

Rational RequisitePro QuickStart

Application development is a complex undertaking. To streamline and manage this complexity, you must clearly define the problem you are facing and its solution. Only then can you develop and deliver applications that satisfy real customer needs.

Unfortunately, most software development teams tend to forge ahead building solutions to problems that are not clearly understood. Studies repeatedly show neglecting to carefully elicit user input and poor management of project requirements are the most significant reasons that more than 70% of all software projects fail or are severely impaired (CHAOS, The Standish Group International, Inc., Dennis, MA).

The IBM Rational RequisitePro solution is an easy to use requirements management tool that lets teams write and share their requirements using familiar document-based methods, while leveraging database-enabled capabilities such as requirements traceability and impact analysis. The result is better communication and management of requirements with the increased likelihood of completing projects on time, within budget and above expectations.

IBM, PreferredPartner and IconATG have teamed together to offer a RequisitePro QuickStart program to help clients receive the benefits of this product as rapidly and painlessly as possible.

What is included in this offering?

Day 1: Preparation and Installation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review current requirements management process Install trial version of tool and configure
Day 2: Training and initial setup
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ½ day training - Introduction to RequisitePro Load pilot project
Day 3: Continue initial setup and recommendations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue load of pilot project Develop and present recommendations

QuickStart Pricing:

- \$3,500 plus travel and expenses
- Includes a 15 day **FREE** trial of the software
- Includes training material for up to 12 students

Common Problems addressed with RequisitePro:

- Mismatch in expectations between the business and IT departments
- Priority and approval status of a requirement is unclear
- Lack of information on who created, modified or deleted a requirement
- Requirements are not communicated or coordinated between multiple locations
- Disconnects between the application baseline and functional testing

How RequisitePro can help you:

- Control and manage application requirements
- Provide an enterprise-accessible standard repository for requirements
- Provide security to control access to project requirements
- Trace requirements flow down between documents
- Provide reports and queries



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