

Axens Accelerates Its Digital Transformation with



The Axens Group provides comprehensive solutions for converting oil and biomass into cleaner fuels, producing essential petrochemical intermediates, and advancing the chemical recycling of plastics. Additionally, Axens offers innovative natural gas treatment options, water treatment solutions, and carbon capture and storage technologies.

Adoption of E-Invoicing

To modernize operations, Axens' IT and finance departments decided to replace traditional paper-based invoicing, which relied on manual SAP entries, with fully automated and secure invoice receipt processes. This shift aims to streamline invoice processing and simplify the daily tasks of the Accounts Payable department, accountants, and operators.



Choosing the Compleo Invoice Platform (CIP) Solution

Axens is leveraging Symtrax's Compleo Invoice Platform (CIP) to automate supplier invoice receipts, integrate invoicing data into SAP, and reconcile invoices with purchase orders and delivery notes—all through a single interface for real-time verification.

Key Features of the Solution

✓ Receiving:

Effortlessly retrieve invoices and attachments from a dedicated email inbox and transmit them to relevant departments.

✓ Validation:

Streamline validation and approval processes, validate price discrepancies, and initiate Good-to-Pay requests.

✓ Verification:

Use AI to collect and verify invoice data, ensuring accuracy with purchase orders and supplier information.

✓ Integration and Archiving:

Achieve seamless API synchronization with SAP, integrate vendor invoices using MIRO and FB60, and archive electronic invoices for easy access.



“The Compleo solution enables us to meet government obligations

Thibaut Moreaux, SAP Consultant at Axens

Objectives and Anticipated Benefits

For the Accounting Department:

- Reduce administrative burdens and costs while minimizing errors.
- Enhance decision-making and simplify invoice recording in SAP.
- Improve traceability of Good-to-Pay invoices and promote the use of purchase orders.

For the IT Department:

- Standardize business processes across all offices.
- Ensure traceability and security of invoicing data within SAP ERP.

For the Company:

- Increase efficiency and productivity.
- Enable the proposal of the solution to foreign subsidiaries.
- Prepare for widespread electronic invoicing adoption in France and promote eco-responsibility.

Effective Collaboration with the Symtrax Team

The project's success required meticulous preparation and a deep understanding of existing business processes.

By collaborating closely with Symtrax experts, **Axens** tailored its ERP system to meet unique requirements, fostering employee training and facilitating essential organizational changes.



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- **Total Employees:** 2,000 worldwide
- **SAP System:** SAP ECC6 (migration to SAP S/4HANA in progress since January 2019)
- **Relevant Modules:** Sales and Distribution (SD), Material Management (MM)



700
SAP USERS



10
ACCOUNTANTS



SAP SYSTEM: SAP ECC6
(MIGRATION TO SAP
S/4HANA IN PROGRESS SINCE
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