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Module 24
Phase E
Opportunities and
Solutions

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Module Objectives

The objectives of this module are to understand:

- The objectives of Phase E, Opportunities and Solutions
 - Which is the first phase directly concerned with implementation
- What it consists of
- What inputs are needed for it
- What the outputs are





Objectives

- To review the target business objectives and capabilities, consolidate the gaps from Phases B to D, and organize groups of building blocks to address these capabilities
- To confirm the enterprise's capability for undergoing change
- To derive a series of Transition Architectures
- To generate and gain consensus on an outline Implementation and Migration Strategy





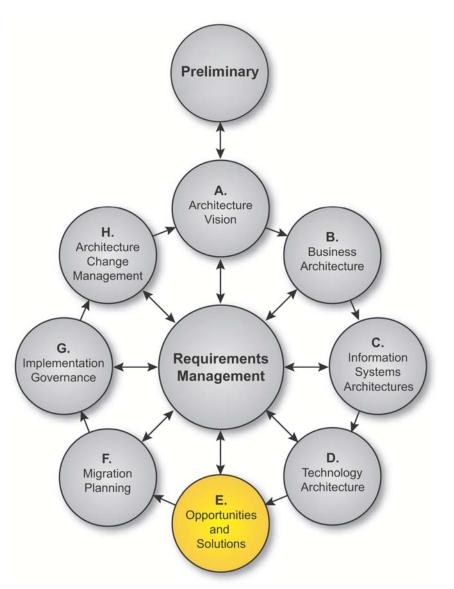
Approach

- This is the first phase concerning implementation
- A collaborative effort between key enterprise stakeholders from business and IT
- This phase identifies:
 - Parameters of change
 - Major phases
 - Major work packages or projects using gap analysis results from Phases B through D
 - New business opportunities discovered in previous phases





Phase E: Inputs



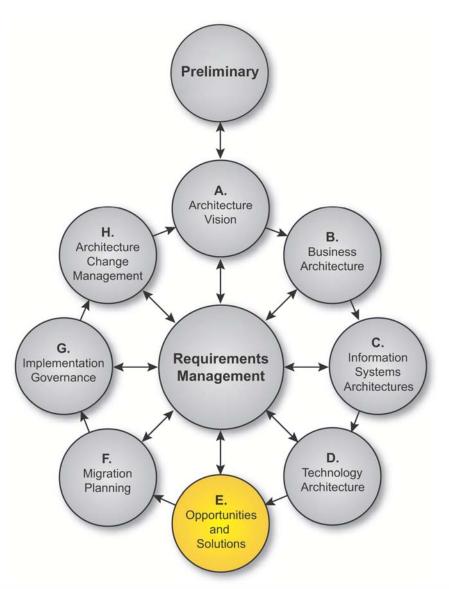
- Product Information
- Request for Architecture Work
- Capability Assessment
- Communications Plan
- Planning Methodologies
- Organization model for enterprise architecture
- Tailored Architecture
 Framework

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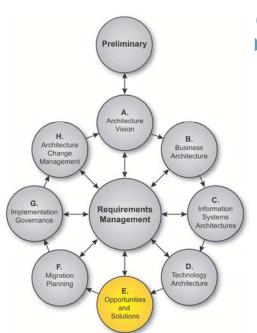


- Statement of Architecture Work
- **Architecture Vision**
- **Architecture Repository**
- **Draft Architecture Definition** Document
- **Draft Architecture Requirements** Specification
- Change Requests for existing programs and projects









Steps

- 11. Create portfolio/project charters & update the architectures
- 10. Identify Transition Architectures
- 9. Identify and group major work packages
- 8. Formulate high-level Implementation & Migration Strategy
- 7. Confirm readiness and risk for business transformation
- 6. Refine and validate dependencies
- 5. Consolidate and reconcile interoperability requirements
- 4. Review IT requirements from a functional perspective
- 3. Review and consolidate gap analysis results from Phases B to D
- 2. Determine business constraints for implementation
- 1. Determine corporate change attributes





Step 1: Determine corporate change attributes

- Create an Implementation Factor Assessment and Deduction Matrix
- Assess Transition Capabilities of Corporate and Partner Organizations
- Assess Transition Capabilities of the Enterprise and IT Organization





Step 2: Determine business constraints for implementation

- Review Corporate Strategic Plan
- Review the Enterprise Architecture Maturity Assessment
- Review Corporate Line-of-Business Strategic Plans





Step 3: Review and consolidate gap analysis results from Phases B to D

- Create a Consolidated Gaps, Solutions, and Dependencies Matrix
- Review the Phase B, C, and D Gap Analysis Results
- Rationalize the Consolidated Gaps, Solutions, and Dependencies Matrix





Step 4: Review IT requirements from a functional perspective

- Assess the IT Requirements from a Functional Perspective
- Determine Issues Associated with Functional Integration





Step 5: Consolidate and reconcile interoperability requirements

- Consolidate Interoperability Requirements
- Reconcile Interoperability Requirements with Potential Solutions





Step 6: Refine and validate dependencies

- Assess Business Dependencies
- Assess Information Dependencies
- Assess Workflow Dependencies
- Assess IT Dependencies
- Assess Foundation Dependencies and Interim Capabilities
- Rationalize and Consolidate Dependencies





Step 7: Confirm readiness and risk for business transformation

- The Business Transformation Readiness Assessment will have been conducted in Phase A.
- Now the architects should review the findings and determine their impact on the Transition Architecture.
- It is important to identify, classify, and mitigate risks associated with the transformation effort.





Step 8: Formulate high-level Implementation and Migration Strategy

- 1. Determine Overall Strategic Implementation Direction
- 2. Determine an Implementation Approach
 - Quick win (snapshots)
 - Achievable Targets
 - Value chain method (e.g. NASCIO methodology)





Step 9: Identify and group major work packages

- Identify Major Work Packages
 - Classify every current system
 - Mainstream Systems
 - Contain Systems
 - Replace Systems
- Analyze the Work Packages with Respect to Business Transformation





Step 10: Identify Transition Architectures

- 1. Identify Transition Architecture and Capability Increments
- 2. Group Portfolios and Projects into Increments





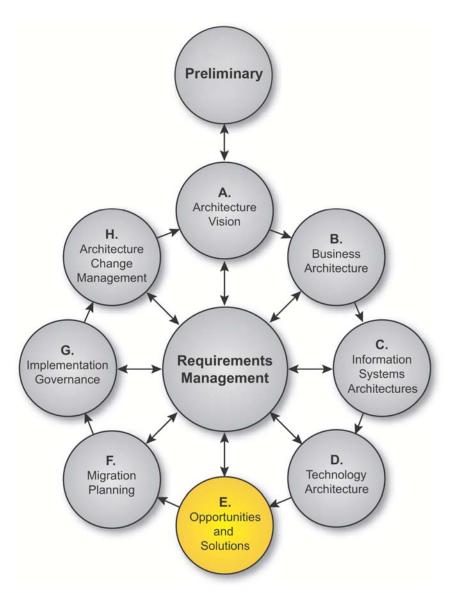
Step 11:Create portfolio and project charters and update the architectures

- 1. Create the Portfolio Charters
- 2. Create the Project Charters
- 3. Create the Transition Architectures
- 4. Conduct Overall Architecture Updates





Phase E Outputs



- Statement of Architecture Work
- Architecture Vision
- Draft Architecture Definition Document, including:
 - Identification of increments
 - Interoperability & co-existence requirements
 - Implementation & Migration Strategy
 - project list, project charters
- Draft Architecture Requirements Specification

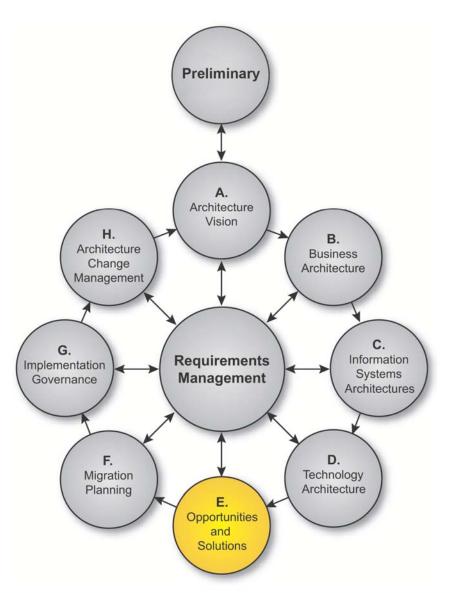
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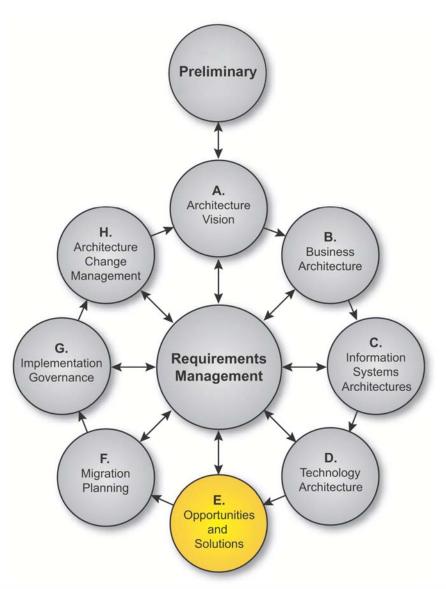
- Capability Assessment, including:
 - EA Maturity Profile
 - Transformation ReadinessReport
- Transition Architectures, including:
 - Consolidated Gaps, Solutions,
 Dependencies Assessment
 - Risk Register
 - Impact analysis
 - Dependency Analysis Report
 - Implementation Factor
 Assessment & Deduction Matrix
- Implementation & Migration Plan







Summary



- Phase E is the first phase concerned with implementation
- It identifies the parameters of change, the phases and necessary projects
- The output forms the basis of the Implementation Plan





