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SW + SW Engineering# SW + SW engineering

- SW comprises of computer program, that provides desired features, functionalities & performance when executed.
- SW encompassed descriptive info. available in both hard copy & in virtual form.

* Types of SW

a) System SW \Rightarrow Programs written to service another programs.
eg \Rightarrow compilers, editors.
 \Rightarrow processes complex & determinate info. structures.

b) Engineering SW \Rightarrow characterised by no. ^{Crunching} searching algo.
 \Rightarrow used in astronomy, volcanology, molecular biology, etc.

c) Application SW \Rightarrow stand-alone program that perform a specific task used for addressing business models.
eg \Rightarrow Management decision making tools.

d) Embedded SW \Rightarrow resides within a product or a system, controlling features for end users & system itself.
eg: \Rightarrow automobile digital functions.

e) Productline software \Rightarrow designed for to be used by many customers, and addresses specific capabilities.
eg \Rightarrow inventory control products, word processing.

f) Web App \Rightarrow Network centric application that offer various functionalities.

eg \Rightarrow simple HTML files to sophisticated computing env.

3) AI slw \Rightarrow utilized non-numerical algos for solving complex problems.

eg \Rightarrow Robotics, expert systems, pattern recognition.

* Challenges in slw development

1) Growing user interest \Rightarrow the no. of stakeholders interested in slw has significantly increased.

2) Complexity of system \Rightarrow modern tech & products are highly complex, requiring meticulous attention to slw elements.

3) Consequences of slw failure \Rightarrow may range from minor failures that can be fixed quickly to catastrophic failure.

4) Increasing Perceived value \Rightarrow as perceived value of any app. grows their user base longevity also increases.

Layered Technology

slw engg. is a fully layered technology, to develop slw we need to go from one layer to another where all layers are interconnected & each layer demands completion of previous layer.

a parts in which layered tech. is divided

1) A quality focus layer

- Serves as bedrock for slw development & continuous process of improvement principles of slw.

- Provides integrity & security to SICW and data managing data access control.
- Focuses on quality & promoting quality management.
- A quality focused culture fosters continuous process improvement.

2) Process layer

- Forms foundation of SICW engineering, key that binds all layers together that enables development of SICW.
- Provides a framework for rational & timely development of SICW & its delivery.
- Process considers all the activities, actions & tasks i.e. milestones required throughout the project.

Process activities →

- a) communication → EImp thing in dev. & necessary to know the demands of the client.
- b) planning → drawing a map to reduce complications of development.
- c) Modelling → Model is created accordingly, so that client can get better understanding.
- d) construction → coding & testing.
- e) Deployment → delivery of project to the client for evaluation.

3) Method

- Provides the details for all "how to do" questions in building the SICW.
- Has info. about all & tasks to be done such as communication, requirement analysis, design modelling, programming & testing.

4) Tools

- SICW development tools provide automated or semi-automated support for SICW development process & methods.
- Tools facilitate various task such as designing, modeling, coding, testing. They are integrated in system, thus can be used by another app. too.

* Process Framework

- A generic process framework for SW engineering has 5 parts

a) communication →

- identify stakeholders and their involvement in solution
- Find the unknown questions & solution to them i.e. features & functionalities.
- divide the problem into parts for better understanding
- Explore the graphical rep (model) etc.

b) planning →

- try finding patterns & ~~similarities~~ in previous solns -
- Evaluate existing project for reuse.
- define sub-problems and assess their solvability.
- create an implementation friendly rep. of soln .

c) Modeling →

- Ensure solution aligns with the plan
- Verify traceability of source code to design model
- confirm correctness of each component through reviews or proof.
- Develop a comprehensive testing strategy, validate against requirements.

d) deployment →

- Take care of all the configurations before deploying the project
- All even testing should be done .

e) construction →

- code the entire Project.

(a)

* Umbrella activities

- ① Project tracking and control
- ② Risk management
- ③ Quality assurance
- ④ Configuration management

→ Task set: defines specific work to be done within S/W engg. actions to achieve objectives.

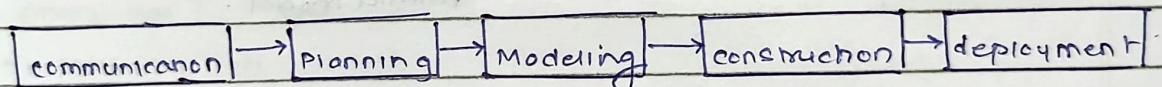
→ Process patterns: describes a problem encountered in S/W engg. ~~recent work~~, identify it & suggest a proven solution.

→ process flow: how the framework activities, actions & tasks are organised in terms of sequence & time

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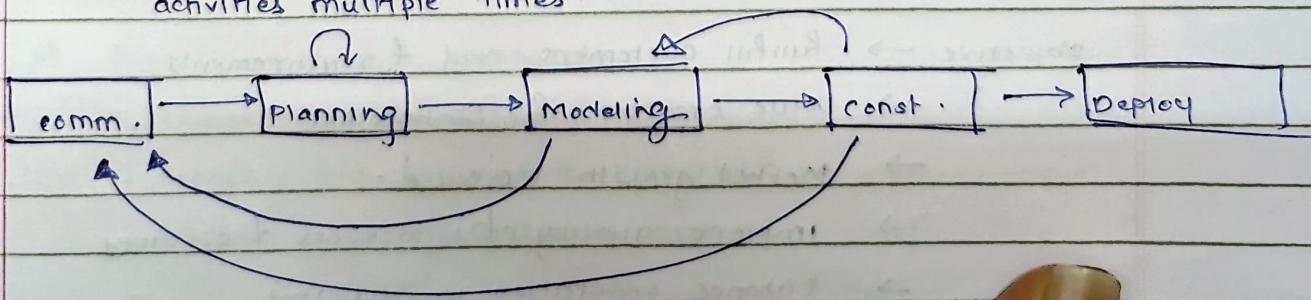
Types of process flows

① linear → executes each of s framework activities in line (sequence).



a step by step process w/o revisiting any.

② Iterative → repeats one or more activities before moving to next. Also allows a feedback & refinement by revisiting activities multiple times.

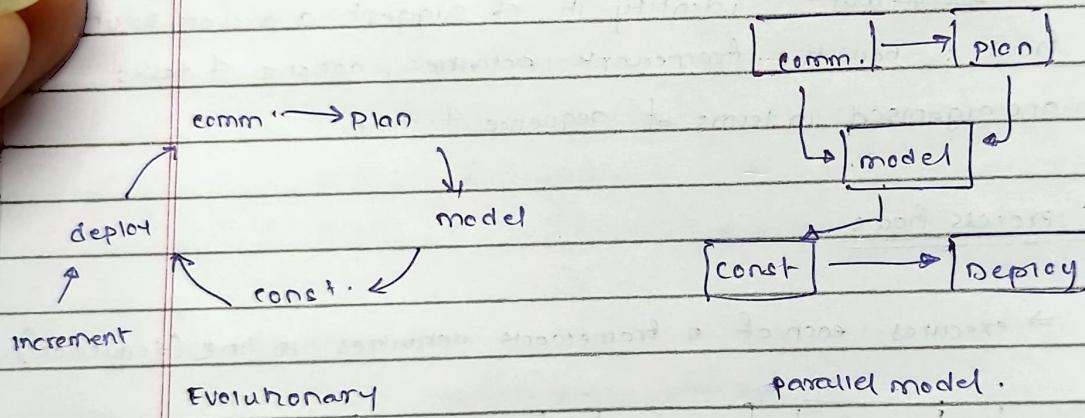


④ Evolutionary

- Executes activities in a circular manner, with each circuit through the 5 activities resulting in a more complete version of SW.
- Focused on incremental development & continuous improvement.

⑤ Parallel

- One or more activities concurrently executed rather than sequential execution.
- Enabling team to accelerate deployment process.



CMMI (capability maturity model)

- Framework used to analyse approaches & techniques followed by an organisation to develop SW products.
- Also provides guidelines to further develop the process.

objective → fulfill customers need & requirements

→ Value creation for stakeholders

→ Market growth increased.

→ Improve quality of products & services

→ Enhance reputation in industry.

* CMMI staged representation

- Akin to climbing set of stairs, where each stairs increases the maturity level of process.
- At each level, org needs to meet criteria, increasing with levels of achievements.
 - Provides a structured approach i.e. following predefined staircases to improve the process.

* CMMI continuous representation

- Akin to use a slider with multiple positions, each representing different capability area such as project management, engg.
- organisation have flexibility to focus on specific areas of improvements at their own pace, adjust the slider according to priorities.
 - This allows customization & adaption based on unique needs of organisations.

* CMMI has 5 stages

1) Maturity level : Initial

- processes are poorly managed & controlled
- unpredictable outcomes from process
- chaotic approach & ad hoc
- lowest quality & high risk.
- individual performance & no grp work.

2) Maturity level : Managed:

- requirements are managed.
- processes are planned & controlled.
- Projects implemented acc. to plan.
- Risk still exists.
- Quality is improved.

process
 performance
 quality
 MRP
 Procedure

3) Maturity level : Defined

- Processes are well characterized & described using proper procedures, methods, etc.
- Medium quality & medium risk
- Focus is process standardization.

4) Maturity level : Quantitatively managed

- Quantitative objectives / goals are set for performance and quality.
- quantitative objectives are based on customers requirements, etc.
- Process performances are analysed quantitatively.
- higher quality of process is achieved.
- lower risk.

5) Maturity level : Optimizing

- continuous improvement in the performance
- improvement has to be both incremental & innovative
- highest quality of process
- lowest risk.

Perspective models

- Designed to find the best solution for proposed problem.
- ~~such model makes tradeoff b/w~~
- Prescribe a set of process elements & a predictable process workflow for every project.

Types → waterfall model,

Incremental process model,
RAD model.

① The waterfall model

- A linear sequential model, classic lifecycle model.
- Here each phase is fully completed before the start of next phase.
- This model is used for small projects.
- Feedback is taken after each stage to make sure project is on right path.

Adv → simple, has sequential phases
⇒ all requirements mentioned upfront.

comm

planning

modeling

const

deployment

disadv → not good for complex projects.

⇒ issues may not be discovered until testing.
⇒ High risk.

② The incremental model

- Combines the elements of waterfall model and they are applied iteratively.
- 1st increment in this model is a core product.
- Each increment ~~delivers~~ builds a portion of functionality & deliver to customer for feedback.
- Next increment implements customers suggestion.
A process is repeated.

Adv → flexibility & low cost dev.

⇒ Easy testing & quick working env.

⇒ customer feedback.

Disadv → may overrun cost (due to increments)

⇒ careful management, customer demands.

⑥ The RAD model (Rapid App. development)

- Using RAD, a sys is developed in very short time.
- initially starts with comm. b/w customer & developer.
- planning depends on initial requirements and then requirements are divided into grp.

RAD has following steps:

a) Business Modeling \Rightarrow

- All ~~the~~ type of info. that is produced by every function & functions to handle that info.

b) Data Modeling \Rightarrow

- The info in BM phase is refined into set of objects
- the attributes of each objects are identified & relationship is defined b/w them

c) Process Modeling

- Data objects moded in DM are modified to fulfill info reqd to implement business model.

d) App. generation

- the actual system is built & automated tools are used to do so.

e) Testing & turnover

- prototypes are independently tested after each iteration so that overall testing time is reduced.

ADV \Rightarrow swift development, working prototypc.

DISADV \Rightarrow Requires thorough business analysis, complex data & needed process modeling.

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Evolutionary Process Model

- Based on the concept of making an initial product and evolving the s/w product overtime with iterative and incremental approach.
- Product goes through several iteration until it becomes the final product & feedbacks are taken during development.
- Here customer involvement is very high & product is build as per customer needs.

Types

a) Iterative model

- 1st we take initial requirements & then enhance the product over multiple iterations.
- Each iteration, some modifications are made & functionalities are added.
- Build the final product as the user wants with multiple iterations, thus reducing the errors too.

Steps

- Requirements gathering & analysis → From customers requirements are collected and analysed based on constraints (money).
- Design → team designs the s/w using various diagrams, class, state, flow, etc.
- Implementation → requirements are implemented i.e. s/w.
- Testing → after implementation, s/w testing starts using diff. testing methods (white, gray, black) box method.

(i) deployment → deployed on its working env.

(ii) Review → review is done to check the behaviour & validity of developed product (If any error, then restart all stages)

(iii) Maintenance → slw may have some bugs, updates, etc. maintenance involves debugging them.

(b) Incremental Model

- * We 1st build the project with basic features & then evolve the project with iterations, mainly done in large projects.
- * Process repeats several times until project is ready.

Steps

(i) Requirement analysis → requirements are identified, and understood to ~~not~~ adjust them in incremental model.

(ii) Design & development → design of systems functionality and development methods are done.

(iii) testing ⇒ checking the performance of each existing function as well as additional functionality.

(iv) Implementation ⇒ coding phase, developing actual slw. First coding that converts design into app.

(Diagram)

(c) Spiral Model

- combination of waterfall & iterative model, focused on risk handling along with developing with incremental & iterative approach.
- SW is created via multiple cycles using a spiral approach.
At later on in successive development the final product will be developed.

parts:

- objective setting \Rightarrow each cycle starts with identification of purpose for that cycle, considering all alternatives.
- Risk assessment & reduction \Rightarrow calc. various alternatives based on goals & constraints. Focus of eval is risk to the project with each method.
- Development & validation \Rightarrow develop the strategies that resolve the risk. Strategies like benchmarking, simulation etc.
- Planning \Rightarrow The next step is planned, proj is reviewed & a choice is made whether to continue further period of spiral or not.

ADV \rightarrow suitable for complex projects

Disadv

- \rightarrow Enhanced flexibility
- \rightarrow risk reduction
- \rightarrow customer collab.
- \rightarrow adapt change

\rightarrow complex

\rightarrow high cost

\rightarrow resource intensive

Prototyping

- Process of developing - a working replication of the ~~market~~ product (SIW).

Done when cust. do not know exact project requirements.

Steps

- ① Requirement gathering & analysis is initial for designing a prototyping model.
User is asked about what they expect from SIW.
- ② Quick design → basic design done (made for a quick overview of description).
- ③ Build a prototype → help building an actual prototype from designed prototype.
- ④ Initial user eval → testing performances of the model, as customer tests strengths & weaknesses, then sent to developer.
- ⑤ Refining prototype → based on feedback from user (client), the final system is approved (reworked).
- ⑥ Implement & maintain product → final system is tested & distributed to production.

* Types of prototyping

a) Rapid Throwingaway prototyping →

- Quick prototype created for each idea, allowing customer feedback.
- Prototype may not become final product but helps get feedback.

b) Evolutionary Prototyping →

- Initial prototype is refined incrementally based on customer feedback saving energy to rework from scratch.

c) Incremental prototyping →

- Final prod. is divided into small prototypes developed individually, then merged into single prod.
- Reducing complexity & proj duration.

d) Extreme Prototyping →

- Start with basic coding, then add functional screen, with data then final services, for final prototyping.

* ADV (prototyping)

- early customer feedback.
- easy accommodation of new requirements.
- design flexibility
- testing & validation of design.
- Risk reduction & improved comm.

DISADV

- Time & cost insensitive
- variation in requirements
- difficulty in accommodating changes
- limited scalability
- disagree customer not satisfied.
- additional costs.

Test Driven Development (TDD)

- test cases are written before the code that validates those test cases.
- Depends on repetition of very short dev. cycle.
- automated unit tests are used to drive the design & free decoupling of dependencies.

Process sequences

- ① Add a test → test case to describe functionality
- ② Run all test cases & make sure new test case fails
- ③ Write a code that passes new testcase.
- ④ Run test cases
- ⑤ Refactor code (remove duplication.)
- ⑥ Repeat steps..

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Agile Development

- way of working on a project where team collaborates closely and adapts to changes.
- Emphasised on team work, flexibility and delivering quality slowly.
- Agile methods focus on frequent checks and improvements, with goal of meeting customer needs and company goals.

Benefits of Agile for customers

- Faster response to development req.
- Quick delivery
- High cust. satisfaction.

Benefits of Agile for vendors :

- high value features reduces wastages
- less time-to-market compared to waterfall.
- better cust. satisfaction.

Benefits of Agile for development teams.

- Enjoyment in doing work.
- less non-productivity.
- Time for Valuable work.

Benefits of Agile for product managers:

- easier alignment of development work with customer needs.
- enhanced delivery of value to customers.

Benefits of Agile for project Managers

- More concrete planning & tracking
- task level tracking for better awareness.
- Daily scrum meetings
- Quick detection & resolution of issue.

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Scrum Development

- Scrum is a type of agile framework.
- In which people can address complex adaptive problem, while productivity & creativity of delivering the products is at highest possible values.
- Scrum uses iterative process

Features:

- light weighted
- emphasises self organisation
- simple to understand
- framework to help team work together.

* Sprint → time of one month or less. A new sprint immediately starts on completion of previous.

* Release → product is completed & is in release deployment phase.

* sprint review → products still have some non-achievable features, that will be checked currently & then passed to sprint retrospective stage.

- * Sprint retrospective stage → quality or stakes of the product is checked
- * Product backlog → based on priority the features are now implemented
- * Sprint backlog → divided into two parts, products assigned features to sprint of sprint planning meeting.

Adv of using Scrum :

- fast moving & money efficient
- Divide large product into small product.
- customer satisfaction is important (relies on feedback)
- adaptive because it has a short sprint .
- better quality is the aim

Disadv of Scrum:

- Does not allow changes into sprint.
- Not a fully described model .
- hard to plan the structure , if proj definition is not clear
- Daily scrum meetings .