



Guidewire InsuranceNow

A Streamlined, Ready-to-Go Core Solution in the Cloud

DATA SHEET



Guidewire InsuranceNow™ is designed specifically for U.S. insurers that write low-complexity business, may be constrained with limited IT resources, and need a streamlined, ready-to-go, cloud-based core solution. With its integrated design, out-of-the-box functionality, and guided approach, InsuranceNow enables rapid implementation and quick upgrades. Cloud-based delivery and ongoing operational support give insurers the freedom to focus on innovation and respond rapidly to market demands, even when they have limited IT support. With InsuranceNow, everything you need—from core to data to digital—is “always on” and at your fingertips.

Industry analyst research points to a growing uptake of core system suites. While this increase may be a result of providers adding more advanced functionality, you may need to look closer to find the solution that enables you to quickly respond to future market, consumer, and agent demands and, most importantly, meet the unique needs of your business.

How a suite was designed and delivered can put you at an advantage or a disadvantage from the beginning. If the system is built as a single solution—as InsuranceNow is—you’ll reap the benefits: rapid implementation and upgrades that take weeks rather than months. InsuranceNow is cloud-based, enabling the system to scale in response to business demands. Redundant production environments ensure business continuity so that you can set your mind at ease and your business in motion.

Simple web-based configuration puts more control in the hands of business users, enabling faster speed-to-market for insurers that may have limited IT resources.



InsuranceNow

BENEFITS

- Quicker implementation and upgrades
- Greater focus on innovation
- On-demand scaling to match growth
- Rapid response to market demands
- Risk mitigation
- Freedom from routine system maintenance
- Faster time-to-value (TTV)
- Improved customer experience
- Pre-integrated with select Guidewire InsurancePlatform products

Purposeful Design

From its inception, InsuranceNow was designed as an all-in-one, cloud-based solution. It enables insurers to respond quickly to an ever-changing business environment, regardless of their available IT resources.

Integrated

One of the many benefits of an all-in-one design is that everything comes integrated in the base configuration as delivered. This eliminates the challenges of systems that were acquired over time and sewn together—multiple logins, different user experiences, and drawn-out upgrades. Because InsuranceNow is one system, a single upgrade keeps your business current. And because all functions are on the same system, testing and training are faster as well. Users have one set of tools, one user interface, and one place to make changes.

With an all-in-one solution, you can implement all modules at the same time, which avoids temporary workarounds and integrations that often require heavy IT resources. It's possible to go live with the entire system in months rather than years. You'll spend less time working disparately in different systems, and you'll have all your staff more quickly trained and working in a common system.

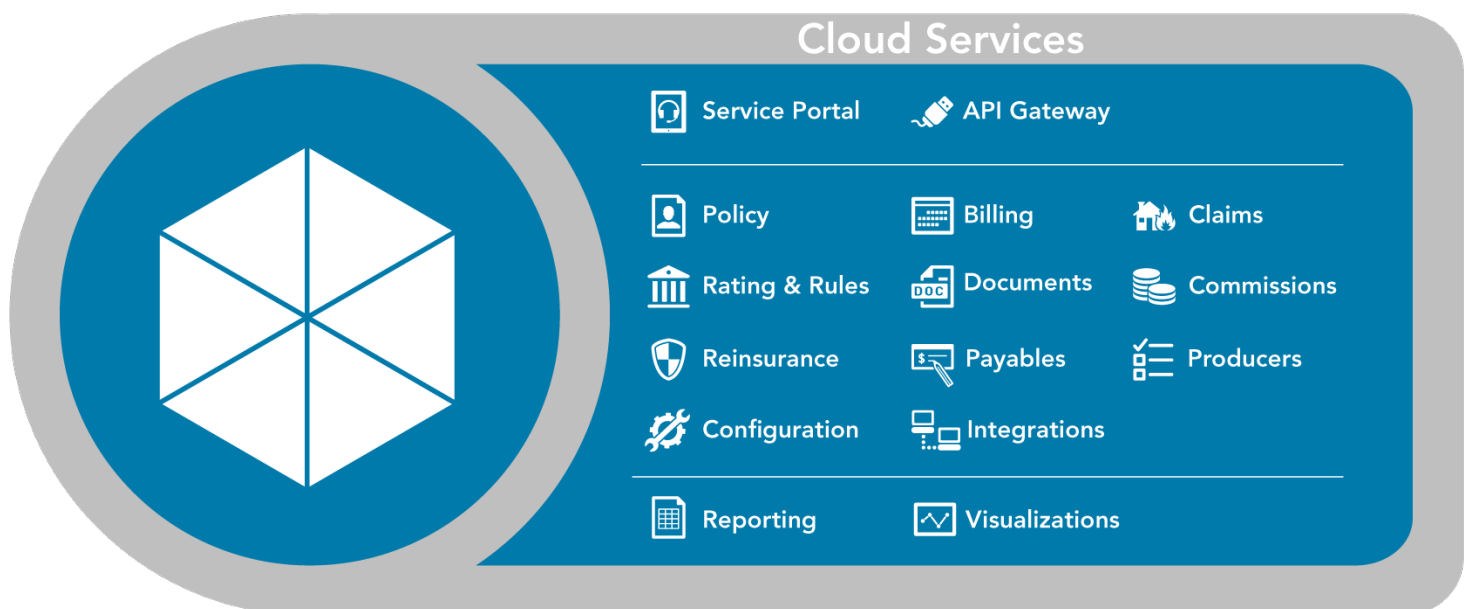
Cloud Based

It's not easy to properly manage the direction of your company and make difficult decisions that affect the future of your business. But you can't concentrate on those decisions if you're burdened with making sure your servers are up and running, your applications are available, and your data is safe. Although they're critical to running your business, these issues take away from the time you could be spending—and the resources you could be using—on innovation and shaping your company's future.

Risk mitigation and freedom from system maintenance are just two of the many benefits that come with a cloud-based system. The agility of the cloud makes it easier to rapidly test products and other innovations. You can create new environments quickly, without the inconvenience of waiting for servers to be ordered and provisioned for use. In addition, running a cloud-based system means you get the benefits of having a system that can auto-scale to match growth and accommodate for unexpected spikes in needs—even those brought about by a CAT. With InsuranceNow, you can be certain your applications will be there for the business at all times.

Core and More

InsuranceNow is delivered with the following functionality:



Platform for Growth

As your business continues to grow and evolve, Guidewire will remain your partner along the way. By providing multiple releases annually, Guidewire adds functionality and new capabilities to InsuranceNow to address your needs as your business evolves. In addition, you can extend the capabilities of your investment by combining InsuranceNow with select Guidewire InsurancePlatform™ products and solutions to address the needs of your business today—and tomorrow.

- **Guidewire Customer Engage™ Quote and Buy for InsuranceNow:** Offer direct-to-consumer products seamlessly with a world-class digital experience.
- **Guidewire Predictive Analytics™:** Drive smarter decisions with integrated predictive scoring and analytics.
- **Guidewire AppReader™:** Increase efficiency while reducing manual data entry with integrated OCR from AppReader.

Guided Approach

From implementation to go-live and beyond, we're with you through it all. We have a vested interest in your entire journey and success with InsuranceNow. With our prescriptive advice garnered from years of experience working with P&C insurers, we provide guidance every step of the way—making recommendations, providing best practices, and ensuring that no stone is left unturned.

Implementation

An all-at-once implementation of a full suite can seem impossible. The challenge of replacing policy, claims, and billing systems at the same time may be viewed as too daunting and painful. However, we're experts at doing just this. We've guided more than 40 insurers like you through a systematic approach to replacing legacy systems with a complete suite, leading to faster time-to-value with everything up and running on day one.

After Go-Live

Our support doesn't end at go-live. Now it's time for you to focus on all that the system can do for your business rather than what you have to do to the system. With InsuranceNow, we take on the responsibility for the uptime and performance of the system. This ongoing operational support of InsuranceNow running in the cloud ensures application availability, data protection, and business continuity. Freedom from the day-to-day tactical focus on maintenance enables your technology teams to focus on strategy and innovation. Moreover, one upgrade included annually helps you stay modern by ensuring that you're on the latest version of the software so that your business can benefit from the latest available features and functionality.

With InsuranceNow, you get to focus on what's important—we handle the rest.

About Guidewire

Guidewire delivers the industry platform that Property and Casualty (P&C) insurers rely upon to adapt and succeed in a time of accelerating change. We provide the software, services, and partner ecosystem to enable our customers to run, differentiate, and grow their business. We are privileged to serve more than 350 companies in 32 countries. For more information, please visit www.guidewire.com and follow us on twitter: @Guidewire_PandC.

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