

Unleashing Business Innovation with Integrated Service Management

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Presentation Agenda

- An overview of ITIL 2011 (otherwise known as ITIL 3.1)
- An overview of an Integrated Service Management framework





An Overview of ITIL 2011

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A significant amount of content in this section of the presentation is obtained from publicly available documents on the OGC ITIL web-site (particularly "ITIL 2011 – Summary of Updates"):

http://www.best-management-practice.com/IT-Service-Management-ITIL/





About ITIL 2011

- Released on 29 July 2011 as a refinement and clarification of ITIL v3
- ITIL 2011 is an update, not a new version. The updates to the publications are designed to:
 - Resolve any errors or inconsistencies in the text and diagrams, both in content and presentation.
 - Improve the publications by addressing issues raised in the Change Control Log.
 These are largely to do with clarity, consistency, correctness and completeness.
 - Address suggestions for change made by the training community to make ITIL easier to teach.
 - Review the Service Strategy publication to ensure that the concepts are explained in the clearest, most concise and accessible way possible. There is no notion of simplifying the concepts; rather, improving the exposition of the ideas.



Global Changes

- The updated ITIL publications share a similar standard structure (including a standard structure for chapters), to improve consistency and aid navigation.
- Some content has been reorganized to improve flow and readability, and ensure alignment across the suite – including clarification around interfaces, and inputs and outputs across the service lifecycle.
- Terminology has been clarified and made consistent across the publications and the ITIL glossary (there is an updated glossary which is free for download).





The ITIL 2011 Processes

Service Strategy	Service Design	Service Transition	Service Operation	Continual Service Improvement
Strategy mgmt for IT services	Design coordination	Transition planning & support	Event mgmt	7 Step Improvement process incorporating the PDCA cycle
Service portfolio	Service catalogue		Incident mgmt	
mgmt	mgmt	Change mgmt	Request	
Financial mgmt for IT services	Service level mgmt	Service asset & configuration mgmt	Problem mgmt	
Demand mgmt	Availability mgmt	Release & deployment mgmt	Access mgmt	
Business relationship mgmt	Capacity mgmt			
	IT service continuity mgmt	Service validation & testing		
	Information security mgmt	Change evaluation		
	Supplier mgmt	Knowledge mgmt		

Significant changes / new process



Service Strategy

- ITIL Service Strategy provides guidance on the importance for all organizations of a well-defined business strategy, underpinned by an effective IT strategy.
- The processes within service strategy have now been more clearly named and defined:
 - The newly defined process of strategy management for IT services is responsible for developing and maintaining business and IT strategies, and there are now separate descriptions of business strategy and IT strategy.
 - Financial management has been expanded to include some of the key elements included in the earlier ITIL publications such as accounting, budgeting and charging.
 - Business relationship management and demand management are now covered as processes.
- More detail has been included regarding governance, the difference between governance and management, a governance framework, and how service management relates to governance
- Some coverage has been added on how IT service management is impacted by the prevalence of cloud computing and a new appendix has been added specifically covering service strategy and the cloud





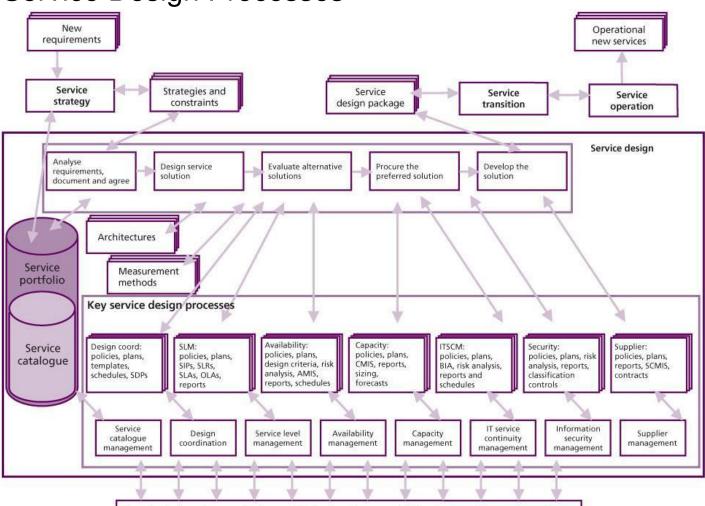
Service Design

- ITIL Service Design provides guidance for the design of appropriate and innovative IT services to meet current and future agreed business requirements.
- A number of concepts and principles have been clarified,
 - The flow and management of activity throughout the overall service design stage with the addition of the "design coordination" process.
 - Clarification of the five aspects of service design
 - Clearer description of the transition of a service from pipeline to catalogue to retired
 - The service catalogue language has been revised with regard to the customer's view of the service catalogue, versus the technical or IT view.





The Service Design Processes



Process inputs from other areas including: event, incident, problem, request fulfilment, access, change, service asset and configuration, knowledge, release and deployment, financial, service portfolio, demand, business relationship and strategy





Service Transition

- The main focus of ITIL Service Transition is on the introduction of new and changed services. However the scope also includes transition of service provider capabilities, technology and management architectures, processes, and measurement methods and metrics.
 - The structure, content and relationships of the configuration management system (CMS) and service knowledge management system (SKMS) have been clarified
 - There is new content explaining how a change proposal should be used.
 - The evaluation process has been renamed 'change evaluation' and the purpose and scope have been modified to help clarify when and how this process should be used.
 - The service asset and configuration management process has additional content relating to asset management
 - There are improvements in the flow and integration of a number of processes, including change management, release and deployment management, and change evaluation.





Service Operation

- Process flows have been updated or added for all processes including request fulfillment, access management and event management.
- Key principles including guidance around service requests and request models, and proactive problem management – have been clarified.
- Explanation has been added on how basic events flow into filters and rule engines to produce meaningful event information.
- The relationship between application management activities versus application development activities is clarified.
- There is an expanded section on problem analysis techniques, procedure flow for incident matching and guidance for escalating incidents to problem management.
- The guidance for managing physical facilities has been expanded.





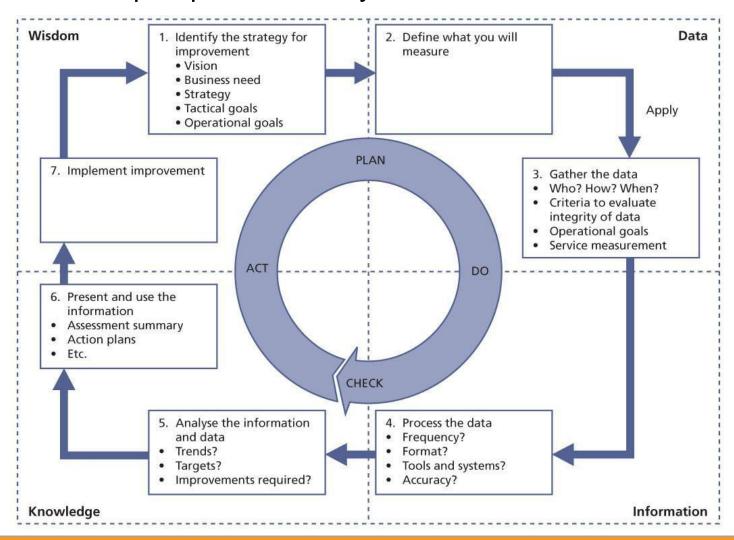
Continual Service Improvement

- ITIL Continual Service Improvement provides guidance for the identification of improvement opportunities in all aspects of the service lifecycle.
 - The seven-step improvement process and its relationship with the Deming 'Plan-Do-Check-Act' cycle and knowledge management – has been clarified.
 - The concept of a CSI register has been introduced as a place to record details of all improvement initiatives within an organization.





The CSI 7 Step Improvement Cycle





FAQs

- Do I need to be re-certified? Will I have to take a bridging exam?
 - Candidates who hold existing ITIL certification will not need to become recertified. The accreditor has no plans to introduce any bridging examinations for the update, as the core ITIL process areas and principles have not changed significantly.
 - However, updates will be reflected in the syllabuses and examinations for new qualifications
- When will the updated examinations be available?
 - The updated syllabuses and examinations are available from 8 August 2011.



Integrated Service Management



"A fool with a tool is still a fool"

People, Process and Technology have been the cornerstone of ITIL since time began and still hold true today in the times of ITIL v3. Many organizations believe that by implementing a new Service Management Tool they will cure all their ills. This is however not the case "a fool with a tool is still a fool". The tool is only as good as the Processes that wrap around it, and the Processes are only as good as the People that use them. How do we get the balance right? Here are some tips:

People

- Ensure Senior Management buy-in and commitment. Without this you will fail.
- Employ the right people with the right attitude, experience and qualifications. Practical experience is priceless, too many organizations have only theorists

Process

- Build these first and then select the Service Management Tool
- Train the People on the Processes and get their buy-in to see 'what's in it for them'

Technology

- Only as good as the Management Information you want to get out of it
- Define Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) and Metrics first, both for Senior Management and Operational purposes

So why the three legged stool? Get the balance right of People, Process and Technology and the stool is solid, concentrate on only on the technology and the stool will wobble. All three do not have to be totally mature but as long as they 'grow' together an ITIL implementation will have a solid foundation upon which to build.

Source: http://www.itilnews.com/ITIL Back to basics People Process and Technology.html





... but "ITIL v3's promise is realized through IT service automation"

In a survey conducted by Forrester Consulting, they found that:

- Reduced labor costs surfaced as one of the top measured benefits
 achieved from automation for every process considered. Customer
 satisfaction improvements were called out by nearly as many respondents,
 followed by increased integrated process capability/maturity. Almost 70% of
 those surveyed have seen more than a 10% labor cost reduction.
- Integrated services automation delivers the greatest impact. An
 integrated approach allows IT to address the complete IT value chain,
 applying an integrated suite of components that enables each part of the IT
 organization to work in conjunction with the other parts. For 49% to 65% of
 enterprises automating individual processes, automation integration ranked as
 important or extremely important.
- IT service automation improves IT-business alignment. Automation can provide a link between IT's operational spend and performance and the key business activities prioritized by management. By redefining the conversation between IT and business units, focus shifts to the business value enabled by IT.
- Source: Forrester Consulting: Efficiency Through Automation, January 4, 2011





Integrated Service Management addresses the key success factors of good Service Management

You need well-trained people armed with the right information, executing well-defined, technology-enabled processes to deliver high-quality services to the business functions they support

People

- Roles, responsibilities and functions
- Skill requirements
- Job descriptions
- Performance indicators



Process

- Leverage a well-defined process model
- Common processes
- Well-defined policies, and procedures
- Detailed workflows



Technology

- Service Management architecture
- Process aligned tools
- Automation



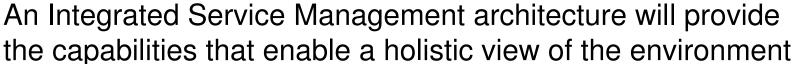
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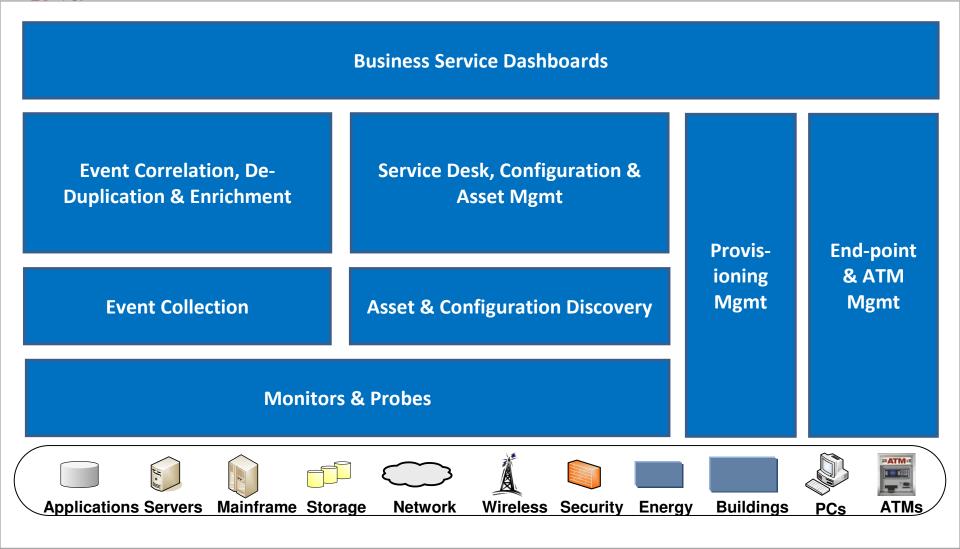
- Common data, information and knowledge models
- Metrics
- Performance indicators
- Reports and dashboards



Governance



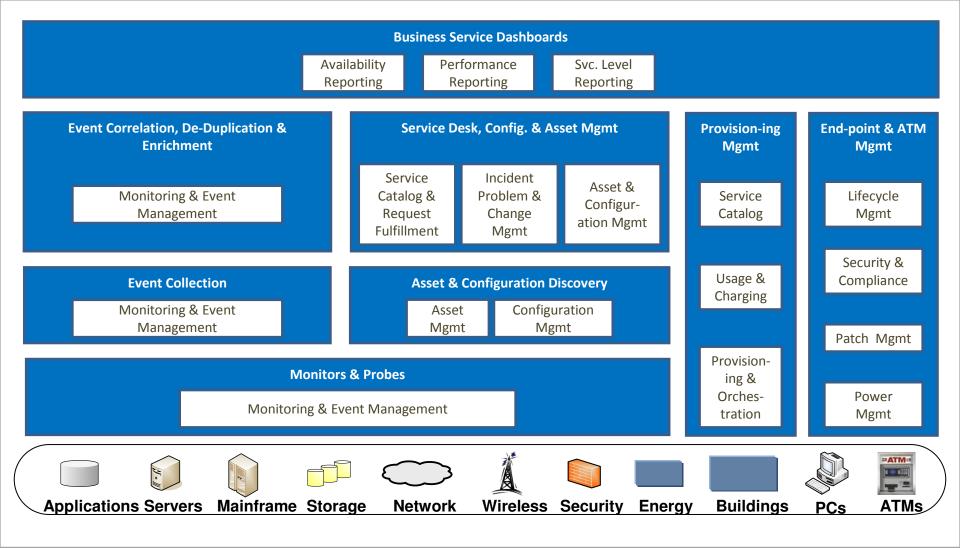








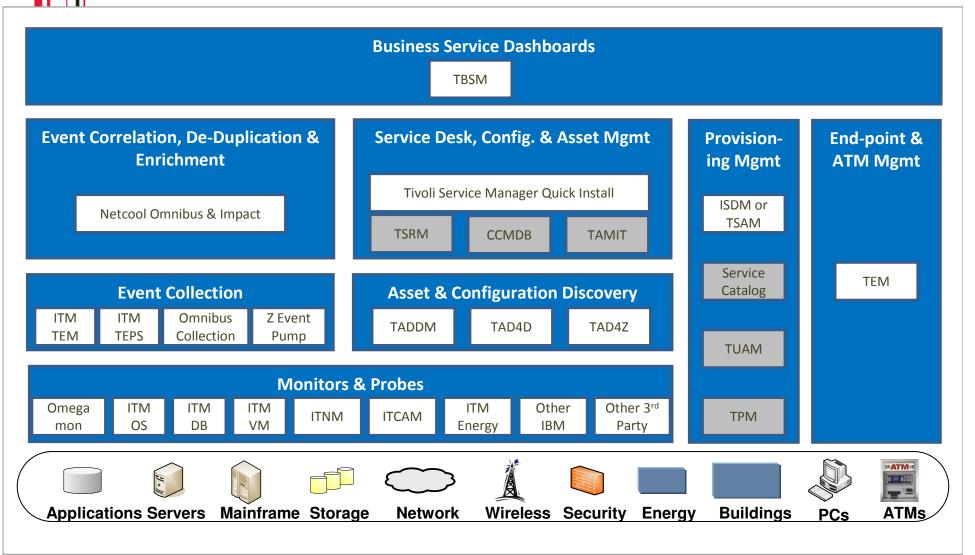
These capabilities support an Integrated Service Management process framework (e.g. ITIL, ISO/IEC 20000, Cobit, etc.)

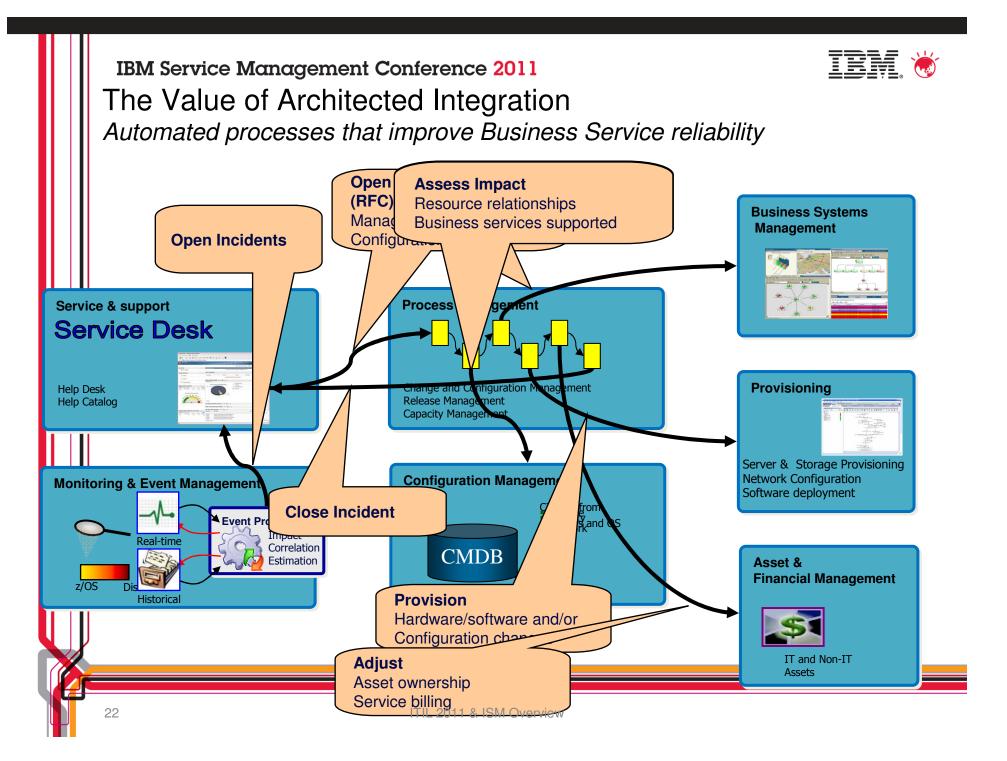






IBM Tivoli has an integrated suite of products that deliver these capabilities, depending upon your requirements







Event Management

Consolidating events from multiple sources to produce useful business context information

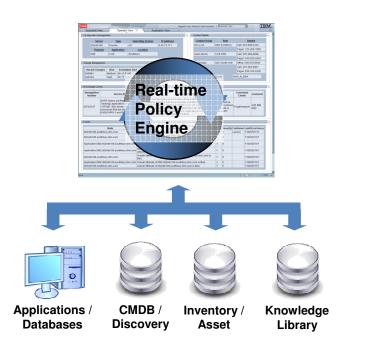
Event Collection

- Collect and consolidate event information from the all monitoring tools.
- A "Single Pane of Glass" to present comprehensive real-time status
- Consolidate events for correlation
 - Reduce "event noise" through deduplication and correlation
 - Use rules and topology based root cause analysis (RCA) to resolve incidents faster

Node Alert Group Summary Last Occurrence Count Type warrenw ralei... Status Node Down. 10:47:27 AM 1 Problem omnibus PROBE A PROBE process, tme10tecad, running on ... 9:38:00 AM 1 Problem omnibus probestat tme10tecad probe on omnibus: Going Down. 9:38:00 AM 2 Problem EAPVIDEO.ra... Status Interface 9:27.144.163 down. CRITICAL 10:48:34 AM 1 Problem IBM-YIA5FJ6... Status Interface 9:27.144.163 down. CRITICAL 10:29:04 AM 1 Problem kiwi mv7 probe on kiwit Heartbeat Message 10:57:19 AM 97 Not Set

Event Enrichment

- Enrich events with information about the service, redundancy, priority, etc. to obtain events with a business context
- Enable automated incident ticket creation in the Service Desk







An Integrated Service Management framework improves efficiency through automation, and improves MTTR

Monitoring & Event Management

- Improve Incident resolution,
 Mean Time To Recovery (MTTR)
 and Availability by consolidating
 monitoring of all platforms to a
 "single role-based pane of glass"
- Improve incident avoidance with dynamic thresholds to spot abnormal behavior and report on future capacity bottlenecks
- Automate incident ticket generation based on business based rules

Business Service Management

- Identify the impact of IT incidents on business services, and prioritize them relative to business impact.
- Visualize dependencies
 between business services and
 supporting IT components to
 determine root cause of incidents.
- Improve management and reporting against Service Level Agreements



There is also a clear business case and ROI for implementation of an Integrated Service Management platform

- IDC report* shows a 54% reduction in MTTR and time spent investigating / managing incidents – P1 resolution is often reduced from 3-4 hours to 1-2 hours
- Customers can reduce time for Root Cause Analysis by about 10-20% through having a view of IT components that are associated with critical applications, and understanding the impact of key resource downtime on the business services.
- With reduction in time to resolve incidents, one of our customers was able to service an additional 7757 calls each month. Typical saving range 25-35%

* "A Return on Investment Analysis of IBM Tivoli Netcool", IDC December 2010



Thank You!

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