IMPACT OF ENTERPRISE RESOURCE PLANNING ERP ON ACCOUNTING INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND FINANCIAL CONTROL

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The objectives of this study are to examine the activities of AIS through ERP, assessing compliance with financial regulations, and understanding financial control facilitated by ERP. Using a field study approach, the research investigates the different states of ERP systems and their impact on organizational operations. The significance of this research underscores the evolution of accounting and its integration with computerized systems over the past sixty years, leading to the development of accounting software accessible to a broader audience. However, previous literature has largely focused on the relationship between ERP and AIS, often overlooking the impact of ERP on organizational financial control. As per the method of this study primary data were collected by field survey and theses are analyzed by simple software tool like MS Excel. Results reveal a complex landscape of attitudes toward ERP systems. While there is widespread agreement on the positive impact of ERP on decision support and automated accounting processes, opinions are divided on other aspects such as data consistency, real-time access to financial data, and financial controls. Specialized ERP components for financial data, sourced from various business operations, streamline processes, reduce redundancy, and increase data accuracy, ultimately supporting informed financial decisions and regulatory compliance. Key findings include divided opinions on data duplicity elimination, real-time access to financial data, and the enhancement of financial controls. There is strong consensus on the automation and streamlining of accounting processes and the benefits of ERP for decision-making support. Conclusion reveals that clear communication, customization, data integrity, transparent reporting, balanced automation, regulatory alignment, and user training to navigate the complexities of ERP opinions. By addressing these considerations, organizations can ensure successful ERP adoption and integration, thereby enhancing their operational efficiency and financial control.

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