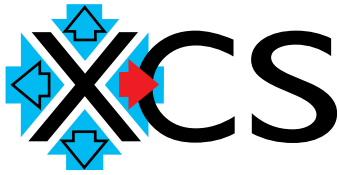




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### *The integration challenge*

Seamless integration with Third-Party Providers can be an elusive goal. It seems that each provider is at a different point in their adoption and implementation of the ACORD standard, and most continue to use their own proprietary format for sending and receiving information. Even when the Third-Party Provider is capable of sending and receiving information in an ACORD format, your internal systems may still require their own proprietary format.

### *The ready-made solution*

Fortunately, PilotFish Technology has already developed and implemented interfaces to many of the Third-Party Providers, overcoming all of the challenges. Each pre-developed end-to-end interface is composed of configurable components that use the ACORD stan-

dard as a common model in the middle. First, data is transformed from the proprietary format of the Source System to ACORD XML. Then it is transformed from ACORD XML to the format of the Target System. Lastly, it is delivered to the Target System using the Transport method that the Target System requires. This approach provides the flexibility to connect any system to any other system regardless of whether or not the systems support the ACORD XML standard. It also makes switching to the ACORD standard for end-to-end interfaces as simple as flipping a switch.

### *Pre-developed interfaces*

PilotFish has already developed interfaces to most of the Third-Party Providers. Some of the pre-developed interfaces include:

- **Medical Information Bureau (MIB)**
- **Paramedical ordering**
- **Lab reports**
- **Motor Vehicle Reports (MVRs)**

### *Technical considerations*

Interfaces are deployed to a server or servers with access to the Internet. Any application server can be used, including Tomcat, JBoss, Oracle 9i & 10g, WebSphere and WebLogic. All of the components are Java and, as such, are compatible with any hardware platform or operating system.

### *Implementation*

A typical implementation includes the following steps:

- Creating the Transformation from the proprietary format of the Source System to the ACORD XML format
- Setting up the server
- Installing the pre-developed interface components
- On-the-job and formal training
- End-to-end test and certification of the interface

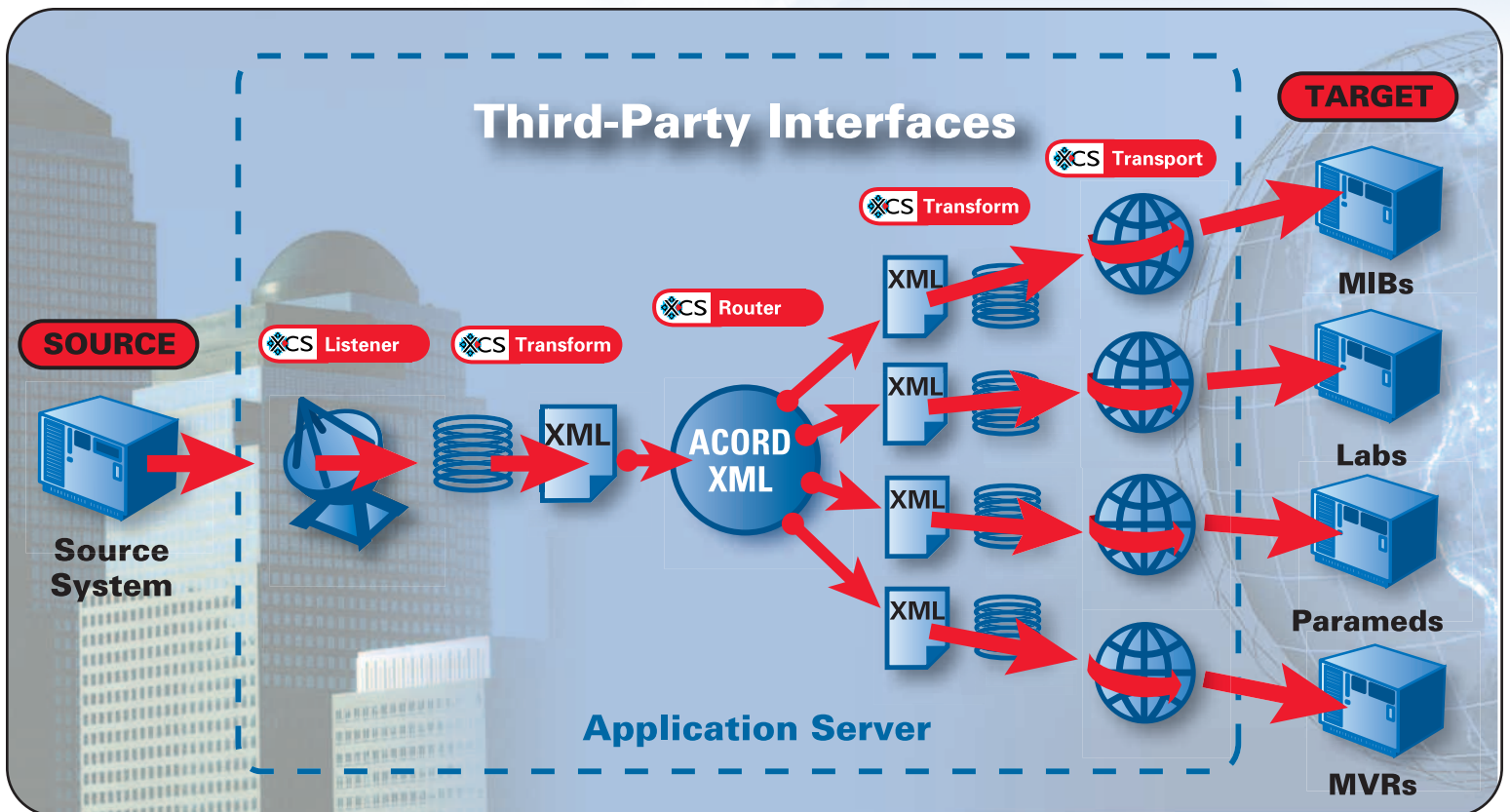
Because the interfaces have been pre-developed, most interfaces can be installed with only 5 to 15 person days of support from PilotFish Technology. That is about 1/20th of the effort required for the next best alternative, and as little as 1/100th the cost of custom in-house development.

***Interested in learning more? Call us. We would love to further explore how we can help you with your Third-Party Interfaces, and share the many successes our clients have achieved.***



# Parameds

# MVRs



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