

A wide-angle photograph of the City of Arts and Sciences in Valencia, Spain, during sunset. The sky is filled with dramatic, colorful clouds ranging from deep purple to bright orange and yellow. The water in the foreground reflects the warm colors of the sky. The architecture of the buildings, designed by Santiago Calatrava, is visible, including the large hemispherical building with its glass and steel facade and the white, curved structures of the opera house and theater.

Enterprise Systems Architectures

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Challenges ...

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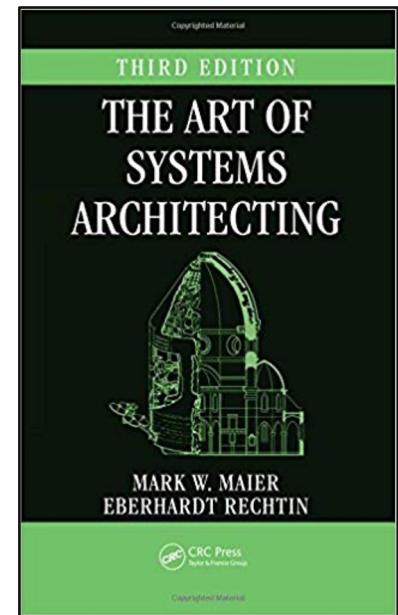
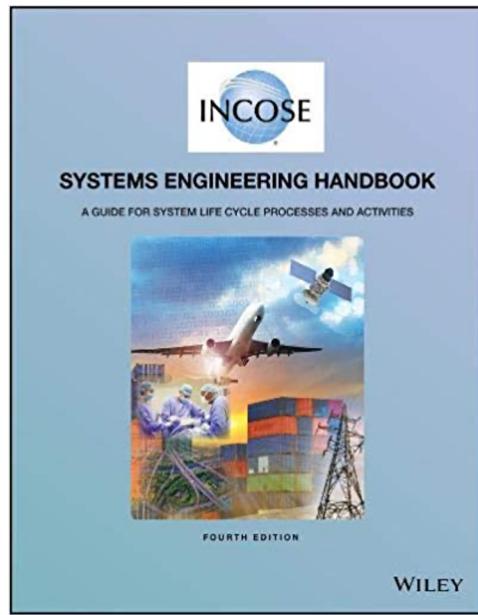
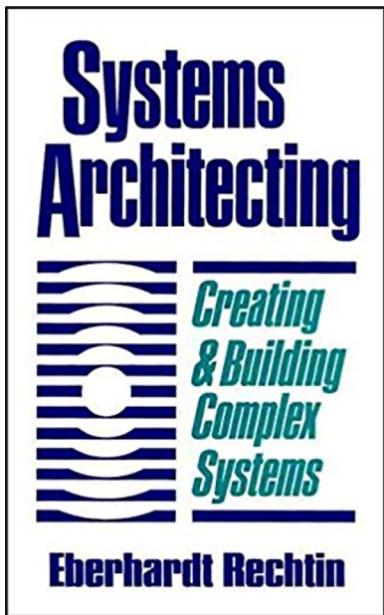
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Systems engineering & architecting



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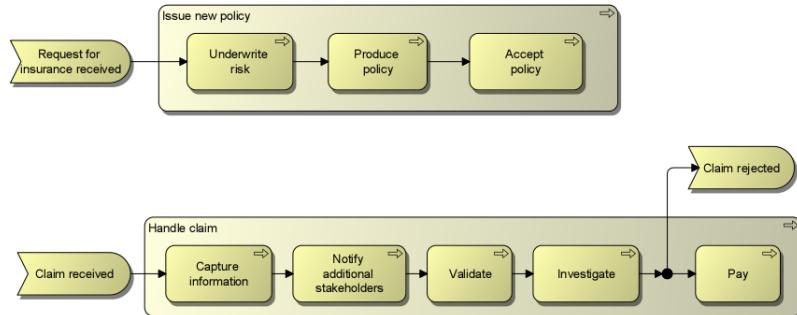
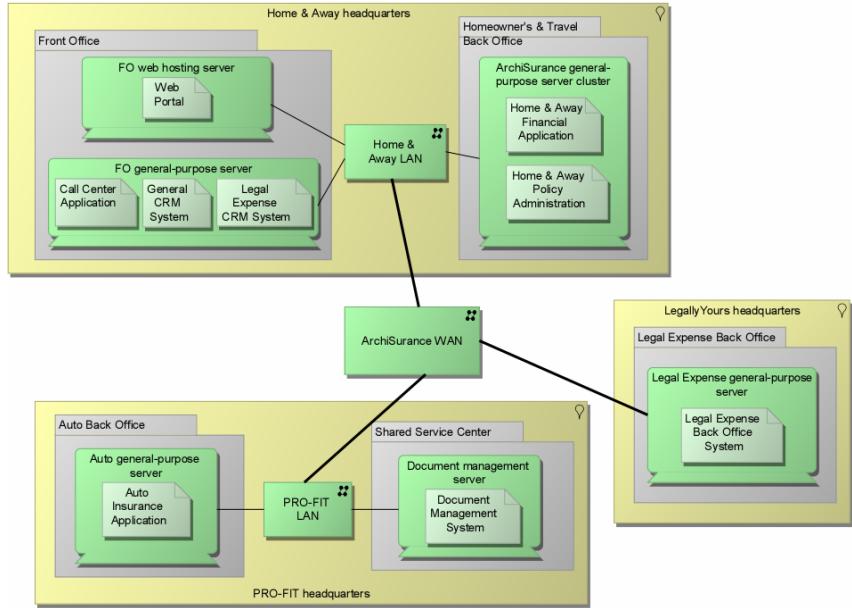
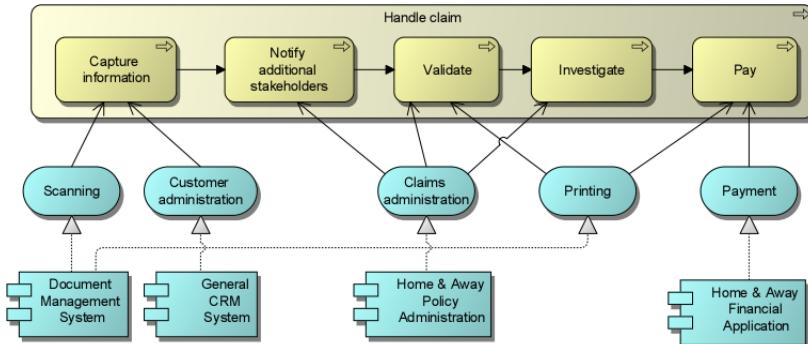
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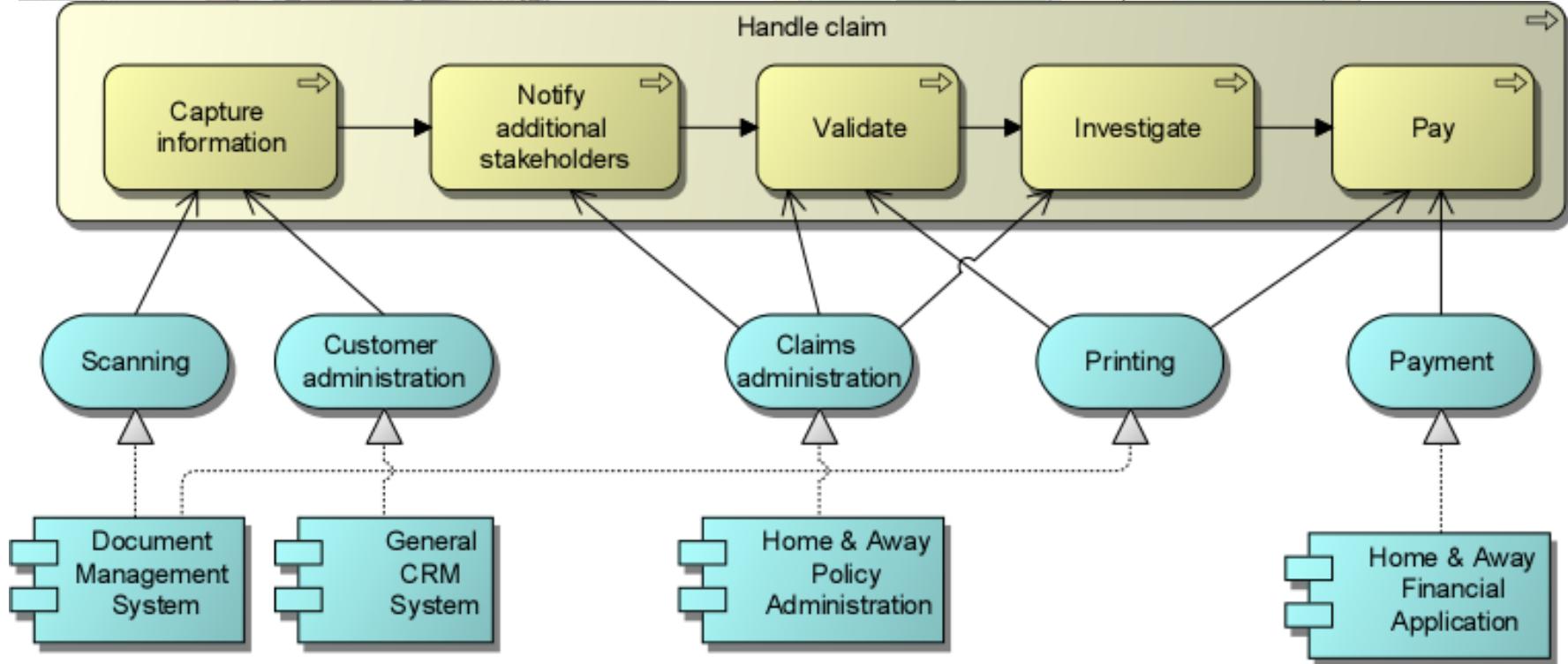
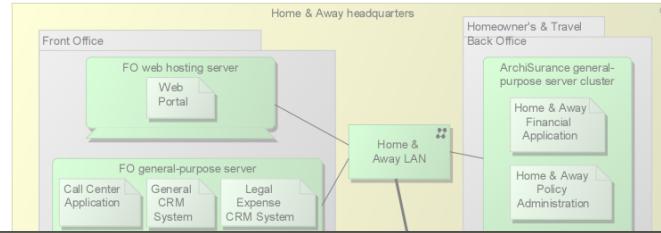
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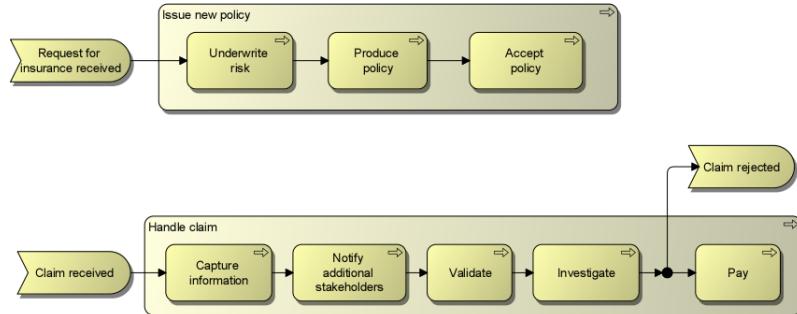
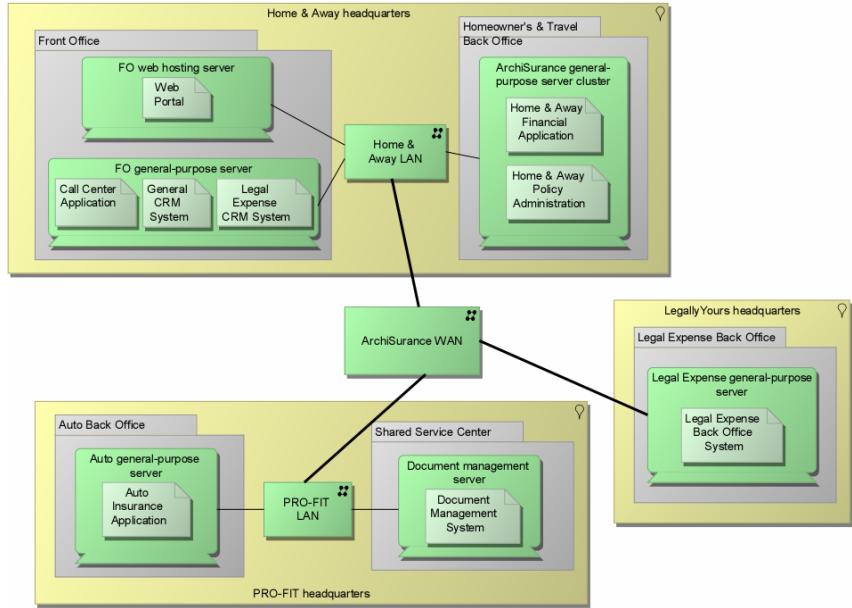
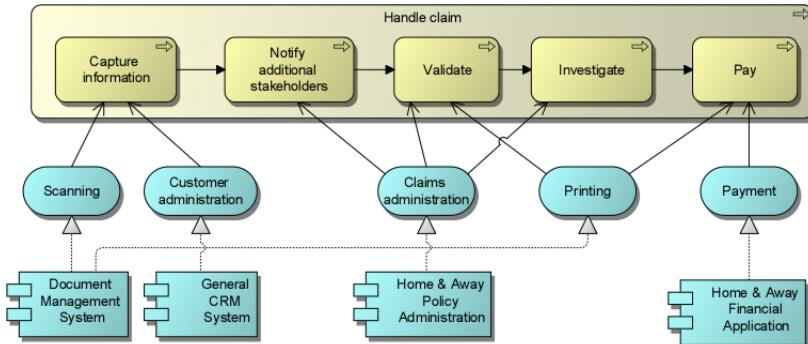
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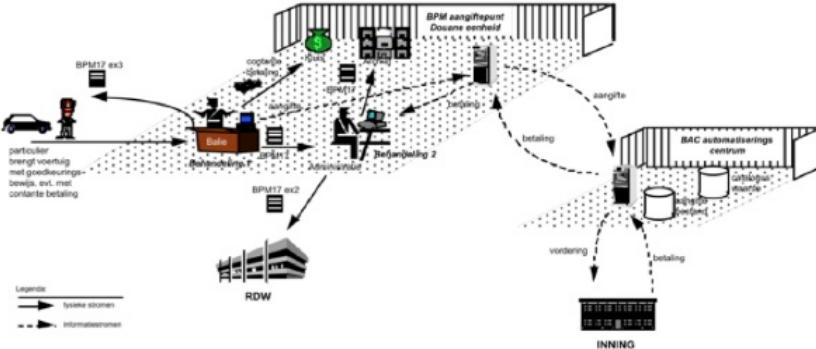
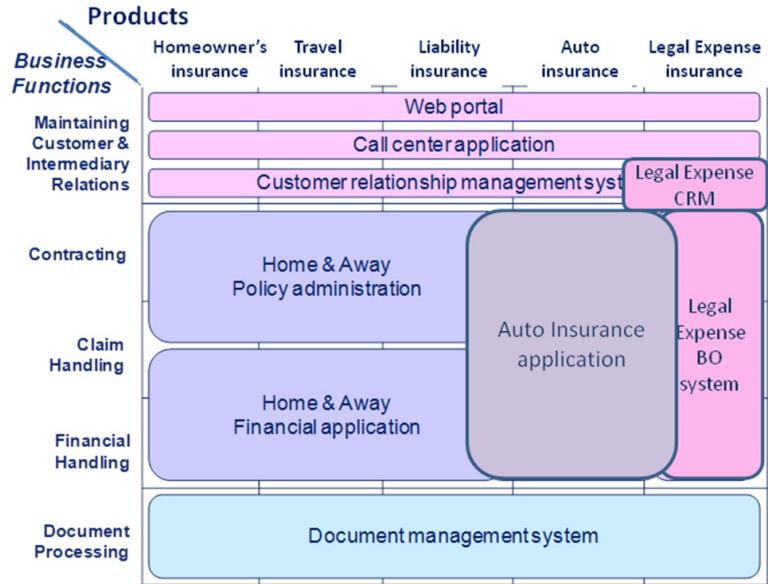
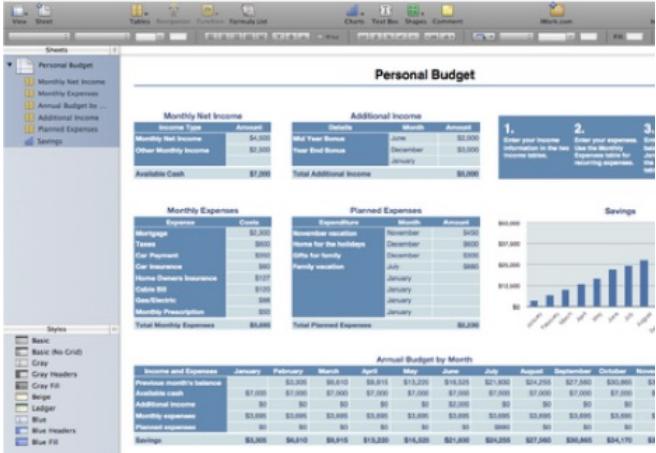
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Technology

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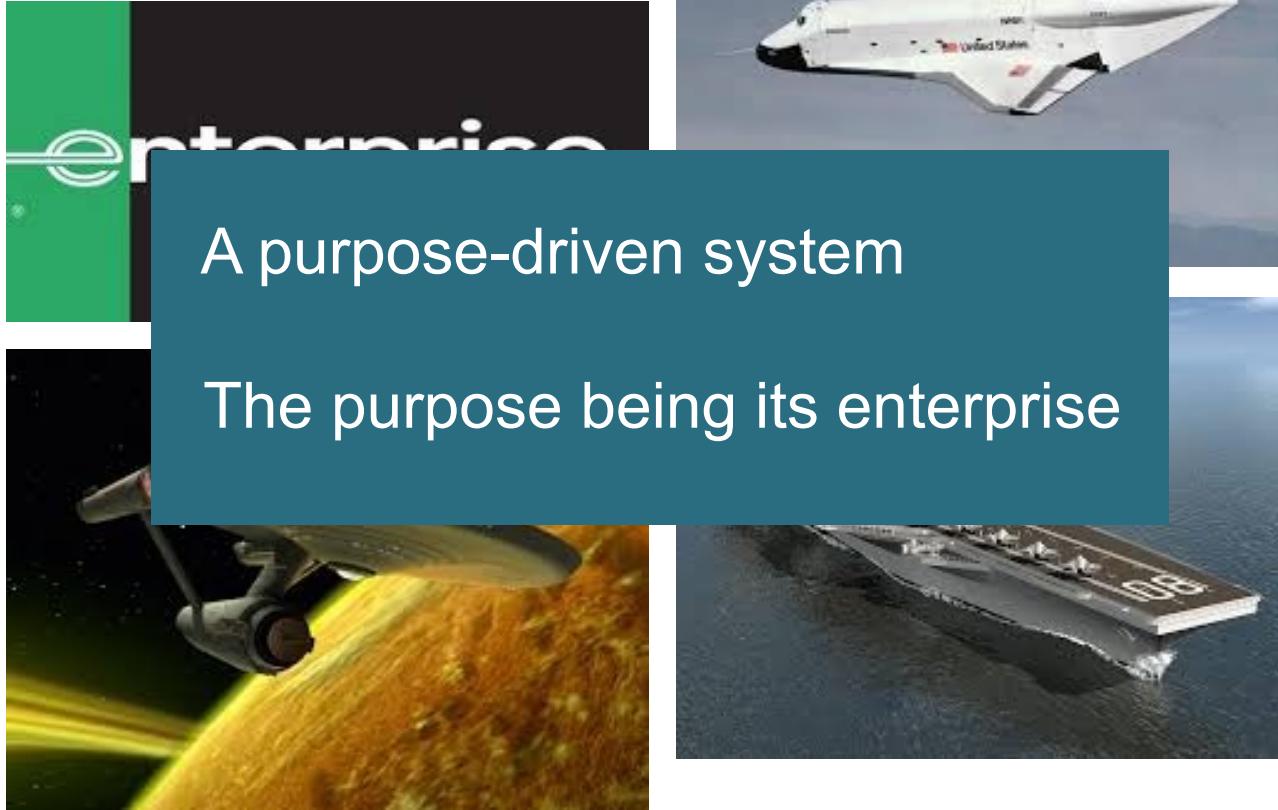
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Hospitals

Companies

Universities

Factories

Agencies

A purpose-driven system

Systems ...

The purpose being its enterprise

Digital platforms

Supply chains

Mobility networks

Smart cities

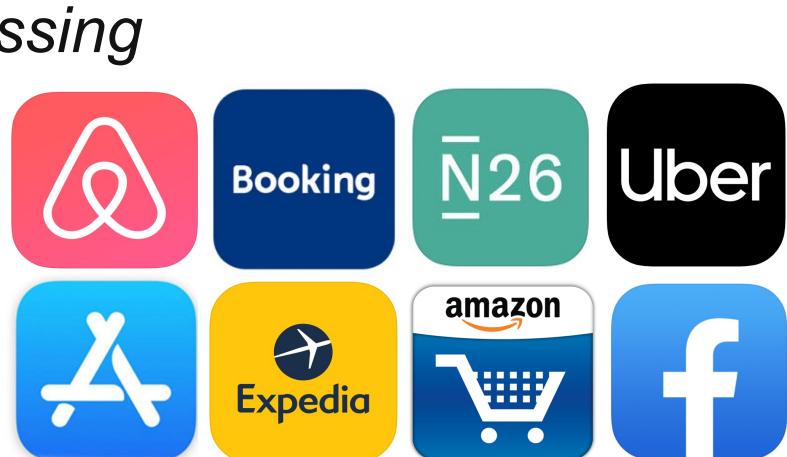
The increasing role of IT in enterprises



'We want to be a tech company with a banking license' – Ralph Hamers

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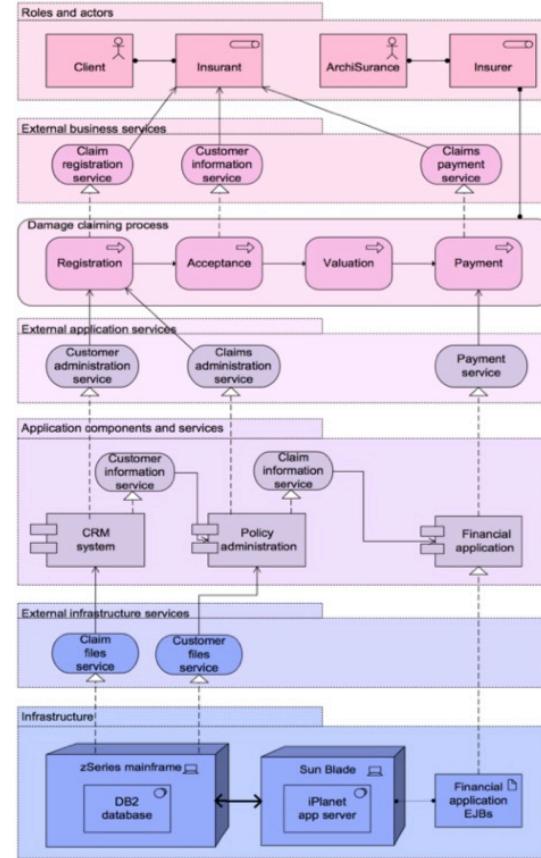
integral part of the business model



Emergence of enterprise architecture

Business
Information
IT Applications
IT Infrastructure

Business-to-IT stack



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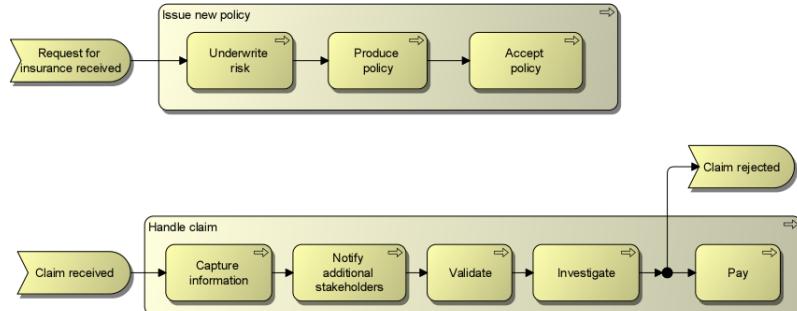
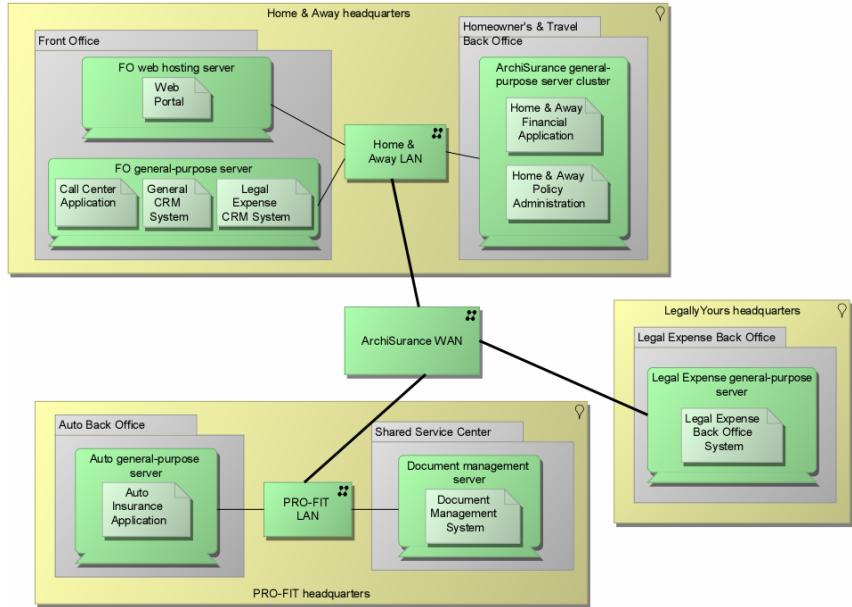
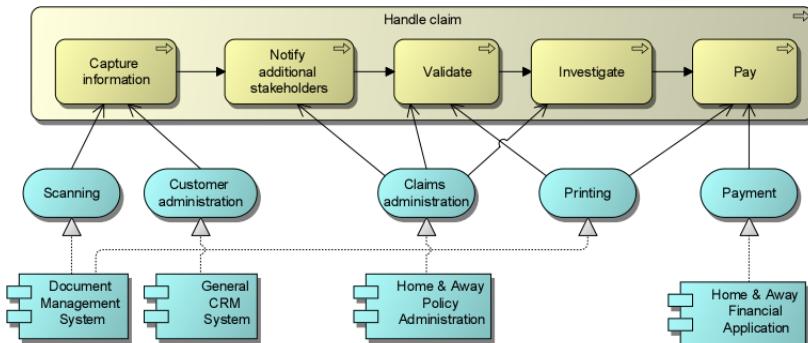
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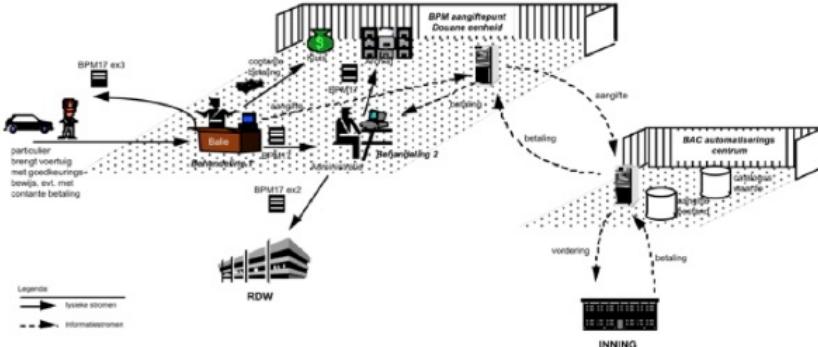
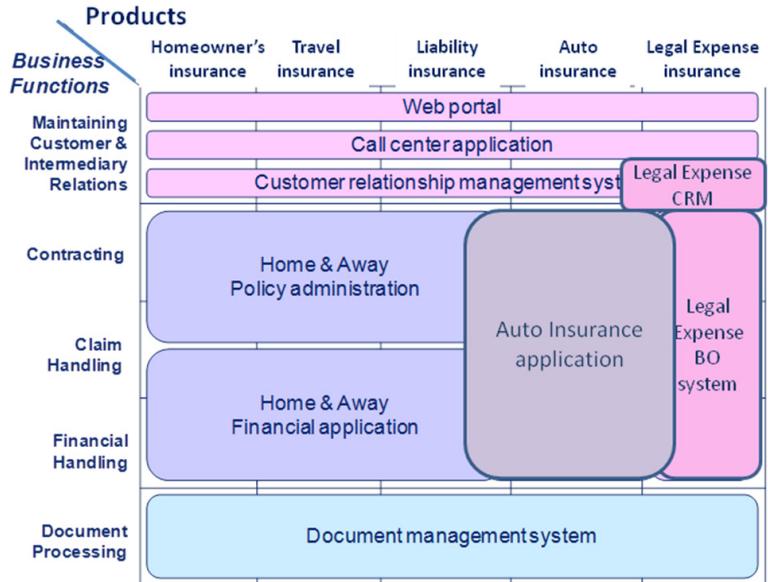
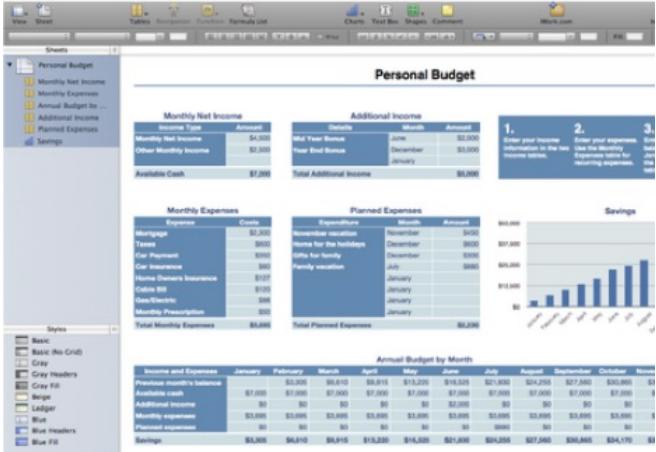
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Overall interest (DKE 4 SE):

- IT-powered model-driven design technologies to support enterprise / systems architecting and engineering

More specifically ...

1. Infrastructures for systems modelling
2. Concern / domain-specific extensions / refinements

Infrastructures for systems modelling

IT-powered:

- Model management
- Model mining & validation
- Human-model interaction & boundary models
- Modelling language management

Concern / domain specificity

1. Regulation management
2. Process management
3. Circular economy
4. Cyber-risk management
5. Data as a key resource
6. ...

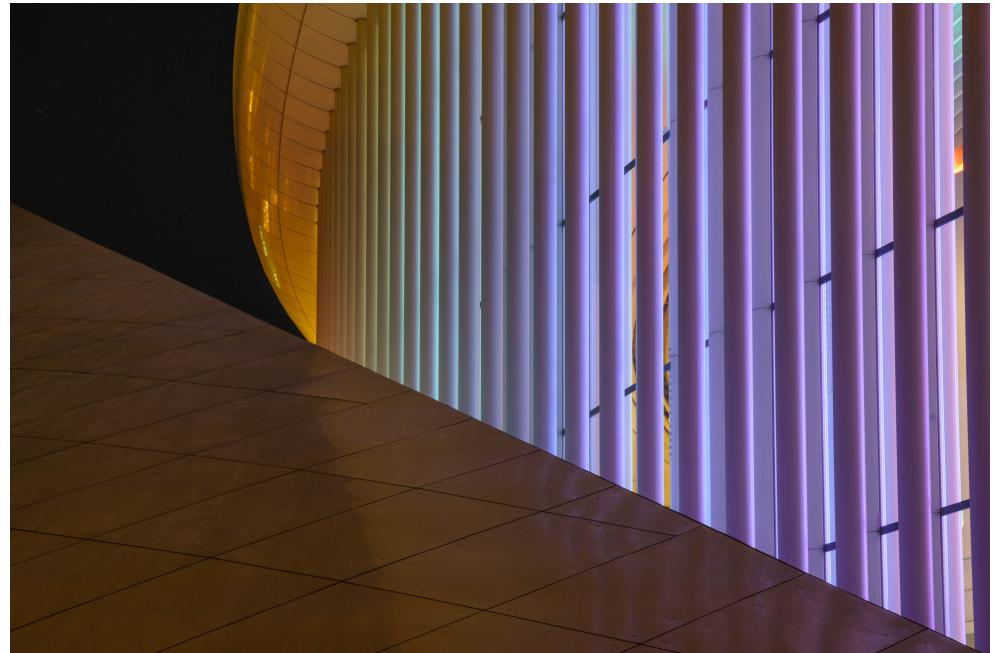
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