# Workflows, Projects and Contracts: A Journey to Maximo Efficiency



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### A Brief Summary

- A Condensed History of Maximo at UWA
- Introduction of a Project Management System
- Decision to make Maximo fulfil the role
- Custom Application Design and Build
- Contracts Application also Created
- Upgrade to Version 7.1.1.6
- Custom Applications Dropped in Favour of Maximo Vanilla Applications
- The Introduction of Workflows



#### Maximo at UWA

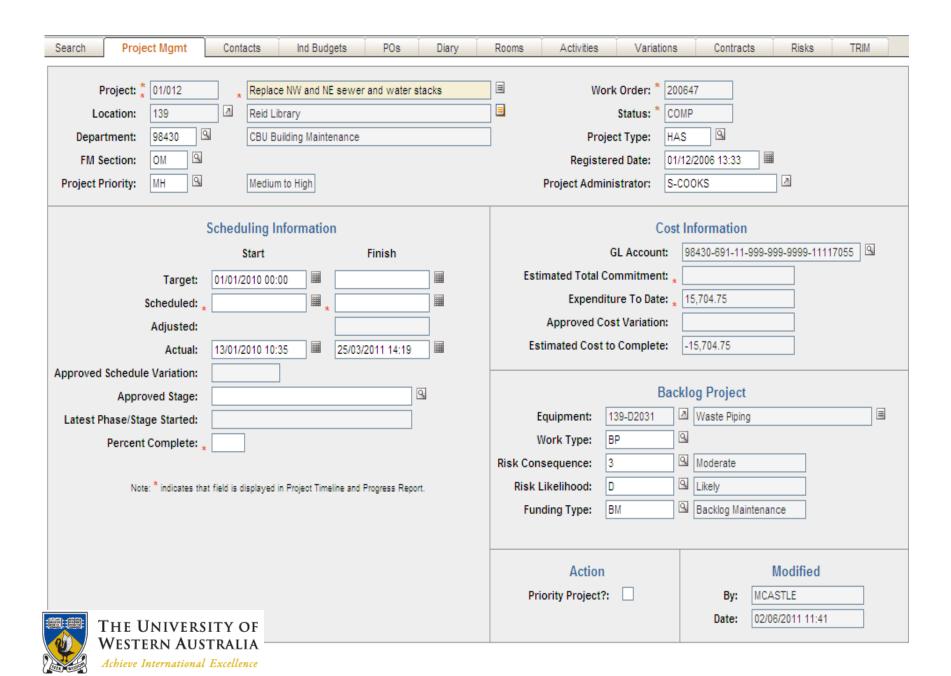
- Maximo, version 4.0.1, was initially implemented in 1999
- Minimal customisations, mainly screen layouts
- WO Tracking, Labour Reporting, Purchasing, Inventory
- Interface built to PeopleSoft
- Preventative Maintenance introduced after a few months



### Upgrade to 5.2

- The first Web Based version we adopted was
   5.2
- Project Management System was required
- Maximo was being used by one Manager
- System designed and built in house
- Maximo was considered capable of delivering a satisfactory system
- Customisation of Work Order Tracking with new application





### Lack of User Acceptance

- Project Management system too complicated
- Lack of user buy in
- Minimum amount of data stored to satisfy financial requirements
- Reports not used to maximise efficiency of system
- New application tolerated but not embraced



### Contract Register Application

- Custom application designed in Maximo 4.1
- Used for storing data relating to major contracts
- No links to any other table in Maximo
- Re-designed in version 5.2
- Extra capacity for storing more information
- More reports created to help manage Contracts
- Links to the Project Management System



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#### Upgrade to Maximo 7.1.1.6

- Upgrade of Maximo version 7.1 was commenced in March 2010
- Business procedures defined and documented
- Project Management and Contract systems reviewed
- Service Desk application reviewed
- Workflows considered and tested



# Project Management System Dropped

- The custom application for Project Management was dropped for the upgrade to 7.1
- All Project data was in the Work Order table
- Work Order Tracking screen was customised
- Using the flexibility of the new Maximo Application Designer made the job easier



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# Projects in Work Order Tracking

- The top level of the Project hierarchy has the Project master WO checked
- This allows for the entry of Project related information
- The Project number is the Master WO Number with a year prefix
- The Project number is applied to all Work Orders associated with the Project



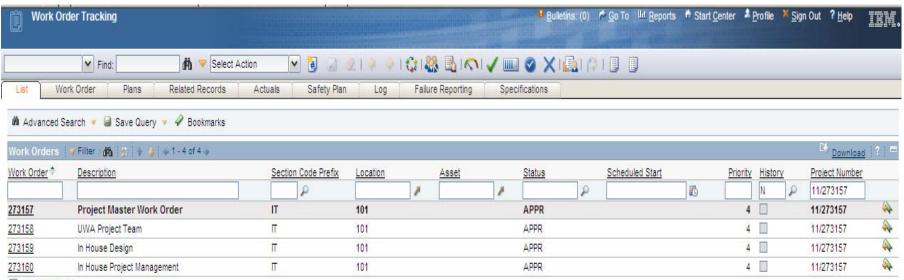
#### Preventative Maintenance Template

- Templates have been created in Preventative Maintenance to provide a Project Template
- This creates a standard Hierarchy of Work Orders
- Details are entered as necessary
- Unnecessary Work Orders are Cancelled
- Project Number entered on every Work Order



Master WO	Project Management Header	[695]
Level 1	☐ UWA Project Team	[695]
	In House Design	[695]
Level 2	In House Project Management	[695]
Level 1	External Project Team	[695]
	External Architect	[695]
	External Project Management	[695]
Level 2	☐ Quantity Surveyor	[695]
	☐ Civil & Structural Engineers	[695]
	☐ Mechanical Engineer & ESD	[695]
Level 1	☐ Construction	[695]
	☐ Preliminary Works & Construction (Head Contract)	[695]
Level 2	☐ UWA Direct Costs Including Signage	[695]
	Grounds	[695]
	☐ Building Operations (Central Plant)	[695]
Level 3	☐ Security	[695]
	☐ Building Services	[695]
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	Contract Works Insurance	[695]
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### Purchase Contract Application

- Purchase Contracts closest application to our old Contract Register
- Data imported from our old application
- Application kept as vanilla as possible
- Bank Guarantees added to new Tab and increased to three
- Improved efficiency because POs can be raised from the Contract



#### Without Work Flows

- Didn't have Work Flows implemented in earlier versions
- Emails to inform Clients were set up by schedule and only sent twice a day
- Reliant on emails or phone calls for actions on Maximo records
- Supervisors reliant on Saved Queries for scheduling work



# Work Flows Implemented in 7.1

- Work Flows created during the upgrade
- Work Flow creation easy and very flexible
- Supervisors have their assignments in their Start Centres
- Clients are notified by email immediately there is a status change
- Authorised users see pending records on log in



### Improved Efficiency

- Work Flows have reduced the need to chase people for authorisation of records
- Escalations allow for absent staff
- Pending records are displayed in personal Start Centres
- Records can be assigned to individuals or groups



#### Procurement Process

- UWA are undergoing a transformation of procurement processes
- Purchase Requisitions used instead of POs
- Work Flows assist in the processing path of the whole process
- Can be applied to all applications in Maximo



#### In Conclusion

- UWA upgraded to version 7.1.1.6 in 2010/11
- In house Contract app dropped in favour of Maximo Purchase Contracts
- In house Project Management app dropped in favour of using Work Orders
- Work Flows created to assist with processing records and to improve efficiency of approval processes



# Questions

