

Largest Software Release in Polarion History Revolutionizes Application Lifecycle and Requirements Management

Polarion 2011 release that merges Cloud Computing with MS Office document ease of use for unprecedented collaboration

Research Triangle Park, NC (March 9, 2011) – Polarion Software, recognized by research analysts Forrester, Ovum, and Gartner as a leader in application lifecycle management and requirements management announced today the 2011 release of its Application Lifecycle Management (ALM) and Requirements Management (RM) solution. Polarion 2011 is the largest and most significant software release in the company's history, marking six consecutive years of dramatic and continuous technical advancement by the Polarion team.

Polarion 2011 – a product line of tightly integrated software and systems development tools -- revolutionizes the ease by which requirements, test cases, documents, or artefacts from any source can be managed and shared by any and all stakeholders involved in the product or process lifecycle including developers, business analysts, and project leaders. Polarion 2011 offers customers increased levels of performance, scalability, and unmatched usability – at an affordable price starting at \$649 per user.

A customer inspired release, Polarion 2011 Round Trip with LiveDocs[™] delivers the familiarity and flexibility of using Office documents with the guaranteed traceability that Polarion customers rely on for compliance, quality, and risk management. Comprehensive workflows for any process from SCRUM to Waterfall lead and instruct users through an organization's workflow and business process, to enable fast adoption and use.

"The document style presentation/editing mode (LiveDocs[™]) is more like a revolution than an evolution. I feel that it is the right approach to provide the user an easy way of editing," says Roman Kellner, Bombardier.

Polarion's particular passion lies in creating requirements-driven ALM solutions for manufacturers who demand quality and perfection in every step of their product lifecycle. Polarion has broken down the silos of data with a unified solution and was the first to deliver true transparency and collaboration as a foundation for quality and efficiency. Polarion 2011 continues on its path of disruptive innovation with LiveDocs[™] allowing users to work with the tools and methods they are familiar with, while embracing the efficiencies provided by requirements driven ALM.

"The new document import feature, with the rules to (for instance) tag a paragraph that contains the word "shall" as a requirement is fabulous. This will save us a lot of time managing customer and legacy documents," says Keith Roseberry, Goodrich

The new version of Polarion is available for immediate download at: <u>www.polarion.com</u> View the new Polarion 2011 videos here: <u>http://www.polarion.com/resources/index.php?cat=videos</u>



About Polarion Software

Polarion Software is a global leader in the field of Requirements Management and comprehensive ALM software solutions and services. With over 1 million users globally and hundreds of Fortune 1000 organizations; Polarion provides companies with fully integrated, web-based solutions to lower costs and increase efficiencies.

"If you're looking to get rid of expensive client server dinosaurs from IBM, MKS, or Serena with a low priced web app that is up and running in minutes, download a free evaluation of Polarion 2011," says Lorenzo Verna, CTO, Emerasoft.

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