
SunTec enhances its TBMS-F

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SunTec Business Solution's flagship centralised pricing and billing platform, TBMS-F has been enhanced, in conjunction with an unnamed global financial institution, to incorporate further functionality. This will enable global deployment that enriches information for users. The rule-based platform upgrade will bring together automated pricing, planning and execution functions across all product lines, providing a single view of the customer's business across all markets.

The project marks a leap forward for SunTec, which released the new system as TBMS-F V4. The software can be deployed across multiple countries, embracing multiple currencies and lan-

guages. However, one of the key benefits of the offering is the ability to support "global inheritance", facilitating financial institutions' ability to set pricing rules at a global level, which regional and branch level managers can inherit in real time and personalise for clients.

"It's about handing back complete control to our users," said Nanda Kumar, president and chief executive of SunTec. "Transaction data integration, real-time rating, price list modelling, consolidated billing and level revenue accounting have evolved, alongside the GUI, making all of this value-added information easy to use and manipulate. In practical terms, it's a customis-

able dashboard for financial institutions to do detailed revenue and profitability analysis across lines of business, products and individual customers, regardless of location – it's a new revenue stream for them."

Currently, TBMS-F V4 is being rolled out with a major client, but Kumar would not specify, only adding: "The North America office will go live at the beginning of January, with the rest of its offices coming on board after that. We've been working together with this client for a year because of the sheer size of the project, however, this platform can be added within three to four months, depending on the size of the institution". ■