

# Data Quality Major Release Upgrade

## Overview

### Benefits

- Effective upgrades with minimal disruption delivered by upgrade specialists with unparalleled experience
- Optimal deployment of enhanced features with knowledge transfer to build in-house staff competency
- Guidance through best practices for upgrade environments and test procedures to protect production systems
- Understanding the functionality of standalone data quality deployments as well as data quality functionality integrated within PowerCenter

### Typical Duration

- Dependent upon scope and environment

### IPS Staff Level

- Senior Consultant

Due to the business-critical nature of the Informatica Data Quality platform within an organization, performing an upgrade to the latest release requires thorough planning and preparation. Based on our experience with performing such upgrades and guided by Informatica's Velocity methodology, Informatica Professional Services will help you plan the Data Quality upgrade, any necessary integration upgrade for PowerCenter if needed for support of integrated data quality functionality and roll-out of the new platform into production. Our consultants will review new features and functionality of the new release and advise on opportunities to deploy them in existing or future data quality development.

## Key Program Deliverables

- Upgrade assessment and plan
  - \* Current environment assessment
  - \* Upgrade strategy and detailed upgrade and test plans
- Initial upgrade on selected environment
- Testing of existing development on upgraded platform
- Deployment into production of initial upgrade
- Upgrade to enhanced functionality on selected environment
- Deployment of enhanced upgrade into production

## Key Program Details

With our Data Quality Consultant, you will accomplish the following:

- Installation of new version release of Informatica software
- Installation of Informatica integration software (only if DQ mapplets are integrated into PowerCenter which is not on the same release as DQ)
- Perform Repository upgrade (if needed by new version release)
- Review configuration of existing Data Quality services
  - \* Configure new Data Quality services as needed
  - \* Modify existing Data Quality services configuration as needed
- Verify installed content (e.g., OOTB, Address Doctor, IR populations) is compliant with current version release
- Develop and document validation/testing process for:
  - \* Data quality mappings, mapplets, scorecards, etc.
  - \* Integrated data quality mapplets in PowerCenter

- Review new product functionality
- Document process for roll-out of new platform to production
- Document “Next Steps” for data quality within your organization to ensure you are fully utilizing all data quality functionality within your organization

### Prerequisites

Our Data Quality Consultant will need access to:

- Appropriate business and IT personnel
- Your systems in order to perform analysis of current environment and repository in order to identify upgrade scope and requirements

### About Informatica

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