

# CMS IT Services' streamlines and automates Procure-to-pay for a leading supplier of defense and military equipment using RPA



# **CUSTOMER**

The customer is engaged in technology, engineering, construction, manufacturing and financial services. The customer has over 44,000 employees spread all across the country. They have a net income ₹8,905 crore (US\$1.2 billion) and total assets worth ₹279,134 crore (US\$39 billion). This particular division was a supplier of defence and military equipment to the Government

# THE CHALLENGE

The customer entrusted CMS IT with the automation of the Goods pass-out and Invoice validation process. This was being done manually with each material-inward document and the invoice verification taking up to three days to process. The document verification also got delayed when there was a sudden increase in documents since the manpower was the same. The main challenges were:

- The large number of repetitive tasks during the verification of the documents
- Multiple Document Formats but the output format was the same.
- The huge number of validations were required with no scope of error
- Unpredictable workloads for the workforce
- 100% Compliance and adherence to policy
- · Maintaining accuracy in spite of the complexity of data

# THE SOLUTION

CMS IT deployed the automation of GPD (Goods Pass-out Document) approval using RPA bots to increase successful validations. Cognitive data extractions from paper invoice using IQ Bots for cross-matching and validations was also employed to reduce inaccuracies. CMS IT's RPA partner's solution offers an advanced, enterprise-grade, cognitive platform that combines traditional RPA with cognitive elements such as natural language processing and reading of unstructured data

### The highlights of the solution are:

- IQ Bot automates business processes that rely on semi-structured or unstructured data hidden in electronic documents, images, emails and more.
- IQ Bot leverages multiple AI techniques to intelligently digitize and extract data to make RPA and/or OCR technology even more effective.
- IQ Bot Machine Learning Capabilities allow them to keep learning from corrections made by knowledge workers and gets smarter and more accurate over time.
- Implementation of Robotic Process Automation (RPA) for MIS Reporting and Chatbot for customer queries resolution.

# **BENEFITS**

This solution resulted in a 100% accuracy in validation. The unpredictable workloads were also solved because bots were accessible 24x7.

Multiple invoice formats were standardised by the IQ bot's Cognitive engine and stored in a single format. There was a marked decrease in the number of repetitive tasks and the workloads were more evenly distributed.

# Some of the key benefits are:

**85**%

Reduction in invoice processing

Elimination of errors and 100% compliance

Real-time availability of inventory informatio for better supply chain

Increased Application efficiency for retail customers and end-users

Increased employee satisfaction



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