

Technical Comparison
Fact Sheet

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BizTalk vs. Frends

Technical Feature Comparison

Feature	Frends	BizTalk
Process orchestration	Yes, easy access from web interface. Full BPMN support	Yes. Requires using Visual Studio Pro or higher.
XSLT support for message transformations	1.0 & 2.0	1.0
Low latency Services (50ms)	Yes	Limited capability
Automated version control and Geolovment	Yes	-
Monitoring	Yes, from same Frends user interface	Possible with separate tools, adds costs
Possibility to add custom tasks	Yes, same automated deployment and version control.	Yes, separate development process and version control.
Scaling	High availability from on-premise, cloud and hybrid with the same pricing	High availability from on-oremise
Processing of large files	Yes	Limited or needs custom
API management, API gateway	Yes	External tools
Parametrization	All variables can be parametrized and changed without service breaks	Only in ports. Separate deployment needed for changes
Triggering	Schedule, http(s), REST, File queues, Azure service bus, FTPS, SFTP, FTP, Conditional (custom)	File, FTP, http(s), MSMQ, Logic Apps, MQ Series, SOAP, Pop3, WCF-", Custom

What you get with Frends compared to BizTalk?

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Integration Capabilities	Supports API. file. data. system integrations; hybrid integration with cloud and on-premises system.	Primarily focused on on-premises integration; limited cloud capabilities without extensive customization.
Low-code Development	Extensive low-code environment allows rapid development and deployment.	Requires more traditional development, often necessitating complex coding.
API Management	Full API management suite with lifecycle management, versioning, and API monitoring.	Basic API capabilities requiring additional tools for full management.
Connectivity	Wide range of connectors for different systems and protocols; easy to expand with custom connectors.	Strong in enterprise application integration but lacks native support for modern protocols without custom development.
User Interface	User-friendly web-based UI for development, deployment, one monitoring.	Requires specialized tools like Micual Ctudin and RizTalk Administration console for operations.
Deployment and Operations	Simplified one-click deployment; inbuilt version control and DevOps features.	Deployment and updates can be complex and require detailed planning and execution.
Scalability	Designed to scale easily with cloud-native capabilities; can handle high volumes of transactions efficiently.	Scalability is possible but may require more infrastructure and manual scaling procedures.
Monitoring and Visibility	Advanced monitoring tools with real-time insights and dashboard customization.	Monitoring capabilities are available but can be less intuitive and require more setup.
Security and Compliance	Strong security features with compliance built for EU standards: data masking and tokenization features.	Strong on-premises security but additional measures needed for cloud and compliance, especially for EU standards.
Hyperautomation and AI	Supports hyperautomation; integrates with AI tools for advanced automation scenarios.	Limited native support for AI and hyperautomation; relies on external tools and serviced.
Community and Support	Growing community with responsive support, focused on continuous improvement.	Established community hut dwindling as end-of_life approaches; support to change post-2028
Cost-effectiveness	Transparent pricing with a public price calculator: potential cost savings in TCO.	Costs can escalate, especially with complex deployment and no end-of_life supports costs increase.
Future Proofing	Continuously updated to support the latest technologies and industry trends.	Costs can escalate, especially with complex deployment and no end-of_life supports costs increase.

Calculate your BizTalk migration ROI in minutes

Don't let BizTalk's end of life disrupt your business. Companies relying on BizTalk must start planning their migration now, and modernize their systems. Discover the investment required and potential savings from migrating from Biztalk, and modernize your tech stack.