

Incremental Epic Fact Sheet

Overview

Incremental Epic is the first management information system written specifically for ship repair. It addresses all aspects of project control and contract management, bringing benefits to all phases of a ship repair contract.

Project Management - full control

Over the life of a project, and for past projects, you have instant access to the status from enquiry to invoice payment. Quality decision support data for senior managers.

See the [Project Management](#) fact sheet.

Marketing – finding good enquiries

You can easily track the histories, people and ships within your trading community. Better knowledge of your market so you can focus your marketing. Get better results for your efforts in the shape of good enquiries.

See the [Marketing](#) fact sheet.

Tendering – offering realistic estimates

You can generate more accurate estimates with Epic with immediate access to your previous estimates, tenders and actual costs. Use your existing estimate formats or Incremental Epic's easy, fully-featured estimate plug-in. Tailored estimates can improve your hit rate.

See the [Estimating](#) fact sheet.

Negotiation – obtaining profitable, low-risk contracts

Your negotiations can be better informed with full tender, client and contract histories. Incremental Epic makes it easy for you to test 'what if' commercial scenarios to win good business.

Production - keeping control of operations

You can monitor contracts in real time and be automatically warned of problems. Production staff have the information immediately at hand. Administrative procedures are automated and simplified so managers can get on with managing.

See the [Project Management](#) fact sheet.

Planning – low-effort and fast re-scheduling

You can create and update project plans rapidly. Incremental Epic integrates with your chosen planning tool, exchanging information and allowing you to focus on scheduling.

See the [Planning](#) fact sheet.

Purchasing - faster purchasing with full control

You can fast-track purchases where necessary and keep track of the full purchase cycle from request to use. Accessible information saves money. No more 'lost' purchases. Better communication between purchasing and production departments makes scheduling more realistic.

See the [Purchasing](#) fact sheet.

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Labour Cost Recording – rapid data entry and checking

As jobs progress, recorded labour hours are entered into the system. The carefully designed interface and built in checks ensure speed and accuracy. Personnel information can be maintained by Incremental Epic.

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Invoicing - accurate costs prior to contract completion and sailing

You have a running invoice from day one of the contract. As costs are recorded the invoice is automatically recalculated. You keep manual control of the process for commercial decision-making.

Further Benefits – saving money, improving information

Incremental Epic bring the advantages of a fully integrated system. It also can be customised to your needs and will interface with many existing systems.

See the [Integrating With Other Systems](#) fact sheet.

Integration - less manual errors, less manual entry

Once you have input a piece of information it is immediately available in the right format needed by each authorised user in your company.

Consistency

All the information your personnel need to do their job is brought together in a single place and presented at considered and appropriate levels of detail.

Histories

You can access past work records as easily as current ones. Incremental Epic becomes the memory for your organisation.

Reporting

You can create reports for specific needs using any of the data held in Incremental Epic. All available reports are categorised and displayed for instant viewing. A single button click will print them or save them in Adobe Acrobat® PDF format. Custom reports can use data from Epic or other databases in your company, giving real integration.

See the [Reporting](#) fact sheet.

Customising

The Incremental Epic product is a starting point. Incremental will review your company requirements with key staff and tailor Epic to satisfy them.

See the [Customising Epic](#) fact sheet

Demonstration

These fact sheets can only give an overview of the full benefits you can gain from Incremental Epic. To see the power of the product, try out our demonstration version or contact Incremental for more information.