

Plan for a Strategic IT Asset Management Solution

A MATURE, BUSINESS-DRIVEN IT ASSET MANAGEMENT (ITAM) SYSTEM LETS YOU TRACK AND PROACTIVELY MANAGE THE ENTIRE IT ASSET LIFE CYCLE - FROM PLANNING AND PROCUREMENT TO CONFIGURATION MANAGEMENT TO RETIREMENT AND DISPOSAL - AND IS SUPPORTED BY EFFICIENT WORKFLOWS AND CORPORATE POLICY AGREEMENTS THAT SPAN IT TO OPERATIONS TO FINANCE. ITAM CAPABILITIES MUST BE MODELED TO SUPPORT IT AND BUSINESS OPERATIONS AND IMPROVE RESOURCE CONTROL. ANALYZING THE MATURITY OF YOUR ITAM OPERATIONS, BUSINESS GOALS AND IT NEEDS BEFORE YOU DEPLOY CA UNICENTER ASSET PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT CAN ENSURE A RESULTING ITAM SOLUTION DELIVERS A HEALTHY RETURN ON INVESTMENT. AN ASSESSMENT EVALUATES YOUR CURRENT STATE CAPABILITIES, BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS, WORKFLOWS AND COSTS TO ESTABLISH A PLAN FOR DRIVING GREATER AUTOMATION, STANDARDIZATION AND COMPLIANCE.

Service That Supports Your Business

The CA ITAM Readiness Assessment analyzes the current state of your asset management environment in terms of people, processes and technology and from Requisition to Disposal. The assessment compares your current asset management capabilities against CA and industry best practices to identify performance improvement opportunities and the steps necessary to elevate your ITAM capabilities to a higher level of maturity and efficiency.

This detailed assessment shows you how to drive down costs through better asset tracking and management and by gaining greater control of software licenses and versioning, hardware leases, vendor contracts and asset terms and conditions. This assessment also outlines ways to eliminate waste by identifying redundancy in assets that are not being used and assets that could be used more effectively.

Benefits That Deliver Value

The CA ITAM Readiness Assessment provides the following benefits:

- Aligns your ITAM processes with your business goals and IT needs
- Boosts ITAM maturity in terms of people, processes and technology
- Increases your ability to adapt to changing business requirements and make sound business decisions in a constantly changing environment
- Improves business planning with a roadmap for phased deployment of an ITAM framework
- Identifies process, policy and technology gaps and strengths and recommends specific actions

What You Get

The CA ITAM Readiness Assessment service provides an evaluation of:

- Existing ITAM processes, policies and procedures compared with industry standards and best practices
- IT asset management strategy, objectives and constraints
- Organizational structure, roles and responsibilities supporting your current ITAM capabilities
- Business policies and operational standards associated with ITAM
- The technology supporting your ITAM strategy, including the level of integration with existing business processes and with discovery tools, network management products and service desk solutions, as well as your support and use of “homegrown” applications and systems

Assessment recommendations are delivered in a comprehensive Readiness Report that provides:

- An executive summary of the results
- A detailed analysis of performance gaps
- Recommendations for improving the people, processes and technology
- Summary of financial savings opportunities
- An implementation roadmap

CA Vision

Enterprise IT Management (EITM) is CA's vision to unify and simplify complex IT environments for greater business results. We do this securely through the intelligent integration and dynamic management of people, processes and technology across the enterprise, including storage, systems, networks, applications, databases and security. Customers can better manage risk, manage costs, improve service and ensure IT resources are consistently used to drive the business.

Why CA Services?

CA Services specializes in designing, implementing and optimizing solutions to help you achieve the efficient IT performance that drives superior business results. We use a five-step, time-to-value approach that delivers results quickly and incrementally.

- Best practice leadership
- Rapid time-to-value
- Multi-phased deployments
- Stabilization
- On-boarding education

Get Started

To find out how you can make CA EITM solutions work in your business environment, please contact CA Services at ca.com/services.