

## consolut Success Story Address Add-On



# “SEEK AND YOU SHALL FIND”

### Task Definition:

Companies maintain business relationships with a multitude of customers and vendors. As the volume of master data of these business partners in the SAP system increases, so do requirements for efficient data management and selection. The SAP system of BG RCI includes more than 90,000 customer master records and 35,000 vendor master records – with more to come.

In the classic SAP accounts receivable and accounts payable application, BG RCI looked in vain for something that is already standard procedure for any Internet search engine: a single search box that allows for entry of several keywords and generates a hit list with the results of the search query.

The result: Master data was captured redundantly (double entries), resulting in a steady loss of data quality. Processing transactions in the accounts receivable and accounts payable application became a time-consuming and error-prone business.

### Solution:

BG RCI decided to implement the consolut Address Add-On.



### Our Customer: BG RCI

The German Liability Insurance Association Raw Materials and Chemical Industry (Berufsgenossenschaft Rohstoffe und chemische Industrie) is the result of a fusion between the former liability insurance associations for the mining, chemical, leather and paper industries, quarries and sugar manufacturers. It was launched on January 1, 2010. The new association comprises approx. 36,000 member companies with 1.3 million insured.

### Customer benefit:

#### Task:

BG RCI was looking for a quick and efficient way of capturing and managing the increasing volume of master data of its business partners without running the risk of errors.

#### Solution:

The consolut Address Add-On offers a highly flexible search function based on address, bank code and zip code data and using a single search box. The add-on can be easily integrated into the SAP standard in a matter of minutes.



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### Implementation:

BG RCI decided to install the consolut Address Add-On. In just a few minutes, the add-on was delivered to and installed in the SAP system of BG RCI – no further steps required.

The add-on created a new consolut view in the SAP F4 search helps for vendors and customers – fully integrated into the SAP standard and even available in the customer's proprietary software.

The view offers just the element that was missing before: a single search box for keywords, and a hit list of relevant search results.

Initial tests by key users at BG RCI quickly revealed the effectiveness of the add-on: no more painstaking attempts to find master data using search terms, account groups and wildcard (“\*”) searches.

After a successful test phase, the consolut Address Add-On was integrated into the production system.

### Result:

Since the go-live of the new add-on, BG RCI has seen a significant decrease of redundant master data. Data processing in the accounts receivable, accounts payable and bank accounting applications has improved and become more efficient. The SAP standard views of the search helps for customers and vendors have become all but obsolete. The consolut view is every user's new standard view.

*“I love the consolut search help in the SAP accounts payable application, because just by entering a name and bank account number in a single search box, I get an excellent hit ratio when I'm searching for vendors. After all, only very few vendors among our 35,000 vendor master records have an identical bank account number. I wouldn't want to miss the consolut search help in my day-to-day work.”*

**Michael Kappings**  
KC Account Manager for Personnel, Finances, ID and Staff Departments  
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*“The search help saves us a lot of time in our daily work. Names? Addresses? Bank data? No problem! ... and it helps prevent double entries of vendors and customers.”*

**Michael Häusler**  
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