ContentSpan™ 3.0 Content Management System
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Design Trust's *ContentSpan* Content Management System enables non-technical site administrators and editors to manage and publish dynamic content on the Internet. Its access control feature enables site managers to control user functions and manage the site maintenance process. An easy-to-learn, WYSIWYG, browser-based interface allows editors at multiple locations to update site content.

ContentSpan is ideal for companies with global communications standards, geographically dispersed operations, or multiple content owners. It is especially well-suited to companies utilizing database architecture.

ContentSpan will deliver immediate ROI to your company by direct cost savings through reduced site management and content update costs, and indirect cost savings through increased operating efficiency and content integrity.

Features

Management
- Access control with multiple permission levels
- Flexible, business process-based workflow
- Document rollback and archiving
- Site personalization
- Multiple site management

Editing
- Browser-based WYSIWYG editing
- On-screen help
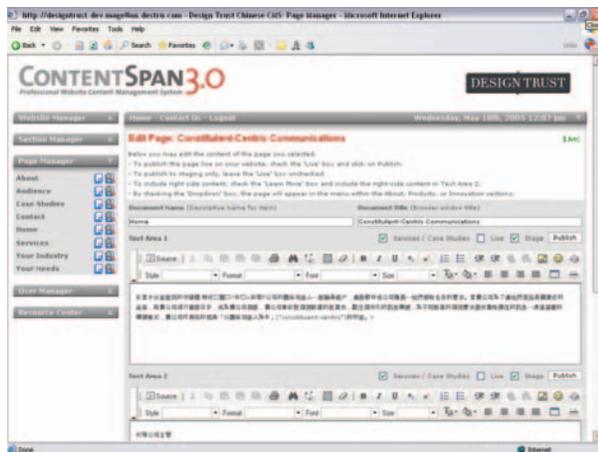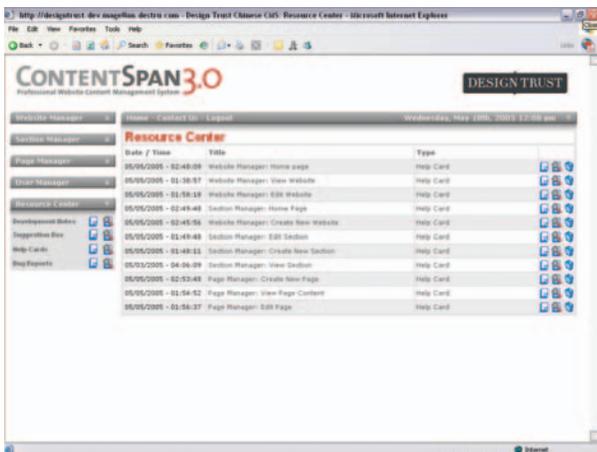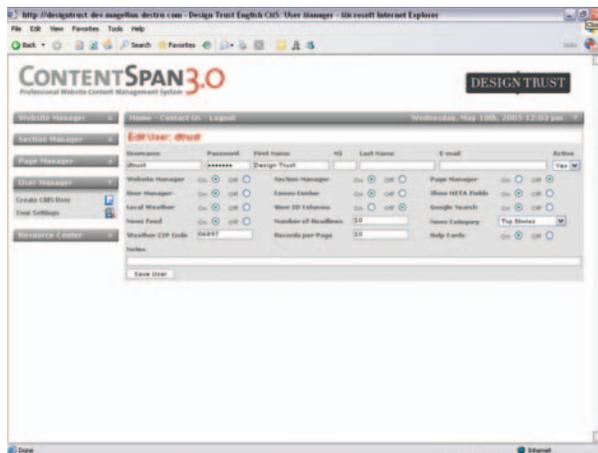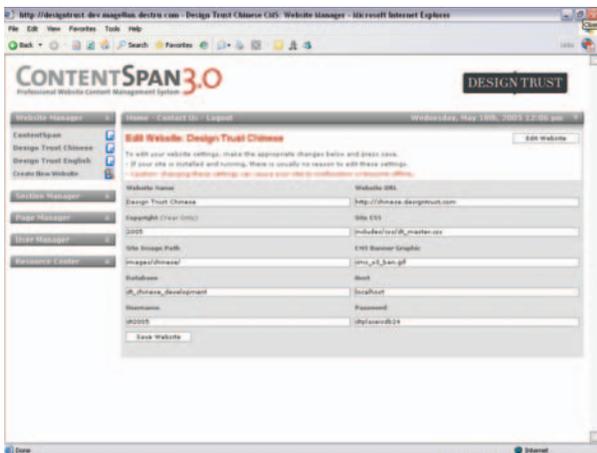- Page previews
- Meta tagging
- Multiple language-ready

Clockwise from top left:

Website Management –
Manage multiple sites
(e.g., multi-language)

User Management –
Access control; settings

WYSIWYG Editor –
User-friendly, non-technical

Resource Center –
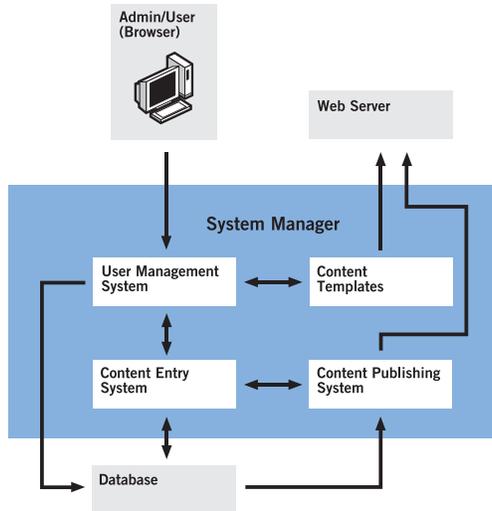*Help, documentation, assets*

"We researched available content management solutions and concluded that ContentSpan represented superior capabilities and value."
— **Web Development Consultant**

System Architecture

ContentSpan is written in PHP language and runs on Linux- or Windows-based webservers. *ContentSpan* stores its configuration data and documents on a SQL database such as MySQL, Oracle, PostGreSQL or SQL Server.

ContentSpan typically provides two types of service:

1. **Content Management**
   User-, document- and file management. *ContentSpan*'s WYSIWYG editor enables non-technical users to easily manage site content.

2. **Content Distribution**
   In this role, *ContentSpan* serves site content stored utilizing user-defined templates.

ContentSpan components:
- Website Management System
- User Management System
- Content Template, Entry and Publishing System
- Resource Center

ContentSpan System Architecture

Technical Specifications

- Infinitely scalable, modular architecture
- Architecture enables functional expansion
- Database or static content management
- Support for multiple databases (MySQL default)

Server System Requirements

- Operating system: Linux / Unix / Windows
- Disk space: 2MB + site requirement
- Webserver: Apache, PHP
- Databases: MySQL, Oracle, SQL Server, PostGreSQL

Client System Requirements

- Operating systems: Windows 2000/XP
- Browser: Internet Explorer 6.0 or higher

For More Information

ContentSpan can be deployed in under 30 days, enabling your company to realize the benefits of online content management almost immediately.

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