

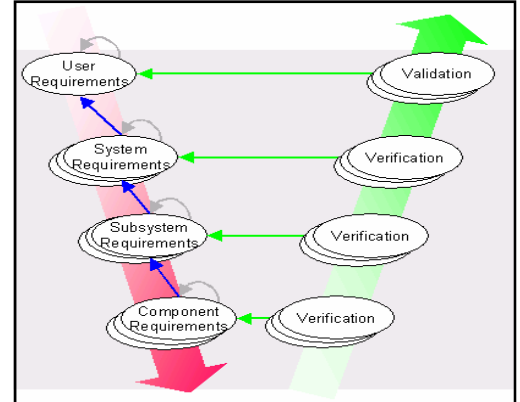
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River North Requirements Management Consulting Services

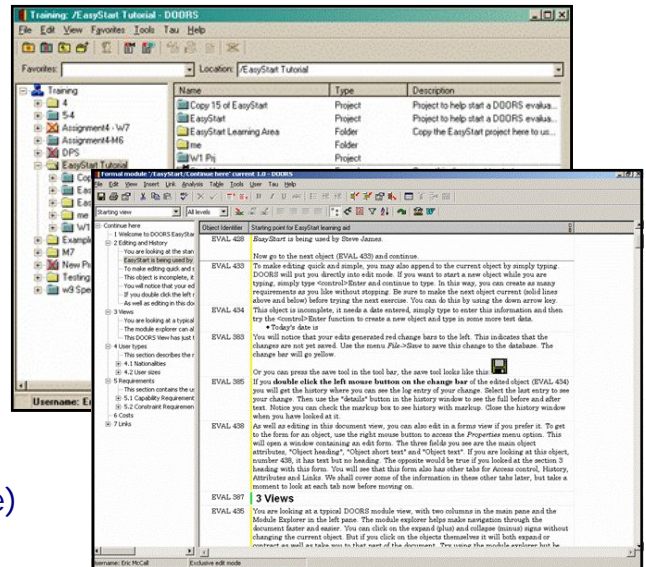
The following River North services reflect decades of practical requirements management experience in the analysis, design, implementation and usage of processes and methodologies, including all facets of tool support and mentoring:

- Processes and Methodologies
 - Requirements management enterprise infrastructure guidance and recommendations
 - Requirements management process optimization
 - Process and methodology best practices
 - Document generation best practices using RPE
 - Validation & verification processes
 - Culture change management

River North professionals bring process, methodology and supporting tools' best practices to bear on your requirements management infrastructure.



- Training and IBM Rational Tools
 - DOORS project admin training
 - DOORS user training
 - DOORS project quick start training
 - Rational Publishing Engine (RPE) admin and user training
 - Requirements management tool evaluation and selection
 - Project implementation architecture/schema guidance
 - Infrastructure optimization for remote/global access
 - Tool usage best practices
 - Tool administration (on site or remote)
 - Tool customization (via scripting)
 - Next release validation
 - Conversions to different RM tools
 - Integrations with other product development tools
- Temporary staff augmentation



If your organization needs to establish or optimize your existing requirements management methodologies and/or infrastructure, River North professionals are ready to help.



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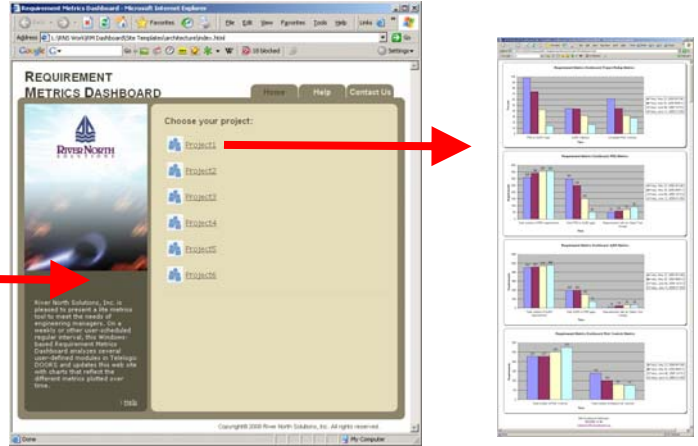


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River North Requirements Management Products

Requirement Metrics Dashboard™

- User-define project metrics automatically extracted from DOORS requirement modules, ex:
 - Requirements growth
 - Requirement gaps
 - Requirement orphans
 - Requirement volatility
- Metric extractions occur at user-defined scheduled intervals (e.g. weekly)
- Updated metric charts automatically published to Enterprise Metrics Website
- Unattended operation
- Metrics consumers navigate to website
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Ambiguous Words Detector™

- Automatically detects ambiguous words — forms a "To Do" list
- Avoids embedded false matches
- Legitimate word override
- Ambiguous words search list contained in DOORS module for:
 - ease of update
 - enterprise scope
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The image shows a screenshot of the DOORS software interface. The title bar reads: "'PRD' current 0.0 in /River North Products/Ambiguous Words (Formal module) - DOORS". The menu bar includes File, Edit, View, Insert, Link, Analysis, Table, Tools, User, kitchen, Publish, Baxter, Help. The toolbar contains various icons for editing and analysis. The main window displays a table with the following content:

ID	Requirement Text	Ambiguous Words
PRD.1103	6 Product Requirements Table	
PRD.1756	6.1 Therapeutic MODE - POSITIVE SELECTION	
PRD.1761	The SYSTEM shall minimize the transmission of viral and bacterial disease.	minimize and
PRD.1778	6.3 User Interface	
PRD.1870	The SYSTEM shall support US English.	support
PRD.1783	6.4 Safety	
PRD.1785	The SYSTEM shall minimize the amount of residual processing agents in the FINAL PRODUCT.	minimize

A red box highlights the 'Ambiguous Words' column, and a red arrow points from the 'Choose your project' section of the previous dashboard to this table.

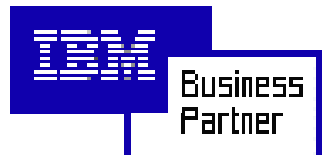
Allocated Requirements Tool™

- Allocates one 'master' requirement to one or more 'slave' locations — respects rich text and OLE objects
- Updates slave requirements automatically
 - When module opens
 - When requirement is designated as 'Allocated'
- Prompts user to confirm overwriting of existing requirement text when creating Allocated Requirement
- Prohibits modifying Allocated Requirements (slaves)
- Allows for manually updating all module Allocated Requirements (slaves)
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