

abat offers top consulting

Our focus is on the **automotive** sector and **logistical** processes.

Alongside the sector-orientation, the optimisation of distribution logistics processes across all sectors is another pillar of abat's activities. Here we have been able to considerably reduce the costs of the logistics chain by connecting corresponding additional systems to SAP, as we have managed at Kohler, Nordmilch or Scottish Courage Ltd. In 2004 we successfully equipped VS Logistics Verden GmbH (previously LZV Logistik-Zentrum Verden), one of the first real logistics providers from the SME sector, with a SAP solution, which optimised warehouse management by using in-house add-ons and connected it to the SAP system of their customer Mars.

In order to be able to act as a "full service" provider, abat combines long-term commercial and technical know-how. This combination is necessary, for example in projects related to the acquisition of information such as in the area of SAP BI. Here abat does not just implement the concept, but also offers support from the beginning with the technical processing, the commercial determination of the desired key figures as well as the selection of the process and the data required for it.

As a consulting company for interface technology and m/eBusiness, you benefit from the expertise of our consultants. We use the latest technologies – ALE, BAPI, EDI, IDOC, XML or even NetWeaver with the SAP exchange infrastructure (such as in one project at CeWeColor – the transfer of mass data from laboratory processing into SAP using XI), WAS or xApps.

With the foundation of BELabat in Minsk (Belarus) we are logically following this course and can now provide this service to the market at a much more favourable price. Our employees in Minsk have long-term experience in the development of SAP interfaces and add-ons, can be in Germany within 2 hours, have no mentality or acclimatising problems and speak German or English - for us BELabat is an extended workbench (nearshoring) for programming and support, although the employees can also be deployed directly on-site at our customers. In January 2007 we founded MEXabat in Puebla (Mexico), and in January 2008 founded abatUS in Atlanta and Tuscaloosa (USA) in for the same purpose in the Americas.

As consulting partners of Deutsche Post World Net, our employees are constantly involved with release updates or the depiction of company mergers or split-ups.

Sustainable introductions of further SAP areas such as LES, which we realised, for example, at Nordmilch within six months with a complex integration into the warehousing and logistics management systems, are also part of our core business.

At BMW, Daimler and Volkswagen we are responsible for the integration of the SAP software with complex proprietary solutions. We develop interfaces and add-ons based on the latest technologies. We have also demonstrated our know-how of the SAP components IPPE and PVS in order to support complex variant BOMs. In addition we perform the Application Management Service (AMS) for the foreign sites of Daimler AG at an extremely competitive price via our subsidiaries.

We have also demonstrated our excellent know-how of SAP technologies to Daimler and Volkswagen in the area of SAP IT-Strategy consulting. In addition we support these customers in many areas of additional SAP developments in Quality Management with the corresponding code reviews.

abat AG

With the long-term experience of our employees as well as a logical sector and technology-orientation, abat AG offers its customers all the necessary solutions for internet-based applications, e-business, mCommerce and of course complete service for introducing SAP software, all based on the SAP standard software.

An overview:

- Founded in 1998 as act GmbH
- Since 2001 a public limited company (AG), share capital 358,000
- Since March 1999 an implementation partner of SAP AG
- SAP Special Expertise Partner Automotive
- SAP Special Expertise Partner for Logistics Service Providers
- Over 100,000 days of experience in consulting on strategies, processes and technology
- Sites in Bremen, Kiel and Munich
- Subsidiaries for nearshoring projects and application management in Minsk (Belarus), Puebla (Mexico) and Tuscaloosa (USA)
- >150 employees in Germany and >40 in Minsk, Puebla and Tuscaloosa
- Member of DSAG, BVL and ITA / VDA

References

Logistics

ACOS group
Anker Leschaco Group
BLG Logistics International
DHL LOGISTICS
Deutsche Post World Net
FIEGE Logistics
Gebr. Westhoff
Hermes Warehousing Solutions
Kohler, USA
LAH Lohmann Animal Health
Minolta Europe
Nordmilch
Schnellecke Group
VS Logistics Verden
WABCO
Westhoff
Wieland-Werke AG

Service providers

ANX, Detroit (USA)
Deutsche Welle
DeTeWe
HTN Hannover
LEG Schleswig-Holstein
Lufthansa Technik
Sparkasse Bremen
Süwag Energie AG

Industry

Airbus
Bayer Leverkusen
Babcock
Braun AG
Campbell's (Erasco)
CeWe Color
DyStar Textilfarben
EPCOS
Fujitsu Siemens
Gerolsteiner
Gerresheimer Glas
Linde AG
Lloyd Werft Bremerhaven
Siemens AG

Coming together is a beginning -
working together is success.

Henry Ford

Automotive Suppliers

AE Group
Bosch Automotive
Hella
Johnson Controls
KUKA Systems GmbH
SGL Carbon Automotive
Sinn Systems
Sumitomo Electric Bordnetze
Systems technologies
Thyssen Umformtechnik
Visteon (Ford) Deutschland/USA
VOSS
WABCO

Manufacturers

Audi AG
Adam Opel (General Motors)
BMW AG
CMC (China Motor Corporation), Taiwan
Daimler AG
Iran Khodro
Proton, Malaysia
Volkswagen AG

