

# BIS:BusinessMail

The »simple« solution for the automation of business processes with smaller partners!

## The Situation

With 80 % of your partners, you only reach 20 % of your potential. Business partners (in particular suppliers) with lower document volume generate above average high costs in processing and demand immense processing time through manual preparation (e. g. incoming delivery notes and invoices).

## The Solution

BIS:BusinessMail combines the high availability of e-mail with the possibilities of XML. Orders, delivery notes, invoices etc. can be recorded or processed without direct internet access. Small suppliers receive a pre-configured form per email. The form filled out by the suppliers is automatically prepared in XML.

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer window titled "Purchase Order 0001510709". The address bar shows "http://www.seeburger.de/". The form contains the following information:

**Buyer:**  
Purchase tax ID: DE12345678  
Partner number: 00815  
Beispielfirma, PF. 11111, 77777 Musterstadt

**address for account:**  
Partner number: 1223456  
Musterfirma  
Beispielstrasse 0815  
77777 Musterstadt  
DE

**contact person (order):**  
Hans Mustermann  
Tel: 0815 777777  
Fax: 0815 66666

**Supplier:**  
Partner number: 11111111  
Beispielkunde

**contact person (order):**  
Herr Example  
Tel: 111111  
Fax: 22222

**Purchase Order No.:** 0081511111 **Date:** 13.07.2000

**order currency:** EUR

**general note:**  
Per FAX vorab

Pos	Nomenclature	Quantity	Price per unit	Net amount	Price adj. +/-
1	0815 Teil Musterblech	5,00 PCE	30,00 EUR	150,00 EUR	

Requested delivery date : 20000907

**total amount without tax: 150,00 EUR**  
**Position count: 1**

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer window displaying XML code. The address bar shows "http://info.seeburger.de/XMLmail". The code is as follows:

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<?xml version="1.0" encoding="ISO-8859-1" ?>
- <xsl:stylesheet xmlns:xsl="http://www.w3.org/TR/WD-xsl">
- <!--
  * SeePurchaseOrder - Stylesheet to visualize xCBL 2.0 Orders
  *
  * Copyright 2000, SEEBURGER AG, All Rights Reserved
  *
  * No Redistribution, Modification or Publishing of this File without the Per
  * of SEEBURGER AG.
  *
  * Version 0.1
  * Contact: info@seeburger.de http://www.seeburger.com/xml/
-->
- <!-- This a stylesheet generated by Bernd Eckenfels (b.eckenfels@seeburger.de) wit
  * Debugging -->
- <xsl:template match="*/**">
- <SPAN STYLE="background-color:red">
  <
  <xsl:node-name />
  >
```

Small suppliers receive a pre-configured form via e-mail.

The form filled out by the supplier is automatically prepared in XML.

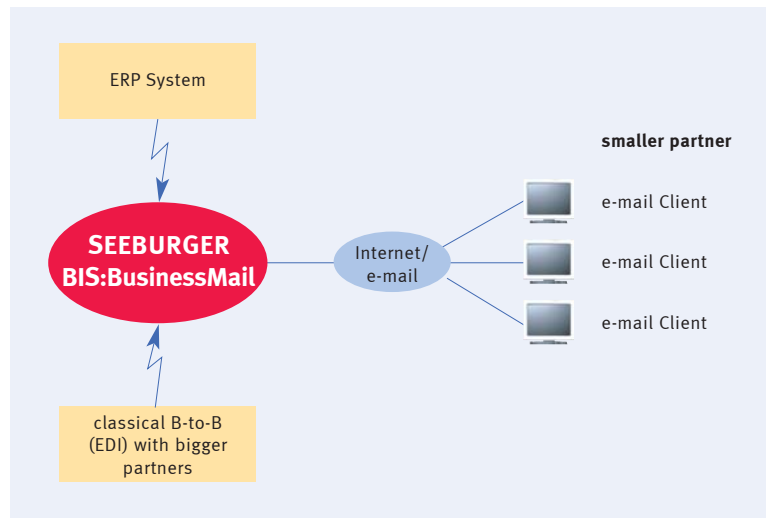
## »With BIS:BusinessMail you can lower your costs and accelerate processes with smaller partners!«

### ■ The flow

The Business Integration Server with BIS:BusinessMail when used for the suppliers leads to the following flow:

1) The order data for your suppliers is converted to XML/XSL with BIS:BusinessMail using the Business Integration Server and sent over e-mail to the partner. The supplier can view the order using XSL in style sheet layout and print it, he can also process it as an XML message.

2) Delivery notes and invoice forms are transferred to the supplier as XSL-forms with pre-prepared data, which he completes and returns.



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3) The Business Integration Server can then convert this XML data (as with any other B-to-B documents) into the required format of the ERP system (e. g. to SAP-IDOC) and automatically book the order.

## Advantages

- Enable the complete electronic processing of business processes with smaller partners

- Self explanatory solution

- Minimum training expenditure

- Speedy Roll-out

... and on the side of your  
smaller partner

- No investment necessary

- No internet access necessary for operator

- High acceptance