RATIONAL DEPLOYMENT SERVICES HELP YOU:

- Enhance efficiency and predictability of deploying a new tool
- Improve communication and teamwork
- Accelerate self-sufficiency
- Leverage Rational's industry-leading software development experience

RECOMMENDED FOR:

Project teams or organizations of any size that are newly adopting the Rational Suite product family. This service is also recommended for existing Rational Suite users who are expanding the use of the Rational Suite within their organization.

Rational Suite Deployment Service

The Rational Suite™ Deployment Service is a configurable offering designed to enable you to deploy Rational Suite in the most efficient and effective manner possible. Working in partnership with your Rational® account team, this service provides you with the guidance and tools necessary to address your unique situation while mitigating the risks associated with introducing new technology into your organization. Rational's many years of experience in successfully introducing tools and best practices are combined into a deployment service package that will help you take full advantage of your investment in Rational Suite.

Clearly Defined Milestones and Deliverables

The Suite Deployment Service follows a proven path to success and includes a comprehensive set of milestones and deliverables addressing best practices, environment setup, training, deployment, and a follow-up assessment.

Environment Setup

Your Rational technical representative will assess your project's hardware and networking topology against Rational Suite deployment requirements and provide recommendations to reduce project risk. The Rational Suite environment is designed, tested, and deployed for the project in collaboration with your project's Rational Suite Administrator ensuring the success of the project by starting off with an efficient environment.

End-User Deployment

A standard usage model is presented to your team and on-site training is provided on your development environment. Ramp up time is reduced and all end-users start the project with the same knowledge.

Follow-Up Assessment

Approximately 30 days after the initial deployment, your Rational technical representative will return to evaluate your project's initial success by reviewing the current state of the technology and process deployment. This evaluation identifies potential problems and recommendations are made in order to avoid unnecessary project delays.

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