MethodicsIPLM

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Professional Services and Consulting

Methodics IPLM Professional Services takes your investment to the next level with professional services and consulting tailored to each customer's unique environment and needs. Our experts will work with you to formulate a solution and can provide everything from in-depth recommendations about your infrastructure and workflow to facilitation of migrations and integrations – or even full-scale installation and implementation support.

Consulting Services

MIGRATIONS

We can migrate your bulk data from other point solutions into Methodics IPLM. Recognizing that every customer environment has unique needs and requirements, we customize our internal scripts and processes to fit your specific environment and to deliver a customized script for future use.

INTEGRATIONS

- **Inbound (Data from other sources)**
  Through integration scripts, we bring your data into Methodics IPLM and connect with other engineering systems – such as Requirements Management systems, issue and defect systems, program and project management and PLM systems – to link metadata to IP managed in Methodics IPLM. Inbound data can be both metadata ties to IP as well as physical information to be integrated as files and file system IPs.

- **Outbound (Events and workflows)**
  We can customize Methodics IPLM to trigger outbound workflows and integrate into other engineering systems such as PLM, continuous integration systems like Jenkins, issue and defect tracking and project management.

- **Custom DM Support (Design and documentation)**
  We can support and document DM systems that need to be integrated into the Methodics IPLM platform including Git, Clercase, DesignSync, ClioSoft and other less common or legacy systems – as well as integrate data into PiCache to help you achieve performance benefits.

INFRASTRUCTURE SUPPORT

We provide in-depth consulting services on the infrastructure needed to support your IPLM environment, including the computing environment, High Availability planning, network support, worldwide deployment, and resource planning.

WORKFLOW & METHODOLOGY CONSULTING

Our experts are available to consult with you on implementing or configuring a methodology around reusing IP, based on best practices in real-world environments. We can even help you modify your existing workflow or create entirely new optimized workflows based on your requirements.

Additional Service Offerings

Get even more out of the Methodics IPLM platform with value-add offerings.

IMPLEMENTATION

We offer implementation packages to get you up and running quickly with Methodics IPLM and Helix Core.

- **Quick Start Implementation:** Our implementation team will ensure your new software is installed and configured optimally.
- **Enterprise Implementation:** This package is designed for large-scale installations and configurations across multi-server environments, specifically where many variables apply to system performance and must be optimized seamlessly. Our enterprise implementation provides you with a system capable of working at any scale.
- **Custom Implementation:** We offer full, customized implementation support services from our team of experts to meet the needs of even the most sophisticated environments and customers. Contact us to get started with a meeting where we will establish the scope and effort of your system implementation.

COMMUNITY MANAGEMENT RESOURCE (CMR)

Some customers benefit most from having a trained and qualified Methodics field application engineering resource embedded on-site at their location to serve as a true subject matter expert. The CMR helps individual design teams make the right decisions to set up their local environments and receive the training and knowledge required to accelerate onboarding into the IP Reuse and Lifecycle Management methodology. Contact us for more information.

BUSINESS VALUE ASSESSMENT (BVA)

Through a detailed BVA, we can help you evaluate and link your unique drivers and strategies to solution capabilities with supporting metrics. The BVA typically is performed in parallel with a formal technical evaluation process. Contact us for more details on how we can help you find and quantify where you will benefit most from IPLM.

Ready to Discuss Professional Services?

We understand the nuances of IP lifecycle management for semiconductor and chip design teams of all sizes. Our Services team is here for you and has the expertise to ensure success in implementing, migrating, or integrating your environment or consulting with you on your infrastructure and workflow methodology for IPLM.

Learn more by contacting us at consulting@perforce.com.

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