



## Talaris reduces risk and increases confidence in statutory and management reporting

Industry: Manufacturing

Annual Revenue: £300m Employees: 2100

Oracle Products & Services: Hyperion Financial Management (HFM), Financial Data quality Manager (FDM)

Talaris are world experts in cash management. A global business, operating from more than 20 countries including over 1,000 service and support staff and 130 business partners.

### Key benefits:

- PureApps provided the right skills and expertise at the right time, producing a pain free migration.
- Successful knowledge transfer allowing Talaris to 'own' and maintain the system for the future.
- PureApps is seen as a long-term business partner providing a professional, responsive and personal service

### The Challenge

- Talaris was formed in September 2008 following a management led buy-out backed by one of the world's largest private equity firms, Carlyle. This acquisition led to increased demands in management and statutory reporting.
- The new company took with them their existing consolidation system, that was built several years ago in HFM. This presented a risk as the HFM application was on an unsupported version and data integration used old technology that was difficult to maintain.

### The Solution

Talaris were looking for a partner to migrate them to the latest version of HFM and provide technical and application support longer term. PureApps were able to offer an experienced project team for each of the challenges:

- Infrastructure Consultant; to help Talaris achieve a strategic target for IT, to define and install HFM and FDM v11 within a virtual environment. To physically migrate the application data from v4 to v11.
- FDM Expertise; to develop and rollout data integration for the UK and provide Talaris with a template for remaining country rollouts. Talaris utilised PureApps expertise and best practice guidance to ensure Group Finance became self sufficient with FDM.
- Comprehensive Training; included a customised plan of one-on-one administrator training, user training and classroom training.

- HFM Consultancy; to implement security within shared services, reconcile and test the new HFM application.
- Project Management; Talaris are assured by our responsiveness and our willing to ensure the right consultant is on-site at the right time for them.
- Experience; the collective knowledge of the PureApps project team with over 40 years Hyperion experience.

### The Benefits

- Fully supported HFM application. Reduced risk to statutory and management reporting.
- PureApps Support Centre personnel retain detailed knowledge of Talaris application, providing a responsive and personal service.
- Greater ownership of data for distributed sites and increased confidence in data integration.
- Conforms to IT strategy.

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Design	<input type="checkbox"/>
Infrastructure specification	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Build	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Data migration	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Training	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Application support	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**“The PureApps Consulting team were recommended to us for their extensive HFM implementation experience. This, combined with their highly responsive application, technical and infrastructure expertise from the PureApps’ UK Support Centre ensures we are kept at the forefront of business critical applications”**

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