

# Integrated Web Services Connector

## Redwood Extensions: WorkloadConnect Library

### At A Glance

#### Features

- Integrates legacy, distributed, virtualized—even cloud-based application environments
- Outbound and inbound service support and creation
- Wizard-driven configuration

#### Benefits

- Improve process integrity and reliability with seamless process execution from anywhere, to anywhere, at anytime
- Significantly lower development costs and mitigate risk by leveraging existing processes
- Realize faster ROI and greater control with no scripting

#### Advantages

- Leverage the *only* fully Web-architected and platform agnostic workload automation solution
- Control and integrate SOA-based and legacy workloads through a single intuitive interface
- Future-proof your workload management environment with flexible, standards-based connectivity

IT organizations face significant challenges supporting SOA-based IT and business services. Integrating multi-system, multi-application processes so that services work seamlessly; optimizing resources so critical processes will run reliably; maximizing the use (and reuse) of existing applications to control costs—it's a daunting prospect. Paired with Cronacle or SAP Central Process Scheduling, the Redwood Web Services Connector provides a fully integrated, standardized means for managing SOA alongside legacy processes—reducing the complexity of delivering new services, improving process integrity, and accelerating development times.



### Improve Efficiency. Reduce Risk. Cut Costs.

The Redwood Web Services Connector enables cross-application access to Web Services, the building blocks for SOA. Web-based and legacy applications can share processes without time-consuming and expensive custom coding. Requiring no additional software installation, the Redwood Web Services Connector is a solid, simple entry point to SOA. It enables any current business-critical processes to be embedded into SOA-based business services, allows bi-directional use of Web Services by any application, and extends the value of current applications and processes. Externally published Web services can be inserted into existing legacy processing as standard jobs, leveraging your SOA-based development initiatives to improve core IT processes.

Through wizard-driven, standards-based interfaces, the Redwood Web Services Connector enables Cronacle or SAP Central Process Scheduling to integrate legacy, distributed, virtualized—even cloud-based application environments, delivering real value to both IT and the business services you support.

### Your Web Services Broker

Service creation and reuse is the core of an effective and cost-efficient SOA. The Redwood Web Services Connector helps you leverage IT processes from a service creation and reuse point of view so you can significantly lower development costs, mitigate risks, and take new products to market faster. Supporting both inbound and outbound services, it effectively acts as a Web services “broker”, managing service creation, integration and execution.



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## Simple, Standardized Connectivity

SOA can deliver highly complex and valuable business services. But with finite resources and much business-critical processing still running on legacy systems, businesses moving toward SOA must find cost-effective ways to leverage and integrate with existing applications and infrastructure. Redwood's Web Services Connector enables Cronacle or SAP Central Process Scheduling to efficiently bridge technology gaps to address these process automation issues, providing the flexibility and efficiency your SOA business service initiatives need to succeed.

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## Outbound Services

Enables Cronacle or SAP Central Process Scheduling to connect to any published Web service across your enterprise and make it available as a job for legacy applications. Enabling previously time-based processes to integrate real-time, policy, or rules-driven workflow components makes them adaptive to changing business conditions, and therefore more valuable to the enterprise.

## Inbound Services

Publish any job, even entire job chains with multiple sub-jobs as a single Web service, making crucial legacy processes available to SOA-based business services. The Redwood Web Services Connector enables data center workflows to become critical components of a real-time business process, transforming your Cronacle

or SAP Central Process Scheduling installation into an even more critical component in the real time enterprise.

The Redwood Web Services Connector builds a bridge for legacy and SOA-based environments. The result is a centralized repository of bi-directional Web services and seamless integration between business services and their underlying applications.

The Redwood Web Services Connector helps you:

- Simply and cost effectively extend the value of existing processes to the wider business service environment
- Evolve stand-alone batch and event-driven workloads into crucial components of new service-oriented business applications
- Publish and reuse frequently used services without modification
- Provide seamless process execution from anywhere, to anywhere, at anytime



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