

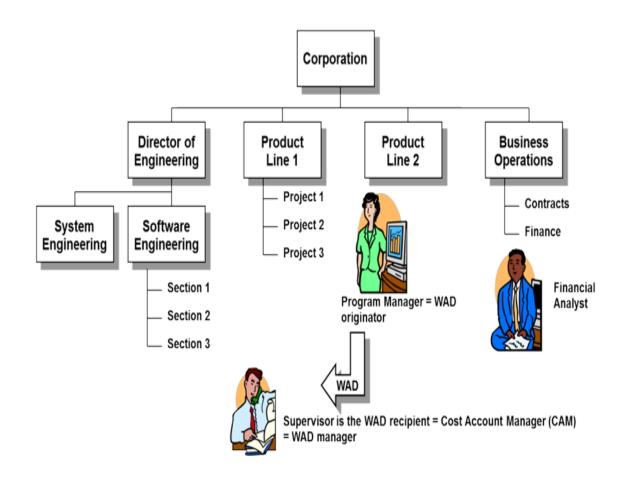


Earned Value Management



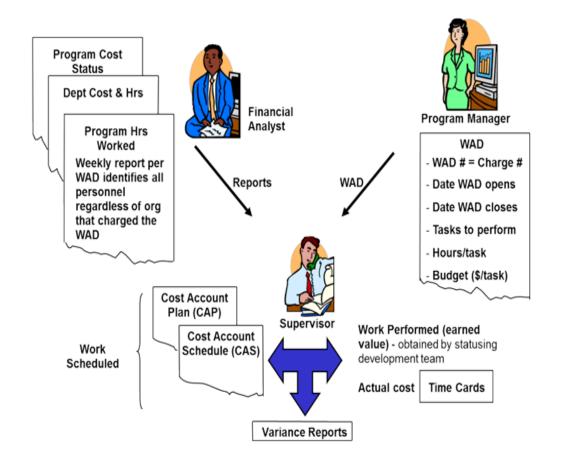


Earned Value Management Definitions





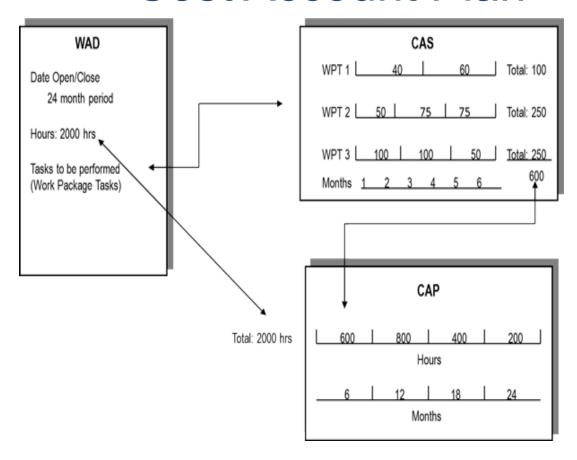








Cost Account Schedule and Cost Account Plan

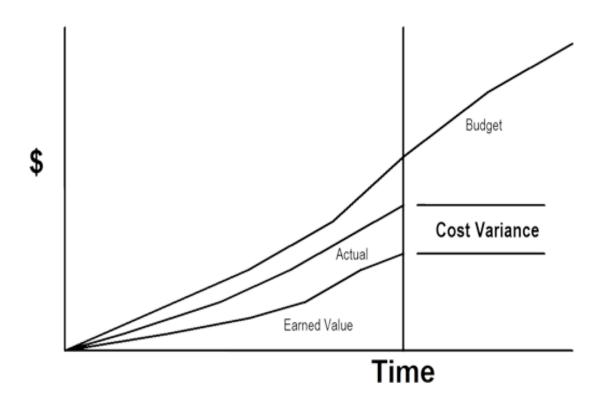






Cost Variance

Cost variance = Earned value - Actual cost

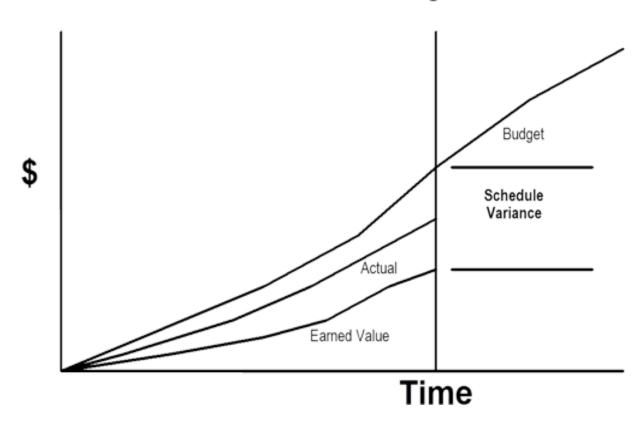






Schedule Variance

Schedule variance = Earned value - Budget







	Cost variance positive (under running cost)	Cost variance negative (over running cost)
Schedule variance negative (behind schedule)	Behind schedule but under running cost Maybe not so bad	Behind schedule and over running cost Manager's nightmare!
Schedule variance positive (ahead of schedule)	Ahead of schedule and under running cost Manager's delight!	Over running cost but ahead of schedule Maybe not so bad