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Heimstaden

Scaling Enterprise Systems with No-Code

How Heimstaden Leverages Xano.com, a no-code backend for their entire Property Management System



Xano, a leading provider of scalable, secure, and compliant backend solutions, has been instrumental in powering enterprise-level systems across various industries.

One such enterprise is Heimstaden, leading European residential real estate investor and property manager.

Heimstaden manages a portfolio of 161, 000 friendly homes, serving 250,000 customers, across 10 countries, necessitating a robust and efficient system to handle its complex operations.



Challenge

Aleksander Hakestad, Head of Technology at Heimstaden, succinctly expressed the challenge:



“Previously, the only way to grow innovation and rate of development was to grow the team, which would then grow expenses and overhead.

Not only that, engineers are hard to come by, and we needed a solution where we could do more with less.

In addition, we wanted to enable more of our staff to take part of developing within our entire tech stack and Xano quickly became the standard of achieving this.”

Moreover, traditional no-code tools, while offering some degree of ease and flexibility, often fell short of meeting the stringent security and scalability requirements of an enterprise like Heimstaden.

The company needed a solution that could not only simplify backend development but also meet the high standards of enterprise-level operations.

Solution

Xano provided the perfect solution for Heimstaden's challenges. Deployed on Heimstaden's own cloud infrastructure, Xano offered a way to meet Heimstaden's custom policies around log management, backups, and access control, ensuring a secure and compliant environment.

Xano's scalability was put to the test as it successfully managed high traffic volumes, powering the full property management life-cycle for 30,000 apartments in Germany alone, and handling millions of euros in transactions each month.

But Xano's benefits extended beyond just scalability and security. The platform also served as a common language between product owners and engineers.

Unlike traditional backend development, Xano's user-friendly interface allowed product owners to understand and contribute to the system's design, fostering better communication and faster time to market.



Results



The implementation of Xano had a transformative impact on Heimstaden's operations. Not only was the platform able to handle the high traffic and transaction volumes, but it also improved internal communication and operational efficiency. Moreover, Xano provided significant cost savings.

By replacing the need for at least seven full-time backend engineers, each costing between 175,000 – 200,000 euros a year, Heimstaden was able to redirect those funds toward other strategic initiatives while still building things faster than ever.

The rate of development and throughput of the team has also increased by 10x compared to earlier technology implementations, and with more people being able to contribute you have a better overall understanding of the inner workings of our platform.

Rodin Lie, CTO at Heimstaden, reflecting on their experience with Xano, stated



“Xano allows us to re-think how technology is built in an enterprise setting.”

Conclusion

Heimstaden's experience with Xano underscores the no-code platform's ability to scale and power enterprise-level systems. By providing a scalable, secure, and user-friendly solution, Xano has helped Heimstaden streamline its operations, improve internal communication, and achieve significant cost savings.

To learn more about how Xano can transform your business operations, visit www.xano.com.

Discover how our scalable, secure, and compliant backend solutions can power your enterprise-level systems.