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Business and IT alignment through effective Project & Program Portfolio Management

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Benefits we will see today

- **Centralised** project status **repository**
- Provide visibility to business priorities, business value of scope/requirements, business value and performance of projects
- Automate the workflow of projects through the pipeline
- Automate the pipeline prioritisation process and focus on high-value projects
- Enable business leaders to understand value of project scope and impacts on other projects when planning project pipeline/roadmap
- Provide support to **re-evaluate project priorities** in the light of a changed business environment
- Reduce time to market
- Identify requirements that need resources but don't generate any customer or market value
- Provides a mechanism to capture requirements much earlier in the process



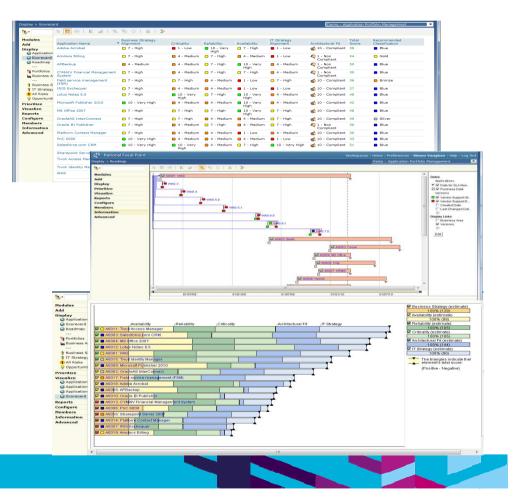


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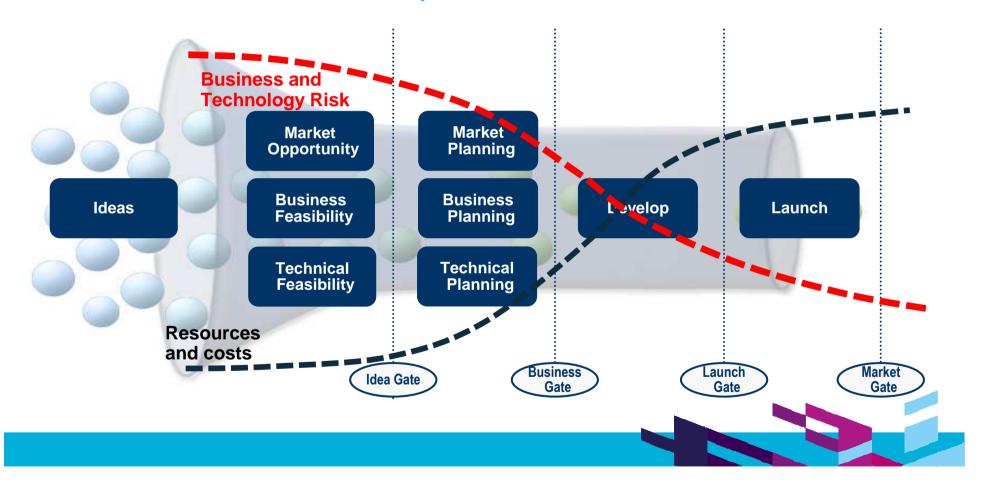
What is the Rational Solution?

- Unique, web based visual data management that automates, improves and supports:
 - Product Management
 - Product Portfolio Management
 - IT Project Portfolio Management
- A collaboration platform where all users see the "single truth" and the business has clear visibility of the "road ahead".
- Provides built-in decision and business scenario analysis support.
- Is adapted to your process, methods and workflow not the other way around.
- User friendly,100% web-based platform design to be used by business people

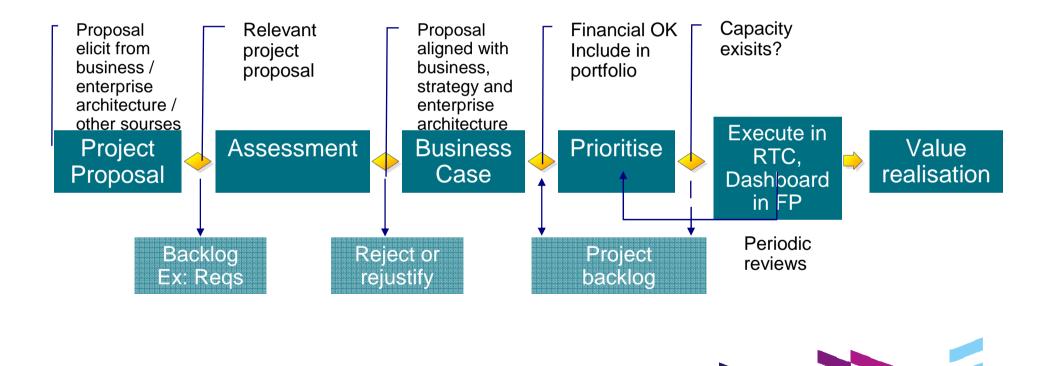


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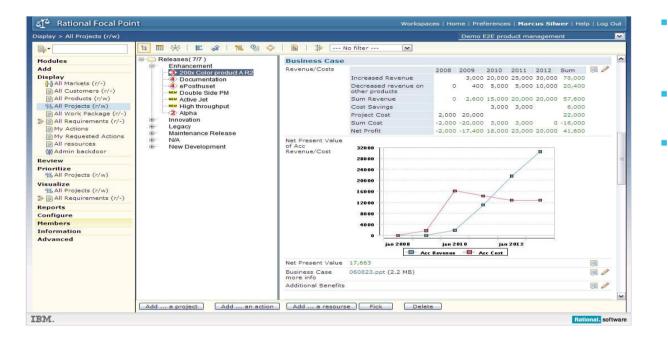
A Process for Project Portfolio Management



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Repository for Project Portfolio information



- Escape chaos of spreadsheets, documents and emails
- Standardise submission of new project requests
- Easily answer questions like:
 - what projects are running?
 - what new projects are being requested?
 - who is asking for them and why?



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Dashboards - Focal Point – Executive Overview

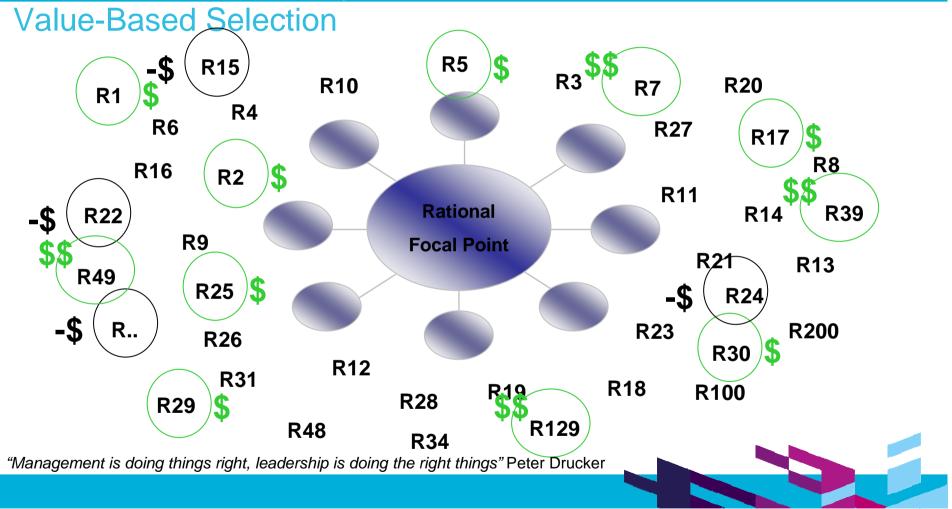




See it in action







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How do you make decisions today?

There are basically 2 approaches to decision making:

- ad-hoc, informal, intuitive reactions to immediate or relatively short term conditions – or,
- calculated, formal decisions based on on critical business issues such as market size, competitive landscape, time to market and customer value.

What separates tomorrow's winners from losers is a superior decision-making capability that lets them navigate swiftly through features, release time, and resources to deliver surpassing customer value.



We humans have limitations when it comes to decision-making

- Humans are good at comparing two alternatives according to one criterion
 - Which one is cheapest? The apple or the orange?
 - Which one is more nutritious?
 - Which one is simpler to peel?
 - Which one goes best with icecream?
- But we have trouble dealing with all criteria at the same time
 - Which one is best? Apple or orange?
- And when we have more than two alternatives it gets worse
 - Rank: Apple, banana, orange, carrot, pear, pine...
- Not to mention if they have dependencies
 - You can only get an apple if you have eaten your potatoes.
 - You can have a carrot even if you didn't eat your potatoes.
- Or if there is more than one opinion
 - We'll only serve one of the fruits/vegetables to all of you.



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The basis: pairwise comparison

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Example of evaluation criteria



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Title	Technical Risk
Description	Probability of a successful launch of the pro quality, against specification, in time, again expected price and cost).
	Probability Technical Success (PTS) is deter three factors: - Cost price - Time to market - Technical Performance risk
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Question	Which Implementation proposal has higher technical success?
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Include	Yes



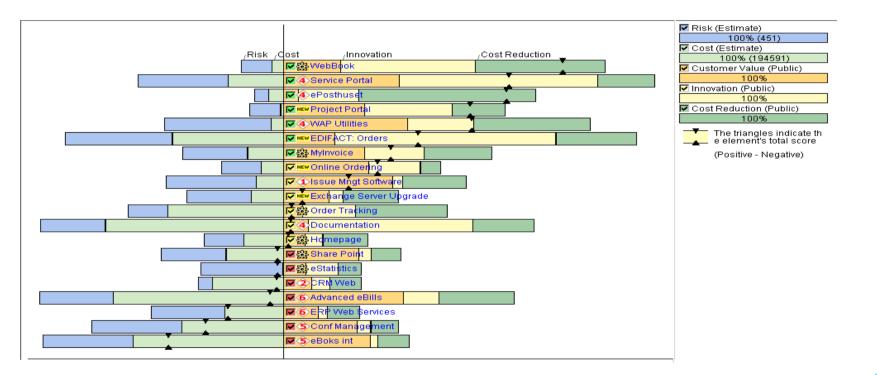


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View the Results







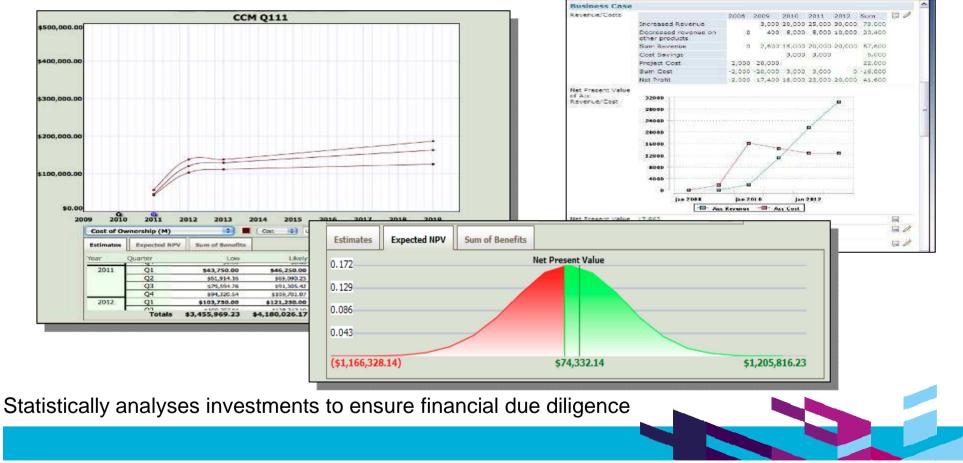
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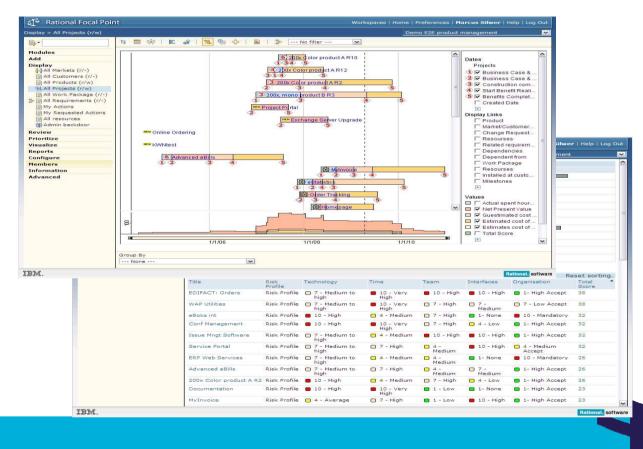
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Financial Risk Assessment



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Monitor & Review Portfolio



- Produce real-time portfolio status overviews
 - Reduces need for reporting
- Reprioritise or cancel failing projects sooner to reduce waste
- Maximize the business value of the portfolio in relation to IT costs

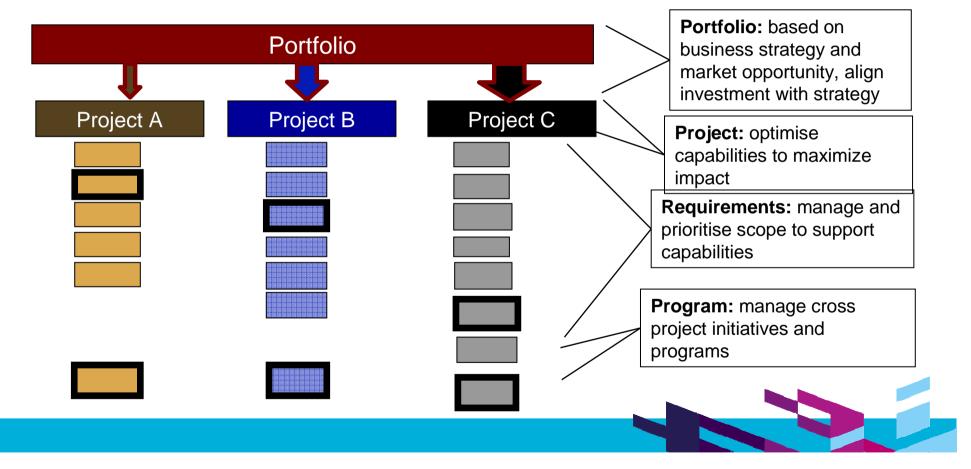


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All The Pieces Are Critical



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Rational Team Concert integration

- Use Focal Point to define release content and Rational Team Concert to support development
 - Create work items in RTC from Focal Point
 - Link to existing work items in RTC from Focal Point
 - Use Rich Hover links to explore RTC data directly in Focal Point
 - Rollup and display RTC data in Focal Point attributes (Integer, Float, Text)

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