

Microsoft Azure

MINI-CASE STUDY



MICROSOFT AZURE ISV:
InfoLibrarian Corporation

WEB SITE: www.infolibcorp.com

LOCATION: Bradenton, FL, USA

ORG SIZE: 11 employees

MICROSOFT AZURE ISV PROFILE:

InfoLibrarian Corporation, founded in 2004 in Rochester, N.Y., is a metadata management solution provider that lets knowledge workers manage and access vital metadata relating to data. InfoLibrarian targets IT organizations that rely on data and need data governance capabilities to drive their integration and business intelligence projects.

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Metadata Management in the Cloud Provides Users Understanding of Their Data with Azure

“Microsoft Azure has allowed us to quickly deploy our solution to the cloud. Today we can make our product available to the masses in a turnkey and cost-effective format.” – Brian Brewer, President and Founder, InfoLibrarian Corporation

■ SITUATION

A major integration challenge faced by companies when on-boarding and managing their data often centers around managing data dictionaries, data mappings, semantics, and business definitions of their data. This is typically done with spreadsheets and documents that are manual and difficult to keep up to date. Traditional metadata repositories require large, on-site implementations, projects and costs.

■ SOLUTION

InfoLibrarian chose to deliver its enterprise metadata management capabilities via Microsoft Azure. This offers an easy-to-deploy and cost-effective cloud-based alternative. InfoLibrarian utilizes the Microsoft Azure platform and Azure SQL database to capture, manage, and disseminate enterprise metadata. Users access the cloud-based portal when they need to conduct a search, perform data impact analysis, and data lineage analysis functions. Users can now find the meaning and context of their business data.

■ BENEFITS

Microsoft Azure allows InfoLibrarian to host metadata collection services, repository storage and web portals.

Placing InfoLibrarian in the Azure Marketplace addresses customers' key pains relating to managing data in the cloud.

