



DecisionEdge Portal for Microsoft Office Project

Deliver Project Intelligence to Decision Makers Across the Organization and Around the World

DecisionEdge Portal leverages all the charts, reports, and dashboards in the DecisionEdge Suite to create a business intelligence system for all project stakeholders. The browser-based interface provides managers and clients with a simple way to understand the status of their entire project portfolio. With DecisionEdge Portal, Microsoft Office Project data can be converted to project and enterprise intelligence and shared as embedded Web Parts using Microsoft Office SharePoint Server.



- **Keep Project Stakeholders Informed** with interactive charts, reports, and dashboards
- **Share the Portal with All Stakeholders**
A web-browser interface makes it easy to get started and simple to use
- **Deliver Project Intelligence** within your organization and around the world
- **Leverage Custom Charts and Reports** created for DecisionEdge Suite in the DecisionEdge Portal
- **Use Interactive Filters to Focus** on critical project areas
- **Embed within Project Web Access**
Easily add interactive charts and reports to your existing project portal

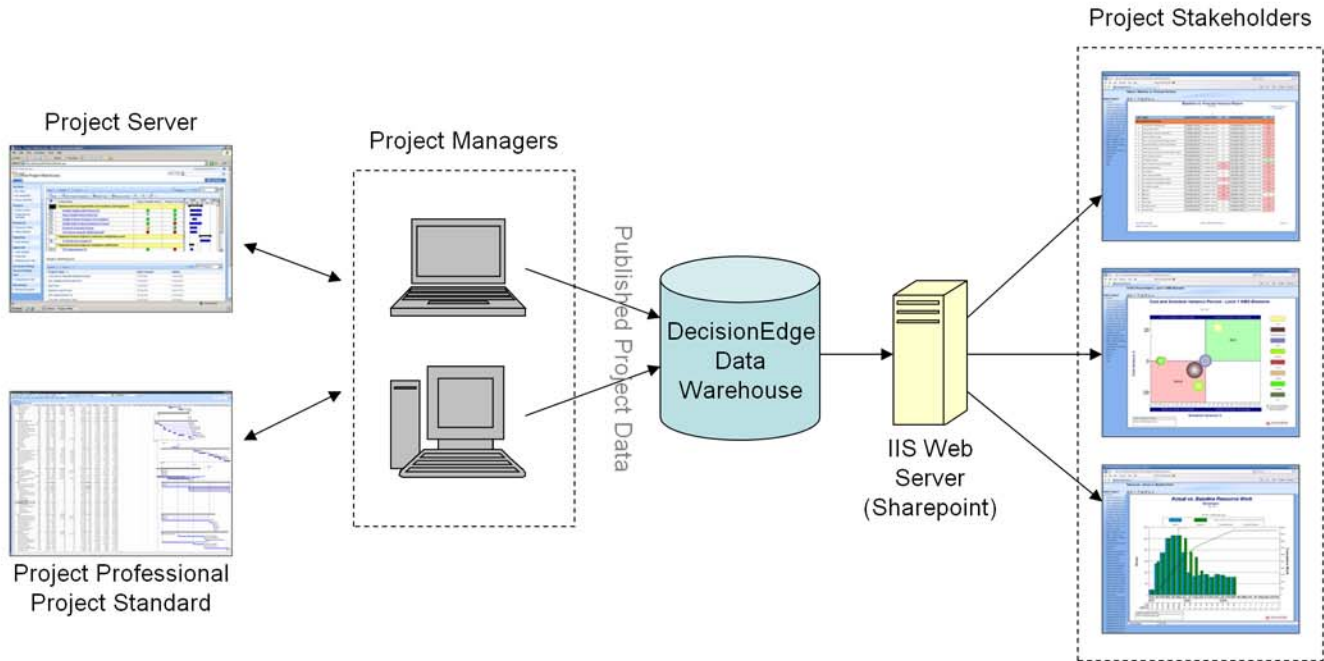
DecisionEdge Portal provides decision makers with the concise information they need, when they need it. Each user can be given limited access to just their respective reports and dashboards. The streamlined DecisionEdge Portal interface is easy to use and is designed for all levels of project and enterprise stakeholders.

The same DecisionEdge charts and reports available in the DecisionEdge Suite on the desktop are available in DecisionEdge Portal. Not just static pictures, each chart and report can be filtered to focus on specific areas or issues.

While the software already includes over 100 standard charts and reports, custom charts and reports can also be added to address specific visibility requirements. Create exception reports, stoplight charts, tripwire reports, and combine them all into dashboards. These can be developed using DecisionEdge Designer or with the help of DecisionEdge consultants.

DecisionEdge provides a complete business intelligence solution for Microsoft Office Project featuring software, training, and custom chart and report design services. Enhance your Enterprise Project Management implementation with the charts and reports managers need for better business decisions.

DecisionEdge Portal Architecture



Publish to DecisionEdge Portal from Microsoft Office Project Standard, Professional, or Project Server

Project Intelligence Data Flow

After reviewing their projects in Microsoft Office Project, **project managers** are ready to publish their updated projects to the DecisionEdge Data Warehouse. These can be any combination of single projects from stand-alone files, master projects with embedded subprojects, or projects stored in Project Server. Managers simply click a DecisionEdge toolbar button in Microsoft Office Project to publish the updated project data.

The **DecisionEdge Data Warehouse** consolidates published data from all project managers and can contain information about your organization's entire project portfolio. It features "per period" spread data about resources, costs, and earned value, providing time-phased charts and reports created with the exact same algorithms used in Microsoft Office Project.

The **Internet Information Services (IIS) Web Server** accesses data from the DecisionEdge Data Warehouse and makes the charts and reports available as Web Parts in Microsoft Office SharePoint Server.

Managers and stakeholders then point their **Internet Explorer web browsers** to the project website, where they can open and interact with charts and reports for better project insight.

Requirements

Microsoft Office Project Users: Microsoft Office Project 2002 or higher (Standard or Professional, with or without Project Server)

IIS Web Server Software: Windows Server 2003 or higher, SharePoint 2003 or higher, SQL Server 2005 or higher

IIS Web Server Hardware: Dual-core processor with at least 2GB RAM

Browser client: Microsoft Internet Explorer 5.5 or higher

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