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Aligning IT with Business Goals Through SOA

## SOA in an Enterprise Architecture

An Overview for the Enterprise Architect





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## Innovation that Matters To CEOs

- Due to competitive and market forces, CEOs plan to radically change their companies in the next 2 years.
- Top Innovation Priorities
  - Extend the ability to collaborate inside and outside
  - Innovate business models and processes
  - Leverage information for business optimization



Source: IBM Global CEO Survey, March 2006

### The Goal: Strategic Flexibility Through Innovation





#### CIOs and CTOs Recognize Innovation as the Most Important Capability for Growth



Yet: Only 1 in 10 CEOs believe their organization has the ability to be very responsive to changing market conditions





#### Cold, hard realities ...



CIOs and CTOs must deal with tight budgets, with an average of only 20% - 30% of the budget available for new capability development.





#### SOA enables IT to innovate for the business





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## SOA enables innovation through a shift in IT

From:	To:
Function-oriented	Process-oriented
Build for permanence	Build to change
One long development cycle	Incremental development cycles
Tightly coupled	Loosely coupled
Application silos	Orchestrated solutions that work together
Structure applications using components and objects	Structure applications using services
Known implementation	Implementation abstraction





### Companies are using SOA today for real business value

#### A recent IBM Institute for Business Value study of SOA engagements found:

- 97% justified SOA projects based on cost savings & impact to profitability
  - 100% realized improved flexibility
    - 71% reduced risk
  - 51% experienced increased revenue

Source: IBM Global Services analysis of 35 SOA implementations - 2006





#### Why SOA Now? "SOA is the next-wave architecture to drive the evolution of IT."

**Alex Cullen** 

Principal Analyst for IT Management, Forrester Research

- Standards have been widely adopted
- Software is mature and available
- Governance is well-defined
- Best practices are in place







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## The SOA Lifecycle





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#### Service Oriented Architecture Different Things to Different People

	Roles
Capabilities that a business wants to expose as a <b>set of services</b> to clients and partner organizations	Business
An <i>architectural style</i> that requires a service provider, requestor and a service description. It addresses characteristics such as loose coupling, reuse and simple and composite implementations	Architecture
A <i>programming model</i> complete with standards, tools, methods and technologies such as Web services	Implementation
A set of agreements among service requestors and service providers that specify the quality of service and identify key business and IT metrics	Operations

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#### SOA and Enterprise Architecture: A Common Goal







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#### SOA: The Focus of the Enterprise Architect



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# SOA Reference Architecture Providing a comprehensive model

- SOA Roadmap
- SOA Governance







#### IT's Architectural Evolution: Making IT More Responsive





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#### SOA: The Next Step on the Connectivity Evolution



Increasing Modularity to Achieve Flexibility



## SOA Reference Architecture

Supporting the SOA Lifecycle





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## SOA Solution Layering

Leveraging the SOA Reference Architecture



Atomic Service Composite Service Registry

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#### A New Programming Model Supporting the SOA Abstraction Layering







## **SOA Programming Model Aspects**

#### Design

- Focus on business design modeling, simplification, and role-based collaboration
- Use of declarative policy to control execution behavior and relationships

#### Invocation

 Loosely-coupled call-style and event-driven interconnection of services with built-in support for topology transparency, mediation, and brokering featuring standards-based interoperability

#### User Interaction

- Dynamic support for people integration into the business design

#### Composition of Business-level Applications

Wired assembly of services to form business-level applications, workflows, and business orchestration

#### Information

Built-in access to service state, disconnected service-data exchange, information composition and transformation

## Business Components Composable and reusable services





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#### **Business Driven Development**

An Iterative, Business-focused Development Process





## Separation of Concerns

The SOA Reference Architecture in Action



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## SOA is Based on an Open Platform and Open Standards





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## The SOA Reference Architecture and its Key Principles

Providing IT Flexibility to Meet the Demands of Business

- Linkage between business and IT through support of the entire SOA Lifecycle
- Connectivity and Service Isolation through the Enterprise Service Bus
- Separation of Concerns/Modularity for incremental adoption
- Component-based Programming and Solution Development
- Business and IT Monitoring and Management
- Open Standards







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- SOA Reference Architecture
- SOA Roadmap
  - Relating business and IT objectives
- SOA Governance







## SOA Roadmap: A Plan for Adopting SOA

#### **SOA Goal**

 Market return through transformation: quicker time to production, lower costs, competitive differentiation



#### **Two Primary Roadmap Perspectives**

Strategic Vision

Business and IT statement of direction which can be used as a guideline for decision making, organizational buy-in, standards adoption

#### Project Plans

Implementation projects to meet immediate needs of the current business drivers





#### **Roadmaps: Building Plans In Context**





#### Service Integration Maturity Model (SIMM)

	Silo	Integrated	Componentized	Services	Composite Services	Virtualized Services	Dynamically Re-Configurable Services
Business View	Function Oriented	Function Oriented	Function Oriented	Service Oriented	Service Oriented	Service Oriented	Service Oriented
Organization	Ad hoc IT Governance	Ad hoc IT Governance	Ad hoc IT Governance	Emerging SOA Governance	SOA and IT Governance Alignment	SOA and IT Governance Alignment	SOA and IT Governance Alignment
Methods	Structured Analysis & Design	Object Oriented Modeling	Component Based Development	Service Oriented Modeling	Service Oriented Modeling	Service Oriented Modeling	Grammar Oriented Modeling
Applications	Modules	Objects	Components	Services	Process Integration via Services	Process Integration via Services	Dynamic Application Assembly
Architecture	Monolithic Architecture	Layered Architecture	Component Architecture	Emerging SOA	SOA	Grid Enabled SOA	Dynamically Re- Configurable Architecture
Infrastructure	Platform Specific	Platform Specific	Platform Specific	Platform Specific	Platform Specific	Platform Neutral	Dynamic Sense & Respond
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6	Level 7



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### **SOA Adoption Considerations**

- Business Drivers
  - Time to market
  - Reduce costs
  - Increase revenue
  - Reduce risk and exposure
- Organizational readiness
  - Executive support and sponsorship
  - Skills
- Current architecture and environments
  - Build and Runtime
  - Degree of heterogeneity
- Operational readiness
  - Ability to monitor and manage current operations
  - Integration of monitoring functions into production environments





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- SOA Reference Architecture
- SOA Roadmap
- SOA Governance
  - Executing for success







#### What is Governance?

SOA Governance is a catalyst for improving overall IT Governance

#### **IT Governance**

Establishing decision making rights associated with IT

Establishing mechanisms and policies used to measure and control the way IT decisions are made and carried out

#### **SOA Governance**

Extension of IT governance focused on the **lifecycle of services** to ensure the business value of SOA







### Why SOA Governance Matters

## SOA Governance empowers teams to innovate

- Realize business benefits of SOA
  - Business process flexibility
  - Improved time to market
- Mitigate business risk and regain control
  - Maintaining quality of service
  - Ensuring consistency of service
- Improved team effectiveness
  - Measuring the right things
  - Communicating clearly between business and IT





### **SOA Governance Lifecycle**

#### Plan the Governance Need

- Document and validate business strategy for SOA and IT
- Assess current IT and SOA capabilities
- Define/Refine SOA vision and strategy
- Review current Governance capabilities and arrangements \
- Layout governance plan

#### **Define the Governance Approach**

- Define/modify governance processes
- Design policies and enforcement mechanisms
- Identify success factors, metrics

Enable

- Identify owners and funding model
- Charter/refine SOA Center of Excellence
- Design governance IT infrastructure

## Monitor and Manage / the Governance Processes

- Monitor compliance with policies
- Monitor compliance with governance arrangements

Plan

nefine

Governance and Best Practices

Measure

Monitor IT effectiveness metrics

#### Enable the Governance Model Incrementally

- Deploy governance mechanisms
- Deploy governance IT infrastructure
- Educate and deploy on expected behaviors and practices
- Deploy policies

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# SOA Governance can be tailored to the scope of the SOA initiatives in the organization

SOA Implementation Approaches						
	Organization	Process	Funding			
<b>Enterprise Level</b> SOA a strategic initiative for application development and integration at an Enterprise Level	Enterprise Control - Virtual or dedicated roles	IT Industry Architecture governance maturity	Shared costs of Charge-back structure			
<b>Line of business (LoB) level</b> or across a set of related projects	LoB/IT coordination	Business driven services scope	IT budget allocated and funded by LoB			
<b>Single project</b> <i>implementation at IT group level</i> <i>"Testing the waters" … Gradual</i> <i>adoption approach</i>	IT Centric	Leverage existing IT development processes	Embedded in project budget			



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#### Summary





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#### Analysts Position IBM in the Lead

"...IBM is the leader in the development of SOA intellectual property.... with firmwide SOA investment of \$1 billion, IBM will leverage cutting-edge R&D, leading to quicker SOA value and reusable SOA assets for clients."

> The Forrester Wave™: North American SOA Integration, Q3 2006, September 2006



Source: WinterGreen Research, 2006

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IBM owns 37 percent of the \$8.5B application and middleware market, well ahead of its next closest competitor.\*

\* Source: "Market Share: AIM and Portal Software, Worldwide, 2005" by Joanne Correia (June 2006)





#### Lessons Learned Based on Customers' Experiences

- SOA is a team sport
  - Business Team and IT Team work hand-in-hand
- SOA Foundation is critical
  - Establish an enterprise architecture & infrastructure, based upon SOA principles
- Roadmap planning and project-based execution enable evolutionary change
  - Avoid the "Big Bang" approach
- Governance is a must for success









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