

CAT Group

# PEOPLE MATTER.....

Managing the IT culture change in your business

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# **CAT Group at a Glance**

Key figures

Employees (2003) 2,548

Presence in18 countries

Total revenue (€)
 1.2 billion
 LV € 941 million

LC € 264 million LO € 4 million

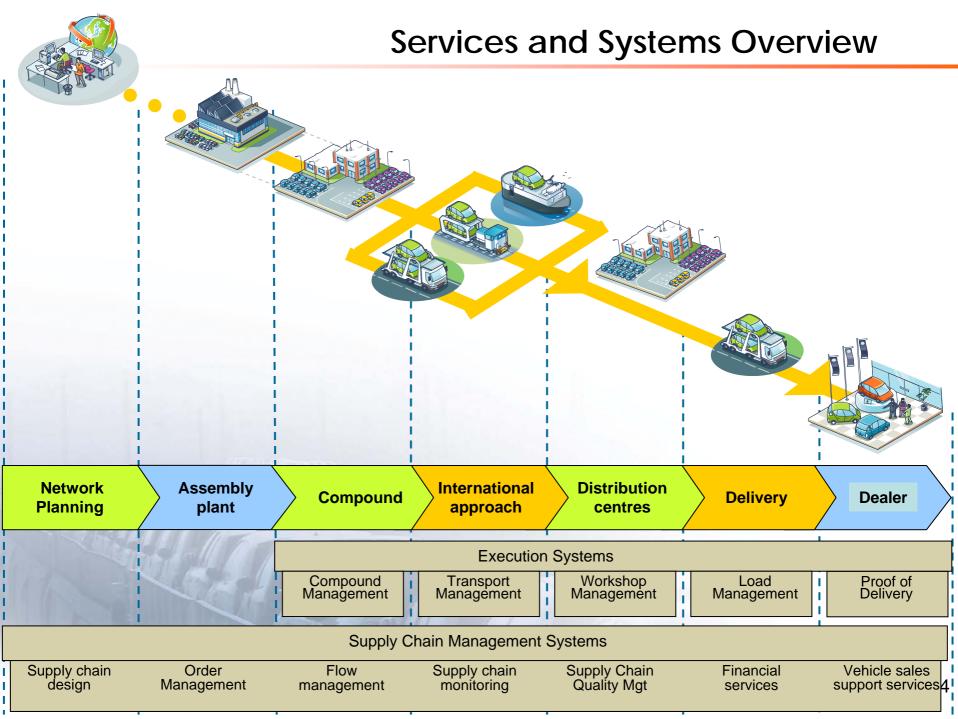
Established by the Renault Group as a specialist logistics business in 1957

- Acquired by the Global Automotive Logistics consortium in 2001
- CAT is solidly established in Europe, as well as in Latin America (Argentina, Brazil, Chile and Mexico)
  - Serving clients
    - Car manufacturers and rental-leasing companies
    - High & heavy (agricultural and construction equipment)
    - Parts manufacturers
    - Motorcycle manufacturers-importers



# **Sample Customers by Segment**





# **CAT Group Yesterday**

- ✓ 3 Divisions
- ✓ Mono customer : Renault
- ✓ Mono shareholder : Renault
- ✓ European scope
- ✓ IT Systems

Monolithical Stovepiped

with:

Fixed costs / non-transparent Lack of flexibility



# **CAT Group Tomorrow**

- ✓ Focused on Automotive Outbound Logistics
- ✓ End-to-End Supply Chain Services
- ✓ Multi-customer
- ✓ Global
- ✓ Multi shareholder, industry shareholders
- ✓ IT Systems

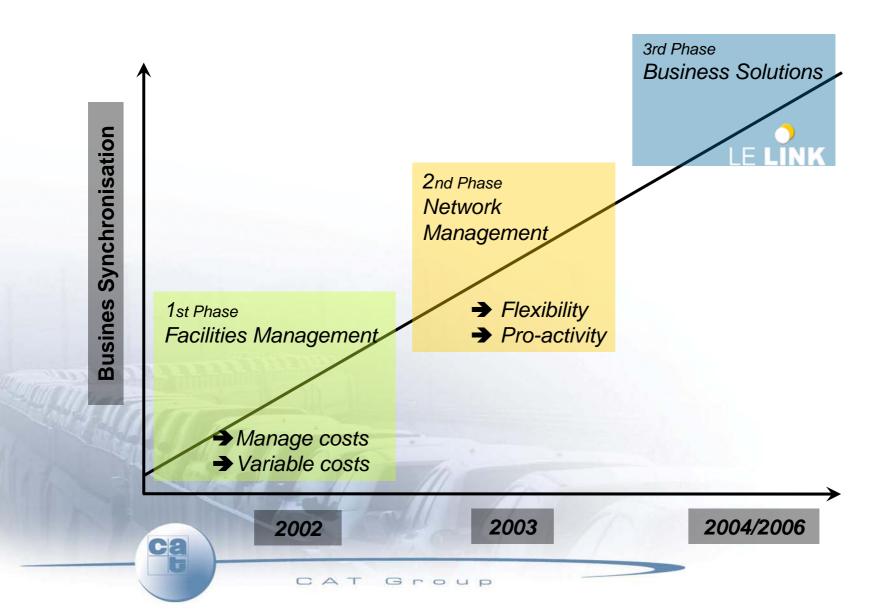
Synchronised with the business Driven by the business

with:

Variable and transparent costs
Optimal flexibility and Effectiveness



# **Plan and Priorities**





### Objectives of the program

- Secure existing revenues (ensure contract renewals)
- Generate additional revenues through new the capture of new LLP and Execution clients
- Reduce costs by improving operational efficiency
- Improve service quality

### Key working principles of the program

- Business improvement needs (for internal or client purposes) are the key driver of the projects
- All the projects:
  - have a business sponsor
  - are under the responsibility of either a business or an IS actor
  - include both business and IT competencies
- Key CAT players are dedicated to the program
- Regular benchmarks take place with competitors
- Key innovations and improvements are presented to clients for feed-back
- Off-the-shelf IS packages will be used whenever possible

**Network Planning** 

**Assembly** plant

Compound

International approach

Distribution centres

**Delivery** 

Dealer

### **Execution Systems**

Compound Management

Transport \_\_\_\_ Management =

Workshop Management =•

Load Management Proof of Delivery

### Supply Chain Management Systems

Supply chain design Solveur

Order Management

Flow management CLV + PO Supply Chain monitoring CLOE

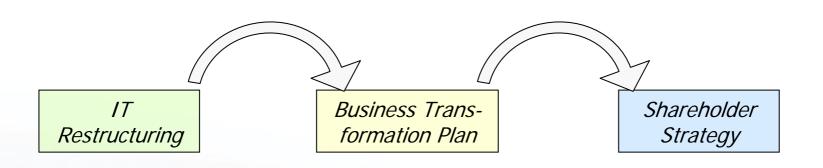
Supply Chain Quality Mgt Hyperion

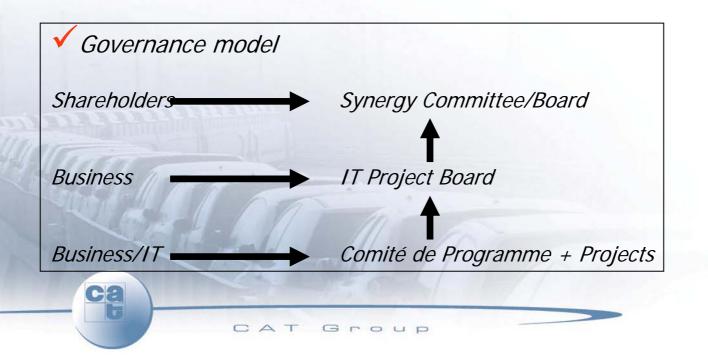
Financial services ATLAS

Dealer support services CLOE



# Strategic Evolution and Governance Model





# Accountabilities in the partnership

### **Business Divisions**



### **IT Division**

### **Business Accountabilities**

Cross divisional and cross regionally:

- Develop and maintain the business processes (Process acc/resp)
- Establish rules for information flow and information ownership (acc/resp)
- Establish/maintain plan for business contingency
- Develop system requirements
- Justifications of enhancements and projects
- System development projects sponsorship
- System Implementation co-management
- Ensure Information Quality/Input Quality
- User Training
- System Functionality and Usage
- System Change prioritisation
- Project prioritisation (Business System projects)
- Return on Investment (realisation of justification)

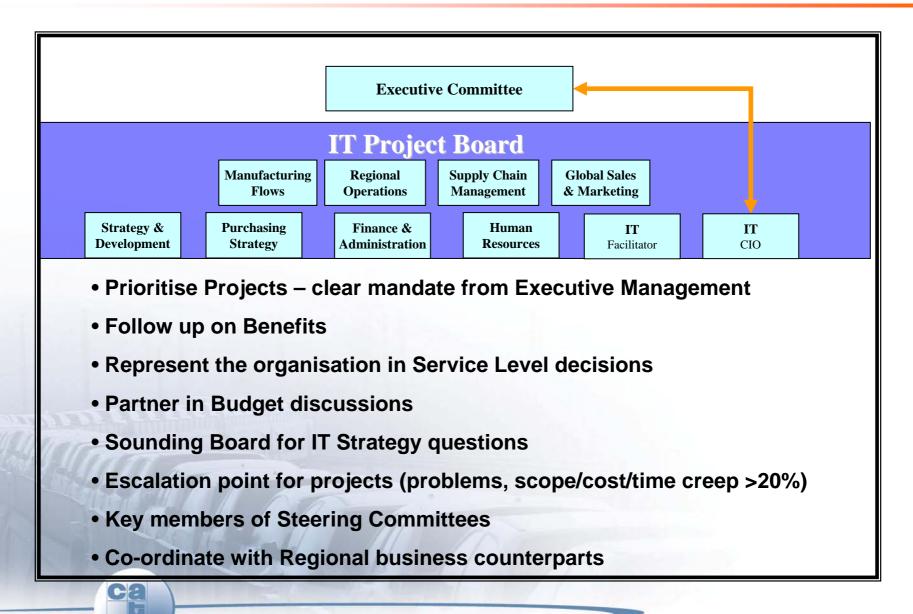
### IT Accountabilities

### Based on Business Needs;

- Ensure robust Information architecture
- Sustainable and flexible System Architecture
- Reliable and efficient Technical Architecture
- Enable Business Innovation through Information Technology
- System design
- System development and maintenance
- IT system projects
- System Implementation co-management (Technical)
- IT system and service delivery
- IT security and Disaster Recovery
- IT project (internal) justification and benefit realisation

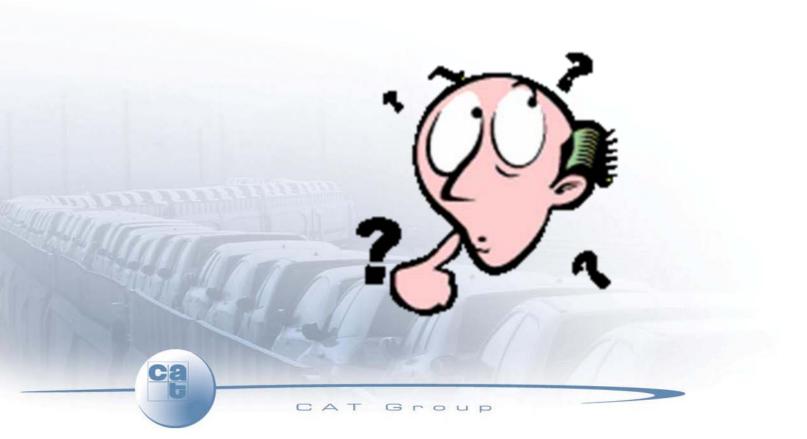


# **IT Projects Board**



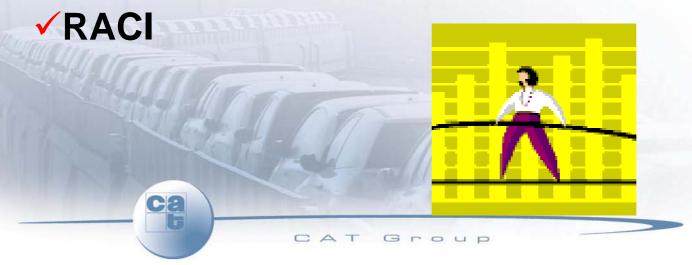
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# What have we learned?



# Governance, Governance and Governance

- ✓ Make sure that all instances have a real role
  - Avoid talking shops
- ✓ Transparent and agreed decision making process
  - ✓ Avoid the « coffee machine » or « CEO dinner » scenario
- ✓ Cater for organisation changes



# **Project Life Cycle RACI**

Actions	ITPB	Business Management	Business Project Manager	IT Project Manager	IT Operations
<b>Business Specifications</b>		Α	RA		
Specification Validation		R	Α	С	
Functional Specs/ Solution Scenarios		С	Α	RA	С
Solution Choice		Α	R	С	
Project Go/No-Go	RA				
Development				RA	
Test		Α	RA	Α	
Business Processes		Α	RA	С	
Technical Roll Out				С	RA
Training Preparation		С	RA	Α	
Training		RA	A	A	
Project Management			RA	A	
Project Evaluation		Α	RA	Α	Α

<sup>\*</sup> Responsible, Actor, Consulted, Informed

- ✓ Empower the business to make technology decisions
  - ✓ Make sure IT communicates risks and TCO
- ✓ Business Case Approach
- ✓ Project Prioritisation is very difficult due to IT or Strategic interdependencies



## Commitment

- ✓ Championship by CEO
- ✓ Programme Director is a « C » function
- ✓ Shareholder involvement (topic in the board)
- ✓ Full time resources (the best and only the best)
  - ✓ Special treatment, bonuses etc.

