

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Los Angeles, CA
www.lasd.org

Industry:

Public Sector

Annual Budget:

\$1.7 billion

Employees:

14,000

Oracle Products & Services:

Oracle Database Standard Edition

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Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Streamlines Investigative Procedures by Implementing a Comprehensive Web-Based System

The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) is the largest sheriff's department in the world. In addition to specialized services such as the Sheriff's Youth Foundation, International Liaison and Employee Support Services, the department is divided into 10 divisions, each headed by a division chief. The department encompasses three patrol divisions, custody operations, correctional services, a detective division, court services, technical services, homeland security, administrative services, and leadership and training.

Challenges

- Enhance overall operational efficiency and streamline investigative procedures across numerous law enforcement agencies interacting with multiple disparate databases
- Deploy a comprehensive customized Web-based investigative system that enables the LASD to conduct large scale and local investigations by leveraging biometric technology

Solution

- Implemented Oracle Database Standard Edition as the back-end to a Web-based investigative solution, providing users with access to secure, reliable, and accurate data
- Developed interconnects to multiple databases, allowing users to access information from multiple sources to identify criminal suspects and defendants, as well as obtain criminal history information instantaneously--speeding the investigation process
- Deployed an IWS-developed Web-based investigative solution that allows the LASD to create online mug books and lineups, as well as conduct text-based and facial recognition searches via a secure law enforcement intranet and wireless network
- Improved information sharing among LASD departments