

ICC-in-a-box

- a structured approach to your SOA investment

At Sogeti Center of Integration Excellence we have an extensive experience in developing and running Integration Competence Centers (ICC) for our clients. The center offers a support system that facilitates the possibility to continue the developing process from start to finish with a continuous structure overview. We call it ICC-in-a-box.

With the help of our Sogeti Integration Competence Center the company's operations are more strongly connected to IT enabling the IT systems to deliver what the company really needs, more efficiently. Through standardized developing methods and a high level of reuse, IT can be delivered to a lower cost. By having a central organization, costs can be spread between projects and each project can be run at a higher level of cost-efficiency.

Save developing time and costs with ICC

According to Gartner* there are many benefits with ICC. By using the support system you can save up to 30 percent of the total developing time and cost. Even the applications manage-

ment costs are lowered with approximately 20 percent. The concept makes it possible to reuse 25 percent by integration components and services.

What is ICC-in-a-box?

ICC-in-a-box is a concept and a support system to run the processes at an Integration Competence Center. The support system consists of a workflow that is implemented in SharePoint and is based on our Dynamic Integration Architecture model (DIA). The developing need is captured by the support system and is stepwise walked through all developing stages until it is handed over to applications management team. As support there are check lists for all activities that should be carried out in the process steps, a list of all documents that should be signed and document templates that makes the work easier.

ICC-in-a-box suits companies that are working with integration or have made a Service Oriented Architecture (SOA) investment. For those that do not have a structured way of working, ICC-in-a-box can give stable structure that immediately improves the developers' integration productivity. Since every integration or SOA project gets its own authority of the process you can always go back to look at the documents that is the base for development and to see which one that is connected to each developing effort.

What is included in ICC-in-a-box?

Several important components are included in our packaged solution:

Agile projects

In the standard version of ICC-in-a-box there is support for agile projects. With an agile developing method a subset of the total solution is delivered until the requirements are fulfilled.

Document control

SharePoint is used for document control. All documents that are uploaded are version controlled. They can also be categorized and grouped with help of metadata and the support that exists for in and out checkups of documents.

Repository & Governance

With the help of documents and flow charts the integration group gets an overview of all solutions and integrations. The connection between the systems is visible and the governance process simplified.

Follow-up and traceability of project

As soon as a new subset is added or finished the status of the project is automatically visible in the lists of projects. The status update can also be used to measure if the projects are delivering according to plan.



Do you want to know more?

Sogeti Center of Integration Excellence in Helsingborg or your local Sogeti office can provide you with more information about us, ICC, ICC-in-a-box and our other services. Material and information can also be found at:

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