

Case Studies

A Leading Property and Casualty Insurance Company Chicago, Illinois

“Smart Dimensions was quickly able to understand the issues that we were facing and was able to build a state-of-the-art solution that met our needs.”

MIS Manager

Technology Toolbox

- Oracle
- Cognos Impromptu
- Cognos Powerplay
- Microsoft IIS
- JavaScript
- VBScript
- HTML

The Business Need

“Better access to information, enabling informed decision making”

The Engineering Challenge

Client needed a variety of analytical and financial reporting for operations, actuaries, underwriters, executives, and customers. They needed someone to take charge and work with the various business units, identify needs, develop requirements and design and develop a data warehouse.



Creating the Solution

Smart Dimensions managed a team that developed state of the art data warehouse including an Operational Data Store (ODS), Star Schema Models for reporting, sophisticated OLAP reporting using Cognos Impromptu and PowerPlay, and Web based delivery of reports to sales offices and customers.

The ability to learn the client's business and their innovative approach to building software from the end-user's perspective made Smart Dimensions the development partner tapped to create the enterprise application.