

# NetConnect for OnDemand/400

NetConnect for OnDemand/400 from OAS Corp. is an intranet or internet web browser enabling software package for IBM's OnDemand for AS/400 Report/Data Archive and Retrieval System (R/DARS). NetConnect for OnDemand/400 is AS/400 software that provides intranet or internet users with access to repositories of COLD data, images or other OnDemand for AS/400 stored objects using only a web browser with a plug-in viewer.

From the standard web browser interface, users can utilize the full power of the Net to increase productivity while accessing COLD and image documents on the AS/400 with little or no training. This is the first COLD, image and object retrieval solution of its type for use with OnDemand for AS/400.

## Highlights

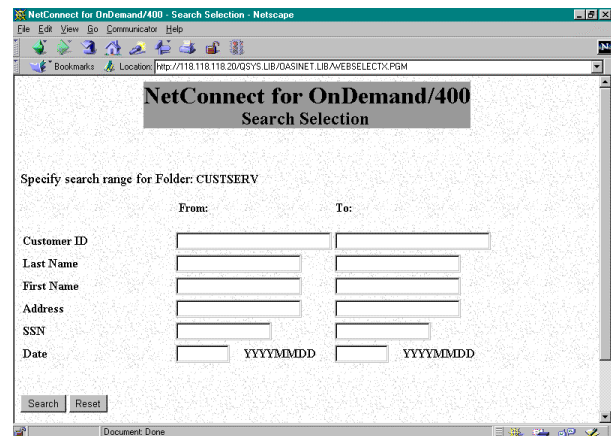
- Effortlessly retrieve from Netscape Navigator/Communicator or Microsoft Internet Explorer web browsers.
- Access all OnDemand/400 objects (spool files, AFP documents, scanned image documents, etc...)
- Enter powerful wildcard search values and flexible search ranges.
- Implement OnDemand for AS/400 security.
- Retrieve from AS/400 DASD or optical.
- Use AFP Viewer plug-in downloadable at no charge from IBM's web site.
- Print to local or LAN-attached printers.
- Fax through local or LAN-attached fax servers.
- Configure other browser plug-ins, as needed.
- Implement user logging of programs/pages.
- Optionally, customize via user exits.

## Optional Offerings

- NetConnect for OnDemand/400 API.
- NetConnect for OnDemand/400 customization services. Optional tailoring of the product's standard HTML pages or search capabilities.
- Intranet/Internet AS/400 implementation services.

## Search Entry Page

Once logged on with an AS/400 user id and password, users select an OnDemand Report or Report Group, and enter their Search criteria. The result is a list of matching COLD or image documents from which users select for retrieval.



The screenshot shows a Netscape browser window titled "NetConnect for OnDemand/400 - Search Selection - Netscape". The address bar shows the URL "http://118.118.20.05/SYS.LIB/DASNET.LIB/AWBSELECTX.PGM". The main content area displays the "NetConnect for OnDemand/400 Search Selection" form. The form is titled "Specify search range for Folder: CUSTSERV" and includes fields for "From:" and "To:" for various attributes: Customer ID, Last Name, First Name, Address, SSN, and Date. The Date fields are formatted as "YYYYMMDD". There are "Search" and "Reset" buttons at the bottom of the form.

## A Net-enabled, Browser Access method for IBM OnDemand for AS/400 Users

With NetConnect for OnDemand/400, customers now have a means to retrieve, view, print, or fax any OnDemand for AS/400 stored object directly from their intranet/internet browser. With AS/400 concurrent access licensing, you have the flexibility of allowing ANY or ALL of your browser users to access OnDemand for AS/400 when they need it. NetConnect for OnDemand/400 provides casual retrieval functionality and real dollar benefits using generally available web browser access.

## IBM OnDemand for AS/400

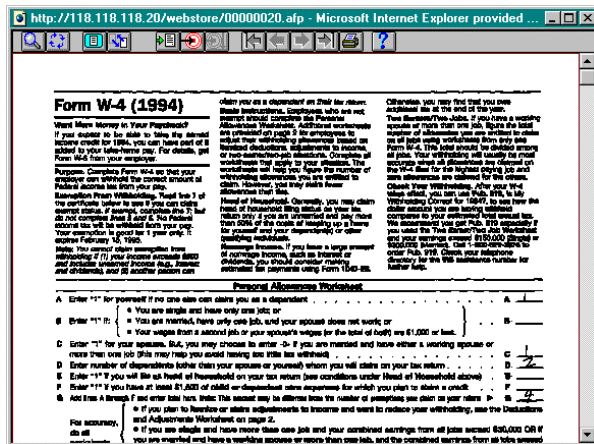
### Online, On budget, and On Demand

OnDemand for AS/400 offers high performance online capture, storage, and retrieval of computer output, making the paper search or microfiche magnifier a thing of the past. The **Spool File Archive** feature offers quick access to individual segments such as invoices or statements within minutes after your applications generate the reports. **AnyStore** turns OnDemand for AS/400 into a data repository, capable of storing any type of object as an OnDemand for AS/400 report segment.

With OnDemand for AS/400, you can find specific information instantly and browse easily without having to go through enormous amounts of data or reams of paper.

## IBM AFP Viewer Plug-in

The AFP Viewer plug-in is available for download from the IBM web site.



## System Requirements

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| Networks                           | Internet or Intranet   |
| PC Operating System                | Windows 95 or Windows NT   |
| Browser software                   | Netscape Navigator 4.0 or later or Netscape Communicator or Microsoft Internet Explorer 4.0 or later |
| Viewer plug-in                     | IBM AFP Viewer plug-in   |
| OS/400                             | OS/400 V3.2, V3R7 or later, with TCP support with HTTP Server active                                 |
| OnDemand/400                       | OnDemand/400 Spool file feature w/ Spool API PTF installed   |
| Supported printers and fax servers | Any Windows supported local or LAN-attached printers or fax servers                                  |

## Optional NetConnect API

For those customers interested in replacing the standard NetConnect for OnDemand/400 HTML web pages with their own Java or HTML interface, OAS Corp. offers a callable AS/400 API that automates the search for and retrieval of specific objects from OnDemand for AS/400.

## Optional Customization Services from OAS Corp.

OAS Corp. professionals can customize NetConnect for OnDemand/400 to meet your unique requirements. The product's standard HTML pages can be tailored to more closely blend with your existing internet or intranet presence. The search function can also be tailored to limit the end user search capability.

## Optional Intranet Installation Services from OAS Corp.

OAS Corp. has the expertise to install and configure the OS/400 and PC components necessary to make your AS/400 an Intranet HTTP Server. With a short on-site services engagement, OAS experts will:

- Install AS/400 TCP Support and PC browser
- Configure AS/400 TCP services and HTTP server
- Install NetConnect for OnDemand/400
- Test browser access to OnDemand for AS/400

## Warranty and Maintenance

NetConnect for OnDemand/400 is warranted against defects in programming and distribution media for 90 days from the date of program shipment. An extended software maintenance program is also available that provides updates and minor upgrades.

## OAS Corp. . A Leader in Net-Enabled Imaging Solution

OAS Corp., founded in 1993, is a leading provider of AS/400, internet, and client/server COLD and imaging solutions. For more information about NetConnect for OnDemand/400, or other OAS Corp. offerings, please visit us at [www.oascorp.com](http://www.oascorp.com) or contact:

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