Organization Background & Context

Subject Name:

Company Name:

Business Unit Name:

Business Concentration:

- ☐ Aerospace/Defense
- ☐ Business/MIS
- ☐ Scientific/Engineering
- ☐ Telecommunications
- ☐ Utilities
- ☐ Other...

Assessments:

Has the business unit been assessed for the CMM, ISO-9000 or similar standard? What was the result of the assessment?

How Big is the Business Unit?

Budget or Sales:

People:

Engineers:

Projects:

Internal Customers:

Internal Suppliers:

External to organization (e.g. outside suppliers, customers, etc)

External to your group but within your organization

Internal to your group

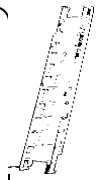
Concept | Planning | Implementation | Fielding & Maintenance

In which region is the source of the greatest problems for your software architecture?

Concept | Planning | Implementation | Fielding & Maintenance

At what point are you 90% confident that the schedule shared with customers is accurate?

What steps did you take to get started with a common software architecture?



Distinguishing Characteristics: *What characteristics, products, or processes distinguish your business unit?*

Typical Project Characteristics:

Mostly Hardware
Mostly Software
Mixture

Size:

Duration:

Origin:

Mostly New Development
Mostly Evolving Legacy Systems
Mixture of Both

Other Characteristics of your Customer Environment:
e.g. competitive, rapidly changing, etc.

Customer Values Scale 1 (lowest) - 5(highest)

Safety
Price
Time to Market
Functionality
Reliability

5
4
3
2
1

Safety | Price | Time to Market | Functionality | Reliability

If you have to slip to keep the project on track, what do you slip first? *(e.g. process, schedule, requirements, risk etc.)*

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