

Rimini Street Software Asset Management Services

A Managed SAM Service that Quickly Finds and Mitigates Software License Compliance Risks

Business Challenge

Many software vendors force licensees to maintain license compliance for software programs as part of their license agreement. When a licensee has hundreds of modules across multiple product lines, the task of maintaining compliance with vendor license agreements becomes a major undertaking. In many cases, software usage tools and deep software vendor license management expertise are required to manage license compliance. Traditional software asset management tools and processes can be:

- **Burdensome:** Vendor contracts, license entitlements, and assessment of license usage are complex and time-consuming tasks. IT teams often have insufficient knowledge and resources to manage license compliance.
- **Uncontrolled:** Changes to internal systems and software usage can occur frequently, as do vendor policies around licensed usage of programs. Most vendor software has inadequate controls to prevent unlicensed usage.
- **Costly:** Significant time and resources are required to maintain a strong asset management program. Vendors' software license compliance audits tend to pull resources away from important projects so licensees can comply with audit requests.

Solution Overview

Rimini Street combines best practices, documentation, and specific guidance to help clients navigate vendor license complexities and minimize their compliance risk. Rimini Street Software Asset Management Services ease the burden of asset management and provide peace of mind that software licenses have been allocated effectively. Rimini Street Software Asset Management Services currently include SAM software licensed from industry-leading software providers.

Rimini Street Software Asset Management Services are a software asset management (SAM) service designed to:

- Identify potential software license compliance risks
- Provide tailored guidance and strategic recommendations to effectively manage license compliance for Oracle Database and SAP software
- Help clients manage software license agreements and software compliance positions with confidence

Services

Rimini Street Software Asset Management Services include:

- **Software discovery:** Finds software modules and features in use within the ERP system
- **Baseline versus optimal software license usage tracking:** Analyzes current software license usage and identifies opportunities to optimize license allocations
- **Recommendations and guidance:** Provides direct expertise from Rimini Street advisors who specialize in software license compliance solutions
- **Software license compliance risk mitigation:** Identifies and remediates potential license compliance risks before a vendor audit
- **Audit assurance:** Uses independent license usage data to compare and refute potential errors in vendor software license compliance audit findings

Benefits

Rimini Street Software Asset Management Services deliver the following benefits:

| Better Model | Better People | Better Outcomes |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Simplifies software asset management ▪ Offers asset management services as a low-cost annual subscription ▪ Accesses a managed SAM solution including analysis of license usage reports and consultation on effective license allocations for Oracle Database and SAP software | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Accesses expertise from software license compliance management specialists ▪ Combines Rimini Street experience with industry leading partners to deliver a solution tailored to client needs | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Enables efficient and accurate annual license reporting ▪ Reduces the time and effort to deliver annual compliance report to vendors ▪ Increases confidence that license allocations are correctly positioned ▪ Supports purchasing decisions based on data, not guesswork |

To learn more about Rimini Street Software Asset Management Services, contact info@riministreet.com

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