

The **bluebee**™ ERP solution now available is SaaS mode.

Bluebee Software Inc., designer and developer of WEB-based architecture business software offering flexible and mobile solutions, is proud to announce the availability of its bluebee™ ERP in SaaS (Software As A Service) mode, that can be accessed on a distant public infrastructure (Cloud Computing) as well as from your existing extended network (Private Cloud).

Having access to an ERP solution using SaaS will allow you to simplify and speed up the setup process of this robust and modern business software while eliminating important capital investments in the first months of useage. Both the automation and procedural improvement projects of your company will no longer have to suffer due to limited budgetary constraints. Rather, SaaS will allow you to focus on the immediate operational problems of the enterprise without impacting on other projects and investments of the business.

The particularity of SaaS is to allow hosting of our applications on a secured infrastructure dedicated entirely to you (Private Cloud). Our applications can be accessed simply with a web browser which in turn allows you to host our solution on your local server in intranet/extranet mode or using an external datacenter in extended network mode. We're aware of the value of your data and business processes and the never-ending need in keeping this information both confidential and accessible 24/7.

The SaaS eliminates major up-front licence costs and speeds up the return on investments.

The "best tool for the job" is the one that was "made for the job" and this is why bluebee™ offers the possibility of customizing both our standard and SaaS application to suit your exact needs. The "On-Demand Applications" concept allows you to have access to a modern, flexible, and adaptable business solution on a monthly payment principle based on your actual use of the system.

The design of our Open Web architecture as well as the use of our principal development and infrastructure tools like **OpenEdge** of **Progress Software**, Adobe Flex and our XML exchange structure, allowed us to easily open our solution towards the launch of SaaS while at the same time conserving the possibilities and capacities of our applications' adaptation and progression. These technological partners are important leaders in technologies of web software distribution both now and for many years to come.



The only mobile **ERP** for tomorrow's cutting edge enterprises.

The SaaS model keeps progressing

Synonymous with cost reduction, the SaaS model is making its mark in a tough economical context. According to *Markess'* study, the fast return on investment and the absence of software licences investments forms the enterprises' principal motivation to adopt this model. The SaaS model would reduce the TCO (Total Cost of Ownership) by three times in relationship with a classic solution and would allow gains of thousands of dollars in financial fees.

More so, productivity, efficiency, time gain, response to geographical dispersion and sharing needs are all part of the SaaS' assets. *Markess International* firm notes the acceleration of requests from business and various administrations concerning the SaaS model is close to 38% (based on organizations that were interrogated). 66% of them point out that they even plan on increasing their budget. Around 61% of businesses today use online applications relying on the SaaS model.

About Progress Software Corporation

Progress Software Corporation (Nasdaq : PRGS) is a world-wide provider of software allowing businesses to act in a proactive way towards changes and interactions with their clients when new elements show up. This allows them to capitalize on new opportunities, be more effective and reduce risks.

Progress Software offers a complete array of infrastructure software, ensuring the visibility and real-time reactions to current events, guaranteeing integrations and access to data as well as the development and deployment of applications. All these solutions support deployments in SaaS/Cloud or *on-premise* mode. Progress improves the operational efficiency of your business by simplifying your IT tasks and reducing its total cost of ownership (TCO).

Discover bluebee™!

bluebee™ is an ERP (Enterprise Resources Planning) software that was built with simplicity of use and efficiency in mind.

We offer 4 different modules: FINANCIAL, DISTRIBUTION, MANUFACTURING and E-BUSINESS, all of which can be integrated hassle-free with whatever system you are currently using.

bluebee™ is browser based. This means the only thing users require is a web browser. Browser-based allows the system to use the advantages of a browser such as multiple windows to quickly switch from one task to the other. There is no need for complicated installations on users' workstations; a simple web browser is all that you need!

bluebee™ offers a modern architecture, developed in multiple layers to allow for the possibility and flexibility to personalize and evolve the product from the system's infrastructure to the user interface.

With the prominence of wireless technology, Bluebee Software has developed a mobile access feature to allow for its users to access their data anywhere on the globe via their mobile device.

For more information, please take a look at our website at <http://www.bluebeesoftware.com/>



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