

A Case Study:

**Secondary Sales and Inventory
Management Solution based on**

OutReach™ Lite

The Client

- Emami Limited is into manufacturing of health, beauty and personal care products for over 35 years
- All manufacturing units are ISO 9001:2000 certified and GMP compliant
- Emami has also been listed among the top 500 companies in BT-500 Most Valuable Companies of India in the private sector (Business Today)
- Brand Equity Most Trusted Brand 2012 have ranked Emami power brands Zandu balm, Fair and Handsome, Boroplus and Navratna among the top brands in the country.



The Challenges

- Emami covers all the states with 32 depots across India
- A wide distribution network comprising strong network of 3500 distributors and 4500 sub distributors
- Retail reach across of 5,00,000 outlets
- ERP does not provide visibility and control on
 - ✓ Distributor's stock Inventory
 - ✓ Sales from the distributor to retailers
 - ✓ Region/ Area/Distributor/Retailer/SKU wise Sales Report

The Solution

- Ubq Technologies offered a solution based on *OutReach*TM Lite in 2010 to cover all distributors
- The solution was integrated with Emami's SAP ERP system
- Track product movement through Distributors (secondary sales) on-line, accurately
- SKU wise closing stock is captured by:
 - ✓ From distributors over telephone, or,
 - ✓ Distributors/ASOs login and enter over the Internet
- SKU wise overall Secondary Sales is derived as:
$$\text{Closing Stock} = \text{Opening Stock} + \text{Purchase} - \text{Sales}$$

The Benefits

- *OutReach*[™] Lite brought in much needed visibility and control over distributors stock and sales
- Increased the success rate of marketing and sales strategies by basing them on actual sales data
- Able to do better sales planning using historical on data on stock and sales
- Able to get sales related measurable key performance indicators for each region, area, territory, etc.

The Technologies

- *OutReach*[™] Lite is designed on Java/J2EE technology
- It has 3-tier architecture - the user interface is web-browser based, typically Microsoft Internet Explorer
- It is platform neutral – runs on Windows and Linux
- The system runs on Oracle WebLogic / Tomcat-Apache application servers
- In the backend, uses Oracle/ MySQL database management system

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