

ABOUT CUSTOMER

African + Eastern is the largest beverage distributor in the Middle East, with a strong market presence in the UAE, Oman, and Qatar. Representing an extensive portfolio of globally renowned alcoholic beverage brands, the company operates across wholesale, retail, and on-trade channels. Its commitment to operational excellence, timely distribution, and compliance with regional regulations demands a reliable and efficient ERP infrastructure.

CHALLENGES

As a growing enterprise with diversified operations, African + Eastern faced mounting challenges related to the performance and support of its Microsoft Dynamics NAV system:

- Frequent system outages and slow performance, particularly
- during peak business hours.
- Limited in-house technical expertise to resolve complex NAV issues, leading to operational delays.
- Inefficient support processes without structured SLAs, causing escalations and frustration among business users.
- Lack of proactive monitoring, resulting in recurring problems and reduced system reliability.
- Need for ongoing NAV optimization to support changing business workflows and regional compliance requirements.

SOLUTION IMPLEMENTED

Implement the **LS NAV (NAV Lifecycle Support)** service—a proactive, SLA-based support framework customized for Microsoft Dynamics NAV.

- 24x7 ERP Support: Round-the-clock technical and functional NAV support via a dedicated helpdesk.
- Structured Ticketing System: Implementation of a centralized system to log, track, and resolve issues with SLA adherence.
- Proactive System Monitoring: Regular diagnostics and health checks to
- identify and resolve bottlenecks before they impacted operations.
- **Expert NAV Consultants:** Deployment of NAV specialists to resolve issues across finance, inventory, logistics, and reporting modules.
- Continuous Optimization: Monthly reviews and system tuning to align NAV capabilities with business growth and compliance updates.

BENEFITS TO CUSTOMER

- **35% Reduction in ERP Downtime:** Faster and more effective issue resolution.
- Improved Operational Continuity: Proactive monitoring reduced unplanned disruptions.
- 40% Faster Ticket Resolution: Enhanced support workflow and dedicated response team.
- Improved Staff Productivity: Internal users gained confidence in system stability.
- Scalable Support Framework: Built to accommodate future system upgrades and business expansion.

CUSTOMER TESTIMONIAL

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"Trident's NAV LS support has played a critical role in stabilizing and enhancing our ERP environment. Their team not only brings deep NAV expertise but also a proactive approach to problem-solving. We now have the confidence that our system can support our growth without disruption."

— IT Manager, African + Eastern

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