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Greetings:

There are just three items in this February 2008 announcement:

- * Free Metabase System
- * Information Systems Planning Short Paper
- * Data Semantics Management Book

First, the Whitemarsh metabase system is free. Requests for downloads of the Single-User and Single-Metabase version can be submitted to Whitemarsh from the website. The link is from the front page. We have received requests from all around the world. Please ask for yours today.

The February 2008 version of the Metabase System, V6.9.7 has been posted. The ReadMe file for this new version is posted to the Metabase page.

Second, a new Short Paper, *Engineering and Managing Information Systems Plans*, has been posted to the website. Information Systems Plans represent the time sequenced blueprint for implementing the database and business information systems critical to achieving Enterprise Architectures.

The Whitemarsh approach to Information Systems Plans is significantly different from traditional approaches. A most critical difference is that it is about 10x faster than the three most popular approaches put forward years ago. Significant work on the initial construction of the Whitemarsh Information Systems Planning approach was put together by Dagmar Bogan and Stan Hopkins during a project at The MITRE Corporation.

The Whitemarsh approach capitalizes on Ron Ross's Resource Life Cycles approach. Properly engineered, Resource Life Cycles set out the correct and business-imperative-based foundation through which enterprise-wide databases and business information systems are constructed and over time, maintained.

The metadata required for engineering the Information Systems Plans reside in the Metabase System.

Third, the new Whitemarsh book, *Data Semantics Management* is well underway. All the chapters have been constructed. We're going through them to ensure complete integration between data semantics engineering, and Metabase system execution. Because the book will likely exceed 1,000 pages it has been broken into volumes. We are posting the Table of Contents and Chapter 1 of Volume 1 on the Website. There is also a link to the Table of Contents to Chapter 2.

Regards,



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