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# **Jedox—PALO For Excel Business Intelligence**

### **PALO At A Glance**

Palo was developed as a business intelligence (BI) tool, integrating OLAP technology to build upon existing spreadsheet platforms such as Excel. Palo makes reporting everything from basic accounting to financial controlling easier, faster and with greater cross comparison consistency. Palo optimizes planning, reporting, business simulation, analysis, dashboards, and data consolidation.



Palo

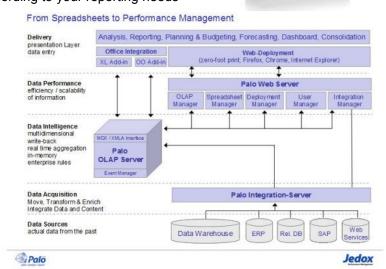
We can demonstrate how Palo brings to the user the advantages of high powered BI solutions to your laptop or server and then display and distribute that same information via the Web. As the complexity of using multiple Excel spreadsheets increases within and across departments, so does the risk of data accuracy. With Palo there is an easier way to slice and dice data from various spreadsheets and workbooks to create several different dashboard views unique to each manager 's needs giving them the power to view and communicate the information that is most relevant to their area of responsibility.



# Alta Via Consulting is a Jedox Certified Partner for PALO

# **Key Benefits:**

- The power of the OLAP Cube— your spreadsheets<sup>3</sup> to the power of 3
- Performance optimizations in memory consumption and rules
- Cost effective BI tool that works with your existing spreadsheets and spreadsheet applications.
- Slice and dice the data according to your reporting needs
- Easy integration of all your existing data including SAP data
- Enhances accuracy as it becomes the single source of secure data
- Allows many concurrent contributors to the data set
- Palo OLAP Accelerator (GPU version)
  - > Even faster speeds monster queries > Take advantage of
  - > Take advantage of multiple processor technology





"A Better Use of Information"

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"We needed real time labor reporting and business analytics; and we were tired of living in the past with integrating massive spreadsheets from multiple sources.

PALO is helping us get there."

— John LaRoi, VP & General Manager, Vonco

### **PALO For:**

**Excel Users** — **Do not have to give up the familiar Excel environment**. Palo simply ensures that corporate information is simultaneously viewed and analyzed across all dimensions that are relevant to you.

CFOs — Benefit from a technology platform that improves data quality and facilitates performance in your company. Palo fully integrated reporting system is accessible in real time by each executive and every manager. One version of truth is accomplished as data is consistent and accurate between all divisions.

Controllers — Get a structured system for managing, analyzing, and reporting organization data. Palo provides models that facilitates decision making and contributes to data dependability and value enhancement. Palo allows controlling staff to continue to use familiar, trusted tools as part of a sophisticated yet easy-to-use solution.

Management Decision Makers — Fast results, short implementation times, minimal training effort and a small upfront investment is a priority when selecting a BI solution. Palo allows you to empower business users with the administration and management with a very low total cost of ownership.



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Alta Via's costing experts look forward to being your PALO advisors to help with all your training, documentation, installation and configuration needs.

## About Alta Via Consulting, LLC

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