File 20110118.1037: Notes from Systems Engineering weekly meeting:

Steve Bean is in town. Just to introduce himself, explain the new organisation, but not to announce a reorg. There is no reorg at this time. Just wants to meet people, mostly the leads.

We will have a suite of products: RM, TMAN, maybe another. With that suite of products, we can satisfy any CDS requirement.

TMAN does VOIP; RM does not do VOIP (we can do it, but it is not done often).

Steve Bean did not realise just how much business RM does.

RM 5.01 is a week away from a final build. Craig is pushing to get 5.01c done by 31st. Might be 5.01d. 5.01 will have a full-blown FAT; IV&V coming out. Lots and lots of little bug fixes, things that could not have been discovered before it went into production.

5.02 starting immediately after. Enhancements. Will not be released until Autumn. 5.01 will be certified in Autumn. 5.02 is a big deal because we are getting rid of LDAP. Oracle charges a tonne for LDAP; it was a good idea at the time, but is no longer a good idea. LDAP is being replaced with a better mechanism that will be free.

PFMs are in town this week because QBR is happening tomorrow. CCRB will be part of QBR.

References