reduced dependency on IT support staff.
- Uniform data collection process
- Additional functionality to assists in financial control processes.
- Reduces Risk
  - Transparency into data and processes
- User Friendly Interface
  - Out of the box application approach
  - Web Architected
- More Efficient
  - End Users load quickly
  - Questions answered
- Flexible
  - Can read any file from any system
  - Validation rules by location to ensure quality
  - Captures all the supplementary data
  - Seamless Compatibility with HFM, Enterprise, Planning, Essbase, HSF

#### **Business Case for FDM**

- Varying levels of data detail
- Standardization of data loading to different target systems (BI, Tax, Consolidations)
- Centralized data repository
- Audit trail detail is maintained
- Varying data loading methods (manual v/s. automated)
- Source and target analytic capabilities across systems
- Improved ROI consistent data approach

### **Traditional and Emerging Uses of Hyperion FDM**

### **Hyperion FDM for Consolidations**

- Companies originally purchased FDM for the benefits associated with loading to a consolidation system
  - Controlled process

- Ownership and responsibility on sites for their data
- Data Quality Data has to be right and Actual data has increased Sarbox requirements
- Submission of Trial Balance and Supplemental information
- Sarbox Requirements
- Hyperion FDM was designed to handle loading from multiple sources and users.

