



Rock Island Arsenal MBE Capability Assessment

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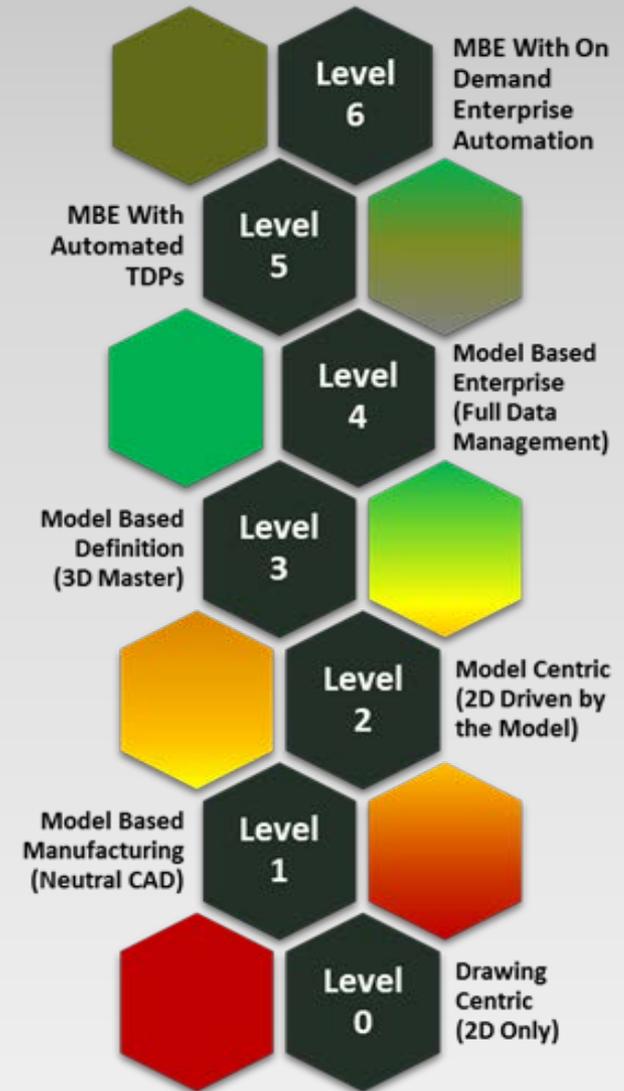
Background

Program History and General Overview



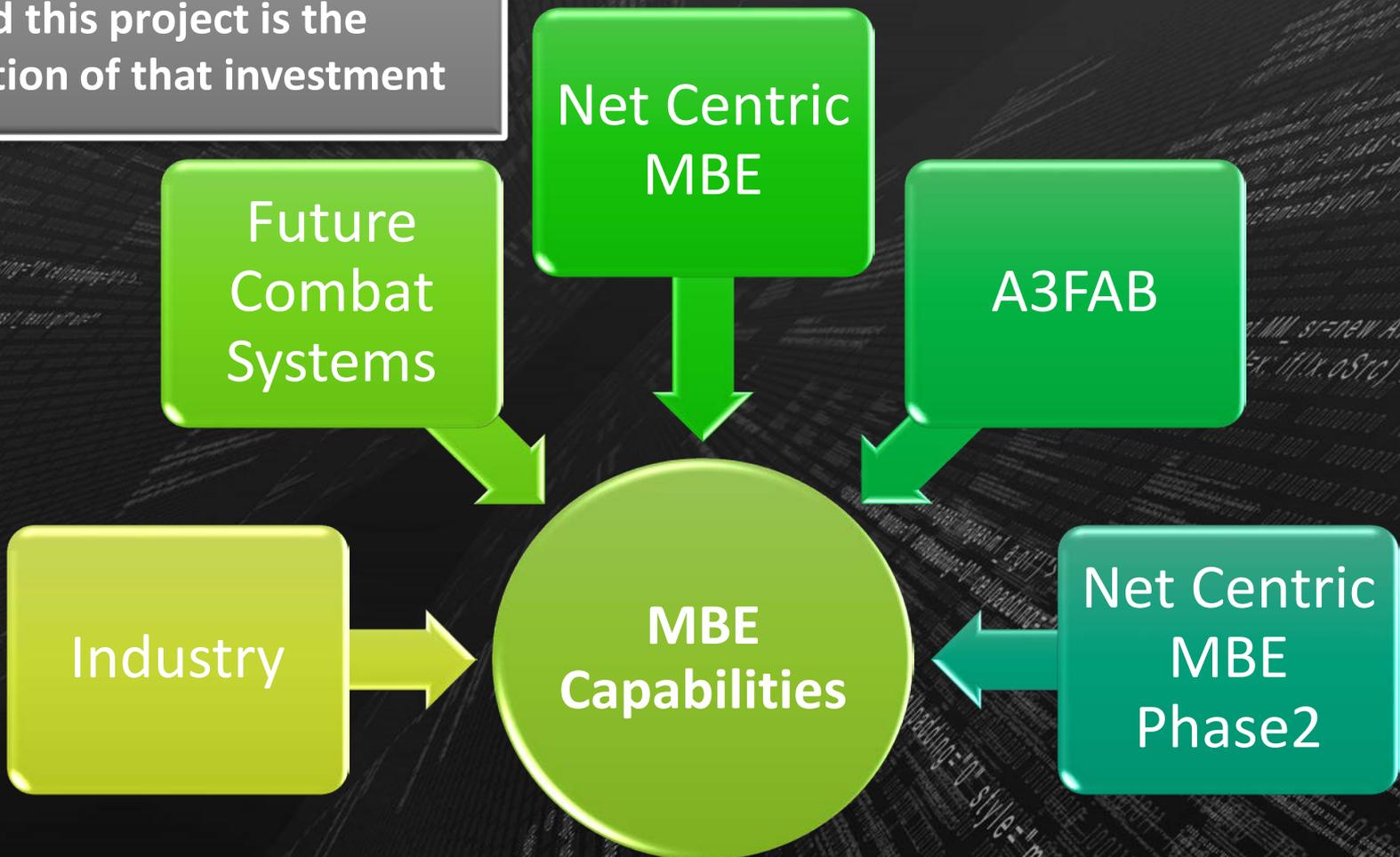
What Is An MBE Assessment?

- An unbiased review of an organizations capabilities in regard to utilization of 3D model or other digital product and process definition throughout a products lifecycle
- It is intended to reflect an organizations business model and thus there is no right or wrong score
- It is also intended to measure where an organization wishes to be in the future



Contributing Army Projects

The Army has made a substantial investment in MBE and this project is the realization of that investment

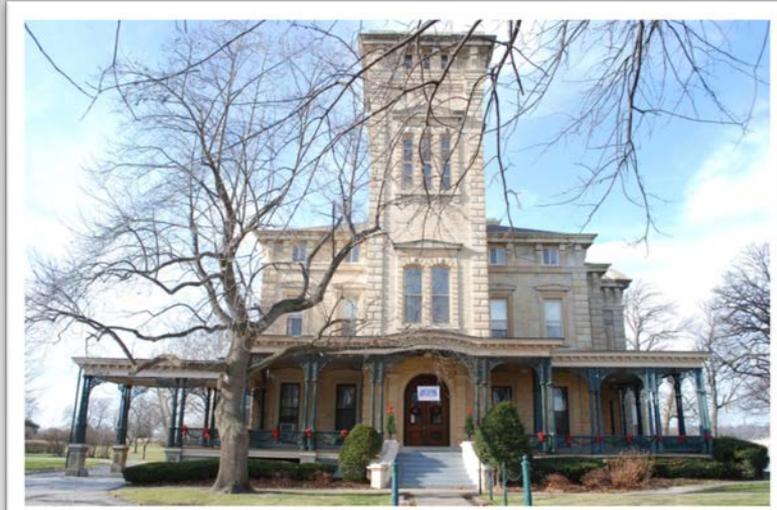


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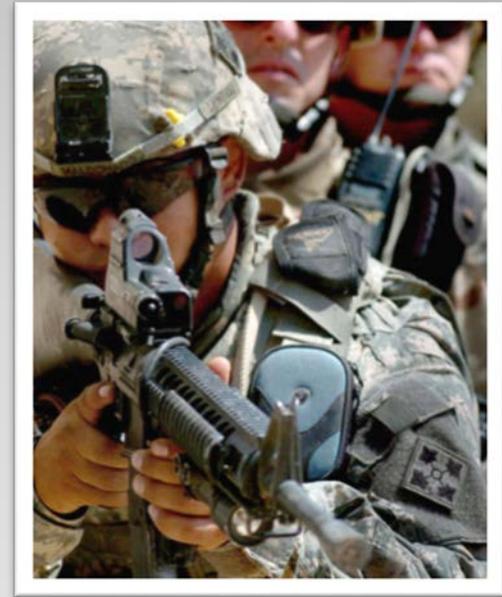
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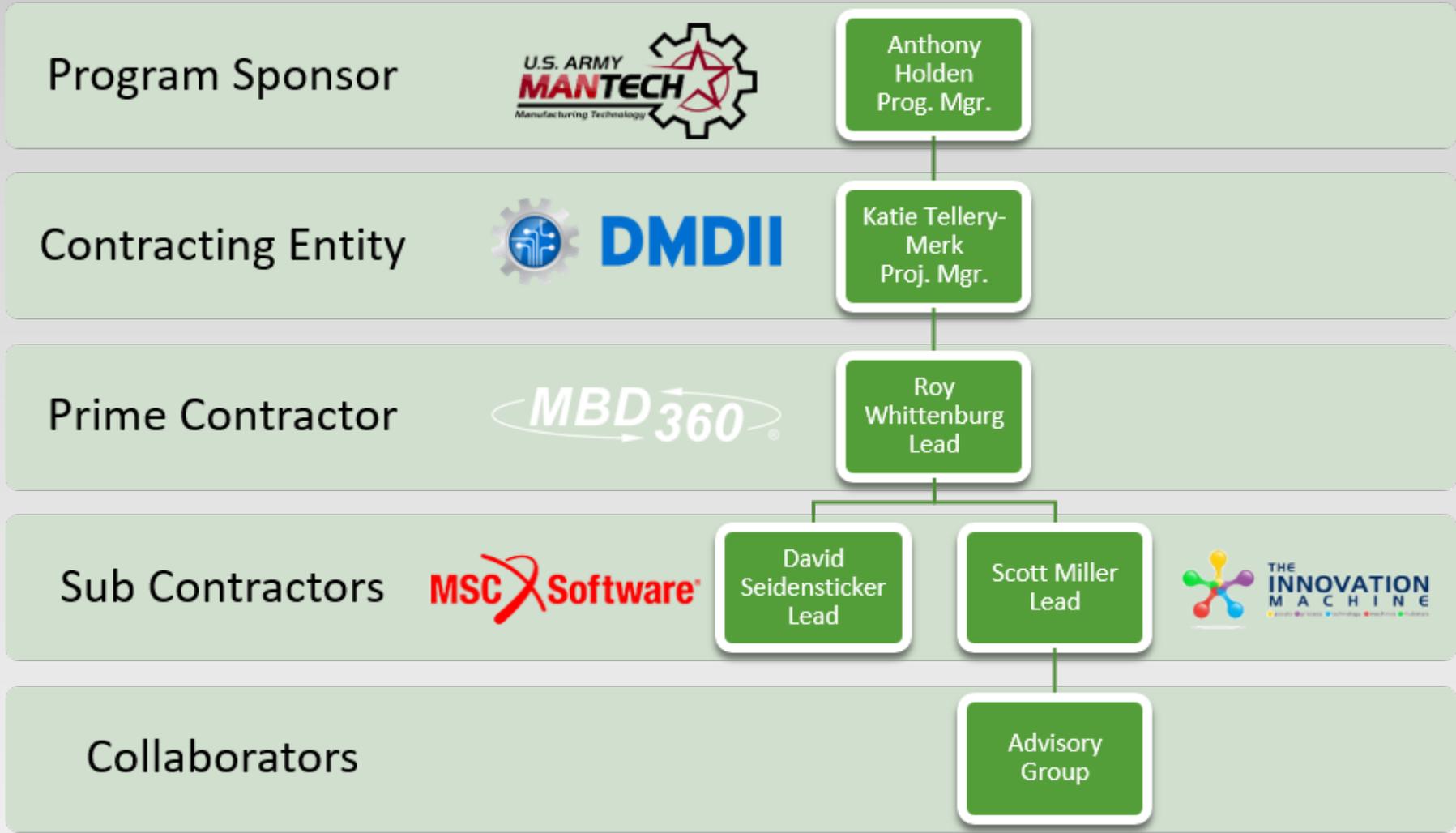
The Rock Island Arsenal on the Mississippi River between the cities of Davenport, Iowa, and Rock Island, Illinois. It lies within the state of Illinois. It is home of First Army headquarters. Additionally, it is the home for both design and manufacture of many Army components.



The Rock Island Arsenal Joint Manufacturing and Technology Center occupies 1.5 million square feet of its Kingsbury Complex home. As the only multi-purpose and vertically integrated metal manufacturer in the Department of Defense, the center possesses the unique technical expertise and equipment to manufacture products high in quality and sustainability.



Assessment Team



- America Makes
- Apriori
- Heartland Science & Technology Group
- Integris Group
- ITI
- Lucrum Group
- Manufacturing Laboratories Inc. (MLI)
- Microsoft
- Penn State
- PTC
- Siemens
- Spire Manufacturing Solutions
- Systems Insight
- Texas State University

A group of unpaid participants that provide a neutral input on the assessment results and recommendations



Assessment

Measuring MBE Capabilities





Communicate

- Level set with all parties on goals, process and expectations



Learn

- Interview SMEs and other documentations to learn high level processes, data, and tools



Analyze

- Review the facts in the context of the MBE Capability Index



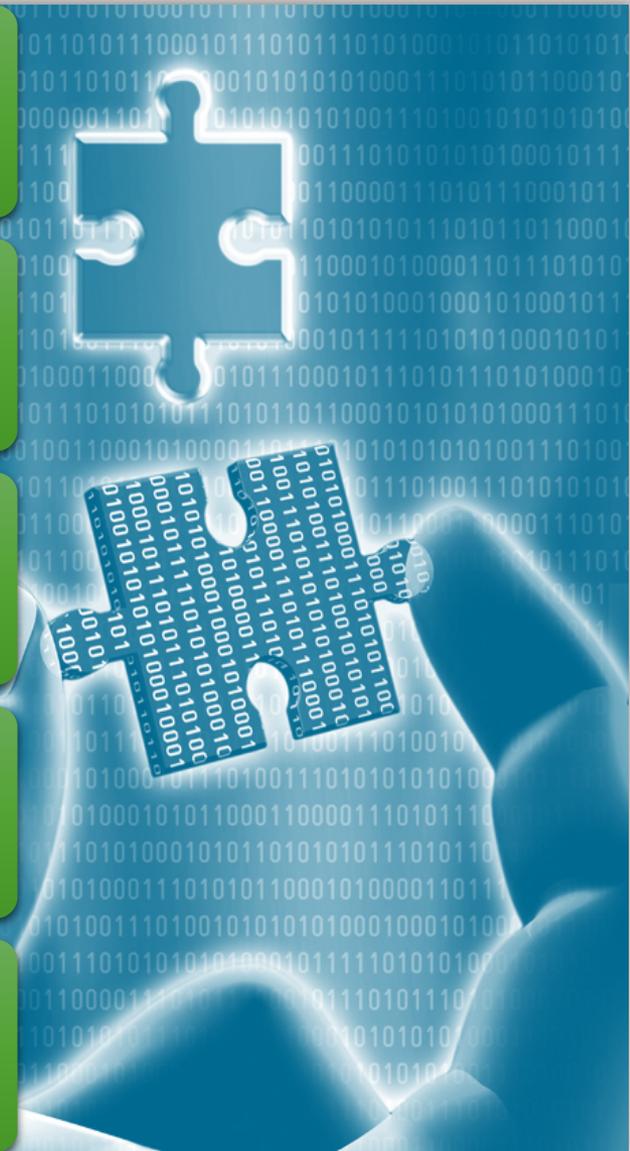
Clarify

- Return to the SMEs to clarify any questions or issues from the analysis



Document

- Create detailed documentation of the assessment and review with the SMEs



- Held a kick off meeting with all major departments
- Conducted over 14 group SME interviews
- Several follow up one on one interviews
- Interview team consisted of 5 members from
 - MBD360
 - MSC Software
 - The Innovation Machine



Other items that were reviewed were:

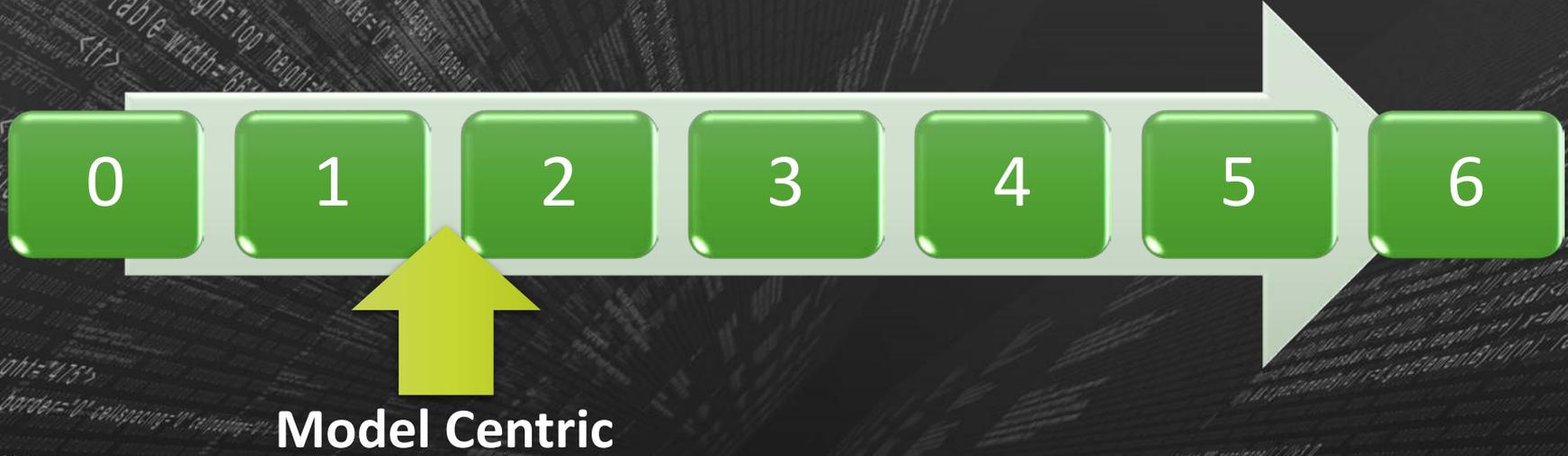
- ISO Quality Manual
- Applications Lists
- Value Stream Maps
- Org Charts
- Process Flows
- Hands On Tours
- Websites



The "As Is" Capability Baseline

Focus	Sub Set	MBE Level						
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6
Design Activities	Product Definition	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	EBOM	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Analysis	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Checking and Model Quality	Red	White	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
CM/DM Activities	Release & Change Process	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green
	CM Vault Management	Red	White	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Collection of Elements In To TDP	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Management of TDP	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
Manufacturing Planning Activities	MBOM (Creation)	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green
	MFG Product Definition	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green
	MFG Process Definition	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green
	MFG Facilities	Red	White	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Tooling	Red	White	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Tapes (CNC/Other Programs)	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Manufacturing Operations	Red	White	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
Quality Requirements, Planning Activities	Quality Planning	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Quality/Inspection Code Generation	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Quality Requirements DM	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Receiving Inspection	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Supplier Quality Certification	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green
Enterprise Activities	Logistics (Tech Manuals) (Out of Scope)	Green	White	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Logistics (Spares) (Out of Scope)	Green	White	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Procurement	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green
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The "As Is" Capability Aggregates

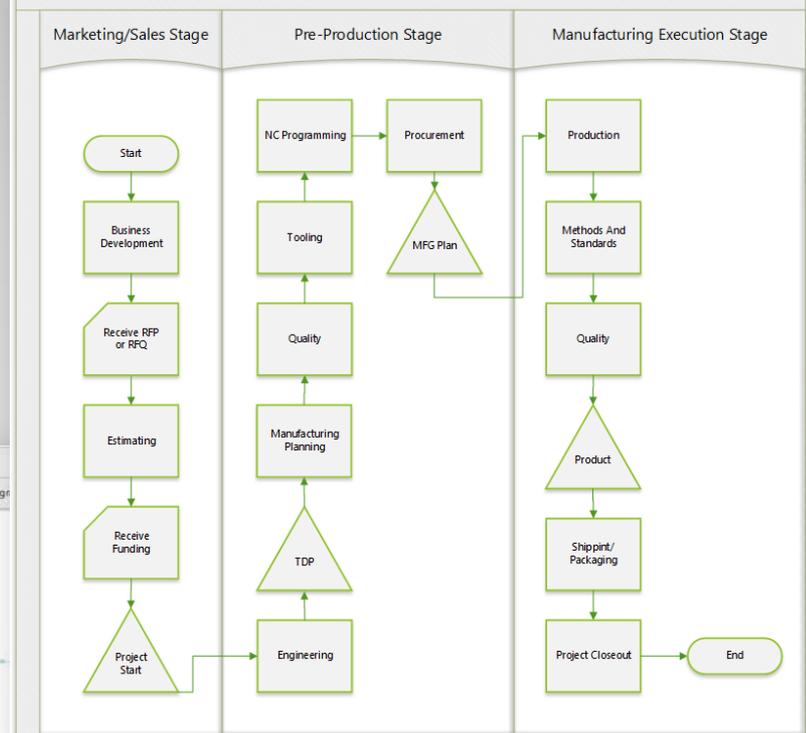


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Design Activities		1					
CM/DM Activities			1.5				
Manufacturing Planning Activities		1					
Quality Requirements, Planning Activities			1.8				
Enterprise Activities			2				
Overall MBE Capability			1.5				

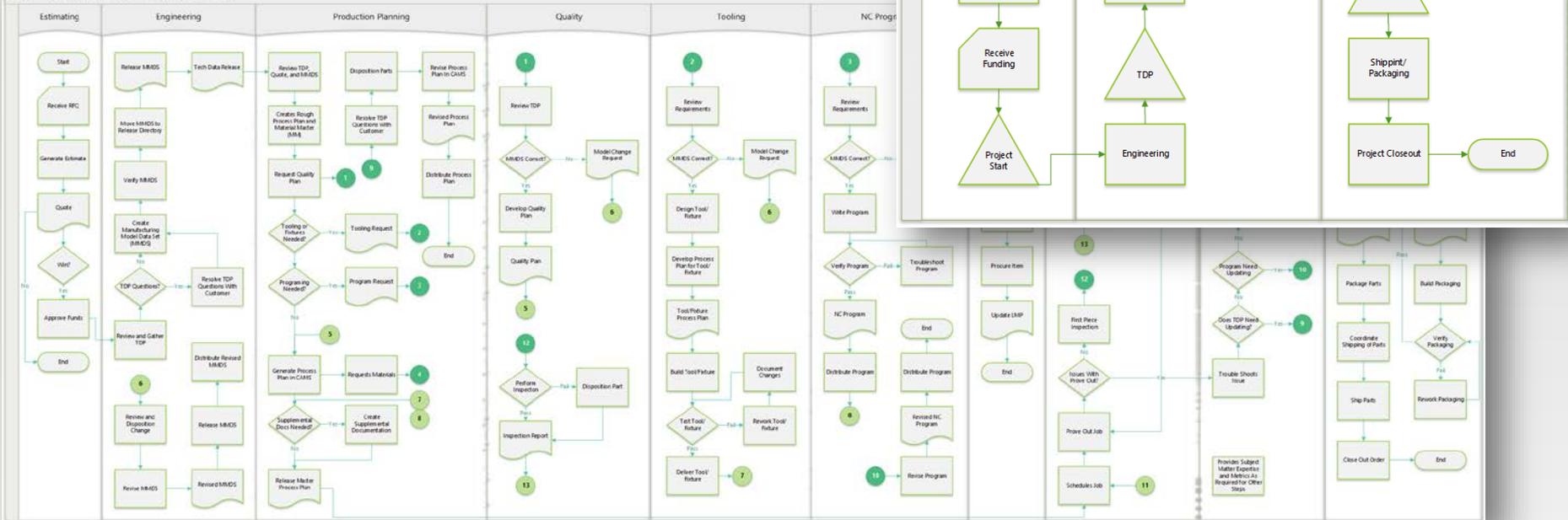
The "As Is" Process Baseline

An "as is" high-level baseline process was created to reflect the actual practices reflected during the fact finding portion of the assessment

High Level Product Flow Through Stages

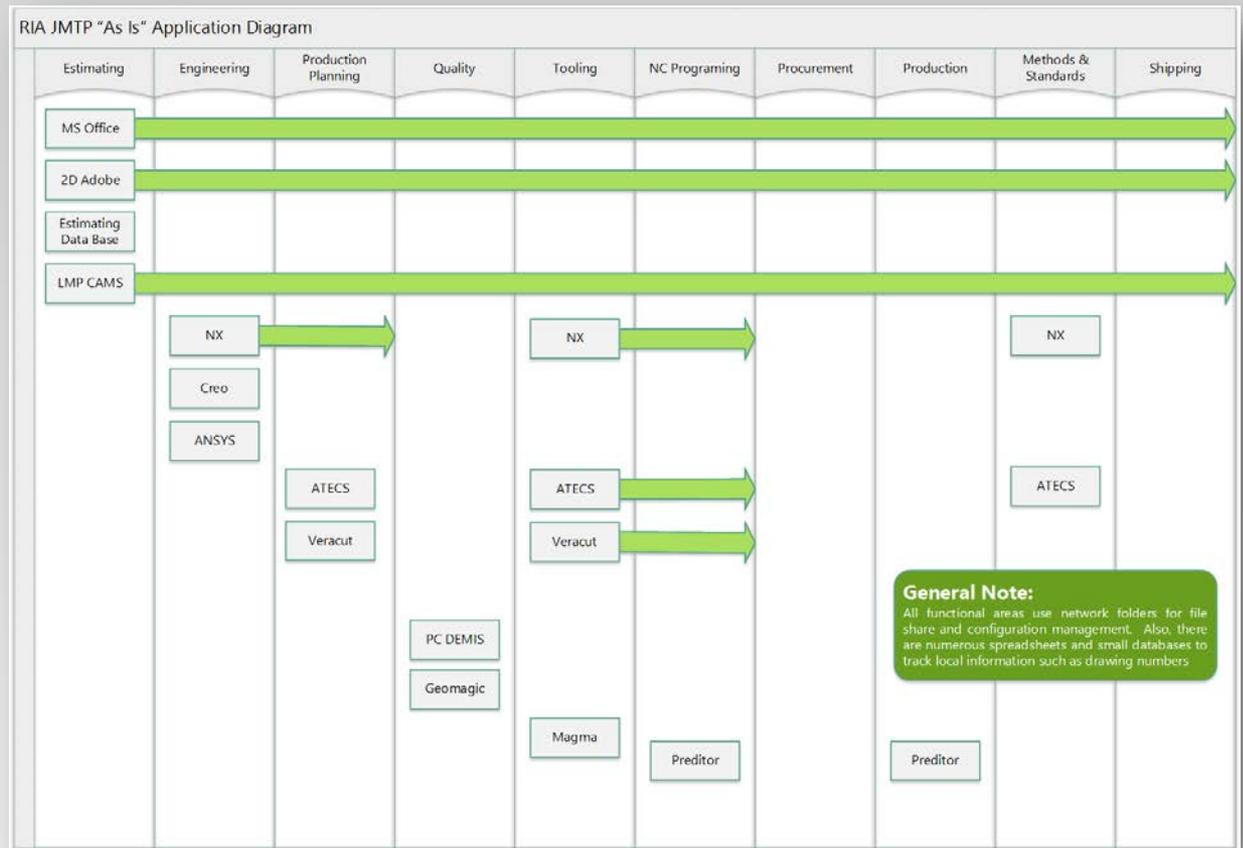


High - Level Basic Process Flow for JMTC-RIA



The "As Is" Application Baseline

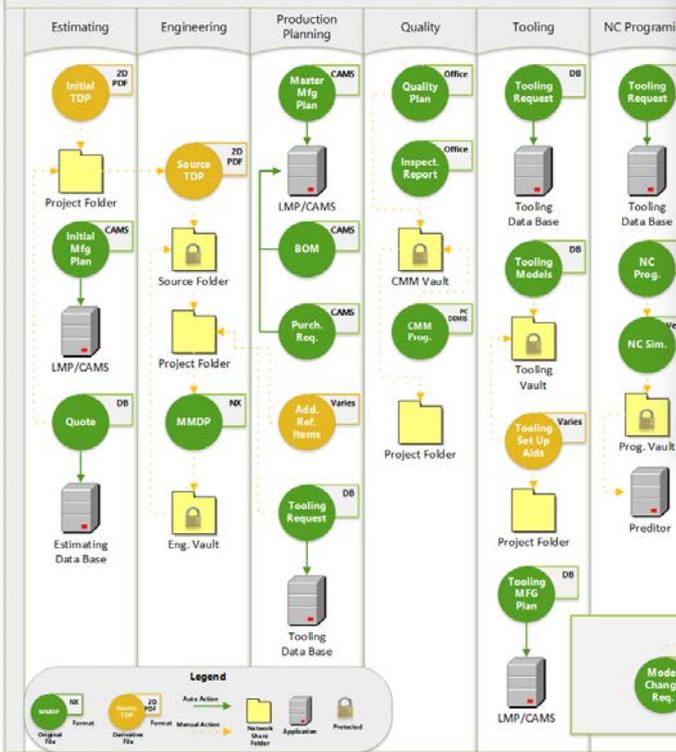
All major applications were mapped to the departments that utilized them



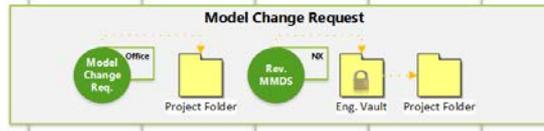
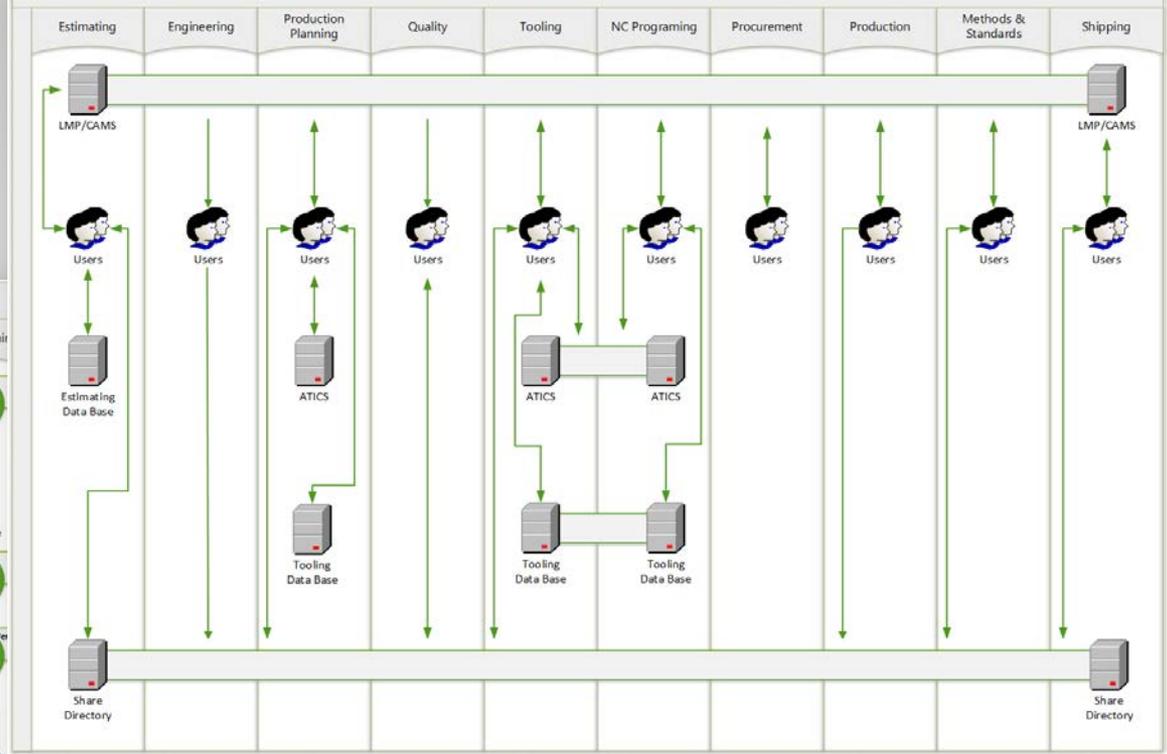
The "As Is" Data Baseline

Both data flow and access was mapped by department and order of work flow

RIA JMTP "As Is" Data Flow Diagram



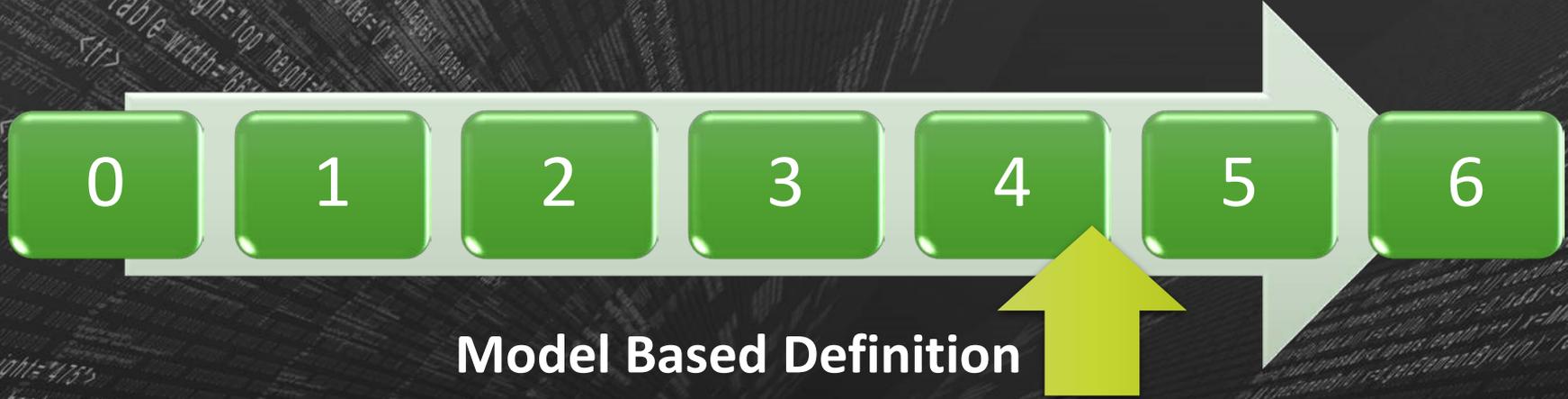
RIA JMTP "As Is" Data Access Diagram



The "To Be" Capability Baseline

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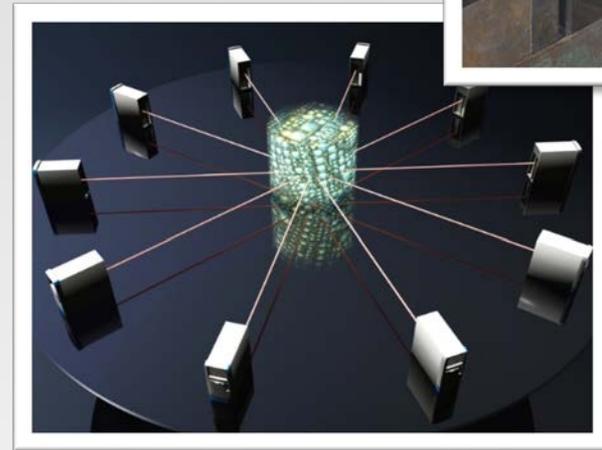


Model Based Definition

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Manufacturing Planning Activities		1				5	
Quality Requirements, Planning Activities			1.8		4		
Enterprise Activities			2		4		
Overall MBE Capability			1.5		4.3		

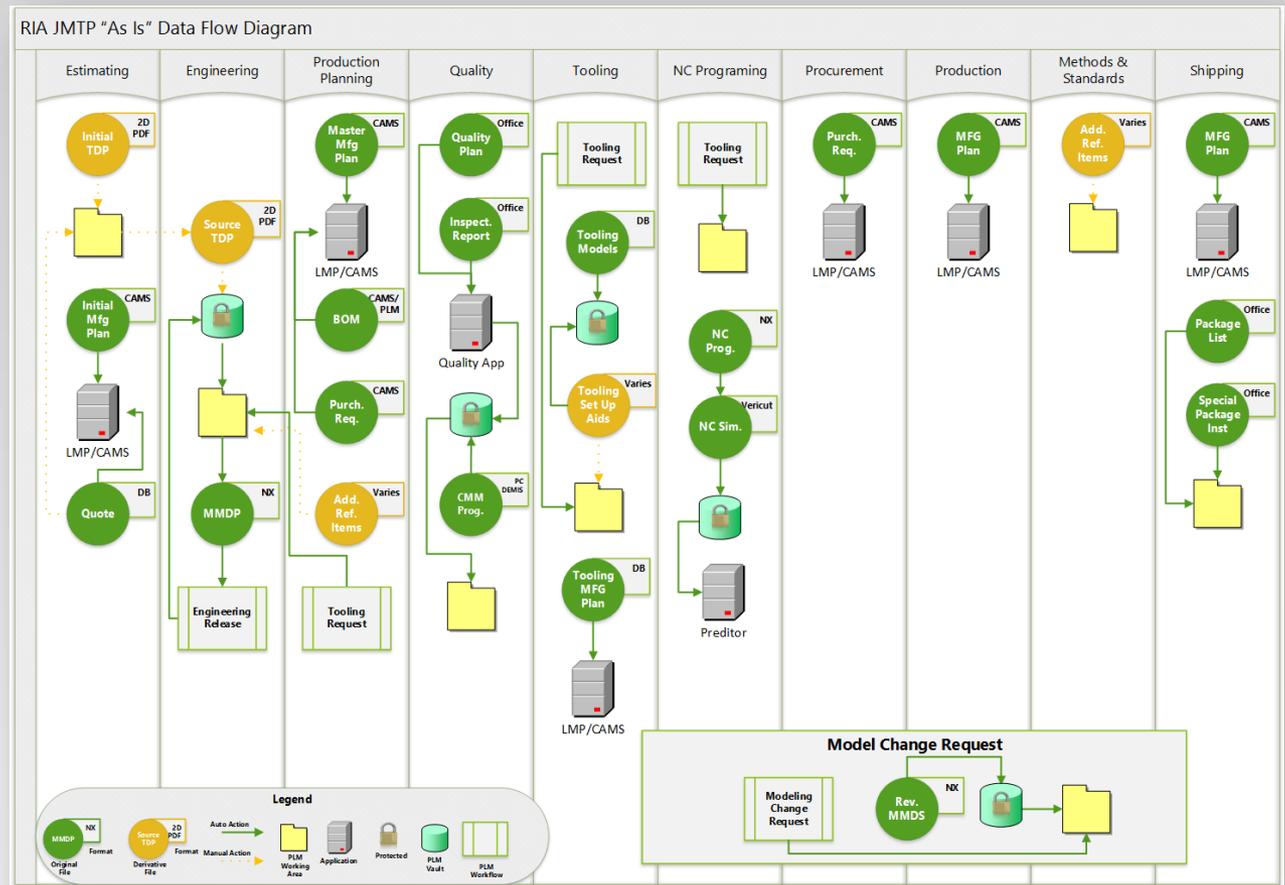
The “to be” state is characterized by the following:

- Introduction of PLM
- Automation of CAD model translation and verification
- Introduction of 3D visualization for all departments
- Automation of the quality process
- Increase in the use of analysis
- Smart production floor technology for monitoring and production planning



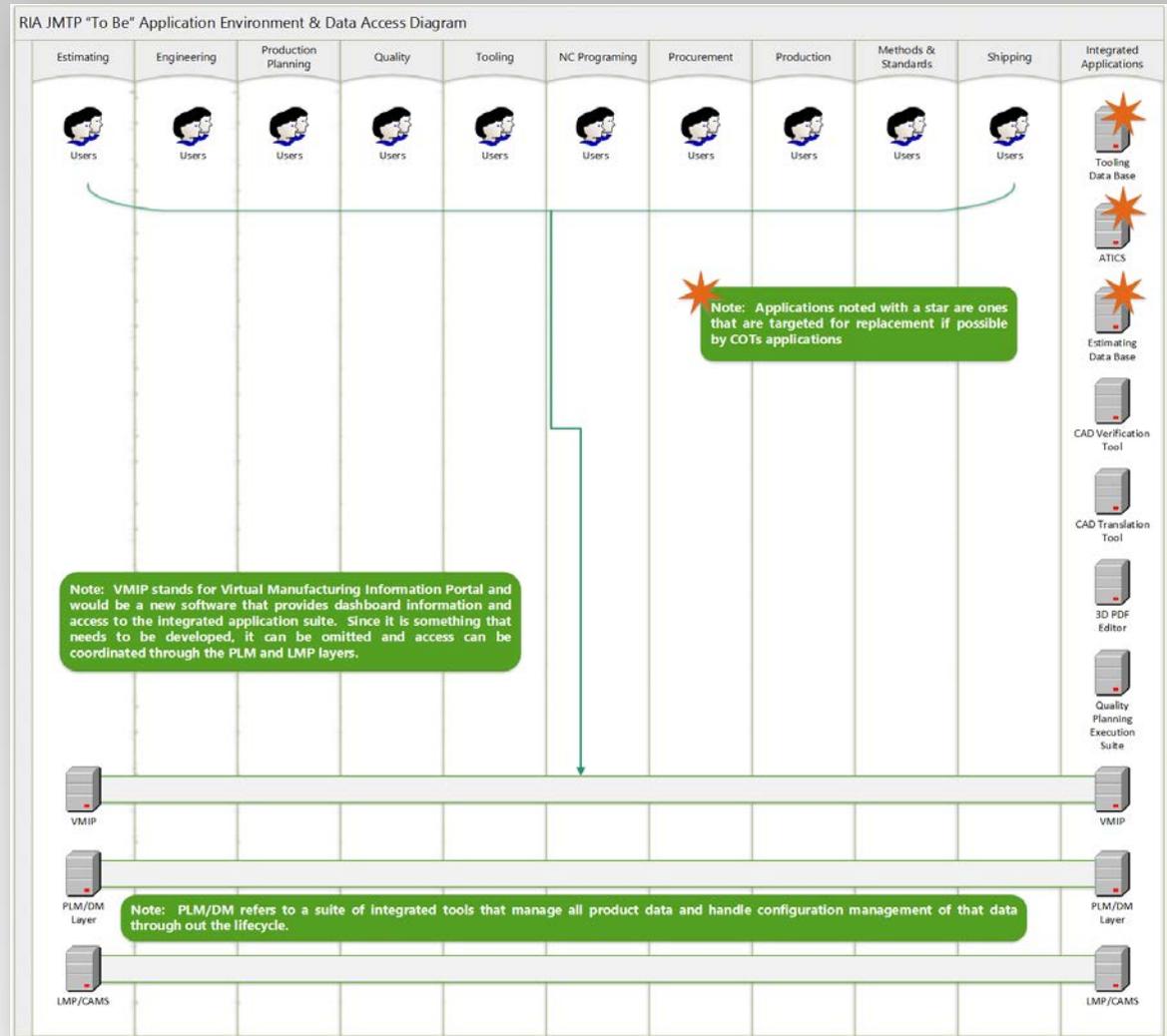
The "As Is" Data Flow Baseline

The "to be" features a 63% reduction in manual data transactions and utilizes automated workflows supported by PLM and ERP



The "To Be" Data Access

The "to be" data access is typified by the introduction of PLM for configuration management and workflow automation as well as integrated applications to aid in the reduction of manual work



Roadmap

Charting a Path to Implementation



- MSC Software is leading the documentation of the JMTC MBE Roadmap
- It will provide a detailed set of recommendations for achieving the “to be” state
- It will be broken down in near term and long term actions
- It will provide a list of research or gap areas that need to be addressed
- It will be tool neutral with input from the entire team including the advisory group



- The final review of the assessment report and the beginning of the roadmap document are currently under way
- The advisory group is reviewing the assessment report in order to provide input
- The final road map shall be completed in April of this year



Conclusions

Wrapping It Up...



- The MBE Capability Assessment of RIA-JMTC started in January
- The assessment report is under final review and the roadmap documentation is under development
- The “as is” state of RIA-JMTC is a 1.5 which is still drawing based but supplemented by manufacturing model data
- The “to be” state is a 4.3 where the product model shall drive most if not all downstream applications





The Beginning...

