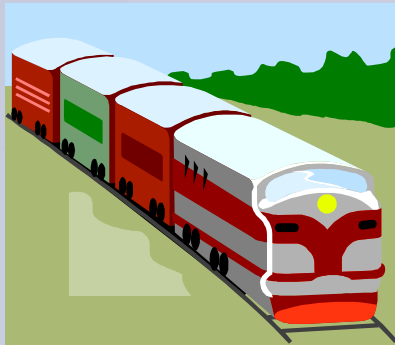


Configuration Management

Good configuration management keeps your project on the right track



CM is the basis for effective and efficient

- ◆ Project Management
- ◆ Quality Management
- ◆ Requirements Engineering

CM is used for

- ◆ Planning
- ◆ Controlling
- ◆ Metrics
- ◆ Standards

APAC's CM services ensure that your projects will safely reach their destination.

APAC Configuration Management Modules

- ◆ **Configuration Management Planning:**
Includes the creation of a CM Plan and the initialisation of CM.
- ◆ **Configuration Identification:**
Covers the identification of the configuration items to be used, the product configuration and the baselines in the project.
- ◆ **Configuration Control:**
Comprises change management, the administration of the configuration status and the identification of the necessary level of control (reviews, etc.).
- ◆ **Configuration Status Accounting:**
It concerns the reporting of the status of the configuration and any changes.
- ◆ **Configuration Audits and Reviews:**
Cover the evaluation of all controlled products for content, baseline and release integrity.
- ◆ **Configuration Management Training:**
All persons involved are adequately trained.

An adequate CM database supports the information flow of a project. It contains the data of all project-related CM items (e.g. documents, hardware parts, SW modules, communication).

The CM data is always kept up-to-date. The major information the database provides on each item is identifier, version, status (except communication).

Efficient and effective project management is impossible without reliable, accurate and up-to-date data.

Well-defined and well-managed Configuration Management provides all the things Project Management needs.

Advantages of APAC's Configuration Management Tool DIMAS:

- ◆ Use in a distributed environment
- ◆ Assignment of Unique Numbers
- ◆ Easy handling
- ◆ Administration of a huge number of items
- ◆ Reliable replication
- ◆ Adaptable to different processes

Configuration Management means having the right information at your fingertips - **APAC's** DIMAS is just the tool for it.

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