



CENTRIC PROJECT FOR AEC

SAVE COSTS AND TIME ON PROJECTS WITH LIVE DATA

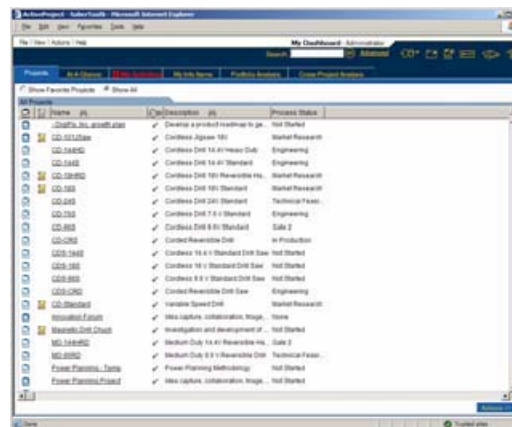
Centric Project for AEC provides an online collaborative workspace for superior project management and team collaboration

Almost all project management tools for the architectural, engineering and construction industries are stand-alone applications for collecting cost, schedule, materials, and other large-scale project data. These applications fall short, however, in meeting the needs of global teams wanting to share project information around the globe. As today's project managers working with distributed teams and remote job sites want to reference information, processes, activities, and documents used on other sites, almost all project management tools fail. The exception is Centric Project for AEC.

Powered by Centric's unique Product Intelligence capabilities, Centric Project for AEC addresses the project management and communication needs of distributed teams. Its intuitive collaborative workspace provides a Web-based communications hub that facilitates coordination and collaboration with distributed employees, architects, engineers, and contractors. Using a standard Web browser, team members work together to share information, investigate ideas, review work, collaboratively resolve schedule- and budget threatening issues, as well as implement the best practices of teams around the world.

Centric Project for AEC connects to and automatically uploads drawings and project information from global shared drives, bringing information online automatically and easily, including files from remote CAD, PDM, ERP, and document management systems. Using Centric Project for AEC, teams ultimately save thousands of hours, locating test reports, site documents, and other construction documents. Overall, all teams complete projects faster with fewer mistakes and improved accountability.

- ▶ Project leaders can track milestones, work orders, RFIs, submittals, and project tasks.
- ▶ Cross-functional teams can review specifications and designs and quickly identify and resolve issues collaboratively online
- ▶ Back-office personnel can manage vendor compliance, project capital and other support functions



ORGANIZE ALL PROJECTS

RESULTS

- ▶ Accelerate project execution with clear communications and fast information exchange.
- ▶ Make better decisions by securely including partners, clients and customers in review and decision making processes.
- ▶ Reduce errors by providing online access to the latest project information.
- ▶ Overcome the barrier of distributed information with automated connectivity.
- ▶ Reduce the time and cost of sharing information with remote partners and sites
- ▶ Improve quality by standardizing and automating project processes.
- ▶ Ensure accountability with a comprehensive history of all project activities and information.

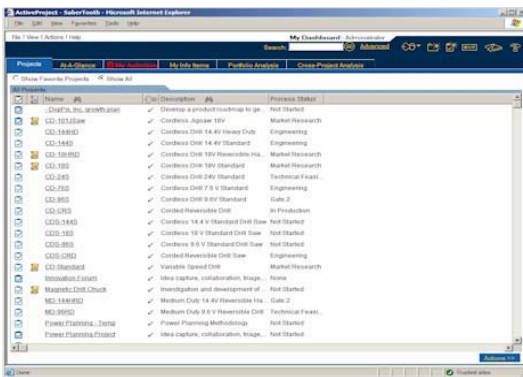
Centric Project for AEC is an out-of-the-box application that's also fully configurable. It deploys in weeks, not months, and is highly intuitive, requiring minimal training, and delivering a rapid rate of return.

SPEED PROJECT COMPLETION, AVOID COSTLY DELAYS, MINIMIZE MISTAKES, AND IMPROVE ACCOUNTABILITY



CENTRIC PROJECT : CAPABILITIES

- ▶ Establish a master process to manage multi-phase capital projects. Use Tracked Activities to create systematic, self-documenting business processes that automate reviews, action items, information requests, change orders, and other project activities.
- ▶ Quickly create a robust collaborative workspace for every project with minimal set-up overhead.
- ▶ Use a WYSIWYG authoring tool to configure reusable workspace templates that standardize business procedures. Create tabs and folders to organize project information. Incorporate external html based information and tools to provide an integrated working environment.
- ▶ Instantly share and review time-critical information. Use a personalized dashboard to access up-to-date activities, project documents and reports.



- ▶ Provide intuitive browser interface for universal access and online collaboration for distributed team members.
- ▶ Use drag-and-drop to instantly share project documents.
- ▶ Receive automatic notifications based on individual subscription preferences.
- ▶ Assign document ownership to individuals or groups. Use check-in/check-out to coordinate updates to group-owned documents.

Track critical activities to completion

- ▶ Use integrated tools to review plans, specifications, schedules, and designs and coordinate updates.
- ▶ View and mark up business documents without native applications.
- ▶ Automatically maintain the complete version history of documents with their associated mark-ups and comments.
- ▶ Use Microsoft Office, Outlook, desktop, and CAD system integration to share information and access activities without leaving your favorite software tools.
- ▶ Deploy a shared project calendar that synchronizes with each team members' Outlook calendar.
- ▶ Run project reports to see the status of project activities. Generate project snapshots to provide a self-contained, portable record of project activities.
- ▶ Capture the complete history of all project activities and information. Create project archives to backup project information.
- ▶ Establish workspace access rights based on individual, role or group membership to securely include all stakeholders in project activities and review cycles.

Acclaim

“The intuitive nature of the Centric solution fosters collaboration and highly informed decision making. The bottom line is increased accountability for all parties through the real-time sharing of critical project information. When you have such accountability, problems are identified sooner and costly delays can be avoided.”

- Bob Guirl
- Program Director



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