

# Enterprise Search.

Extending Enterprise-Wide Inventory Visibility to the End-User

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## Enterprise Search is the Latest Optional Software Module That is Fully Integrated With the Nexiant Smart Inventory® Manager.

Enterprise Search extends the enterprise-wide inventory visibility, traditionally available only to system administrators and inventory managers, to the end-user. Now, end-users can search, select and secure inventory items stocked in multiple POU inventory locations across a plant or an entire organization, based on established access policies.

### Search Options

Users have the flexibility to search by item number, description or manufacturer's number. Search results will include details on all POU and Nexiant Crib locations where the item is stocked, including item number, description, manufacturers' item number and quantity on hand in each location. Users can broaden or narrow the scope of the search as follows:

- Issued Items – to locate recently issued items by the end-user.
- Virtual Cribs – to locate items in Nexiant Cribs.
- Plant – to locate items across the plant that are stored in Nexiant Cribs and Point-of-Use locations.
- Enterprise-wide – to locate items across the enterprise that are stored in Nexiant Cribs and Point-of-Use locations.
- Pending Transactions – to locate items that a user pre-selected, but have not yet been issued/returned.

### Pre-Select Capabilities

Users can pre-select items to be issued from Nexiant Cribs, as defined by Corporate Access Policies, with familiar Shopping Cart functionality. Pick Tickets are printed and include the user name, items to be issued and the items' location within the Nexiant Crib.

### High-Availability Access

Ensures users have quick and easy access to Nexiant Cribs that are directly connected to a Nexiant Source.



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## Search Inventory Manager

Nexiant's flagship software product, Smart Inventory Manager (SIM), is a comprehensive MRO inventory management solution that is driving MRO Excellence in the industrial market. SIM is a robust Web-hosted solution that enforces business rules, controls access to materials at the point-of-use (POU) and provides enterprise-wide inventory visibility which eliminates pilferage, stock-outs, and overstocking.

It provides management with a real-time view of the MRO supply chain that enables better decision making to optimize purchasing, inventory management, and replenishment of the materials. Integration of SIM with ERP/ MRP, customized procurement and suppliers' electronic order systems facilitates the exchange of data that provides enterprise-wide MRO visibility that is not available with disparate systems to drive Continuous Improvement, Lean and Six Sigma programs.

## Enterprise Search Advantages

- Enforces established access policies
- Empowers end-users to quickly and accurately locate and source MRO items across the enterprise to decrease downtime.
- Provides the option of balancing reordering activity vs. inventory transfers to streamline operations.
- Enhances configuration flexibility to increase management and control of MRO inventory.
- Provides visibility to spot-buy receipt and storage locations within Nexiant Cribs that were previously unavailable.

## Enterprise Search Advantages

Enterprise Search is an Internet-based software application that can be accessed from a web-enabled PC with Internet Explorer or from a Nexiant Source.

The Nexiant Source is a PC housed in a ruggedized ATM-like enclosure, typically placed in strategic locations throughout the shop floor that provides a "state-of-the-art"



## Features include.

- Durable Steel Enclosure
- 15" Touch Screen LCD Display
- Enforce established access policies
- Badge Reader
- Symbols Scanners
- Thermal Printer
- Instant Help Line

## Dimensions include.

- Dimensions:
  - Height: 60.1"
  - Width: 22.6"
  - Depth: 20"
  - Weight: 165 lbs