



Fact Sheet: **BITA REG-9™**

REG-9 Automation: for Bank Trust Portfolios

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REG-9 Compliance: deliver an efficient, demonstrable, and auditable process across all clients.

BITA REG-9 process:

Automated pre- and post-trade
checking of REG-9 Portfolio Rules.

Systematized Administration checks
and alerts.

Automated Initial, Admin and REG-9
Reviews and reporting with diarized
checks and reminders.

Compliance oversight, audit & MI
reports, Advisor insight and alerts.

Overview.

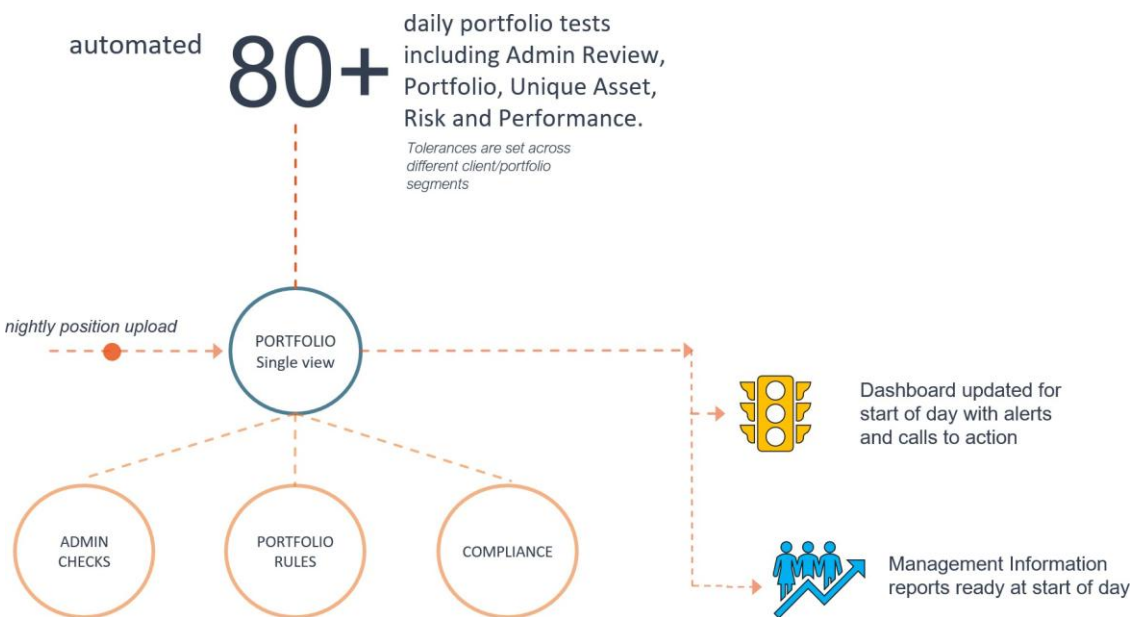
Regulation 9 (REG-9) sets the requirements for banks to operate trust departments as fiduciaries in the United States. It is issued by the OCC (Office of the Comptroller of the Currency) as opposed to most regulations, which are issued by the SEC. Banks are required to review all the assets in a trust portfolio at least once per year to make sure that the assets are consistent with the stated objectives and are appropriate.

BITA REG-9 offers an integrated REG-9 workflow, bringing ‘Portfolio Rules’ and ‘Admin. Checks’ together in one place, driving efficiency and insight. With portfolio rules being checked daily and only exceptions reported, a firm knows where they are compliant, and where there are exceptions, which can then be monitored, reported, documented, and resolved. Better still, the BITA REG-9 exception management process means that the advisor can acknowledge an alert and not have it repeating every day.

In-built checks and balances

REG-9 AUTOMATED COMPLIANCE

BITA REG-9 raises issues when they occur, allowing early resolution and continuous compliance through alerts and exception reporting. Where there is a reason, the exception can be deferred, removing repeat alerts, and setting an audit trail. Users are alerted to reviews due and incomplete data as well as portfolio rule exceptions through the dashboard. Adding performance monitoring and compliance oversight completes the picture.



Post-trade REG-9 rules checks and exception management.

Portfolios are checked nightly, and exceptions reported to the user interactive dashboard. On the dashboard the user can see their own clients and management and compliance can have full oversight of their areas. All actions are started from this point:



The onscreen list of outliers for any rule can be worked through by the user, reviewing each portfolio or account. A “Known Exception” – a valid reason for portfolio drift - can be applied to for a defined period, recorded through the fully auditable approval process. Alternatively, the portfolio modelling page can help managers bring the portfolio back into line.



BITA REG-9 supports a full set of REG-9 Portfolio Rules and Admin Checks plus performance, risk, and yield. The portfolio modelling enables insight into risk metrics and the impact of changes to the portfolio, all in the context of the overall rules.

REG-9 review reports.

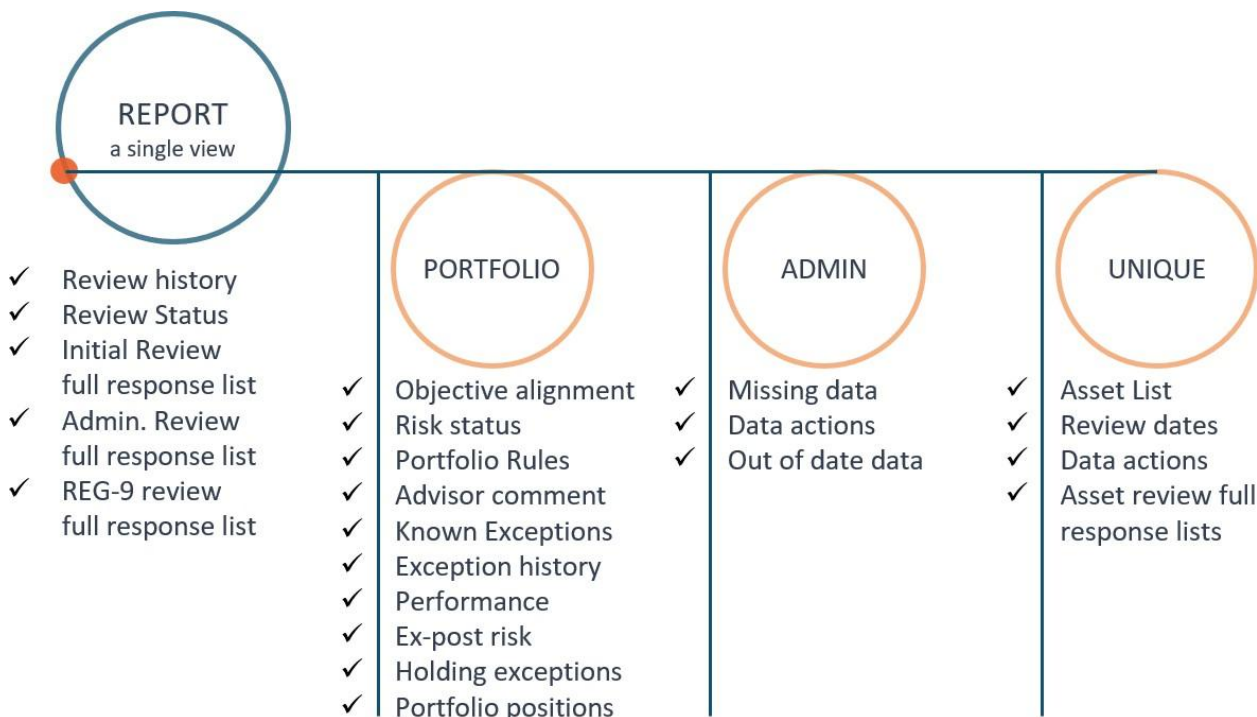
BITA REG-9 automates each of the review reports. With automated daily checks, exceptions resolved, and approvals recorded, when the review report is run the data is already there, with documented approvals for any exceptions.

Annual reports are diarized with alerts on the dashboard for those due shortly or overdue. The report brings together the current portfolio with full analysis, plus REG-9 rule and Admin checks and statements regarding any new or ongoing exceptions from the monitoring process. Unique Assets also form part of this process, ensuring complete coverage.

Compliance can see daily the outstanding reports and review points, with oversight across the entire company. A user can run a report at any point in time to check the client / portfolio / account status, and at review time, submit it for formal approval and sign off through the system.

Report components

A single view of all points



Optional

PRE-TRADE REG-9 RULE CHECKS

All the rules can be checked pre-trade through the portfolio modelling screen. Dials, charts and thermometers visualize all the key check metrics, setting them against their permitted ranges, giving the manager a rapid overview of the impact of any trade before it is sent for execution. (See the BITA Wealth Portfolio Analytics™ Factsheet for more information).

Optional

IPS AND MANDATE GENERATION

Generally, BITA REG-9 will receive information for REG-9 automation on portfolio mandate/IPS from the firm's CRM or client management system. If a firm does not have a digital mandate system, or captures limited data electronically, BITA REG-9 can provide data augmentation or a full profiling solution as needed.

Mix & Match

Adapted to your needs, BITA REG-9 functions can be used independently depending on requirements and integrated with your book of records.

ADVANTAGES

Ensure continuous compliance with automated rule checking.

Central oversight & control: monitor exception across all portfolios.

Auditable approval workflow.

Pre & Post Trade checks for better exception management.

Efficiency across teams: managers & compliance share the same source of data.

Central Business Intelligence.

Diarized report production.



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