Global Pharmaceutical Company, USA

Global contract research organization providing comprehensive, integrated drug development, laboratory and lifecycle management services

Business Objectives

- Modernize a globally used web application to get modern and user-friendly UI & UX features with all issues fixed in a cloud-based platform so that it can be accessed globally for 20K+ users with lowest latency and highest throughput.
- This is a web-based regulatory intelligence application designed to meet customer's regulatory information needs by expediting the collection, management, and communication of businesscritical regulatory intelligence. It allows intelligence to be available and searchable on a country-specific, regional, and global scale.

Challenges

- Process to keep regulatory information updated is not up to the mark
- UI and UX is not user-friendly
- Complicated and tedious search
- Poor performance and lot of bugs

Technology Spread

- Frontend: Angular 12, Backend: Net core 3.1
- Database: SQL Azure, Others: AG Grid, CK Editor
- Platform: Azure, Hosting: Azure App Service
- Other Azure Services: Key Vault, SQL Azure, App Insight, Blob Storage

HCLTech Solution

- Web Application is re-architected, re-designed and redeveloped using DotNet core 3.1 and Angular 12 in a scrum based agile methodology. A squad of 3 UX experts, 2 UI developers, 2 API developers, 2 testers and 1 scrum master executed this in a two-weekly sprint in 8 months staring from JAN-2022.
- On-prem windows Jobs were redeveloped as Azure web jobs to run Daily, Weekly & Monthly Jobs.
- ➤ AG Grid CK editor Plug-in is used for content editing and showing.
- Azure DevOps Git repo and Azure DevOps CI CD is used for code repo and deployment.
- Data Migrated form On-prem DB to SQL Azure using SSMS
- Nunit test project was developed to carry out unit testing from CI pipeline to automate unit testing.
- Performance tester did his best job to measure performance and notify and eventually it was tuned as per his findings.
- Application monitoring was implemented through Azure APP insights.

Benefits

- Reduced latency and improved performance.
 Performance for some pages improved from 1+ min age load to 2 seconds.
- Dynamic search feature for ease of use via redesigning and redevelopment of the entire search functionality
- Process improvement for keeping regulatory information updated via redesigning and redevelopment..
- Modern and improved UX and UI
- Easier control for admins to provide access to multiple title for a role.
- Zero down time and 99.99 % uptime via using Azure
 PaaS services, Azure DevOps and Azure Monitoring