



BPM / SOA Integration Working Group - 2010

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2010 and Beyond...

Enhancing SOA through BPM

Enhancing BPM through SOA

Bringing the two Worlds
together.



BPM / SOA Integration Working Group

Our Mission Statement (Draft)

The BPM / SOA Integration Working Group will define and promote industry consensus on best practices in integrating Business Process Management (BPM) with Service Oriented Architecture (SOA). It will help to better define the roles of BPM and SOA as they relate to promoting innovation and business agility.

Group Objectives (Draft)

- Work together to gain a greater understanding of what the integration of BPM and SOA means to group members
- Define the benefits to be obtained through a combination of BPM and SOA
- Position the role of corporate executives and line of business management in relation to BPM and SOA and how this impacts integration
- Define a road map for the evolution of integration in BPM and SOA products, services and messages

Motivations

- Feedback, guidance, and lessons learned on BPM / SOA convergence and integration (and implementation)
- Involvement in the evolution of BPM/SOA Standards and best practices
- How to better engage and align business users in these processes

Deliverables

- BPM and SOA : differences and complementary in terms of what they are shooting for and what are not
- Current standards and future evolution
- Best practices
- Architectural patterns in terms of their integration
- The best scenarios to pursue this integration (value added business cases)
- Capture of guidance on needs of business people for business modeling and analysis capabilities
- Consensus on needs for business agility and critical success factors for agility

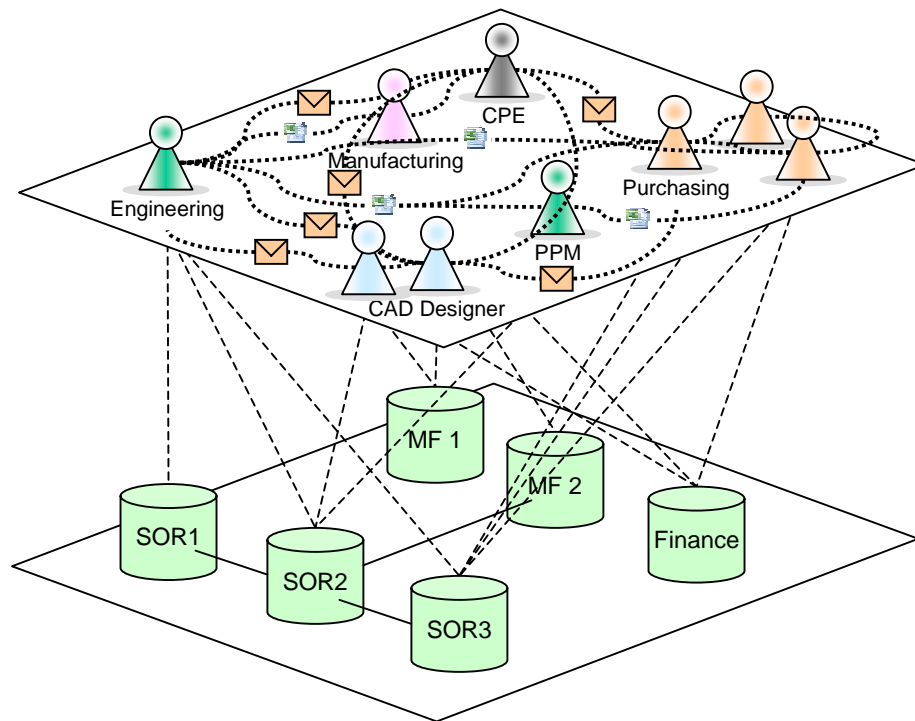
Learnings

- Integration Scenarios
- Design Patterns
- Best Practices
- Standards
- Lessons Learned
- Business perspective on needs for business models
- Hot buttons of business people related to SOA, BPM and business transformation



BPM / SOA Example

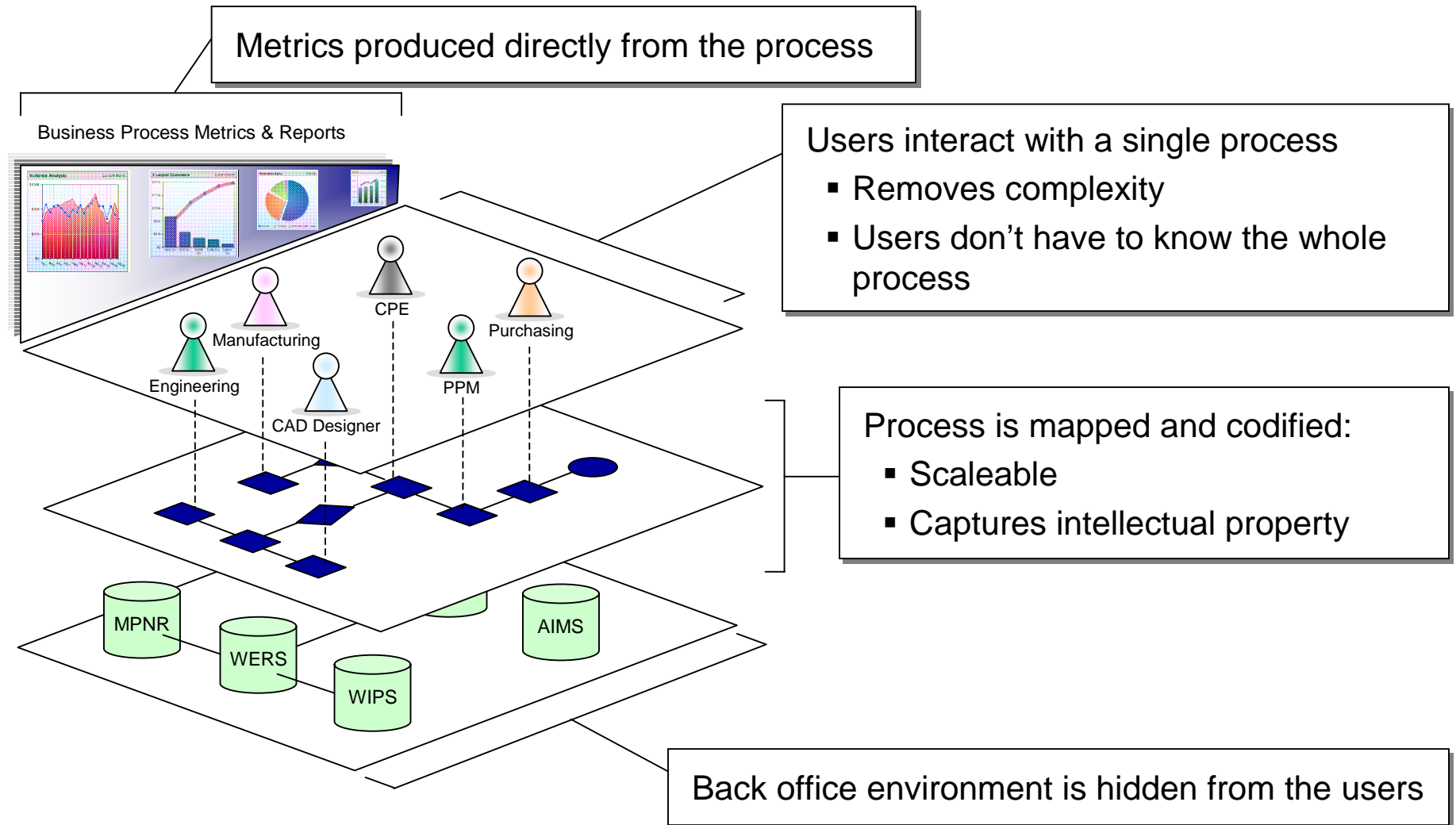
Current State View



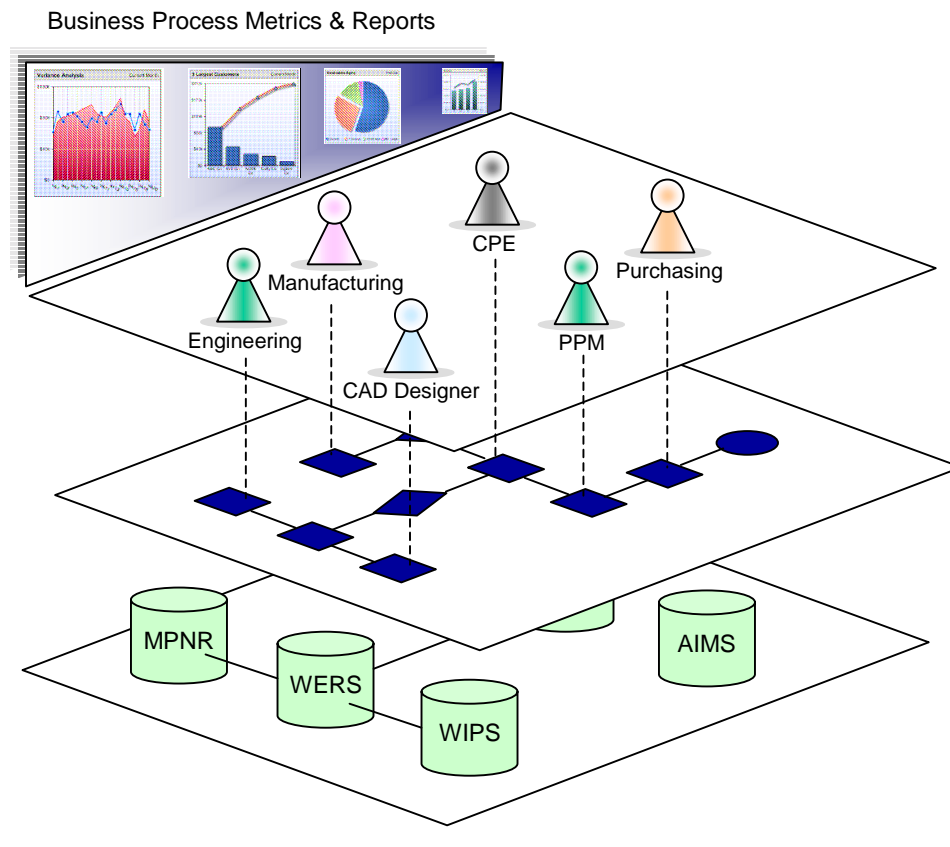
- Reliance upon tacit knowledge
- Personality driven (Non-scaleable)
- Mix of manual and systematic information transfers with the IT environment
- Not measurable
- Not a closed loop process
- Every defined process is tactical

Process Variation → Complexity → Chaos

BPM Centric View



An Alternate View (BPM and SOA)



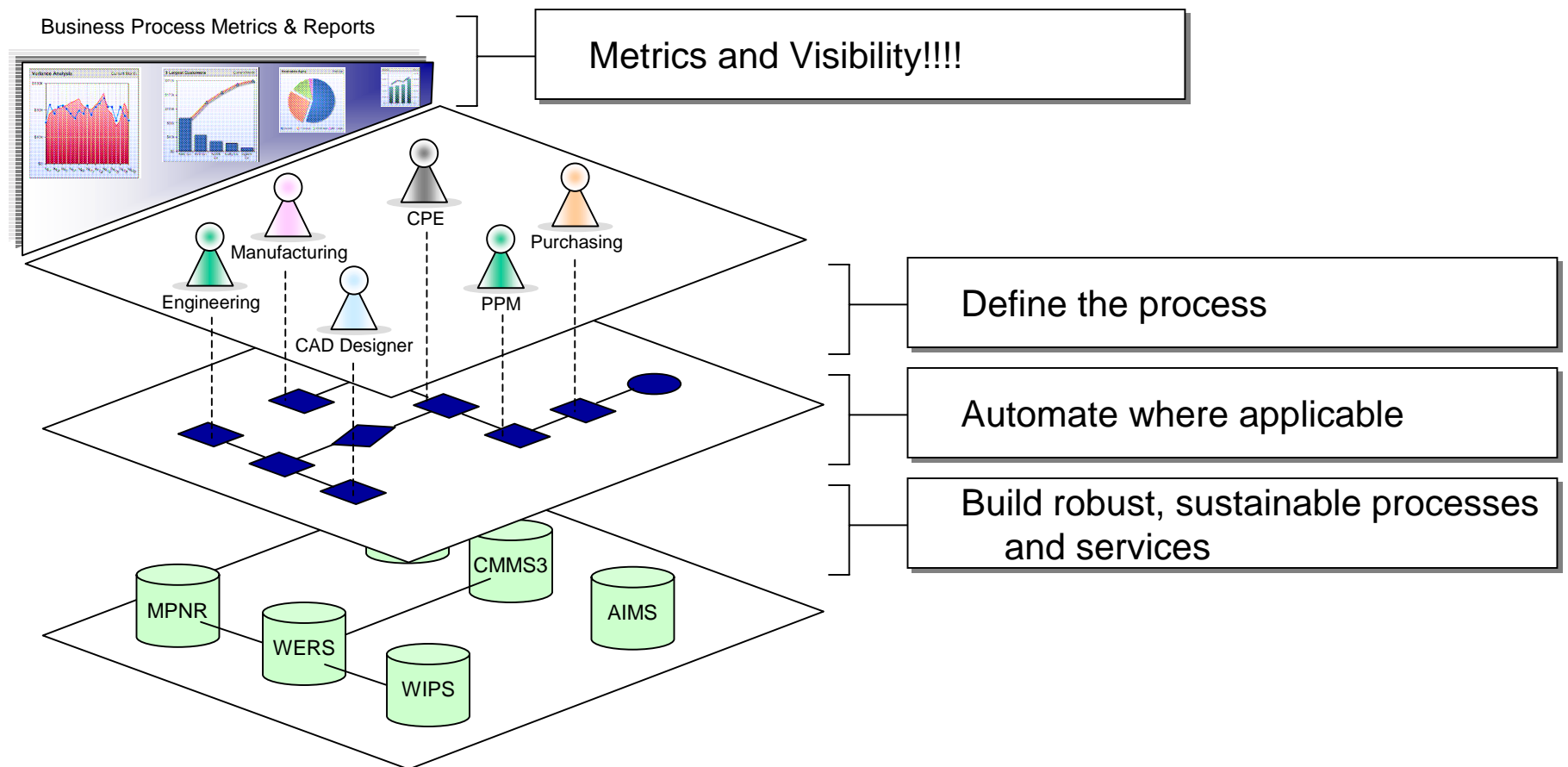
BPM Initiative :

- Driven by business vision, goals and metrics
- Supported by “plain” or automated process – or both!

SOA Initiative :

- Supported by Core IT / Architecture, as well as BPM Initiative

Implementation Example





Appendix



SOA-Consortium

The SOA Consortium is an advocacy group comprised of end users, service providers, and technology vendors, committed to helping the Global 1000 successfully adopt SOA by 2010.



BPM Consortium

The BPM Consortium is an advocacy group and community of BPM Practitioners, visionaries and authorities advocating for the adoption of best practices in Business Process Management across all industries and in government operations.



Input requested...

- What are your motivations for joining the call today and getting involved in the work of integrating BPM and SOA?
- What are the five most important things you would like to see the BPM / SOA Consortium accomplish this year?
- What are the top five things you would like to learn more about at the upcoming BPM / SOA meetings?

Please e-mail your responses to karen@omg.org