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**Raising the Bar: DQ/IQ to “Enterprise IQ”**  
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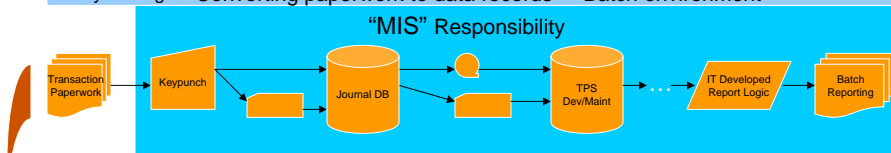


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## Example Systems DQ/IQ Evolution

20+ years ago: “Converting paperwork to data records” – Batch environment

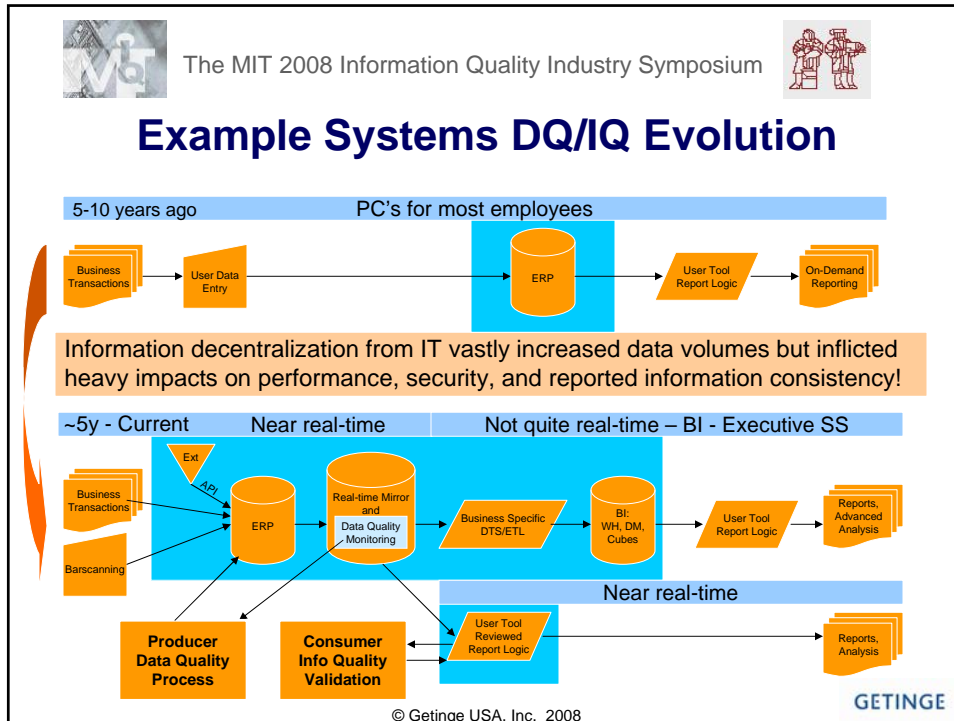


10-20 years ago: Terminals for most employees, PC's for power users



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## Why BI?

- **Project significantly involved business management.**
  - Required *analyzing* and *understanding* business processes.
  - Inter-relationships and complexities between information producers and consumers clarified.
- **The BI project made it necessary: clean (scrubbed) source data...**
  - Re-organize the business towards this goal.

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## Why BI?

- **Data Quality Review Board formed**
  - Business Management (Data Stewards)
  - IT
- **Continuous Improvement Process.**
  - Identification or Hypothesizing of problems and areas for improvement.
  - Design and development of solution
  - Test then Implement
  - Monitor
  - Repeat

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## Effective DQ/IQ Technical Mechanism

- Data Quality Monitoring: real-time alerts chosen instead of application edit modifications because of application re-validation requirements.
  - Alerts directly to data producer.
  - **Correction Deadline:** end of business day.
  - Data producers correct their own information
  - Management receives individual visibility and statistical summaries.
  - Managers assure compliance to alerts, devise corrective action such as training or discipline as necessary.

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## Effective DQ/IQ Technical Mechanism

- For us, real-time alerts now robust
  - Mass “data scrubbing” is a thing of the past.
- For data consumer - there are two basic expectations:
  - “Realtime” – assume may not yet be scrubbed.
  - “BI” – assume information has been scrubbed.
- In the end: Data Quality is internalized as a normal daily business responsibility.

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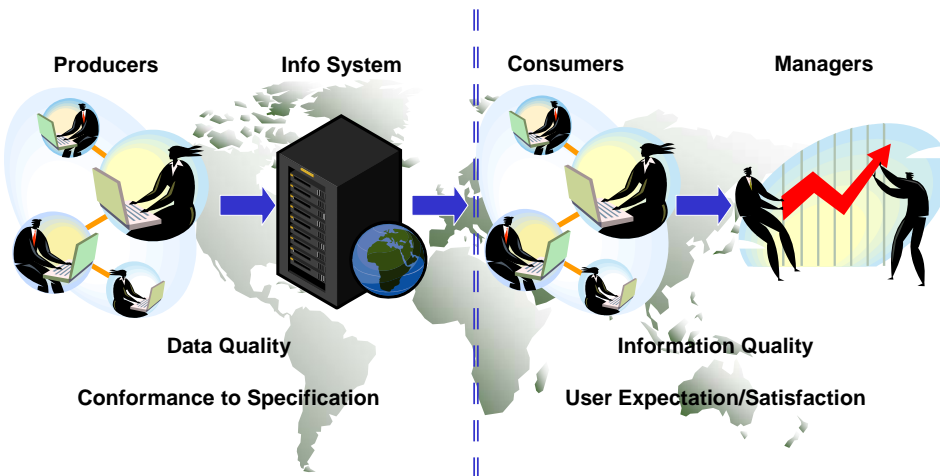
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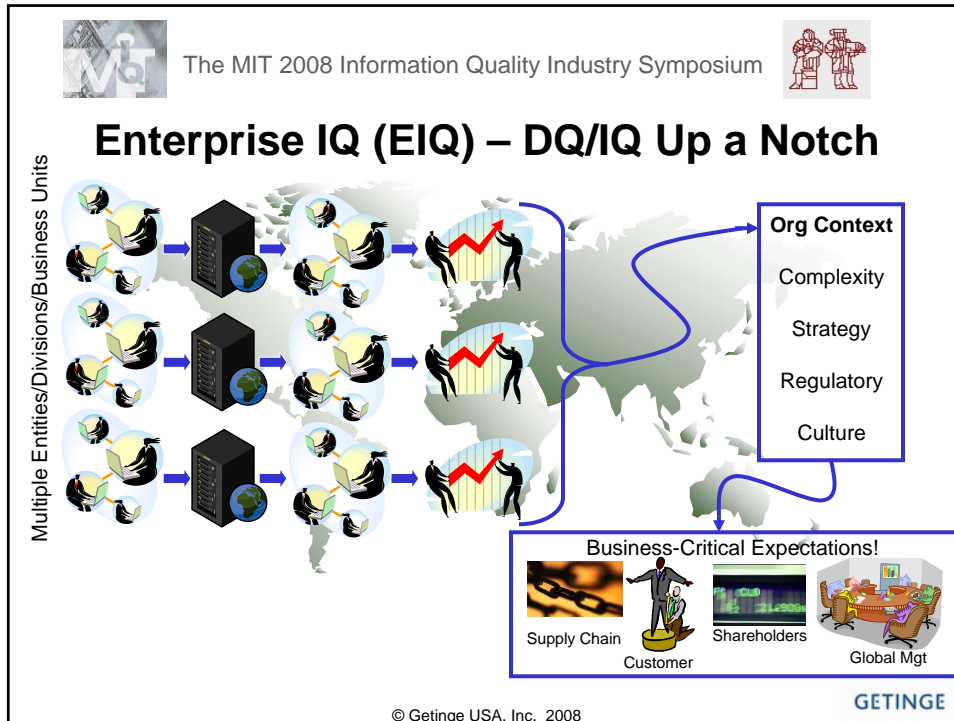


## Traditional DQ/IQ



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- ## Enterprise IQ (EIQ)
- Especially for complex corporate environments, there are added demands to information, for example:
    - Multiple divisions/business units/sister companies
    - Multi-National Corporations (MNC's)
    - Multiple product families and shared customers/suppliers
    - Combinations of the above!
  - Information Shareholders in EIQ are beyond end-users; they include stockholders, group management, and customers/suppliers...
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## Complexities - Real-World Example



2007 Global Revenue: ~\$2.547B

(16,445 MSEK \* 0.154875 (Dec-31-2007 USD exch rate))

Employees: 10,358

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### GETINGE INFECTION CONTROL

Healthcare      Pharmaceutical / Medical Device      Research

2,866 Employees  
26 Sales/Dist Companies  
65 Dealer Network  
12 Manufacturing Plants

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## Complexity – BA and Customer Segments

**Business Areas**

|                              |                                  |                                |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>EXTENDED CARE</b><br>37 % | <b>INFECTION CONTROL</b><br>26 % | <b>MEDICAL SYSTEMS</b><br>37 % |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|

**Customer Segments**

|                             |                          |                             |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Elderly Care</b><br>18 % | <b>Hospitals</b><br>73 % | <b>Life Sciences</b><br>9 % |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|

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## Complexity – Infrastructure



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## Complexity - Multiple Applications

- ERP
- CRM
- Document Management
- HR
- QS
- BI/DW
- Budgeting
- Training Management
- CAPA
- NC
- Engineering
- Messaging/Collaboration
- Intra/Inter/Extranet
- eCommerce
- Legal



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## Key: EIQ Alignment to Business Goals

Business Goals (examples):

- Top-quality deliverables to the customer, exceeding customer expectations?
- Increased Revenue?
- Increased Market Share?
- Reduce re-work and returns to minimize cost?
- Maximize return to investors?
- Increased Focus on Core Competencies?
- **Question:** where does information quality fit in with relation to your company's business goals?

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## IC Strategic Cornerstones: Customers

### COST LEADERSHIP

To utilize the business area's world-leading position to give cost-effective, good-value solutions to customers.

### INTEGRATED SOLUTIONS

To be the best complete solution provider, where Getinge's broad product range and expertise will benefit customers.

### SERVICE

To utilize Getinge's well-developed service network and the Getinge Academy to give customer superior service and optimal use of their investment.

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## Strategy – Growth

### Infection Control

- Bolt-on acquisitions to add new technologies and to reach new geographies within existing product lines
- New product lines: Consumables

### Extended Care


- Bolt-on acquisitions to add new technologies or to build critical mass in existing product lines

### Medical Systems


- Bolt-on acquisitions to add new technologies and to reach new geographies within existing product lines
- New product lines: Cardiac surgery

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|                          |                              | 2006 | 2007 |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|------|------|
| <b>Infection Control</b> | Sterilization                | no 1 | no 1 |
|                          | Disinfection                 | no 1 | no 1 |
| <b>Extended Care</b>     | Patient Handling             | no 1 | no 1 |
|                          | Hygiene Systems              | no 1 | no 1 |
|                          | Wound Care                   | no 4 | no 2 |
|                          | IPC / DVT                    | -    | no 1 |
| <b>Medical Systems</b>   | Surgical Tables              | no 1 | no 1 |
|                          | Surgical Lights              | no 1 | no 1 |
|                          | Ceiling Pendants             | no 2 | no 2 |
|                          | Cardiopulmonary              | no 3 | no 3 |
|                          | Endoscopic vessel harvesting | -    | no 1 |
|                          | Beating heart surgery        | -    | no 2 |
|                          | Anastomosis CABG             | -    | no 1 |
|                          | Vascular grafts AAA, TAA     | -    | no 1 |
|                          | Ventilation                  | no 1 | no 1 |

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## Leveraging Information for Growth

- Information for a customer-centric approach
  - Listen to customers
  - CRM approach: acquire/enhance/retain customers
    - Areas: sales, service/support, retention/loyalty, marketing, account/contact management.
    - Capture customer information at all contact points
    - Make a customer's information available for all who contact the customer.
  - Genuinely use customer feedback for improving products and services.
  - Leverage information across business units for a customer-centric experience.

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## Regulatory - Environment

- Multitude of regulatory/governance factors:
  - Various ISO: 9001:2000, 13485:2003, 14001:2004...
  - FDA: CFR820/QS, 21CFR-part11
  - GMP, TQM
  - Corporate Governance (example: SOX)
  - Internal and External Audits (Finance/Accounting, Quality, Corporate Governance)

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## Regulatory - Governance → IQ

Corporate Governance internal controls:

### Objectives (CAVR):

- **Completeness**
- **Accuracy**
- **Validity**
- **Restricted Access (Security)**
- **Segregation of Duties...**

- **Preventative/Detective**
- **Automated/Manual**

### Fin Stmt Assertions:

- **Completeness**
- **Existence/Occurrence**
- **Validity/Accuracy**
- **Rights & Obligations**
- **Presentation/Disclosure...**

Note some overlap with IQ-related dimensions (Wang, et al, 1997).

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## Culture - Quality Maturity/Consistency

- Maturity level of Quality Culture influences where your company weighs:
  - **Balance** of Resources, Time, Cost, Risk, Urgency, ...
- A company undergoing frequent corporate combinations needs additional focus on cultural integration.
  - Quality Culture must prevail.
  - Especially for combinations with dissimilar maturities.
  - MNC: differing interpretations of same standards between countries.

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## Culture - Quality Maturity/Consistency

- Overall Business Maturity and Strategy impacts EIQ:
  - Business Culture
  - Continual Improvement/Learning Organization
  - Measurements -> Accountability
  - Organizational Alignment with Quality
  - Education/Training
  - Individual understanding how roles contribute to the organization as a whole
  - Company-Unique Factors

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## QS/EIQ Positioning

Information Quality may be viewed as an essential element to organizational/operational success but...

Information Quality is a fundamental contributor to the larger goal of embracing business-wide Quality Systems and Principles.



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## Summary

### DQ/IQ:

- DQ/IQ can be reinforced in projects such as BI, via involvement of non-IT management.
- Re-organize around DQ/IQ and utilize stick and carrot.

### EIQ:

- DQ/IQ and EIQ Information Stakeholders are different.
  - It's about the customer, suppliers, shareholders, group management...
- Associate DQ/IQ/EIQ to the larger picture of Quality Systems.
  - Organizations in regulatory/governance environments by nature must internalize elemental concepts of DQ/IQ.
- There are complex contributors towards the end-goal of EIQ.
- IT's role is to be aligned to the business and contribute to progression towards strategic goals (value-add).

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### Questions?

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