



# **Driving Finance** Transformation in **Global Logistics**

Client: Maher Terminals Project: Unit4 Financials V14 Upgrade

## **Project Highlights**

#### **Trusted Advice**

We don't just deploy; we are a trusted advisor. Prior to deployment, we delivered a full system review - along with a set of future state process recommendations.

#### **Global Reach & Experience**

### **Rapid Deployment**

## **The Client**

In the fast-paced world of global logistics, Maher Terminals is a leader in cargo handling, and one of the largest container terminal operators in the world. It provides a vital cargo link for businesses everywhere, helping its customers to thrive in competitive marketplaces.

# The Challenge

Success in logistics is about throughput, control and safety. Operating a major cargo in New York, this is what Maher excels in as it manages the flow of millions of containers every year. However, the growing complexity of its business was becoming a challenge for the finance function.

To meet its customer needs, Maher operates a collection of companie ss - and this added hugely to the volume of transactions dealt with by the accounting team. As swiftly and effectively as it worked, its existing systems and software were no longer fit for purpose.

The growing scale of its operations demanded a much more sophisticated approach. Maher needed quicker, more effective tools to keep up with the needs of the business - and turned to Millennium Consulting to deliver this.











# **The Project**

Following a full review of Maher's existing systems during the Discovery phase, the recommendation from our consultants was clear: Maher needed to upgrade its Unit4 Financials system from V12 to V14.

The additional functionality of the newer version (including Element Workflow and a new Billing module) was exactly what the terminal operator needed to get back up to speed with the complexity of its different companies. So, from Design to Deployment, our team of expert software engineers set to work on taking care of the entire installation and configuration process. This included:

- Supporting the Maher IT team to carry out a complete testing programmes
- Providing support for key interfaces in Maher's Terminal Management System
- Delivering user training and documentation on new functionality

We also provided the smoothest of transitions to Unit4 Financials V14. So, from the moment it went live, users could benefit from the new features; improving the speed, efficiency and accuracy of the accounting team.

Overall, we delivered a significant upgrade project on time and without Maher having to drop the pace of its operations for a second.

## **About Millennium**

At Millennium Consulting, we are experts in financial transformation, accounting, regulation and the impact of business and technology change.

For 25 years, we have provided global solutions and services across the world's most demanding industries, with customers in finance, logistics, construction and manufacturing.



#### THE MILLENNIUM METHODOLOGY:

Discover

We work with you to define the problem, make the case for change and create a roadmap.

Solve

We develop the processes and source the solutions required to meet your project needs.

Support

Our experts provide dedicated support and user training once your solution goes live.

Design

From planning and resourcing to stakeholder buy-in, we help you turn ambition into reality.

Deploy

We help you to implement new systems and solutions, from deployment to documentation.

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