

CASE STUDY

**AdIB, Ethiopia Advances
Towards New Age Banking
with Oracle FLEXCUBE 14.5 in
Partnership with Finonyx**

**Addis International Bank,
Ethiopia**

Key Facts

Existing Solutions: OMNI Core Banking

New Solutions: Oracle FLEXCUBE 14.5, OBPM 14.5,
OBBRN 14.5, OBTF 14.5, OBTR 14.5

Duration: November 2021 - August 2022

Data Points: 119 branches, 378,000+ customers,
378,000+ accounts

Key Objectives

1. Become the leading inclusive bank in the whole of Africa
2. Provide efficient and effective full fledged banking services to customers
3. Utilize state of the art technology and motivated staff to be operationally efficient and thereby optimizing shareholders' interest.
4. Practice and maintain highest levels of integrity at all levels.

Background

Addis International Bank (AdIB) was established in 2012 with a vision to provide world class banking services to customers of multiple income groups across the country.

AdIB was powered by the OMNI Core Banking System to support its operations across branches and digital channels. The existing systems lacked key capabilities which created challenges while addressing specific customer demands. AdIB realized that to meet the current and future requirements of their customers investment in advanced technology was paramount.

Choosing The Right Solution

In order to make the service delivery more efficient and effective, the AdIB management decided to replace the current core banking system. The technology team decided on adopting a proven solution that was functionally rich and technologically superior. The latest version of Oracle's banking solution – Oracle FLEXCUBE 14.5 along with standalone solutions – Oracle Banking Payments, Oracle Banking Branch, Oracle Banking Trade Finance and Oracle Banking Treasury were chosen to enable the transformation that AdIB envisions to achieve.

In addition to the standard solutions, the project necessitated custom interfaces to connect with external systems for Biometrics, Customer level Daily Cash Withdrawal Limits, ECX, ATM-PSS Switch, Cheque Truncation System and SMS Notification Services.



Project Challenges, Approach and Execution

The project team from Finonyx with the able support from the IT team at AdIB came up with time bound project plan that ensured that all the existing issues were identified, necessary customizations were agreed up on and an approach to resolve and manage issues were in finalized.

Initial testing stages indicated that the completion of end of cycles operations for the 119 branches too more than 9 hours – This was fine tuned to ensure EOD completion in under 30 minutes.

The project team identified and managed to fix discrepancies with the legacy systems GL, date mismatches, and issues with the SMS notification services.

Data from the OMNI core banking system were smoothly migrated into Oracle FLEXCUBE.

All the required customizations were completed and delivered on time for the system Go-Live.

Finonyx as the Trusted Partner

Successful implementation track record in the region and technical expertise were primary considerations for FBCH while looking for a strategic partner. Finonyx comes with 12 years' experience in providing implementation, upgrade, and support services to more than 85 banks in Africa. Finonyx demonstrated their understanding and technical capability to lead the transformation project and implement the latest version of the solutions Oracle FLEXCUBE 14.5 and OBDX 21.1

“Finonyx was entrusted with this key responsibility after critically reviewing their expertise and proven experience in implementing the Oracle FLEXCUBE application at multiple banks across geographies. The team from Finonyx showcased their thorough understanding of the application and have successfully delivered the project in a time bound manner. We extend our thanks and appreciation to Team Finonyx for their efforts.”

Assefa Amere,
Chief Information Officer, AdIB



Upgraded Solutions Delivering Multitude of Business Benefits



End of Cycle Timelines
Reduced To 30
minutes from 9+
Hours



Over 10% Increase in
The Customer
Experience Since
Implementation of
The New Solutions



Minimized Risk due to
automatic transaction
processing



Increased reliability of
channel transactions
with no data loss
during systems
handshake



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