### **Rational Reporting**

Module 1: RRDI and IBM Rational Insight Introduction

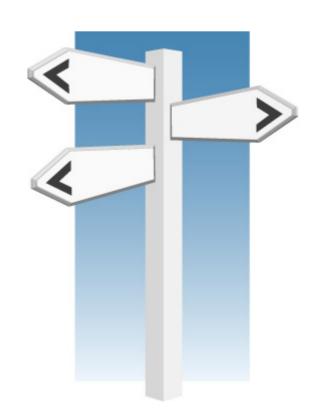






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### Target audience and objectives

### Target audience:

 Users of IBM® Rational® Reporting for Development Intelligence (RRDI) who want to compare the implementation of RRDI and IBM Rational Insight

Objectives: After reading this module, you will be able to:

- Explain the difference between RRDI and Rational Insight architecture
- Explain data flow through RRDI and Rational Insight

### Information centers

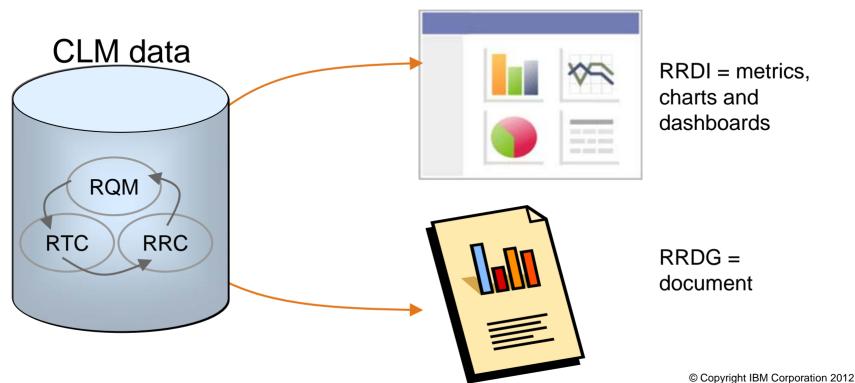
Your primary sources of information are the information centers for Rational Insight and the Rational solution for Collaborative Lifecycle Management (CLM).

These presentations are intended as conceptual introductions.

### Rational Common Reporting in CLM

The Rational solution for CLM solution provides two types of reporting:

- RRDI Rational Reporting for Development Intelligence
- RRDG Rational Reporting for Document Generation



### Example built-in reports

# CLM reports implemented in RRDI include the following examples:

- Test coverage of requirements
- Development item coverage of requirements
- Requirements affected by defects
- Requirements Test Execution results
- Requirements Lifecycle Traceability report

### For a list of provided CLM reports, see

https://jazz.net/wiki/bin/view/Main/CALMReportingOOTBReports

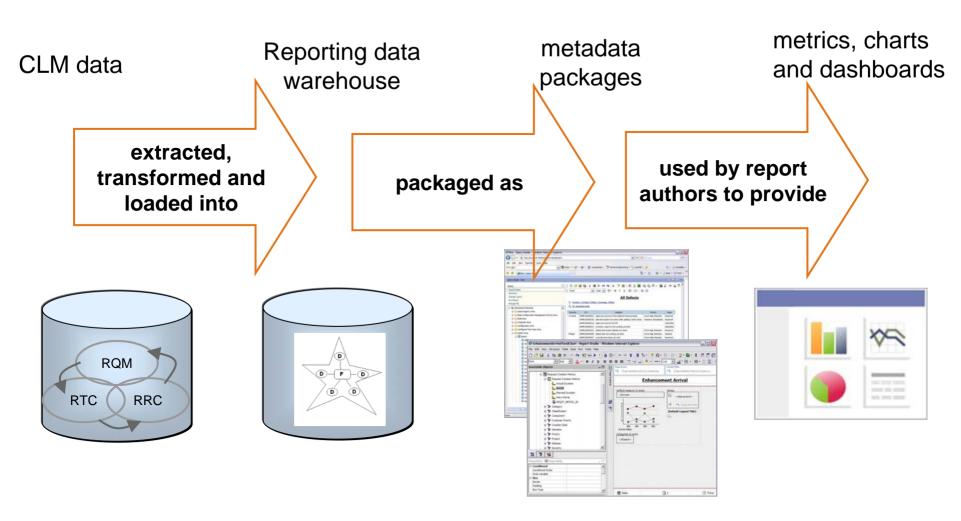
### Rational Reporting for Development Intelligence (RRDI)

Users of all three CLM products (IBM Rational Team Concert, IBM Rational Quality Manager, and IBM Rational Requirements Composer) can access RRDI.

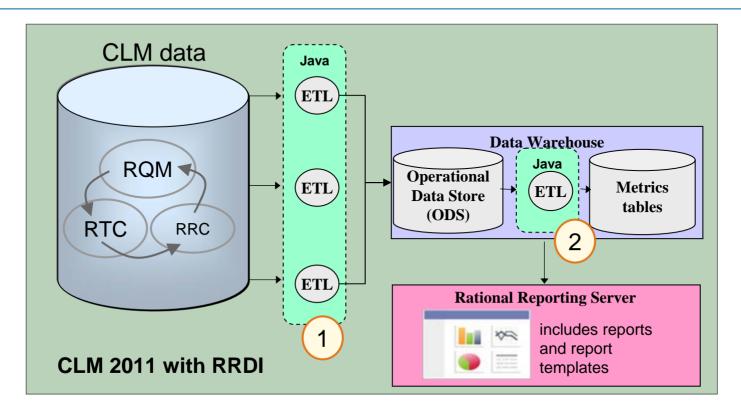
RRDI is an optional installation package.

The RRDI optional installation package provides additional predefined templates for development intelligence and tools for authoring and customizing reports.

### A rough sketch of RRDI

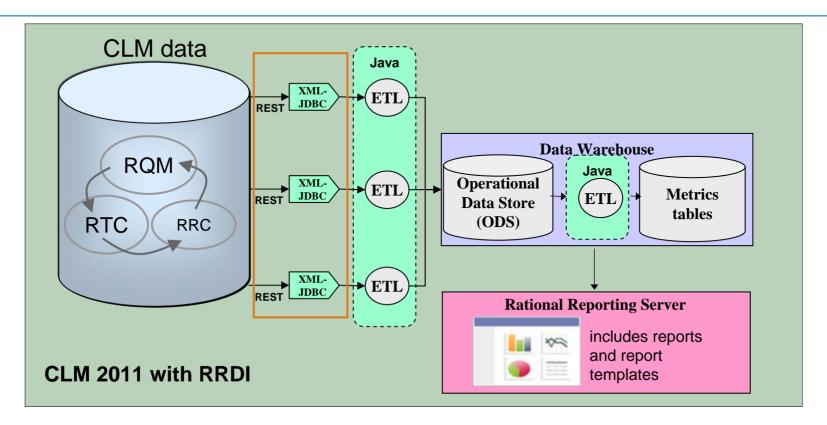


# CLM reporting uses Java ETLs



- ETL = Extract, Transform and Load. In RRDI, these ETLs are noncustomizable.
- (1) Java ETLs extract data from Rational Team Concert (RTC), Rational Quality Manager, and Rational Requirements Composer, transform the data, and load the data into the data warehouse according to the defined schema.
- Within the data warehouse, there is also a Java Star ETL (2) that transforms the flat data in the operational data store (ODS) into fact and dimension tables that can provide historical or aggregated metrics.

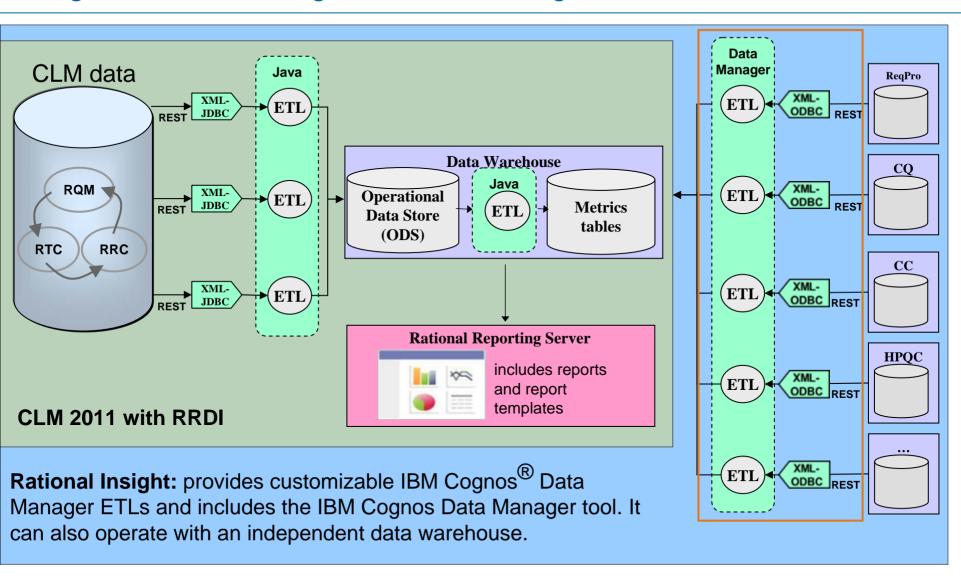
### RRDI uses RFST APIs and XMI - JDBC drivers



The Java ETLs call the **REST (Representational State Transfer) APIs**. The XML result set returned by the REST API is converted by the **XML-JDBC** (Java Data Base Connectivity) driver to relational form so the ETL can understand it.

An **XDC** (**XML Data Configuration**) **file** tells the XML-JDBC how to map the REST API resource to relational form.

# Insight uses IBM Cognos Data Manager ETLs and XML-ODBC



# Reportable REST Data Services

#### Reportable REST Data Services V1

- Hides details of proprietary point product APIs
- Supports web scale distribution using HTTP GET requests
- Provides XML representations of the data
- Defines query strings for data filtering to improve performance
  - Field selection
  - Conditional tests
  - "Modified Since" parameter for delta ETLs

#### Reportable REST Data Services V2

- Based on Open Services for Lifecyle Collaboration (OSLC), also known as proposed OSLC Reporting profile
- Based on RDF data model
- Supports Linked Lifecycle Data

#### Clients are:

- Rational Insight XML ODBC driver for live reporting and ETL
- IBM Rational Publishing Engine for live document generation

#### Open Data Architecture

ClearQuest

ClearCase

RequisitePro

**TestManager** 

**MS Project** 

**XML** 

RTC

**RQM** 

**RRC** 

**DOORS-RIF** 

**HP Quality Cntr** 

**CAST** 

**OSLC** 

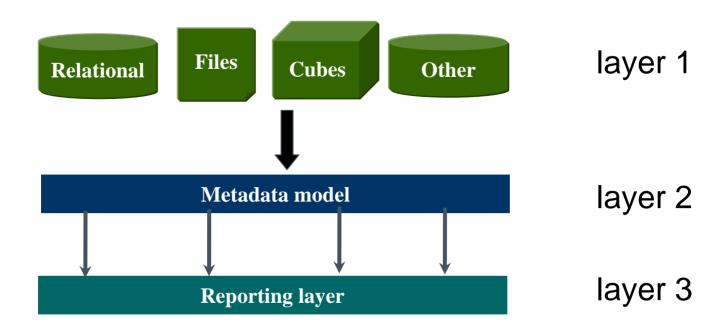
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# Reporting model

Report authors work with a model that provides a level of abstraction.

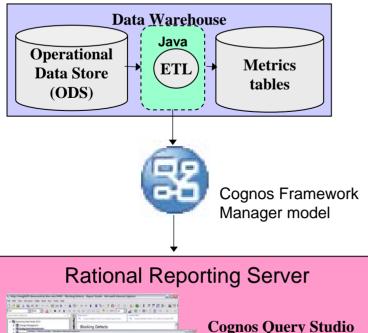
The model relates the physical database schema to business terms to simplify report construction.

You will see how these three layers are implemented on the next slide.



## IBM Cognos Framework Manager model





layer 1

layer 2

The Cognos
Framework Manager
tool is included in
Rational Insight but
not in RRDL

Rational Reporting Server

Cognos Query Studio and Report Studio for creating reports and report templates.

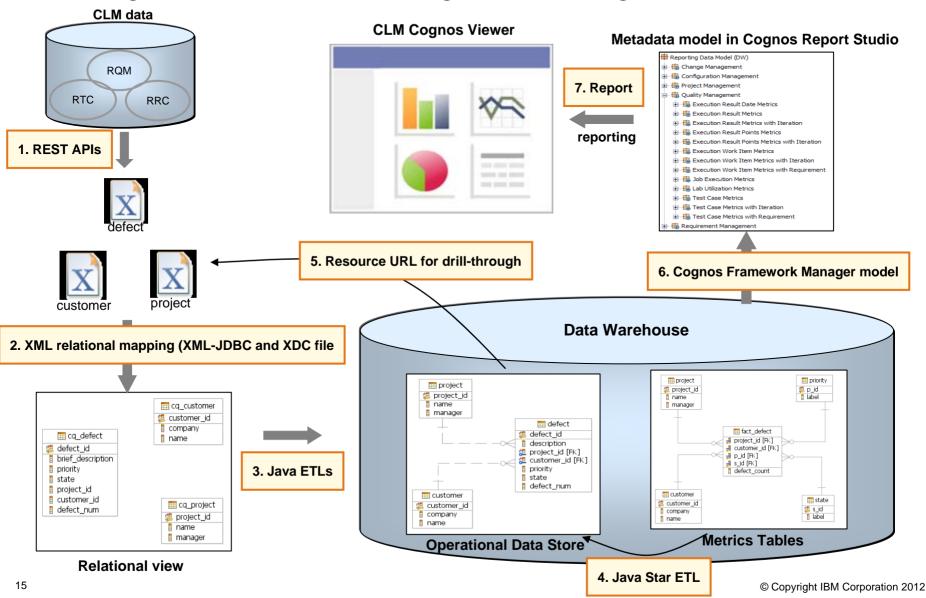
Cognos Connections for viewing reports, metrics and dashboards.

layer 3

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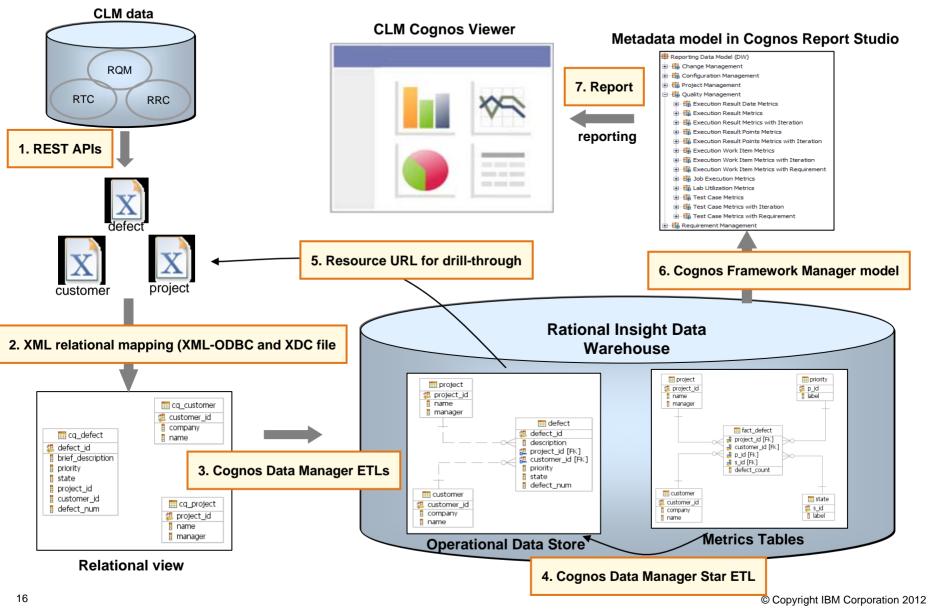
# Putting it all together: RRDI data flow

Data changes form as it moves through different stages of the architecture.

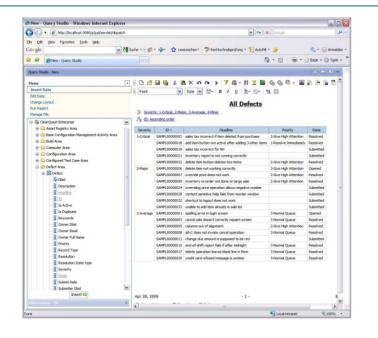


### Putting it all together: Rational Insight data flow

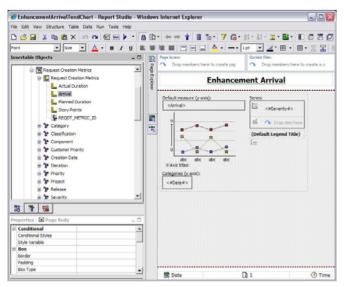
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### Tools for authoring or customizing reports



Query Studio lets users with little or no training quickly design, create, and save reports to meet reporting needs not covered by the standard, professional reports created in Report Studio.



Report Studio lets report authors create, edit, and distribute a wide range of professional reports. They can also define corporate-standard report templates for use in Query Studio, and edit and modify reports created in Query Studio.

### Query Studio and Report Studio – more information

- Cognos Query Studio allows you to create simple queries and reports
  - Detailed information
    - Cognos Query Studio user guide: see under "Author and Create" at <a href="http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/cbi/v10r1m0/index.jsp">http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/cbi/v10r1m0/index.jsp</a>
    - Training: See <u>www.ibm.com</u> -> Services -> Training
- Cognos Report Studio allows you to create more advanced, professional business reports:
  - Detailed information:
    - Cognos Report Studio user guide: see under "Author and Create" at http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/cbi/v10r1m0/index.jsp
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# Summary of RRDI and Rational Insight tools

	RRDI includes	Rational Insight includes
IBM Cognos Connection	X	х
IBM Cognos Query Studio	X	X
IBM Cognos Report Studio	X	X
IBM Cognos Active Report*		X
IBM Cognos Business Insight*		x
IBM Cognos Framework Manager		Х
IBM Cognos Data Manager		х

### Upgrading to Rational Insight

You should consider upgrading to Rational Insight if you want to:

- Report from data sources other than RTC, RQM, RRC
- report on data that is not supported by the fixed data warehouse schemas that ship with CLM RRDI 2011
- Report on data in more than one Jazz Team Server (JTS)

### Value of IBM Rational Insight

Built-in Cognos
Framework Manager
meta model that
packages data from
CLM and other tools

Cognos Framework
Manager tool to
customize meta
model

Cognos Query
Studio and Cognos
Report Studio to
author and
customize reports

**Built-in reports** that report on metrics from CLM and other tools

Built-in Cognos Data
Manager ETLs that
pull data from CLM
and other tools

Cognos Data Manager tool to customize ETLs

Rational Insight

### Schemas in RRDI versus Rational Insight

RRDI data warehouse and Rational Insight data warehouse schema differences:

#### **CLM 3.0.1**

#### **Rational Insight 1.0.1.1**

The operational data store (ODS) (schema RIODS) and the Star Schema (schema RIDW) are identical.

CLM has some additional CLM-specific data that it stores in another schema (RICALM), which is not present in Rational Insight.

Rational Insight has some additional business analytics data that it stores in another schema (RIBA), which is not present in CLM.

### For more information

- CLM Information Center Reporting topic
  - https://jazz.net/help-dev/clm/index.jsp
- IBM Rational Insight Information Center
  - http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/rentrpt/v1r0m1/index.jsp
- Rational Insight data models
  - https://jazz.net/helpdev/clm/topic/com.ibm.rational.reporting.overview.doc/ topics/ c\_reference\_datadictionary.html
- Jazz.net library
  - https://jazz.net/library/
- RRDI FAQ on jazz.net
  - https://jazz.net/wiki/bin/view/Main/CALMReportingFAQ



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