

How SteelTrace helps the CxO and VP deliver on IT and Business Goals!

- You are in charge.
- You need to manage costs and resources; you are expected to deliver more for less each quarter.
- You have to handle SOX and other corporate compliance issues.
- You want to create a strong link between your IT strategies and business goals and to deliver projects that enable business growth.
- You want to inspire and get the best out of your team.
- You face pressure as a result of:
 - demand to grow shareholder value through efficiencies, improved business processes and delivering smart products to market quickly
 - communicating complex projects to, and managing expectations of, your peer group and board
 - project failure and investment write off as a result of poor requirements management
 - poor project quality due to inadequate testing plans and failure to test against business requirements

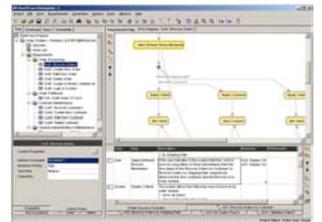
Now you can handle these issues easily with SteelTrace 4.0. New levels of usability and interactivity to project requirements capture, definition and management enable you to better utilize and direct your resources.

SteelTrace gives you:

STANDARD STRUCTURE FOR ALL YOUR ORGANIZATION'S PROJECTS



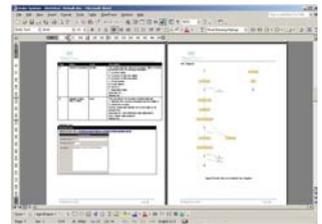
SteelTrace makes requirements capture and management really easy. More than that, though, it offers a standard structure for all projects and its associated documents and reports. SteelTrace's common structure and pre-canned project and document templates make all projects easier to understand and ensure that outputs reflect corporate standards and processes. For CIO's and VP's managing multiple projects across large organizations, this standardization simplifies reporting and effective management of resources for individual projects and gives deeper visibility on all projects.



AUTOMATED DOCUMENTS AND REPORTS THAT PUT THE RIGHT INFORMATION INTO THE RIGHT HANDS



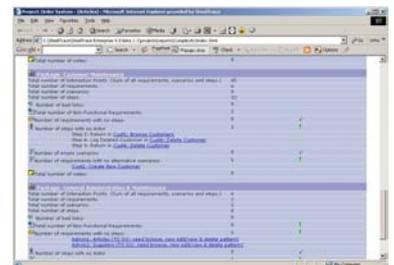
With SteelTrace's automatic document generation you can get the management information you need, in the format you want, real-time. Your reports can be standardized so that you can compare projects across divisions or for your organization as a whole. Whether you are checking project status, compliance with your organization's processes, or are monitoring costs, deliverability and general progress, SteelTrace gives you hands-on access to all the information you need to make the right decisions quickly. By being able to easily review the project activities, on-line or off-line, you can keep on top of what is happening on the ground, throughout the project life cycle. This way, you are in charge.



AUTOMATED PRE-CANNED AND CUSTOMISABLE REPORTS IN ANY FORMAT FOR FULL PROJECT ANALYSIS



With SteelTrace, you can access all of the information you need to analyze your project(s). As well as standard project document templates, SteelTrace, with its structure, customer properties and complex querying functions, gives you unprecedented flexibility in mining the valuable data held in your project. You can have a complete, real-time picture of your project(s), analyzed, parsed and sliced in any way you wish, based on specific metrics or domain



information of interest. New to version 4.0 is the Complexity and Completeness Report that automatically gives you a summary view of the project, its intricacy and the completeness of its scope, perfect for high-level management of your project(s).

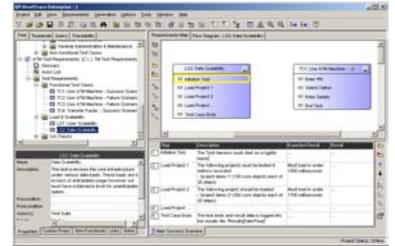
In addition, corporate compliance is managed by easily producing the reports that demonstrate adherence to process and fulfillment of business needs. You can extract data based on any metric, characteristic or value assuring you that the data is current and covers all of the issues at stake. As well as the peace of mind of being to manage your project information in real-time, SteelTrace helps you fulfill your SOX compliance requirements.

ASSURANCE THAT PROJECT DELIVERS ON ALL REQUIREMENTS



In the current environment of compliance and accountability, it is all the more important that ALL of your IT investment yields efficiencies and value for your organization.

With SteelTrace's automatic test case generation capability, every requirement, link and dependency – whether business, operational, visual etc. – is mapped to the test plan, ensuring complete coverage of the project's ability to deliver. This means that the testing process is based on the actual requirements as captured and defined and that the final project will deliver specifically on these requirements. This gives a deeper relationship between the project and the requirements originally captured as well as reducing re-work requirements and project risk.



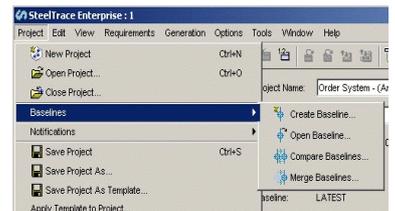
VISIBILITY OF PROJECT CHANGE FLUX AND SCOPE CREEP



As CIO, you need to be able to keep track of the level of change that is taking place in the project. Requirements going bad, scope creep and projects deviating from plan are perennial problems. While projects will naturally evolve and change as part of the definition process, you will also want to monitor the level of changes being submitted.

SteelTrace's baseline functionality gives all stakeholders the chance to monitor and compare changes. In addition, projects can be cloned to enable divergence or for establishing a point of sign off within a project or even for enabling the use of an existing project to kick off a new one.

Abnormally high level of change may indicate a significant deviation from the original scope and may trigger some early intervention. Baselines save a lot of time and make it easy to get project sign-off.

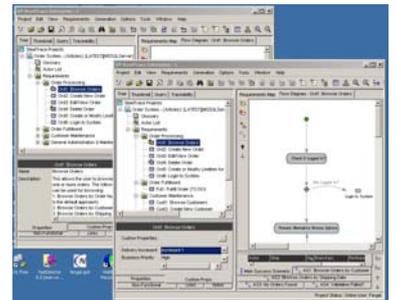


COLLABORATION BETWEEN MULTIPLE TEAMS, OFF-SHORE OR ON-SHORE, OFFLINE OR ONLINE



It is likely that some of your teams are distributed – perhaps even offshore. You need to be sure that all staff are working off the most current version of the project, using corporate processes and standards and that they can input their changes with minimal disruption to other users of the system.

SteelTrace gives you this and more. Distributed teams of any size can work on projects in real-time while on-line, or off-line with controlled merge-back of data when back on-line. Live visibility of changes for all SteelTrace users speeds up the definition process and ensures that the central project is the reference baseline. All changes and inputs are accurately tracked maintaining an accurate audit trail. Maximum participation is ensured, with users working on the most current version of the project every time.



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SteelTrace gives CxO's and Senior Managers more than a structured, defined and easy to communicate requirements capture tool. Organizations can make accurate estimates and deliver projects with greater predictability and control. You can now manage your resources and compliance issues real-time, making the right decisions, based on the right information, right now.