



Business Rules Sustainability Diagnostic *Analysis* *If You Are Considering a Business Rules Based Approach*

Why a Diagnostic Analysis?

Now that you are considering a Business Rules Based Approach, let us help you evaluate the potential Return-On-Investment (ROI) a Business Rules approach might provide.

Our first-step diagnostic is designed for those performing BR due-diligence evaluating fit for your industry and corporate culture. We'll look at your ROI expectations, current approaches to project implementations, and compare you to other companies internal and external to your industry. We'll leave you with an overall assessment of your BR "readiness". This analysis will provide recommendations for Software Tools and Training, Change Management, System Development Lifecycle Methodologies (SDLM), and Rules Management. We'll also provide you with "best fit" Business Rule Engine alternatives for your environment.

Lambert BRDP constantly monitors the business rules space for best practices, implementation issues, working solutions, and technology changes. One of Lambert BRDP's objectives is to provide an independent focus for this type of analysis to help you enable your business thru sustainable business rules.

Assessment/Review will cover:

1. Executive sponsorship and commitment
2. ROI Models and Expectations
3. Industry Applicability for BR approaches
4. Cultural fit for a BR approach, including current relationship model between IT and business staff
5. High level Root cause analysis of any current BR environment problems and issues
6. Existing Business and IT project Culture including Project Management and SDLM

Prerequisite information required includes:

- Business plan
- Organization Charts for Business and IT personnel
- Current ROI project requirements and process
- Change Management approach if available
- Current IT Architecture including platform, organization and SDLM if one is utilized
- IT Project portfolio

Deliverables will include:

- ✓ Completed BR Survey
- ✓ Scored ranking on KPI's Business Rule Maturity Model™ scale
- ✓ BR approach and training recommendations including: tools options for SDLM, Rules management, Business Rules Engines, Change Management based upon current and target architectures
- ✓ High-level action plan including the above recommendations

Building Sustainable Business Rules