

Software Engineering - the establishment and use of sound engineering principles to obtain economically software that is reliable and works efficiently on real machines.

(1) The application of a systematic, disciplined, quantifiable approach to the development, operation, and maintenance of software data and that is, the application of engineering to software.

(2) Study of approaches as in (1).

1) Capturing Requirements  
2) Design  
(a) (Code) Quality Assurance  
(b) Software Project Management  
(c) Software Successfull if developer, customer, user happy

quality metric —

(1) A quantitative measure of the degree to which an item possesses a given quality attribute.

(2) A function whose inputs are software data and whose output is a single numerical value that can be interpreted as the degree to which the software possesses a given quality attribute.

• **relevance** — relevant wrt. overall goals and needs; plausible: Good evidence; proband's valuations mand quality are related; robust: The valuation of a proband cannot be arbitrarily manipulated; autonomy / opposite: Feature for which no evidence needs to be in place when needed; economical: Cost of measuring needs to be in a good relation to gain; comparable: Some scales have incomparable values; reproducible: Multiple applications to the same proband yields the same valuation; differentiated: Sufficiently different valuations for sufficiently different probands

• **prescriptive**, i.e. stating a need or demand on not yet existing software.

• **descriptive**, i.e. stating a diagnosed or prognosed property of existing software.

• **base measure** — measure derived in terms of an attribute and the method for quantifying it; **derived measure** — measure that is defined as a function of two or more values of base m

**Nominal scale** — nationality, gender, car manufacturer, geographic direction, train number, ...

• programming language (S = {Java, C, ...})

**Ordinal scale** > - CMMI scale (maturity levels 1-5)

**Interval Scale** — there is a (natural) notion of difference

$\Delta: S \times S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , but no (natural) proportion and  $\Delta$  is a check-in in revision control system

**Rational Scale**: runtime of a program for given inputs — The (natural) zero indicates a meaning for proportion m/m/2.

**Absolute Scale**: "average number of children per family: 1.203" — what is a 0.203-child? number of children

**Subjective and Pseudo Metric** — if no good objective metrics e.g. we do not really measure maintainability; average-LOC is only interpreted as such • good correlation between subjective quality and metric value for our usual probands

**Goal-Question-Metric (GQM):**

(i) Identify the goals relevant for project or product. (ii) From each goal, derive questions that need to be answered to see whether the goal is reached. (iii) For each question, choose (or develop) metrics that contribute to finding answers to the question.

**Maximise profit**, i.e. maximise difference between **benefit and cost** (cost = all disadvantages of a solution; **benefit** = all benefits of a solution)

**Relief method**: 1) write down estimates 2) show estimates and explain 3) estimate again => then take e.g. median

**Person-months** ist eine Einheit für Effort, sie gibt an wieviel Monate, wenn einem Monat genau 152 Arbeitsstunden entfallen, eine einzelne Person bräuchte, um ein spezifisches Projekt fertigzustellen

**COCOMO**: S = Estimated program size S in lines of code

**Principles of (Architectural) Design**

**Modularisation**: split software into units / components of manageable size, provide well-defined interface. **Separation of Concerns**: each component should be responsible for a particular area of tasks, group data and operation on that data; functional aspects; functional vs. technical; functionality and interaction.

**Information Hiding**: the "need to know principle" / information hiding, users (e.g. other developers) need not necessarily know the algorithm and helper data that encapsulate the component's interface. **Data Encapsulation**: other operations to access component data, instead of accessing data (variables, files, etc.) directly.

**COCOMO II**:  $E = 2.94 \cdot S^{\frac{1}{4}} \cdot M$

**Program size**:  $S = (1 + REVL) \cdot (S_{new} + S_{equiv})$

• requirements **volatility REVL** — e.g. if new requirements make 10% of code unusable, then  $REVL = 0.1$

$S_{new}$ : estimated size minus size of re-used code

$S_{equiv}$  = w/q, if writing new code takes q-times the effort of re-use.

**Scaling factors**

**COCOMO II**:  $\omega = 0.91, \delta = \frac{1}{100} \cdot (PREC + FLEX + RESL + TEAM + PMAT)$

• effort required  $E = a \cdot (S/KDS)^{\omega}$  [PM (person-months)]

• time to develop  $T = c \cdot E^{\delta}$  [months]

• headcount  $H = E/T$  [FTE (full time employee)]

• productivity  $P = S/E$  [DSI per PM] (← use to chei {mgr} → {i}, {pg} → {i}, {ana} → {i}, {tst} → {i}, {ana} → {i}, {tst} → {i}, {ana} → {i}, {tst} → {i})

**Intermediate COCOMO**

$E = a \cdot (LOC)^b \cdot \prod_{i=1}^n C_i$   $E = M \cdot a \cdot (S/KDS)^b$  [person-months]

(effort adjustment factor = product)

$M = RELY \cdot CPLX \cdot TIME \cdot ACAP \cdot PCAP \cdot LEXP \cdot TOOL \cdot SCED$

riskvalue = p · K

p: probability of problem occurrence. (empirische) p-Quantil:  $x_p$  : falls np > N,  $x_p = \frac{1}{2} (x_{(np)} + x_{(np+1)})$  falls np < N

K: cost in case of problem occurrence.

**Control Flow Graph**

void insertionSort(int[] array) { for (int i = 2; i < array.length; i++) { array[i] = tmp; int j = i; while (j > 0 && tmp < array[j-1]) { array[j] = array[j-1]; j--; } array[i] = tmp; }

Number of edges: |E| = 11  
Number of nodes: |V| = 6 + 2 + 2 = 10  
External connections: p = 2  
→ v(P) = 11 - 10 + 2 = 3

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