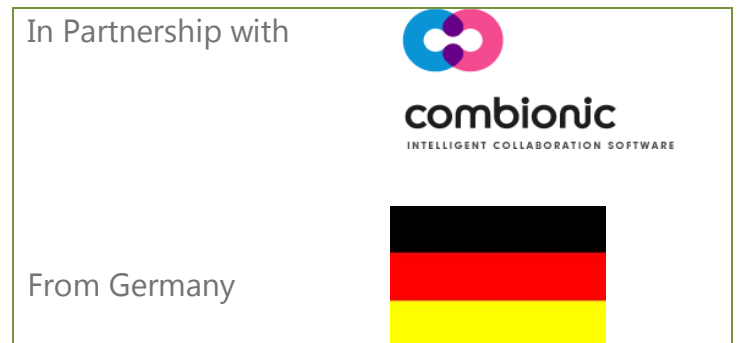


Office Business Gateway

Cloud enabled File & Record Transfer solution



The Combionic Office Business Gateway is the leading Framework for context aware Information Integration and context aware computing in Microsoft Office. It allows access and processing of enterprise information (e. g. from Business applications, SAP, SharePoint, CRM-Systems etc.) or cloud file stores (Microsoft Office 365, Salesforce CRM online, Azure blob storages etc.) provided in context directly in Microsoft Office. The user doesn't need to change his common User Interface to access relevant data and information from applications or services on-premise or in the cloud.

Microsoft and Combionic showcase the use of Cloud Computing in modern collaborative environments. The example shows to what degree the process of file & records management between organizations can be streamlined with the help of cloud technologies.

In this showcase, a company relocates its registered headquarters from one city to another. As a result, all the documents filed in the commercial register also need to be relocated. Previously, all the documents had to be created manually and entered in the registers of the new authority responsible for the company – a process involving several steps.

Thanks to the cloud service (public business process) and Office Business Gateway (Context aware computing), this can now be accomplished in a single step – quickly and easily at the touch of a button : Both authorities responsible exchange the data via the Windows Azure cloud service. The one previously responsible for the company makes the documents available in the cloud in encrypted form, as a result of which the new local court has direct access to the data and can handle the case immediately. Through the Office Business Gateway the user can access and exchange all files from their well-known Office environment, without time-consuming toggling between and searching in different applications. The public administration cuts its operating and process costs considerably thanks to less effort in terms of personnel, communication and time, as well as reducing the processing time for the local courts.

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Combionic is a pioneer for the modern workplace. Our software integrates information from every business application in Microsoft Office, Internet Explorer and Adobe Reader.

Users can access information and reasonable options (tasks, activities) in context of their current task without toggling between different business applications. This in turn creates a significantly more productive, compliant and more user-driven working environment.

To assess the practical potential of our solutions, the German Fraunhofer Institute for Industrial Engineering IAO was involved in a pilot study in the German state of Hessen and conducted a scientific study that tracked activities involved in a given administrative process. Result: The net processing time has been reduced by two-thirds and the quality (through the validity of data) has improved at the same time.

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