

# ARIS for SAP Projects

Leonardo Consulting, experts in ARIS since 1999, will provide a set of process-based tools and methodologies to assist your company with SAP implementation or upgrade

**Is your organization implementing SAP for the first time or are you upgrading your existing SAP environment? There are a number of common challenges organizations face during SAP implementations or upgrades. Such challenges are:**

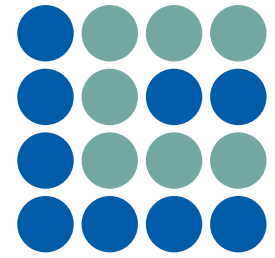
- A lack of common language and understanding between Business Owners and IT Representatives. SAP terminology is very specific, and often not understood by the business stakeholders. How do you bridge the terminology gap between the SAP project team and the business stakeholders?
- Misalignment between the Business Requirements and the implemented solution. Traditionally SAP projects have focused primarily on SAP functionality in isolation, without taking into account the business environment, resulting in implemented SAP solutions which do not meet your original business requirements. How do you ensure the SAP solution meets the original business requirements set out?
- Missing transparency of business information and project documentation throughout the various stages of the implementation or upgrade. One of the most common reasons for project cost overruns and delays, is as a result of poor project management documentation during an SAP project. How do you ensure traceability of your business requirements right from the feasibility stage through to the implementation and post-implementation stages of the project?
- Lack of understanding the SAP functionality. If you are a new SAP user, do you have an understanding how the SAP functionality will integrate into your current business, and if you are an existing user upgrading your SAP environment, do you understand what functionality you are currently using and what you are not using?
- Missing link between the SAP solution configuration, and the business processes associated with the solution. Do you have certainty that the configuration of your SAP solution is in alignment with the business processes being represented and signed off by the business representatives?

**It has been proven time and time again that Process-driven SAP programmes not only increase the quality of your implementation or upgrade, but that shorter project delivery times within budget, are realized.** Organisations that adopt a Process-driven approach to SAP programmes realize the following forms of benefits:

- 20 – 50% \* savings in Blueprint, realization time and costs by starting with SAP reference process templates
- A simpler transition of your current process landscape to an SAP based process landscape
- Efficient modeling, compliant with SAP Solution Manager, through the usage of SAP reference content, automatic re-documentation approach or easy transformation of business models into configuration models, reduces the time for an implementation project
- The ability to visually display your SAP solution in business terminology, with the ability to auto generate testing and training material from your process information
- Process based displays can provide an easy overview of non-used SAP transactions, reducing upgrade costs and time by up to 30% \*
- Processes provide an effective ongoing post-implementation support tool for the business representatives and IT representatives alike

(\*Figures and percentages are referenced from IDS-Scheer AG, and are indications only.





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Process-oriented and tool supported implementation of SAP solutions with LEONARDO CONSULTING

Whether you are implementing SAP for the first time or upgrading your existing SAP environment, Leonardo Consulting has a set of process-based tools and methodologies to assist you throughout the various stages of your SAP implementation or upgrade.



## About Leonard CONSULTING

We deliver Business Process Management consulting, education and software solutions with a commitment to quality outcomes. This is based on a deep understanding of the role of process management in corporate performance management. Our customers come from a wide spectrum in the public and private sectors in Australia and overseas. They are a diverse group unified by a commitment to process-based management.



**ARIS**  
Platform

Leonardo sold and implemented the first major ARIS software solution in Australia. We have worked across Australasia, South East Asia and South America supporting clients large and small.

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