

BA Manager Forum - Breakout Session 1

Requirements Tool Selection

a case study on the exercise to select a requirements tool for use across a large retail banking organisation

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Who are we?





57%

1 in 2 of the UK adult population

is a customer of

Lloyds Banking Group

30 million customers

2300

Business Analysts across the Group

•600 in Group IT

•1700 in Business Change

391

391 projects involving IT change in 2012

Today's Agenda



Important criteria in the selection process

Our view, gained from our own experience

A mix of presentation, discussion and Q&A

- Criteria Important to Your Organisation (Preliminary Exercise)
- Our Top Selection Criteria
- Additional Factors/Barriers to Success (Follow-up Exercise)
- •Our Experience Implementation/Adoption/Embedding
- Summary/Close
- •Final Q&A

So you want an RM Tool?



Are you ready for a tool?

Why do you want it?

Understand the benefits

What's the impact on your organisation

Selection criteria & scoring

Requirements Tool Selection Criteria Important to Your Organisation



What matters to you when selecting a requirements management tool?

In Groups



10 minutes



Top 5



Collate Results



Selection Criteria



Non-Product

Business Alignment

Operational / Process Compatibility Use within Competencies of Staff

Technological

Availability
Software Reliability
Security
Compatibility
Provenness
Architectural fit
Multi-Platform Support
Performance

Deployment

Maintainability
Scalability for Growth
Customisable vs. Configurable
Upgrade Path

Financial

Product Cost Licences Operating Costs

Vendor Strength

Credibility and Longevity Product Maturity Support Model Scalability for Growth Major Organisational Changes Major Product Changes Future Product Strategy Comfortable with Sales Process Training **Technical Support Bug Fix Turnaround Reference Sites** Size match with you organisation **Support Proof of Concept (try before buy) Industry Benchmarks** Relationship with vendor

Product

Product Functionality

Requirements traceability
Requirements analysis
Security and accessibility
Portability and backend compatibility
Configuration management
Communication/Collaboration
Change management
Online publishing
Offline publishing
Usability – too complex/sophisticated
Usability – navigation
Usability – Help System
Methods support
Configurable
Multi-Brand Support

What was important to us?



Requirements

Integrated toolset for:

Requirements management Design

Lifecycle Management

Evaluation

Vendor size
Product maturity
Level of influence
Financial
Sales experience

Qualified Vendors

Only two in marketplace
IBM
Vendor 2

Selection Criteria

Technological
Deployment
Financial
Product Functionality
Vendor Strength

Implementation Factors



What factors are important to you to ensure you get the desired benefits?

In Groups



8 minutes



Our Experience



Implementation

Embedding

Training

Communications

Management Buy-In

Stakeholder Engagement

Impact on Projects

Roadmap for Support

Integration

Timescales

Adoption

Requirements Tool Selection Summary



- •Is your organisation ready?
- Be realistic about the benefits
- Understand the impact on your organisation
- Consider all your stakeholders
- Early Adopt

Garbage-in, Garbage Out – fix your process first





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