

# Provide Standardization and Uniform Process Adoption in Project Initiation and Planning

DO YOU ENDEAVOR TO UTILIZE A UNIFORM PROCESS FOR NEW PROJECT CREATION BUT HAVEN'T DELIVERED? HOW CAN YOU BE SURE ACCEPTED PROCEDURES ARE BEING USED THROUGHOUT YOUR ORGANIZATION TO DELIVER GREATER VALUE AND PROJECT SUCCESS? WITH THE CA CLARITY™ PROJECT PLANNING ACCELERATOR YOU CAN MAINTAIN SUPERIOR CONTROL OF YOUR PROJECT INITIATION AND PLANNING THROUGHOUT ALL PHASES.

## Service That Supports Your Business

The CA Clarity Project Planning Accelerator is a set of workflows that help users improve project success rates and project quality management through standard processes and templates. This Accelerator provides best practices standardization for project initiation.

### Benefits That Deliver Value

The CA Clarity Project Planning Accelerator

- Promotes the use of standard practices in project initiation to save time and improve efficiency
- Delivers defensible project plans based on relevant methodology
- Provides automated processes for repeatable project delivery

### What You Get

The CA Clarity Project Planning Accelerator includes the pre-configured components in Table A and the services to install, set up, test and verify this Accelerator. You also receive mentoring on how to best utilize the components, as well as the supporting user documentation and code.

TABLE A

CA CLARITY PROJECT PLANNING ACCELERATOR WORKFLOWS AND DESCRIPTIONS

Request to Project lifecycle

Invoked by Request Review process when an idea is created with the Request type value set to Major Project or when a user creates a new project using the IT Methodology template; creates a new project with the same name as the idea and copies the forms, documents, project plan, estimate rules and WBS from the IT Methodology template

TABLE A (CONTINUED)

CA CLARITY PROJECT PLANNING ACCELERATOR WORKFLOWS AND DESCRIPTIONS

Request to Application Change	Invoked by Request Review process when an idea is created with the Request type value set to Application Change and the Request category is Enhancement or when a user creates a new project using the Application Change template; creates a new project with the same name as the idea and copies the forms, documents, project plan estimate rules and the WBS from the Application Change template
Request to Application COTS	Invoked by Request Review process when an idea is created with the Request type value set to Application Change and the Request category is COTS Evaluation or when a user creates a new project using the Application COTS template; creates a new project with the same name as the idea and copies forms, documents, project plan, estimate rules and WBS from the Application Change template
Request to IT Infrastructure Deployment	Invoked by the Request Review process when an idea is created with the Request type value set to Infrastructure Deployment or when a user creates a new project using the IT Infrastructure Deployment template; creates a new project with the same name as the idea and copies the forms, documents, project plan, estimate rules and WBS from the IT Infrastructure Deployment template

## Why CA Services?

By leveraging our proven 9-stage methodology, best practices and expertise, CA Services can help you implement CA products in a way that shortens time-to-value and lowers project risk. When it comes to deploying CA solutions, no other organization can provide the depth of expertise, breadth of services, and partner network required to help you achieve the efficient IT management that drives business results.

## Get Started

To purchase the CA Clarity Project Planning Accelerator or to speak with CA about how you can integrate this solution into your environment, please contact CA Services at [ca.com/services](http://ca.com/services).