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## WebSphere Business Process Lifecycle Management

Partner enablement Roadmaps  
Free of charge trainings & licenses

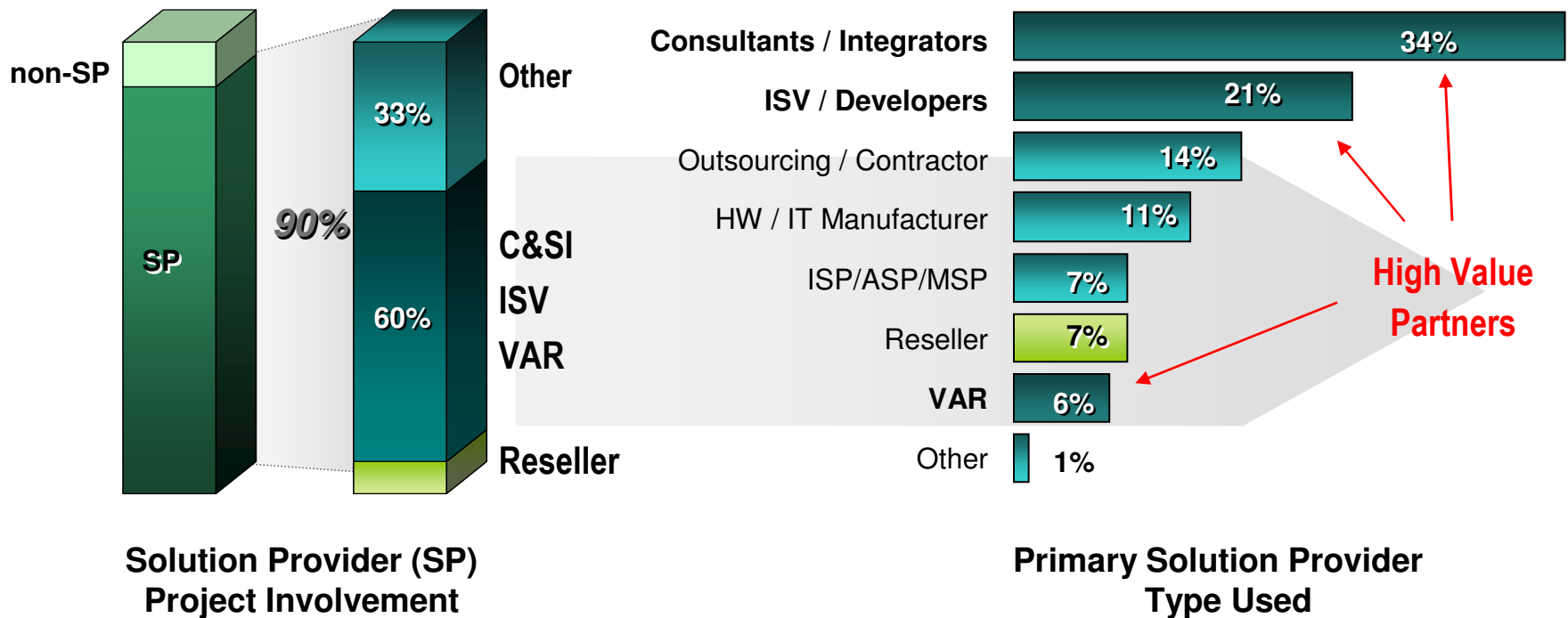
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***System z WebSphere Solutions Sales Leader***  
***IBM CEMAAS***



# Influencing Customer Middleware Selection

## ■ Solution Providers:

- ▶ Engaged in 90% of middleware projects
- ▶ Influence middleware brand selection in over 50% of projects



**... Balanced coverage & investment in *high value* partners is key**

Source: SWG MI Geo Buyer Behavior Studies 2002-2004.

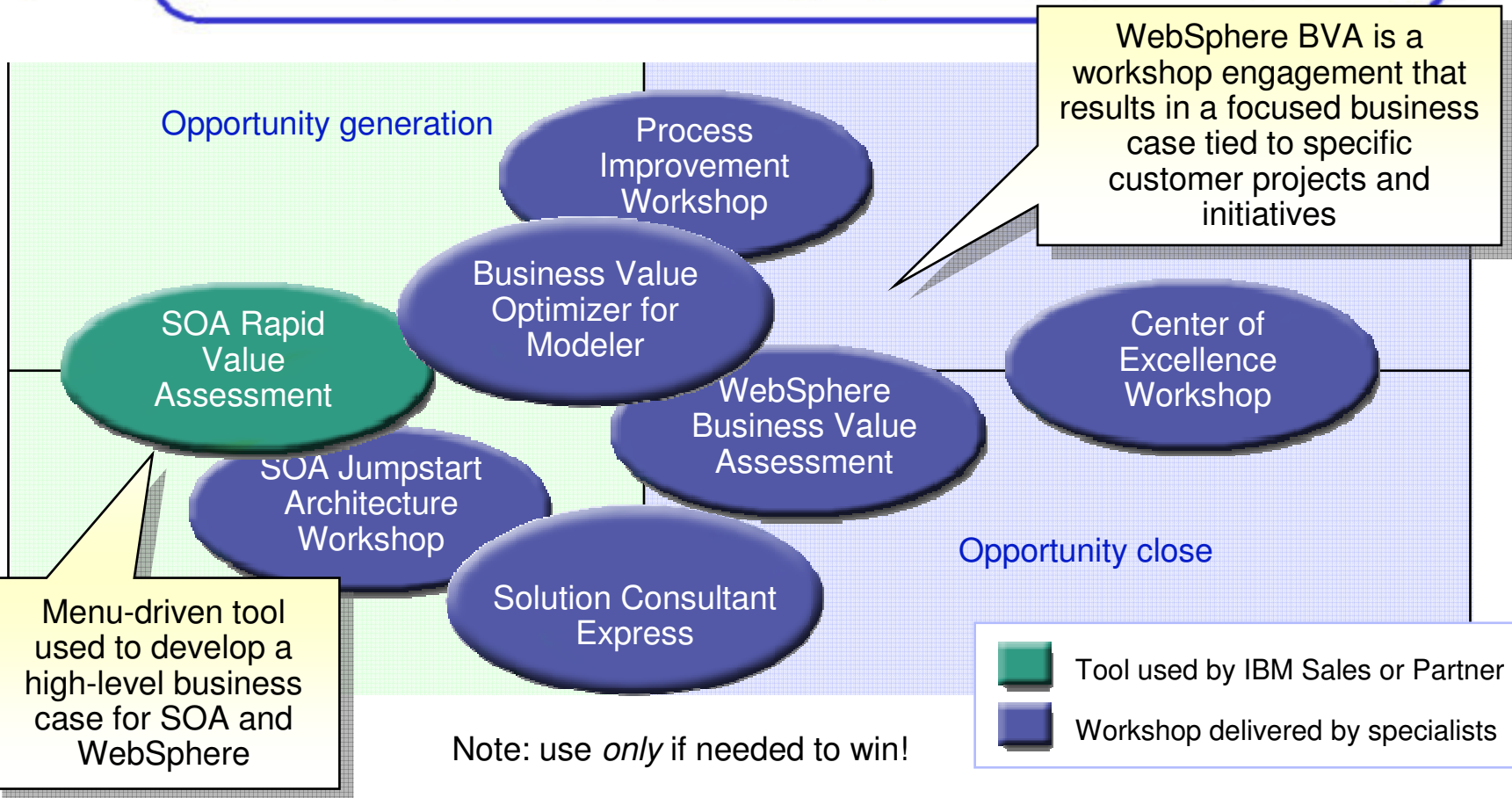
Knowledge and understanding of the client's unique business issues is by far the most important factor in the selection of a complex solution provider, both in the US and in Western Europe.

Which one factor is really most important to your decision? Is it _____?		Mean Rating (N=90)
Their knowledge and understanding of your unique business issues	37	4.3
The firm's knowledge and understanding of your industry	13	3.7
Proven track record	11	3.7
Previous experience	11	4.1
The calculated ROI for the solution	9	3.5
A low price	4	3.4
Available resources to meet deadlines and speed time to market	4	3.5
Trustworthiness	2	3.9
Thought leadership on the application of technology to solve business problems	2	3.8
Work collaboratively	2	3.7
Your rapport with their staff	2	3.5
Financial stability	1	3.5
Ability to transfer knowledge to your staff	0	3.3



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### Service Oriented Architecture

- Overview
- Learn more
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#### SOA benefits

Once you indicate your interest in SOA, get benefits that help you build your vertical market capabilities and attract potential customers in the markets you serve worldwide. Qualify for the IBM Business Partner SOA Specialty and get access to even more benefits.

- [Start using SOA specialty benefits today](#)

#### SOA community benefits

All members of PartnerWorld who have selected **Service-oriented architecture** in the country enterprise marketing information for their company are eligible for these benefits.

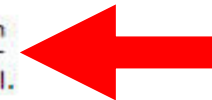
- [IBM SOA Rapid Value Assessment Toolkit](#)  
Identify customer business problems and deliver solutions for a return on investment estimate. Get a set of interview questions which deliver ROI business cases, key process models, and a SOA solution proposal.  
As part of the toolkit, you can qualify to receive no-charge training for WebSphere Business Modeler and entitlement to use WebSphere Business Modeler licenses in customer engagements for 12 months following training.
- [SOA SMB IBM Business Partner playbook](#)  
Get a complete set of materials to help you learn about SOA for small and medium business (SMB), generate sales leads, work with your customers to investigate their needs, and close sales.
- [SOA Business Partner Community newsletter](#)  
Read the current issue to learn more about SOA and its future from SOA leaders, and receive future newsletters by e-mail as part of the SOA community.

#### IBM Business Partner SOA Specialty benefits

IBM Business Partners who have met the [SOA specialty criteria](#), received IBM approval, and signed the IBM Business Partner SOA Specialty Agreement are

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# Rapid Value Assessment Training

- Virtual Innovation Center
  - ▶ <http://www-304.ibm.com/jct09002c/isv/welcome/vic.html>
  - ▶ Self paced RVA 101/201 training available now for BP & IBM
    - RVA 101 Introductory Training                      1.5 Hrs
    - RVA 201 Advanced Training                              1.5 Hrs

The screenshot shows the IBM Virtual Innovation Center website. The address bar displays: [http://www-03.ibm.com/partnerworld/vic/wps/myportal/.cmd/ad/.ar/sa.education/.c/201/.ce/603/.p/503?PC\\_503\\_feat](http://www-03.ibm.com/partnerworld/vic/wps/myportal/.cmd/ad/.ar/sa.education/.c/201/.ce/603/.p/503?PC_503_feat). The page features the IBM logo, a search bar, and navigation links for Home, Products & services, Supports & downloads, and My account. A sidebar on the left includes a 'Select a country' dropdown and a menu with categories like Virtual Innovation Center, Selling resources, Technical resources, SME Zone, News and announcements, Product selections, Projects, and Using the VIC. The main content area is titled 'Service-Oriented Architecture sales focus' and includes tabs for Overview, Support, Resources, and Education. Under the Education tab, a 'Course list' is displayed with several items, including 'SOA ROI Value Assessment Tool Advanced Training 201 - SOA-109S-EN' and 'SOA ROI Value Assessment Tool Introduction Training 101 - SOA-108S-EN'. On the right side, there are sections for 'Select a language' (set to Simplified Chinese), 'We're here to help' (with links for Online text chat, E-mail support, Problems & support, and Discussion forums), and 'Advanced membership' (with a 'Learn more' link).

## RVA 101 – Introduction to Using RVA Tool

After the introductory session, you should be able to

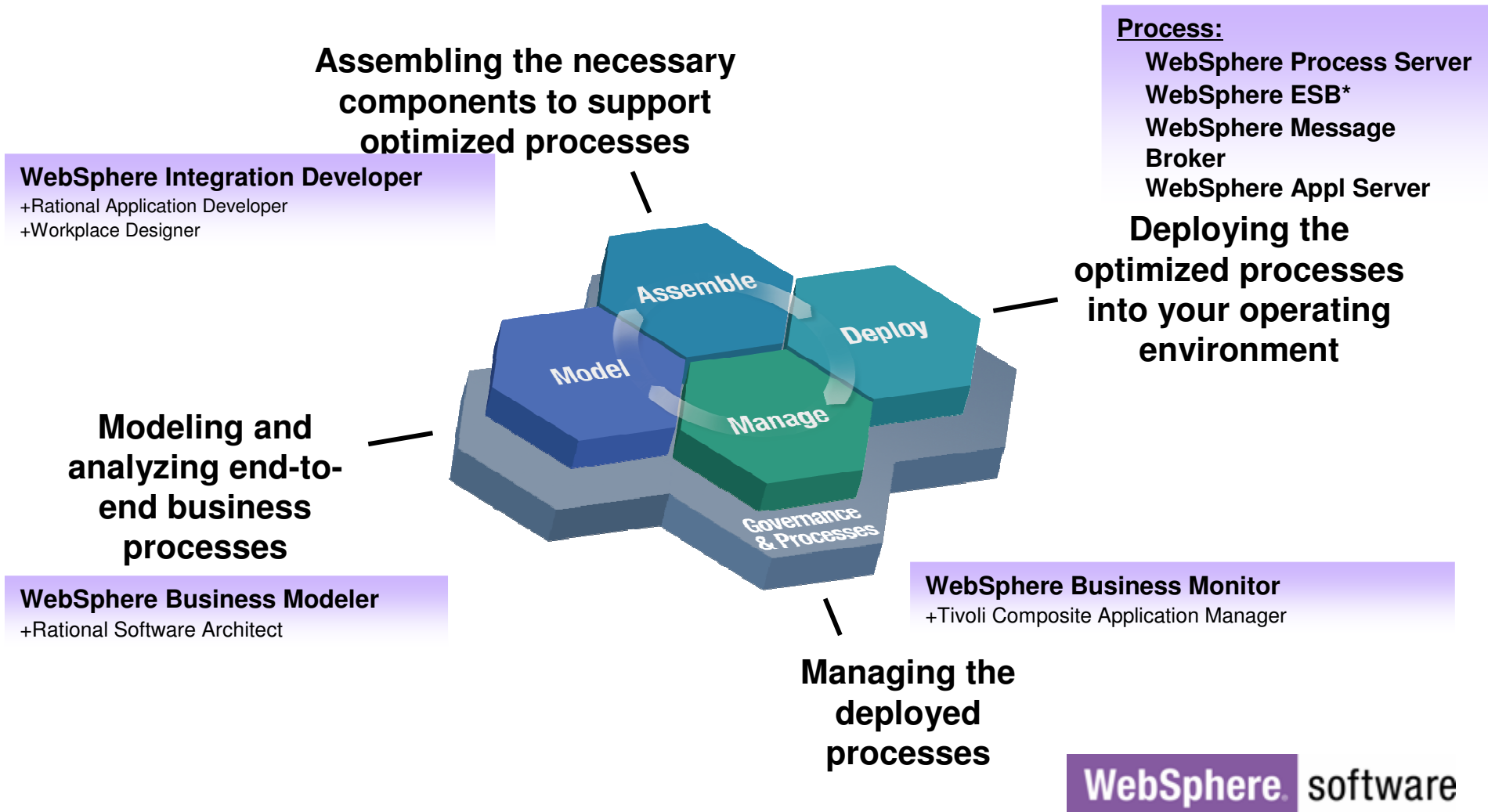
- Create a Financial ROI based on WebSphere Products and SOA
- Determine when to bring the ROI tool into the sales cycle
- Understand key financial terms and the 5 top ROI calculations
- Learn about the Methodology behind the tool (Risk Adjusted ROI)
- Find and use the resources, online help and Glossary
- Print a Questionnaire from the resources
- Use the Sample Templates and Create Generic Business Cases
- Navigate the Tool to Enter Data, Review Benefits, and Enter Costs
- Use Basic Features and Functions
- Generate a ROI Report Using Industry Defaults

## RVA 201 – Advanced Training

- Show how to add Other products
- Show how to add new Cost categories
- Show Risk Adjustment
- Show how to analyze and adjust the questions
- Use of leasing/financing
- Review and Show how to use the SOA Maturity Model
- Show how to add benefits categories
- Show how to add "Other" LOB/ Process
- Change Benefits by Stakeholder
- Show how to export and import project analysis
- Common objection handling



# Business Process Management Is Integral To SOA



# What is the Modeler Sales Acceleration Program ?

- This program provides practitioners with a fast path to WebSphere Business Modeler (WBM) Technical Enablement. The program includes free, online education. After completing this training, consultants will be able to –
  - ▶ Understand the tools and functionality of WBM
  - ▶ Develop business process maps
  - ▶ Analyze process maps using built in WBM reporting and analysis tools
  - ▶ Understand version control and process query functionality

The Modeler Acceleration Program aims to:

- Offer you a risk free opportunity to learn and use WebSphere Modeler
- Provide you a hands-on approach in evaluating the benefits and advantages of Modeler
- Facilitate and accelerate your adoption of WebSphere Modeler

## How Does the Program Work?

*The Modeler Acceleration program works by providing you:*

- ▶ *Access to No-Charge WebSphere Business Modeler Training*
- ▶ *License to use Modeler in all client engagements for 12 months*
- ▶ *Active support via our Developer to Developer program*
- ▶ *Educational materials designed to maximizing your effectiveness with Modeler*

*In return for the Modeler Acceleration services, you would try to:*

- ▶ Increase Modeler usage in your client transactions
- ▶ Integrate Modeler with your business model

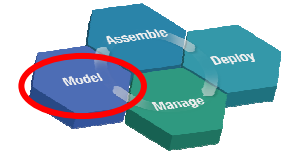
Steps involved:

- Modeler Business Planning Session with you and IBM
- Naming of dedicated resources to be trained on Modeler

*In a nutshell, you have the risk free opportunity use WebSphere Modeler for one year to see how it benefits you and your customers!*

## Business Analyst – Recommended Online Education

- Concepts
  - ▶ VIC: WebSphere Business Modeler
- Technical Online Training from WebSphere Education
  - ▶ Online courses that combines instructor interactions and lab exercises with self-paced remote training. Participants in this course complete 2-3 days of material over three weeks time at their own pace.
  - ▶ BI818: Fundamentals of IBM WebSphere Business Modeler V6 (Self-paced) – equivalent to 3 days classroom course
  - ▶ BI819: Advanced Features of IBM WebSphere Business Modeler V6 (Self-paced) – equivalent to 2 days classroom course
- Optional skills
  - ▶ WebSphere Education online training: BI861 Understanding WebSphere Process Server and Integration Developer



Ask your IBM account manager about the Modeler Sales Acceleration program to get access to the online training BI818

## WebSphere Business Modeler Sales Acceleration - Enablement Training

- BI818 is a self-paced, distance learning course containing the same material as the instructor-led course (3 days)
  - ▶ Benefit from instructor interaction and support via e-mail
  - ▶ Participate in 2 scheduled conference calls per week for live interaction with instructor
  - ▶ Use online tools for delivery
  - ▶ View recorded Presentations
  - ▶ Learn through lab exercises and testing for each module (approx 12 modules)
  - ▶ Learn at your own pace: 3 days of material over 3 weeks

# Getting Started – For Partners new to IBM Software Group

*Join Partnerworld for Industry Networks (PWIN) – SOA Specialty:*

*[IBM PWIN - SOA Partner Specialty](#)*

*Your IBM Contact contacts the IBM Modeler Sales Acceleration Program Manager,  
Kimberly Madia at: [kmadia@us.ibm.com](mailto:kmadia@us.ibm.com)*

*Modeler Business Planning Session to determine agreed way forward between IBM and  
Business Partner*

*Named individuals attend the online class(es)*

*Receive license to use Modeler*

*For further information please get in touch with Milan Splaevic, IMT CEMAAS WebSphere  
Channel Sales Manager, at: [milan.spalevic@si.ibm.com](mailto:milan.spalevic@si.ibm.com)*

# Getting Started – For Partners already enrolled in PWIN-SOA Specialty

*Next Steps:*

*To Join the Modeler Acceleration Program:*

1. Visit :

[https://www-304.ibm.com/jct09002c/isv/marketing/member/industry networks/soa\\_value\\_toolkit\\_request.html](https://www-304.ibm.com/jct09002c/isv/marketing/member/industry networks/soa_value_toolkit_request.html)

2. Click On and Submit:

[Request participation in WebSphere Business Modeler sales acceleration](#)

3. Modeler Business Planning Session to determine agreed way forward between IBM and Business Partner

4. Named individuals attend the online class(es)

5. Receive license to use Modeler

For further information please get in touch with Milan Splaevic, IMT CEMAAS WebSphere Channel Sales Manager, at: [milan.splaevic@si.ibm.com](mailto:milan.splaevic@si.ibm.com)



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### Service Oriented Architecture

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#### IBM SOA Rapid Value Assessment Toolkit

##### IBM SOA Rapid Value Assessment Tool

Use this tool to create a ROI business case within 1-2 days of initiating the customer meeting to establish funding and executive sponsorship for a project. This tool offers a framework for a structured interview to help IBM sales teams and Business Partners quickly identify the customer's business problems.

- Download the WebSphere version
  - ↓ [Tool](#) (82MB)
  - [User's guide](#) (665KB)  
Includes user ID and password setup information.
- [Download the Tivoli version from the Tivoli Knowledge Center](#)
- [Industry-specific models in WebSphere Business Modeler V6](#) (62KB)

##### Business Value Optimizer for IBM WebSphere Business Modeler

For different industries and models, access the Business Value Optimizer for IBM WebSphere Business Modeler Versions 5 and 6.

Industry	Model	V5	V6
Finance	Mortgage application	zip (0.6MB)	zip (0.6MB)
Insurance	New business life	zip (1.2MB)	zip (1.0MB)
Manufacturing	Supplier management	zip (0.8MB)	zip (1.2MB)
Retail	Accounting	zip (0.6MB)	zip (0.6MB)
Telecommunications	DSL provisioning	zip (0.9MB)	zip (0.9MB)

- [Request participation in WebSphere Business Modeler sales acceleration](#)  
Develop skills to visualize the customer's business processes, simulate process improvements, and secure valuable service engagements by leveraging WebSphere Business Modeler.




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## IBM WebSphere Business Modeler sales acceleration initiative

Submit this form to request participation in the WebSphere Business Modeler sales acceleration initiative.

The fields indicated with an asterisk ( \* ) are required to complete this transaction; other fields are optional. If you do not want to provide us with browser session that is displaying this page.

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**Fax:** 386-1 479 x6601


If this information is not accurate or you would like to change it, please [update](#) your profile before continuing.

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**Select a company:** Business Development Manager, Websphere Channel, CEMAAS - IBM Corporation - #19000001 

**Your IBM sales representative:** milan.spalevic@si.ibm.com

Click **Submit** to request participation in the WebSphere Business Modeler sales acceleration initiative.

 **Submit**

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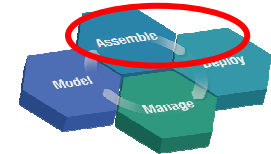
## IBM WebSphere Business Modeler sales acceleration initiative

Thank you for your request. Within three business days, you will receive information on how you can qualify for no-charge training and a limited

Return to the [SOA business value assessment toolkit](#) benefit page.

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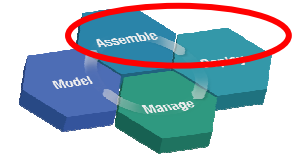
## Integration Developer (WID/WPS) – Recommended Online Education



- Concepts and Introduction:
  - ▶ WebSphere Education online training:
    - BI861 Understanding WebSphere Process Server and Integration Developer,
    - BI862 Business Driven Development Basics for Process Integration on an SOA Platform
- Technical Online Training from WebSphere Education
  - ▶ BI863 Integrating using WebSphere Integration Developer and Process Server  
5 days distance learning course : combination of online learning tools, live online meetings for the delivery of the presentations and to ask questions, remote lab access
- Optional Skills
  - ▶ WebSphere Education online training: BI824 WebSphere BI Adapter Development – Introduction
  - ▶ VIC: WebSphere Business Integration Adapters

BI863 scheduled as part of Business Partner Technical Enablement.

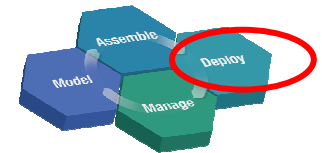
## Integration Developer (WID + WESB) – Recommended Online Education



- Concepts and Introduction:
  - ▶ VIC: Power Your SOA with an Enterprise Service Bus
  - ▶ WebSphere Education online training:
    - SW861 WESB Introduction and Overview
    - BI861 Understanding WebSphere Process Server and Integration Developer
- Optional Skills:
  - ▶ WebSphere Education online training: BI824 WebSphere BI Adapter Development – Introduction
  - ▶ VIC: WebSphere Business Integration Adapters

For deeper technical education: Attend classroom courses BI131 WESB – Implementing and ESB and/or SW343 WESB Mediation Development

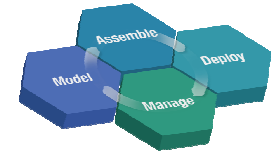
## Solution Deployer – Recommended Online Education



- Concepts and Introduction:
  - ▶ WebSphere Education online trainings:
    - BI860: Overview of IBM Products for Process Integration,
    - BI861 Understanding WebSphere Process Server and Integration Developer,
    - BI862 Business Driven Development Basics for Process Integration on an SOA Platform
    - WF387 Administration of WebSphere Application Server
- Technical Online Training from WebSphere Education:
  - ▶ BI863 Integrating using WebSphere Integration Developer and Process Server  
5 days distance learning course : combination of online learning tools, live online meetings for the delivery of the presentations and to ask questions, remote lab access
- Optional Skills
  - ▶ WebSphere Education online training: BI830 WebSphere Partner Gateway Introduction

BI863 scheduled as free Business Partner Technical Enablement. For deeper technical education on Process Server Administration: Attend classroom course SW428 Installation & Admin. of WebSphere Process Server

## SOA General– Recommended Online Education



- SOA technical online training

These courses are designed to enable IBM Business Partner IT Architects to win and execute service-oriented architecture (SOA) engagements for their clients. For maximum benefit, it is recommended that the courses be taken in this sequence:

- ▶ For Business Partners: The Value of Service-Oriented Architecture (SW706)
- ▶ For Business Partners: Assessment Assets for Service-Oriented Architecture (SW707)
- ▶ For Business Partners: Service-Oriented Architecture Design Patterns (SW708)
- ▶ For Business Partners: Implementation Technologies for Service-Oriented Designs (SW709)

- WebSphere Education online trainings: Concepts on WebSphere Business Integration products

- BI860: Overview of IBM Products for Process Integration,
- BI861 Understanding WebSphere Process Server and Integration Developer,
- BI862 Business Driven Development Basics for Process Integration on an SOA Platform

- Other

- ▶ Attend technical briefings or replays of webcasts:  
[http://www.ibm.com/developerworks/offers/techbriefings/?S\\_TACT=105AGX01&S\\_CMP=HP](http://www.ibm.com/developerworks/offers/techbriefings/?S_TACT=105AGX01&S_CMP=HP)
- ▶ SOA on developerWorks: <http://www-128.ibm.com/developerworks/webservices>
- ▶ Sales Education: IBM Business Value Analyst Tool Introduction and Advanced Training

## Additional education resources

- **Links and resources**

Education roadmap:

<http://www.ibm.com/software/sw-training>

WebSphere role based roadmaps:

<http://www.ibm.com/developerworks/websphere/education/enablement/roadmaps/>

SOA role roadmaps :

<http://www.ibm.com/developerworks/websphere/education/enablement/roadmaps/#soa>

Virtual Innovation Center and Subject Matter Expert Programme:

[www.ibm.com/partnerworld/vic](http://www.ibm.com/partnerworld/vic) → choose SME in the Navigator

- **Contact WebSphere Education if you need help to:**

- ▶ Select the right roadmap or delivery format for you
- ▶ Define a customized skill transfer for your organization
- ▶ Access to online education

→ [ursula.bosch@de.ibm.com](mailto:ursula.bosch@de.ibm.com) for partner enablement

→ Or your regional Education representative

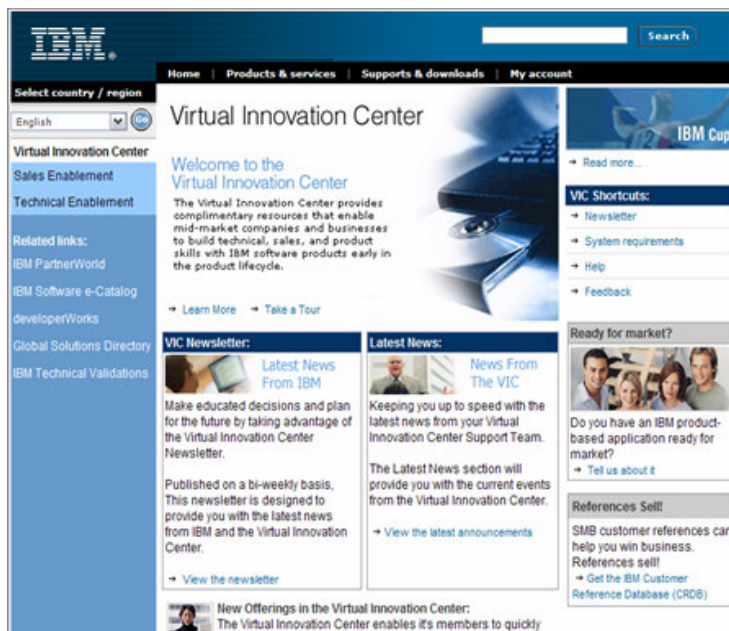
## Extract of courses offered for free for Business Partners

- BI810 WBI Modeler Workbench - Introduction
- BI820 Introduction to InterChange Server and Toolset
- BI825 WebSphere BI Adapters w/ WebSphere MQ Integrator Broker
- BI826 WebSphere BI Adapter for mySAP.com Introduction
- BI830 WebSphere Partner Gateway - Introduction
- BI831 WebSphere Partner Gateway Express - Introduction
- BI843 Overview of WebSphere Product Center and Global Data Synchronization
- BI860 Overview of IBM Products for Process Integration
- BI861 Understanding WebSphere Process Server and Integration Developer
- BI862 Business Driven Development Basics for Process Integration on an SOA Platform
- WF387 Administration of WebSphere Application Server
- SW706 The Value of Service-Oriented Architecture
- SW707 Assessment Assets for Service-Oriented Architecture
- SW708 Service-Oriented Design Patterns
- SW709 Implementation Technologies for Service-Oriented Designs
- SW717 Introduction to Value and Governance Model of Service-Oriented Architecture
- SW718 Design SOA Solutions and Apply Project, Technical and Operational Governance
- SW719 Technologies and Standards for Service-Oriented Architecture Project Implementation
- SW810 What's New in IBM WebSphere Commerce V5.6.1
- SW866: Overview of IBM WebSphere Commerce and Introduction to V6 Features
- SW867: Introduction to IBM WebSphere Commerce V6 System Administration
- SW861 Introduction to WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus

Check here for course descriptions: <http://www-128.ibm.com/developerworks/websphere/education/enablement/wbt/>

# Virtual Innovation Center

*Goal: Provide technical & sales resources that allow Business Partners to quickly access support, so you can focus on your customers!*



- Skill-building Resources
  - ▶ Skills roadmaps
  - ▶ Introduction and Certification preparation courses
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- Across the IBM Portfolio
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  - ▶ Online tools including FAQs, How Do I?, Tips, Tricks and Traps
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  - ▶ Email tech support
  - ▶ Porting and migration assistance

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## Extract of WebSphere online courses available through the VIC

- Assessment Assets for Service Oriented Architecture
- Service-Oriented Architecture Design Patterns
- Implementation Technologies for Service-Oriented Designs
- The Value of Service-Oriented Architecture
- IBM Business Value Analyst Tool Introduction Training 101
- IBM Business Value Analyst Tool Advanced Training 201
- WebSphere Business Modeler
- WebSphere ESB V6.0.1
- WebSphere Integration Developer V6
- Power Your SOA with an Enterprise Service Bus
- WebSphere Business Integration Express Solution Implementation
- WebSphere Business Integration Server Express Product Architecture
- WebSphere JCA Adapter
- WebSphere Commerce Professional Edition
- WebSphere Application Server V6.0
- WebSphere MQ V6.0
- WebSphere Partner Gateway Express v6.0

1. Enter VIC
2. Add/Select Product
3. Choose Technical Resources in Navigator
4. Go to Education Tab
5. Select Course

# VIC: Sample course structure

The screenshot displays the IBM Lotus Learning Management System interface within a Microsoft Internet Explorer browser. The top navigation bar includes the IBM logo and the user name 'Ursula Bosch'. The main content area is divided into a left-hand navigation pane and a right-hand content pane.

**Navigation Pane (Left):**

- Lesson 1: Enterprise Service Bus (ESB) Overview
- Lesson 2: WebSphere ESB and the WebSphere Product Family
  - Objectives
  - IBM WebSphere Product Family
  - WebSphere ESB and WebSphere Message
  - WebSphere ESB and WebSphere Application
  - WebSphere ESB and WebSphere Process
  - Check Your Understanding
- Lesson 3: WebSphere ESB Concepts and User Roles
  - Objectives
  - ESB Concepts: Mediation Module
  - ESB Concepts: Export and Import Bindings
  - ESB Concepts: Mediation Flow Composer
  - ESB Users Roles and their Tasks
  - WebSphere ESB User Roles: Integration
  - WebSphere ESB User Roles: Solution Adapters
  - Check Your Understanding

**Content Pane (Right):**

**Check Your Understanding** [Close and Save Progress] [Continue] [Previous]

### Lesson 4: WebSphere ESB Integration Model

Check Your Understanding

Please select the correct answer(s).

Which of the following describes the role of the mediation module

- 1. Specifies how a subset of WebSphere ESB's service requesters and service providers interact
- 2. Manages interactions with external service endpoints
- 3. Can be rewire by the administrator to other modules
- 4. All of the above

**Check Answer**

The interface also features a 'Course Tools' section at the bottom left with links for 'Progress Report' and 'Calendar'. A decorative graphic of three interlocking gears (grey, green, and blue) is positioned on the right side of the content area.

## Subject Matter Expert (SME) Program for WebSphere

- Objective: Build a strong community of WebSphere skilled practitioners across all our partners . Enable you to effectively recommend, use, and implement WebSphere software on client engagements and increase your WebSphere solution and services revenue
- Skills Enablement Navigator consisting of:
  - ▶ Access to training (fee/no fee) on all WebSphere products
    - Sales & Technical Enablement
    - Organized by Product and WebSphere Capabilities
    - Supported by skills-based Roadmaps
  - ▶ Access to technical documentation databases and Redbooks
  - ▶ Ongoing Updates and Communication, with access to:
    - WebSphere Tech Tuesday
    - WebSphere Think Thursday
    - And other key sites for WebSphere information

Access SME Program via VIC at <http://www.ibm.com/partnerworld/vic>



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## SME Zone

### 2006 Subject Matter Expert(SME) Program

Thank you for registering for the IBM Middleware Subject Matter Expert Program. The program was designed to better serve our Business Partner community as it relates to enablement/skills building.

The program is a compilation of education material, roadmaps, and classes in one easy to navigate knowledge portal. The program makes it easier for you to get to the information or classes in an efficient manner. The program includes both a Sales Training path and a Technical Training path. We highlight the Virtual Innovation Centers free courses with live support and other resources, free tutorials on developerWorks, fee based classes and other IBM online courses.

We have built a program that has the importance of your education time as a core driver of what we are offering to you. We will continue to build and offer more online courses as the program moves forward.

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  - IBM Redbooks
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  - developerWorks 印度
  - developerWorks 日本
  - developerWorks 俄罗斯

## IBM Business Partner free classroom education - EMEA

Course Code	Course Name	Start Date	Location
SW519	Developing Applications with SOA	19 Feb 2007	Paris, France
SW541	WebSphere Commerce V6 Hands-on Training for Developers	26 Feb 2007	Munich, Germany
SW541	WebSphere Commerce V6 Hands-on Training for Developers	27 Feb 2007	Lisbon, Portugal
SW110	WebSphere Transformation Extender V8.1 Fundamentals	5 March 2007	Paris, France
BI111	Integrating Using WebSphere Integration Developer and WebSphere Process Server	12 March 2007	Amsterdam, Netherlands
SW351	Getting Started with SOA Workshop	12 March 2007	Hursley, United Kingdom
SW519	Developing Applications with SOA	19 March 2007	Amsterdam, Netherlands
SW110	WebSphere Transformation Extender V8.1 Fundamentals	26 March 2007	London, United Kingdom
MQ661	WebSphere Message Broker V6 Application Programmer Workshop	26 March 2007	Helsinki, Finland
SW519	Developing Applications with SOA	2 April 2007	Rome, Italy
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BI111	Integrating Using WebSphere Integration Developer and WebSphere Process Server	7 May 2007	Budapest, Hungary
SW351	Getting Started with SOA Workshop	TBA 1H 2007	Copenhagen, Kiev, Bucharest, Istanbul
SW355	WebSphere Business Modeler Practitioner Bootcamp	TBA 1H 2007	Stockholm
SW541	WebSphere Commerce V6 Hands-on Training for Developers	TBA 1H 2007	Warsaw, Stockholm, Amsterdam
BI111	Integrating Using WebSphere Integration Developer and Process Server	TBA 1H 2007	Stockholm, Istanbul, Casablanca

## IBM Business Partner free classroom education - AP/ASEAN

Course Code	Course Name	Start Date	Location
SW351	Getting Started with SOA Workshop	TBA 1H 2007	Bangalore, India
SW519	Developing Applications with SOA	TBA 1H 2007	Bangalore, India
SW590	Designing SOA Solutions	TBA 1H 2007	Bangalore, India
BI182	WebSphere Business Modeler	TBA 1H 2007	Bangalore, India
SW541	WebSphere Commerce V6 Hands-on Training for Developers	TBA 1H 2007	Bangalore, India
BI111	Integrating Using WebSphere Integration Developer and Process Server	TBA 1H 2007	Bangalore, India & Shanghai, China
BI131	WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus - Implementing an ESB	TBA 1H 2007	Bangalore, India
TBD	WebSphere Service Registry and Repository	TBA 1H 2007	Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur, & Singapore

## IBM Business Partner free online education - Online

Course Code	Course Name	Start Date	Location
SW866	WebSphere Commerce V6 Fundamentals	Online	Online/Self-paced
SW867	Introduction to WebSphere Commerce V6 System Administration	Online	Online/Self-paced
SW868	WebSphere Commerce V6 Store Development	Online	Online/Self-paced
SW869	Introduction to WebSphere Commerce V6 Business Operations	Online	Online/Self-paced
SW870	Advanced WebSphere Commerce V6 Business Operations	Online	Online/Self-paced



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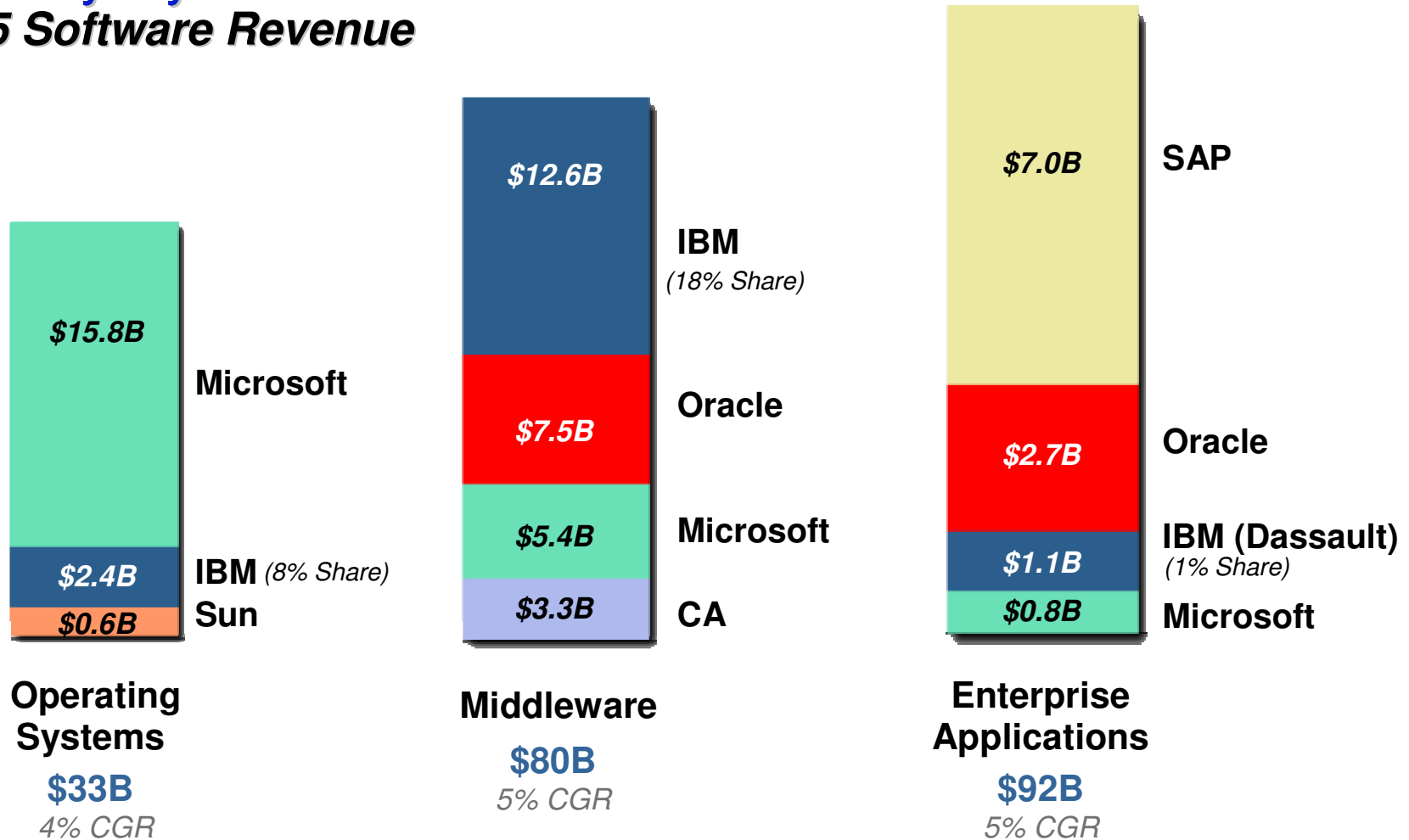


## WebSphere Business Modeler Sales Acceleration Initiative

- IBM Investment:
  - ▶ The Modeler Sales Acceleration program provides the partner with no-charge Modeler training (approx \$2175 value/stud.) and entitlement to use Modeler licences (approx \$9500 value) in customer engagements for 12 months following training. In order to receive this offer, the partner must agree to:
- Business Partner commitment
  - ▶ Identify executive sponsor for Modeler deployment
  - ▶ Develop a joint Business Plan to drive and monitor Modeler deployment, including identification of consultants to be trained (minimum 5 to maximum 25)
  - ▶ Train agreed-to number of consultants (minimum 5) and deploy WebSphere Business Modeler licenses to the trained consultants
  - ▶ Establish WebSphere Business Modeler as the Preferred BPM tool within the partner organization
  - ▶ Use Modeler in active Client Engagements; drive new opportunities
  - ▶ IBM Sales rep to provide a quarterly update (from partner reviews) on the use/success of Modeler in engagements

# Industry Dynamics

## 2005 Software Revenue



Notes: (1) Only top market share leaders listed  
 (2) IBM share includes software revenue from IGS transactions; CGR for 2005 - 2009