

## **UNIT-II**

- Rational Unified Process**
- 4+1 View Architecture**
- Use Case Overview.**

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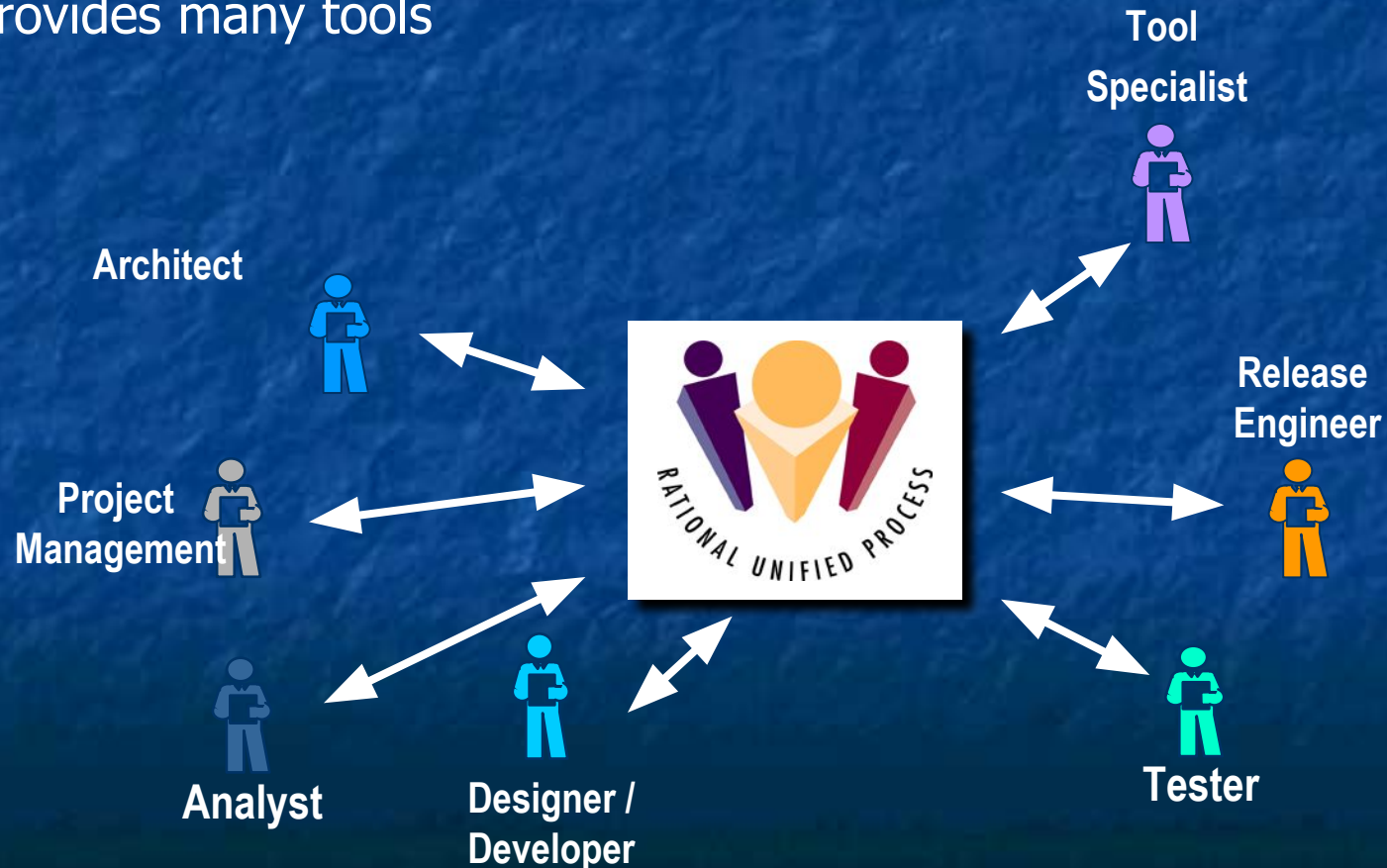


## ■ Team-Unifying Approach

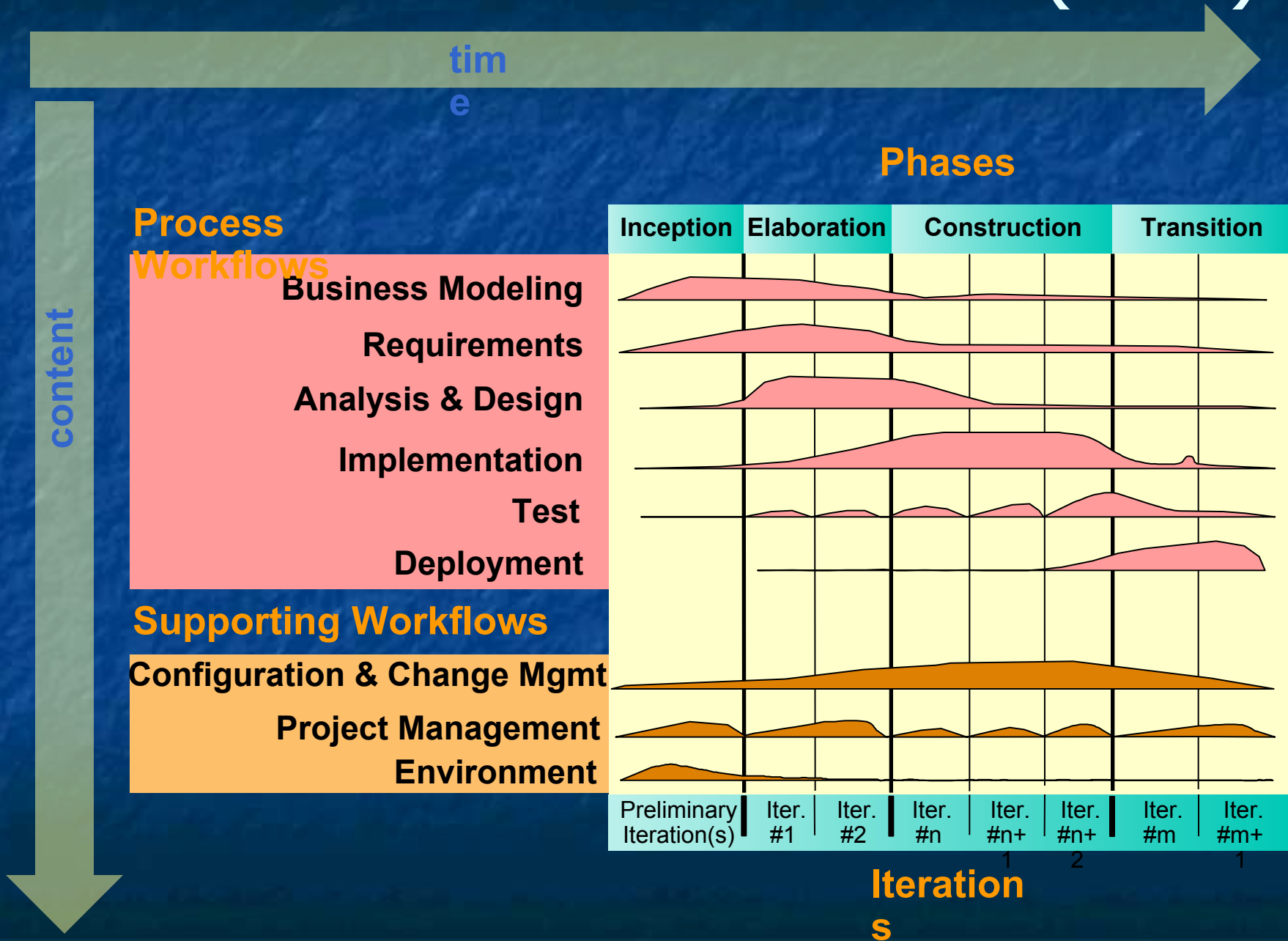
The RUP unifies a software team by providing a common view of the development process and a shared vision of a common goal

## ■ Increased Team Productivity

- knowledge base of all processes
- view of how to develop software
- modeling language
- Rational provides many tools



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# Phases in the Process



## **The Rational Unified Process has four phases:**

- Inception - Define the scope of project
- Elaboration - Plan project, specify features, baseline architecture
- Construction - Build the product
- Transition - Transition the product into end user community

# Inception phase

- Establishing the project's software scope and boundary conditions, including an operational vision, acceptance criteria.
- Discriminating the critical use cases of the system.
- Estimating the overall cost and schedule for the entire project (and more detailed estimates for the elaboration phase that will immediately follow).
- Estimating potential risks (the sources of unpredictability)
- Preparing the supporting environment for the project.



# Elaboration phase

- **Defining, validating .**
- **Refining the Vision, based on new information obtained during the phase.**
- **Refining the development case and putting in place the development environment, including the process & tools.**
- **Refining the architecture and selecting components.**
- **The selected architectural components are integrated and assessed against the primary scenarios.**



# Construction phase

- Resource management, control and process optimization.
- Complete component development and testing against the defined evaluation criteria.
- Assessment of product releases against acceptance criteria for the vision.

# Transition phase

- Executing deployment plans.
- Finalizing end-user support material.
- Testing the deliverable product at the development site.
- Creating a product release.
- Getting user feedback.
- Fine-tuning the product based on feedback.
- Making the product available to end users.

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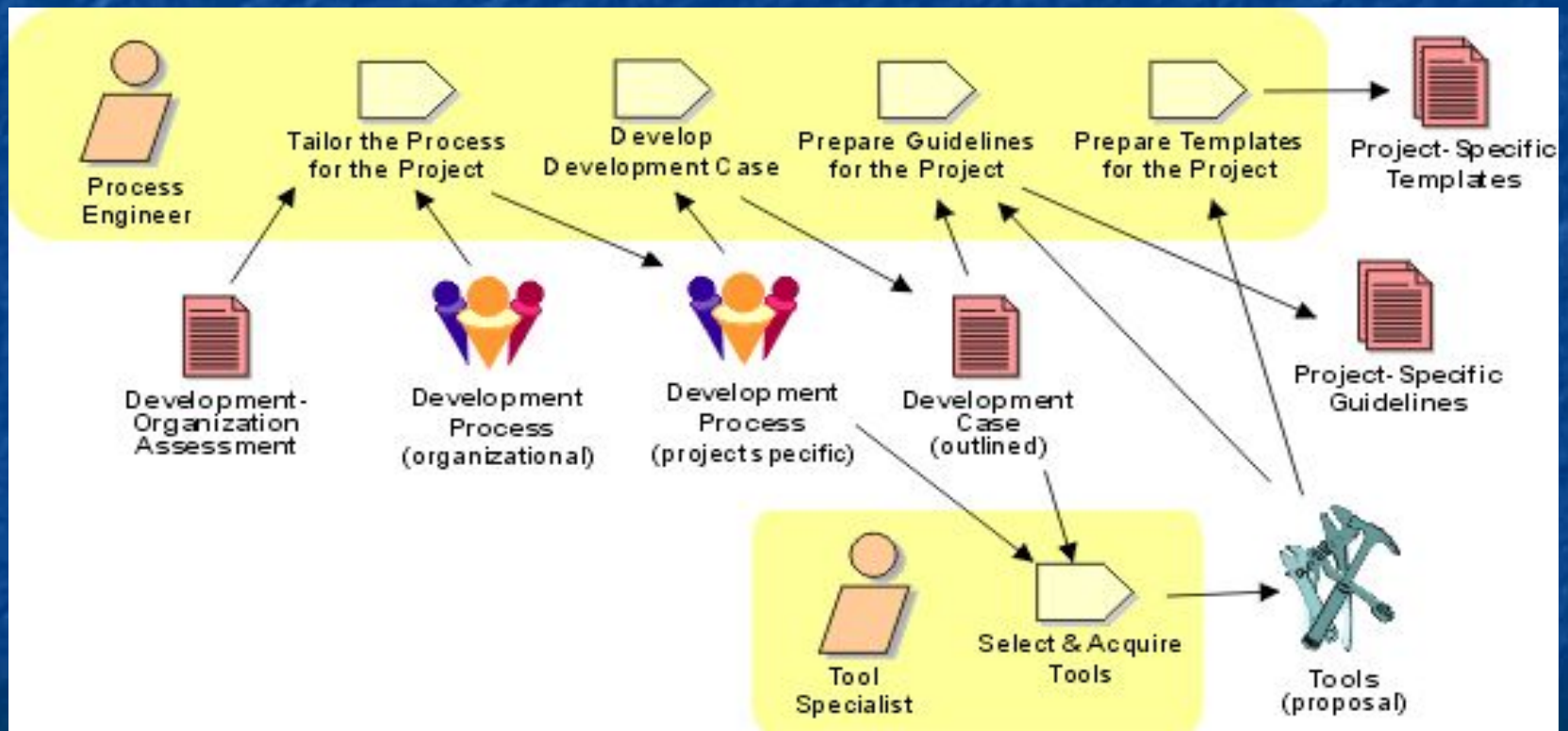
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# What is a workflow?

- A set of activities that is performed by the various roles in a project
- Describes a meaningful sequence of activities that produce a useful result (an artifact)
- Shows interaction between roles

# Workflow Detail: Prepare Environment for Project



# Workflows - 3 key elements

- Three key elements of each workflows:
  - Artifacts
  - Roles
  - Activities



# Artifacts

A piece of information that:

- Is produced, modified, or used by a process
- Defines an area of responsibility
- Is subject to version control.

An artifact can be a *model*, a *model element*, or a *document*. A document can enclose other documents.

# Roles

- Represent a role that an individual may play on the project
- Responsible for producing artifacts
- Distinct from actors

# Activities

- Tasks performed by people representing particular roles in order to produce artifacts



# Brief summary of process workflows

- Business Modelling
- Requirements
- Analysis & Design
- Implementation
- Test
- Deployment

# Business Modelling

- Understand structure & dynamics of organization in which system is to be deployed
- Understand current problems in the target organization & identify improvement potential
- Ensure customers, end users & developers have common understanding of target organisation
- Derive system requirements to support target organisation

# Analysis & Design

- Transform requirements into a design of the system
- Evolve a robust architecture for the system
- Adapt design to match the implementation environment, designing it for performance



# Implementation

- Define organization of the code, in terms of implementation subsystems organized in layers
- Implement classes & objects in terms of components
- Test developed components as units
- Integrate results into an executable system

# Test

- Verify interaction between objects
- Verify proper integration of all components of the software
- Verify that all requirements have been correctly implemented
- Identify & ensure defects are addressed prior to deployment

# Deployment

- Provide custom installation
- Provide shrink wrap product offering
- Provide software over internet



# Brief summary of supporting workflows

- Configuration & Change Management
- Project Management
- Environment

# Configuration & Change Management

- Supports development methods
- Maintains product integrity
- Ensures completeness & correctness of configured product
- Provides stable environment within which to develop product
- Restricts changes to artifacts based on project policies
- Provides an audit trail on why, when & by whom any artifact was changed

# Project Management

- A framework for managing software-intensive projects
- Practical guidelines for planning, staffing, executing & monitoring projects
- A framework for managing risk



# Environment

- Design, implement and manage the project's required technical environments
- Define the technical architectures for the development, system validation, testing & staging/release management environments
- When possible, standard architectural models for given types of platforms should be utilized when defining the production environment

# Bringing It All Together...

In an iteration, you walk through all workflows

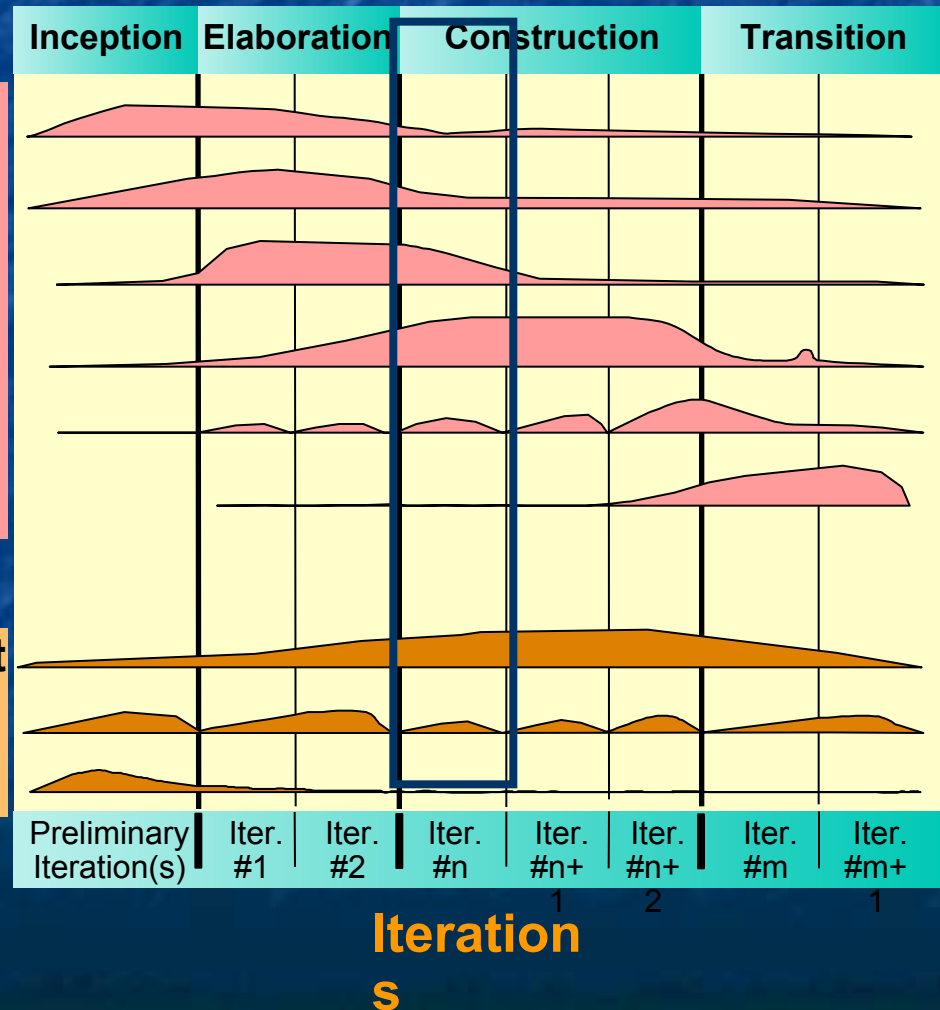
## Phases

### Process Workflows

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Requirements  
Analysis & Design  
Implementation  
Test  
Deployment

### Supporting Workflows

Configuration & Change Mgmt  
Project Management  
Environment



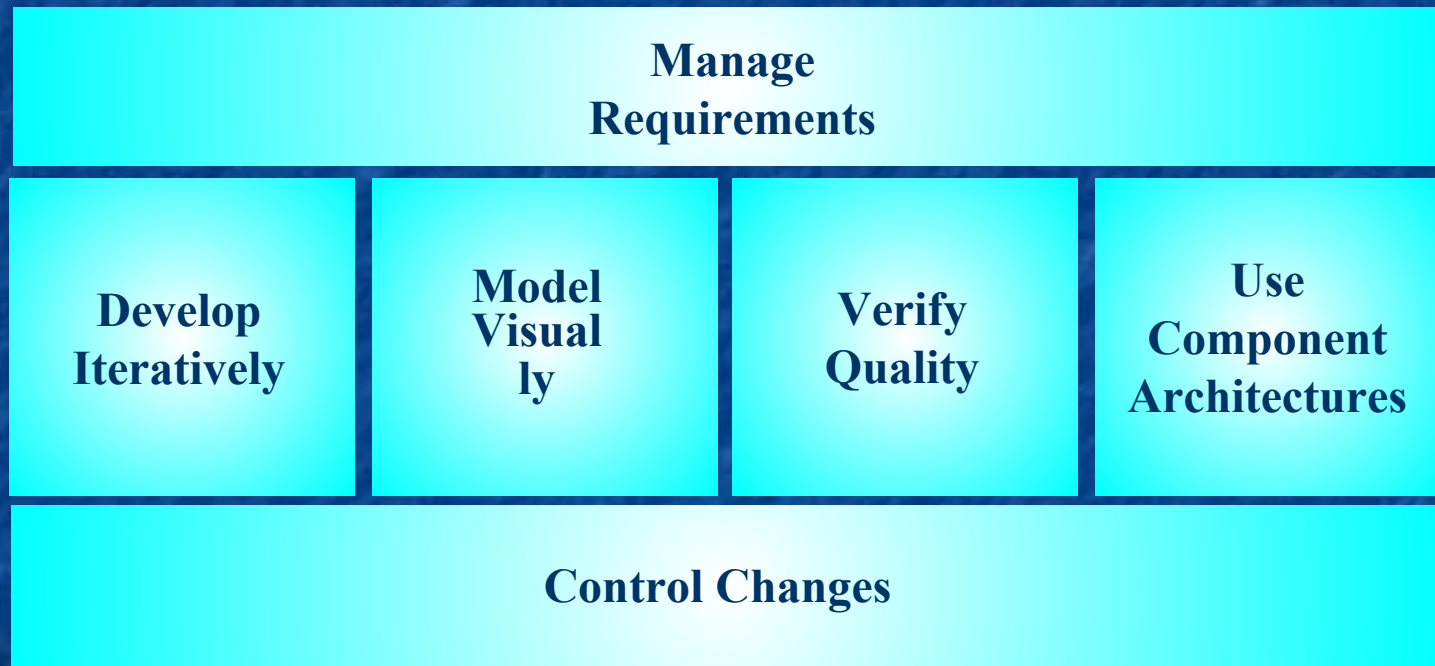
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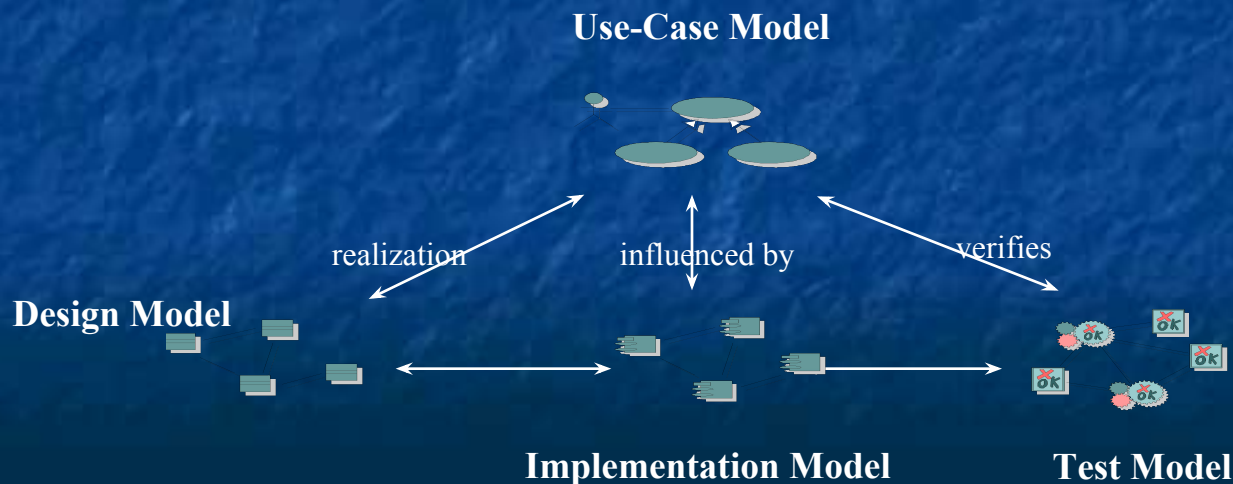
# Rational Unified Process

Describes the effective implementation of key  
“Best Practices”



# 1. Manage Your Requirements

- Elicit, organize, and document required functionality and constraints
- Track and document tradeoffs and decisions
- Business requirements are easily captured and communicated through use cases
- Use cases are important planning instruments



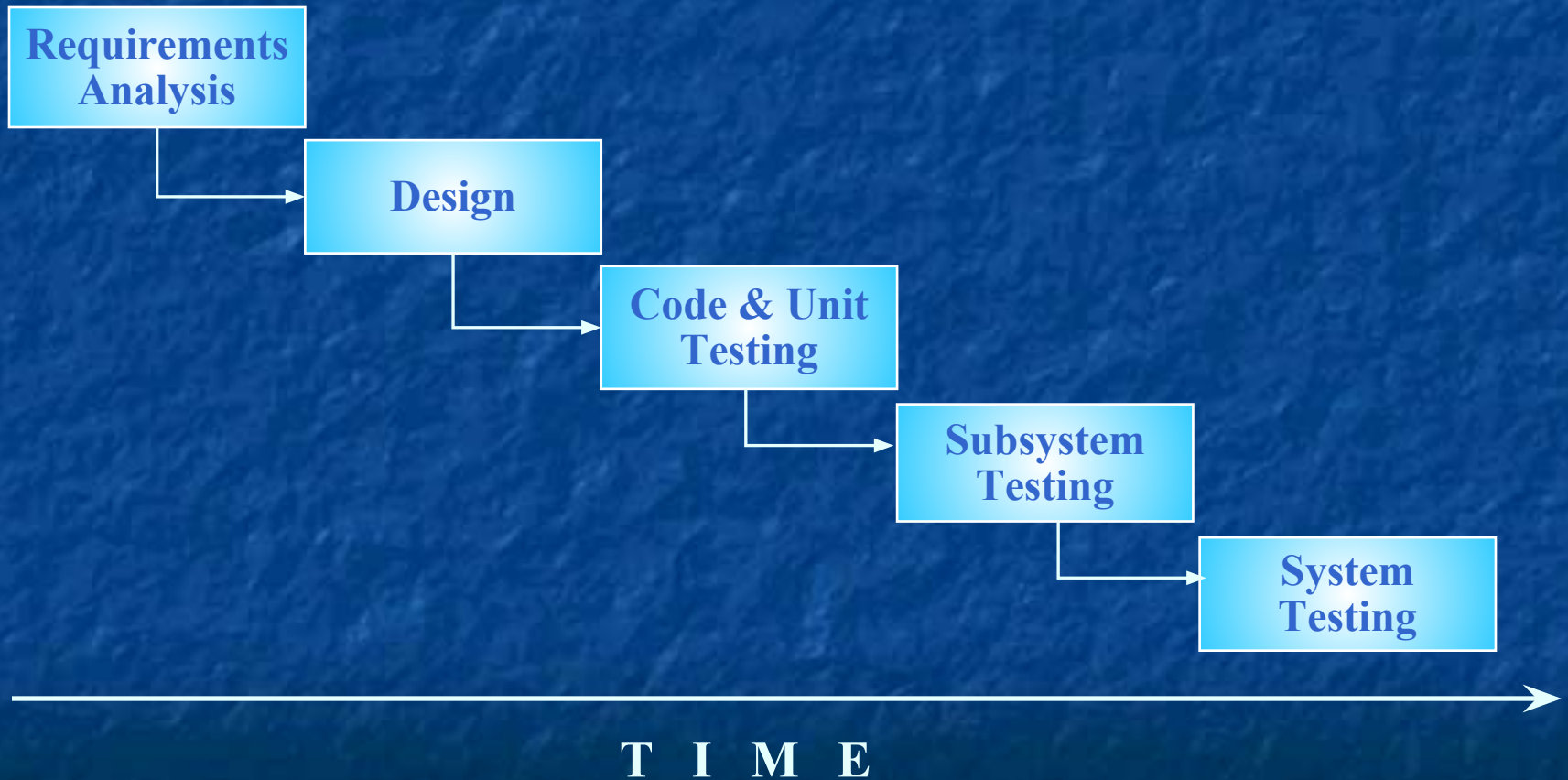
## 2. Develop Software Iteratively

- An initial design will likely be flawed with respect to its key requirements
- Late-phase discovery of design defects results in costly over-runs and/or project cancellation

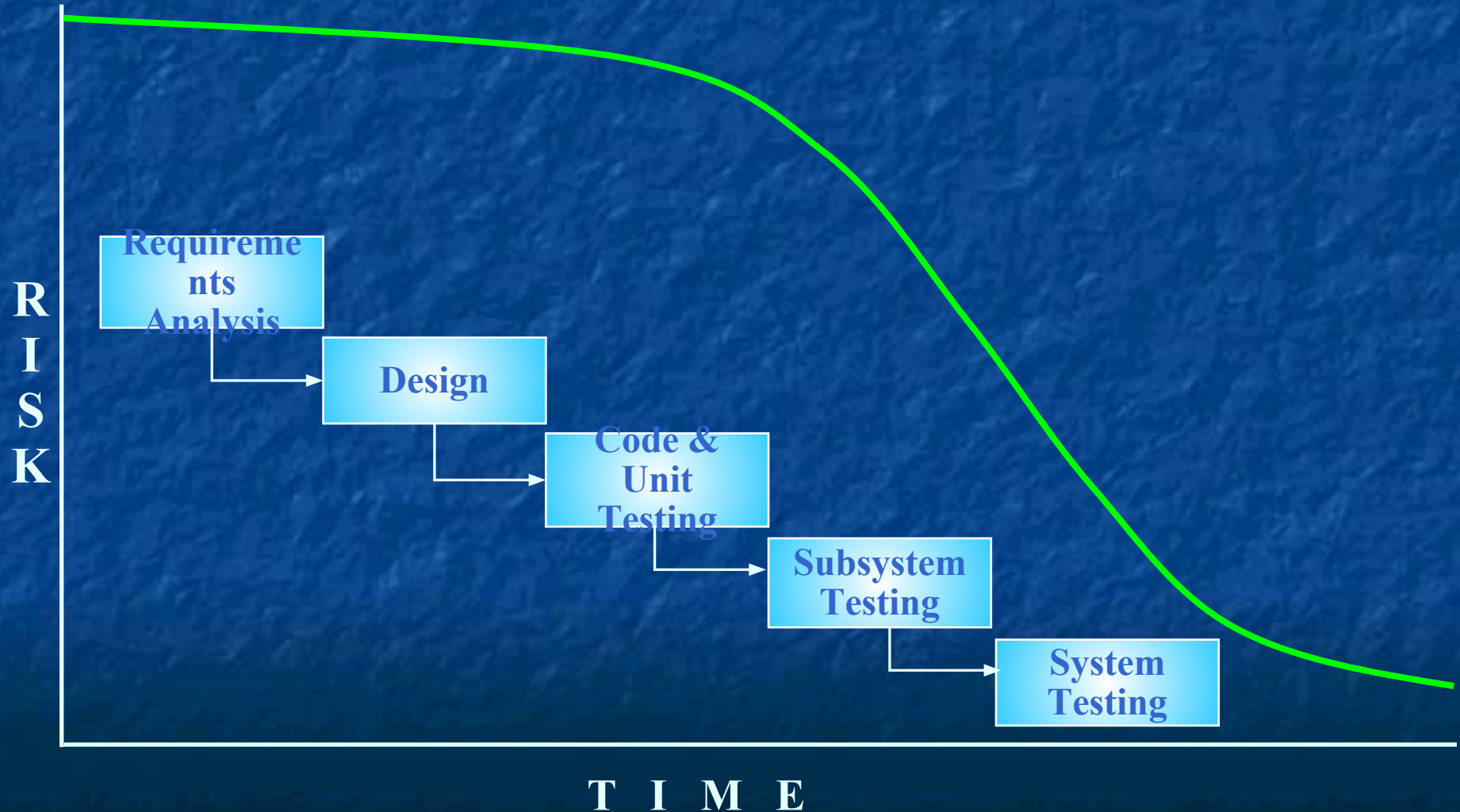




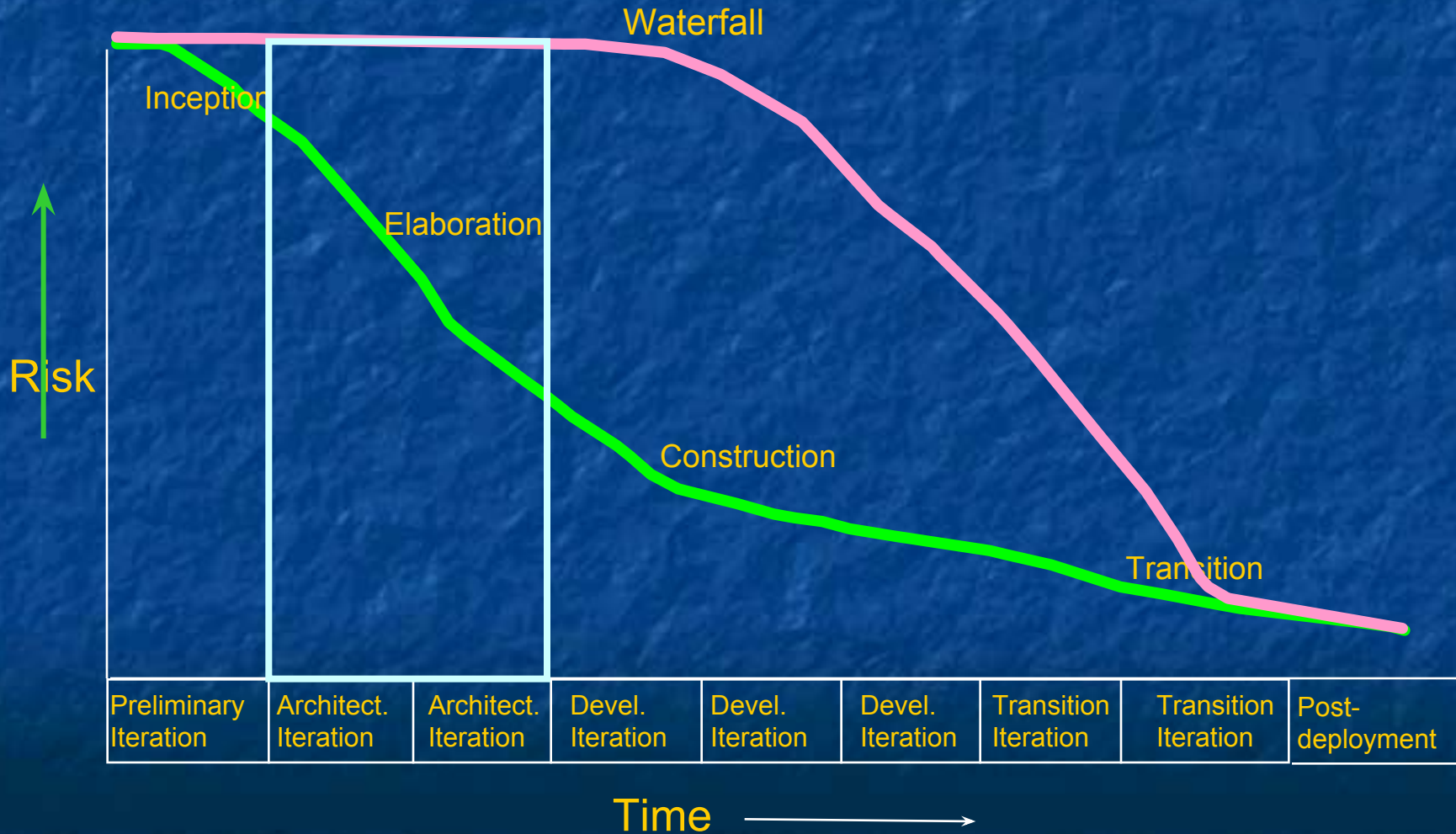
# Waterfall Development



# Waterfall Development: Risk vs. Time



# Risk Profile of an Iterative Development





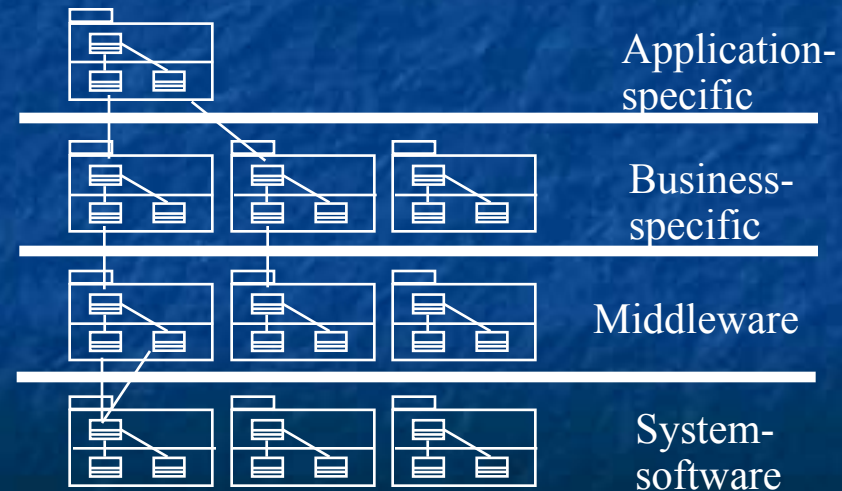
# Iterative Development Characteristics

- Critical risks are resolved before making large investments
- Initial iterations enable early user feedback
- Testing and integration are continuous
- Objective milestones provide short-term focus
- Progress is measured by assessing implementations
- Partial implementations can be deployed

# 3. Employ Component-based Architecture

- Design, implement and test your architecture up-front!
- A systematic approach to define a “good” architecture
  - ◆ **Resilient to change by using well-defined interfaces**
  - ◆ **By using and reverse engineering components**
  - ◆ **Derived from top rank use cases**

**Component-based  
Architecture with  
layers**

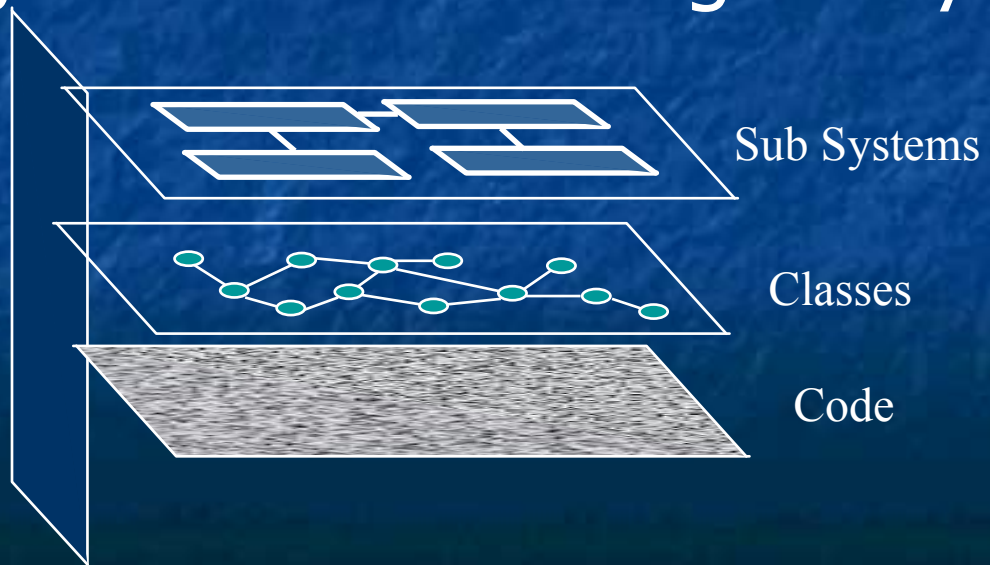


# 4. Model Software Visually

- Aiding understanding of complex systems
- Exploring and comparing design alternatives at a low cost
- Forming a foundation for implementation
- Capturing requirements precisely
- Communicating decisions unambiguously



**Visual Modeling  
raises the level  
of abstraction**

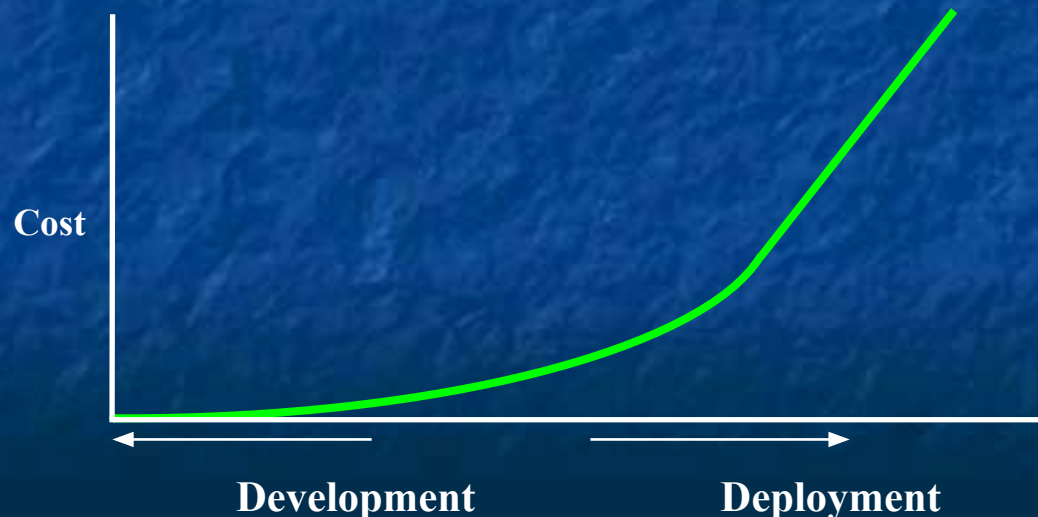




# 5. Verify Software Quality

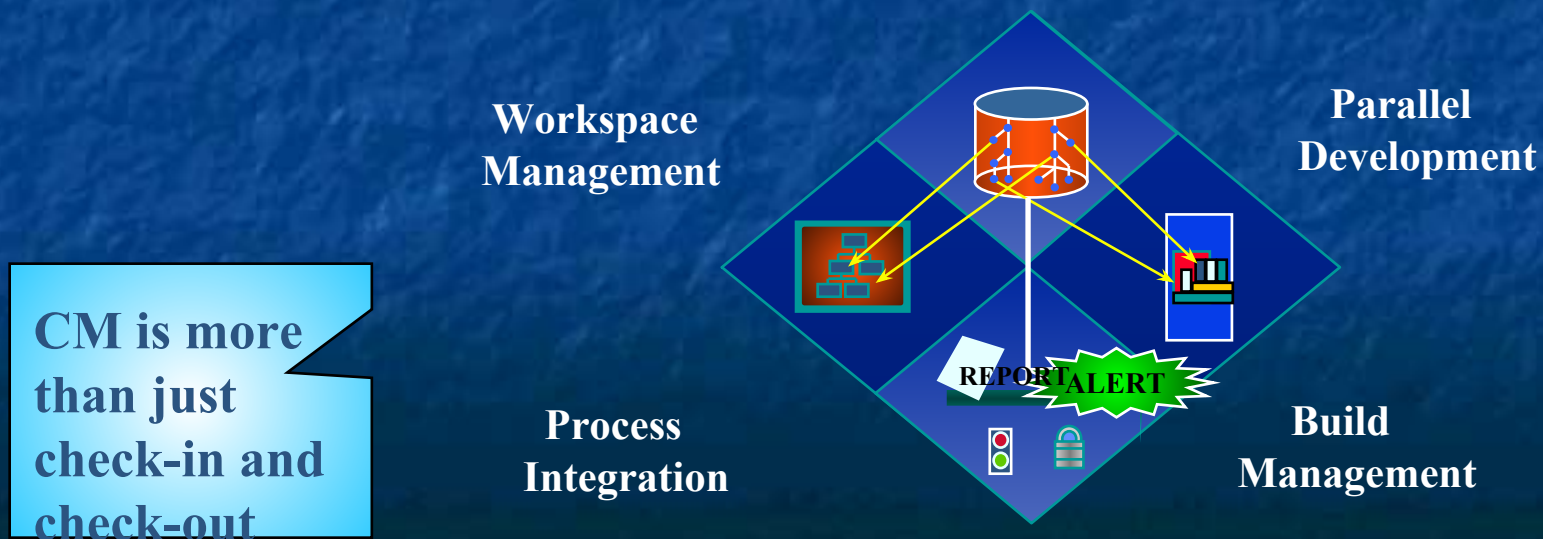
- Create tests for each key scenario to ensure that all requirements are properly implemented
- Unacceptable application performance hurts as much as unacceptable reliability
- Verify software reliability - memory leaks, bottle necks
- Test every iteration - automate test!

Software problems  
are 100 to 1000 times  
more costly to find  
and repair after  
deployment



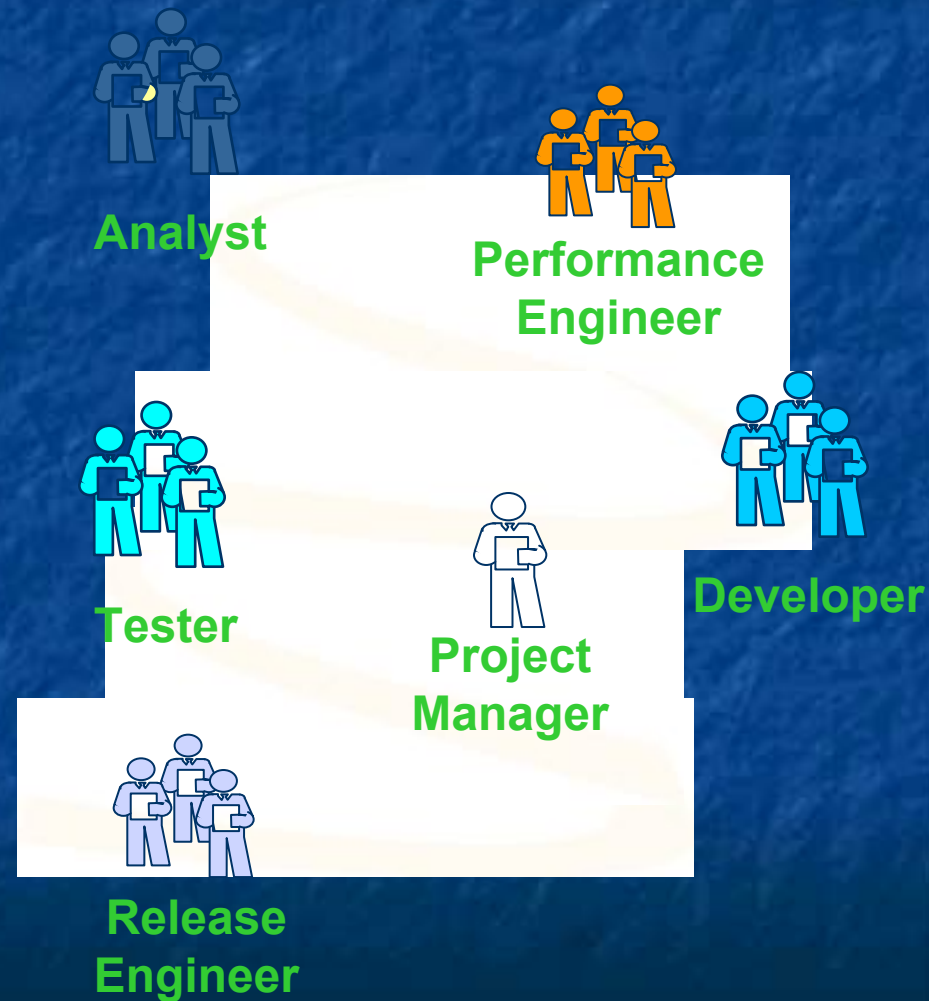
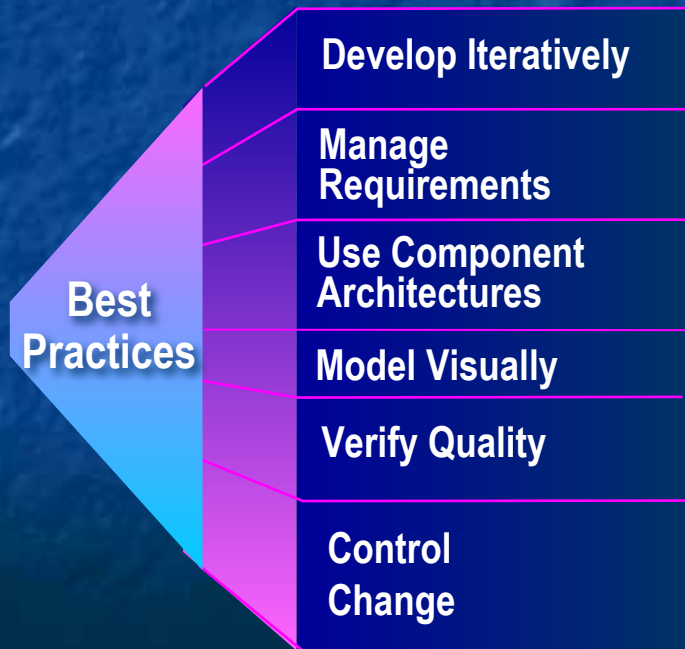
# 6. Control Changes to Software

- Control, track and monitor changes to enable iterative development
- Establish secure workspaces for each developer
  - Provide isolation from changes made in other workspaces
  - Control all software artifacts - models, code, docs, etc.
- Automate integration and build management



# Summary: Best Practices of Software Engineering

- The result is software that is
  - On Time
  - On Budget
  - Meets Users Needs





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# Tools

- The success of process adoption is significantly improved by the use of appropriate supporting tools.
- **Tool Mentors** provide detailed descriptions of how to perform specific process activities or steps, or produce a particular artifact or report, using one or more tools.

# Tools

- Rational Unified Process
- RUP Builder
- Rational Process Workbench
- Rational Administrator
- Rational Suite AnalystStudio
- Rational ClearCase
- Rational ClearQuest
- Rational ProjectConsole
- Rational PurifyPlus
- Rational QualityArchitect



# Tools

- Rational RequisitePro
- Rational Robot
- Rational Rose
- Rational Rose RealTime
- Rational SoDA
- Rational TestManager
- Rational Test RealTime
- Rational TestFactory
- Rational XDE Developer - Java Platform Edition
- Rational XDE Developer - .NET Edition