

NATSPEC Strategic Outcomes with BIM Seminar

National Digital Engineering Working Group (NDEWG)

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What is Digital Engineering?

DE is a collaborative way of working, using digital processes, that enables more productive methods of planning, designing, constructing, operating and maintaining our assets

This is achieved by creating a **Common Data Environment (CDE)**, that aligns digital information systems and related datasets, such as: CAD, GIS, 3D BIM, electronic document management, project controls (time, cost, risk etc) and asset information

Benefits of Digital Engineering

- Seamless data transition (handover)
- Accelerated understanding of failures or incidents
- More cost effective decisions
- More targeted, preventative maintenance
- Information mobility
- Improved safety
- Reduced risk
- Improved cost estimating
- Reduced rework
- Off-site fabrication
- Schedule optimisation
- Improved procurement
- Enhanced as-built data capture

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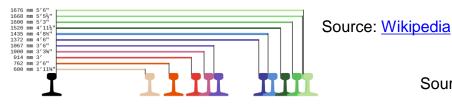
- Reduced risk
- Improved cost certainty
- Improved baseline data
- Improved optioneering for faster decisions
- Reduced site investigation
- Improved prior knowledge

- Improved design coordination
- Transparency of decisions
- Clash detection
- Improved accuracy & drawings
- Early visualisation
- More effective consultation
- Improved configuration control & requirements management

Drivers for a National Approach

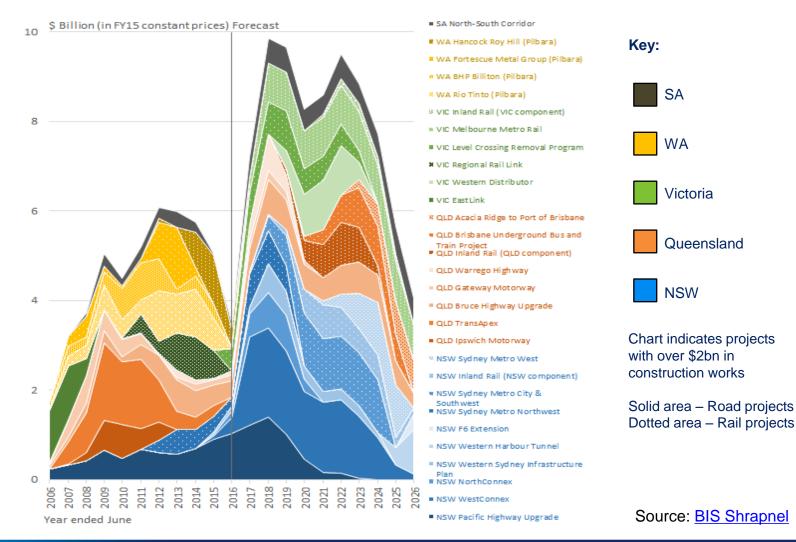
- Respond to expectations for government leadership
- Improve investment in government infrastructure
- Harness emerging digital technologies for whole-of-life benefits
- Reduce complexity for supply chain
- Align strategies across jurisdictions

(and avoid modern-day rail gauge issues!)



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Australia's Major Transport Projects



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Vision:

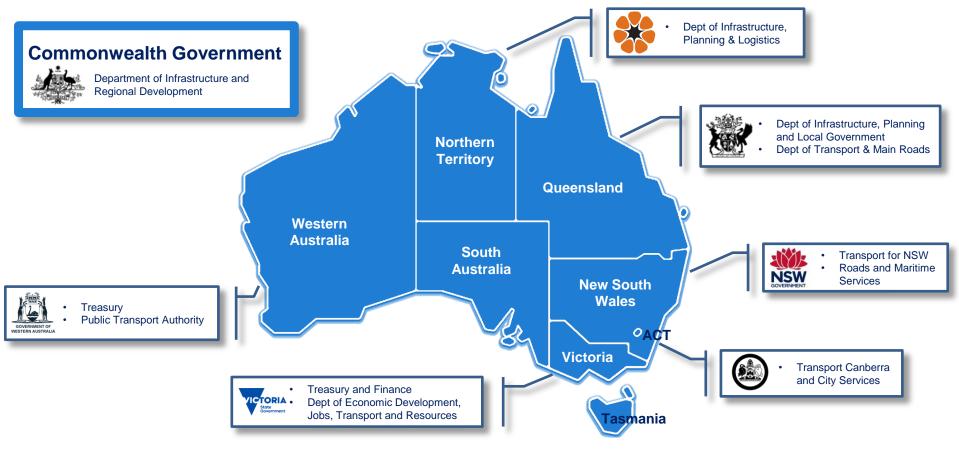
To enable the benefits of Digital Engineering (incorporating BIM) to be optimised for development, delivery and management, of land transport infrastructure.

Objectives include:

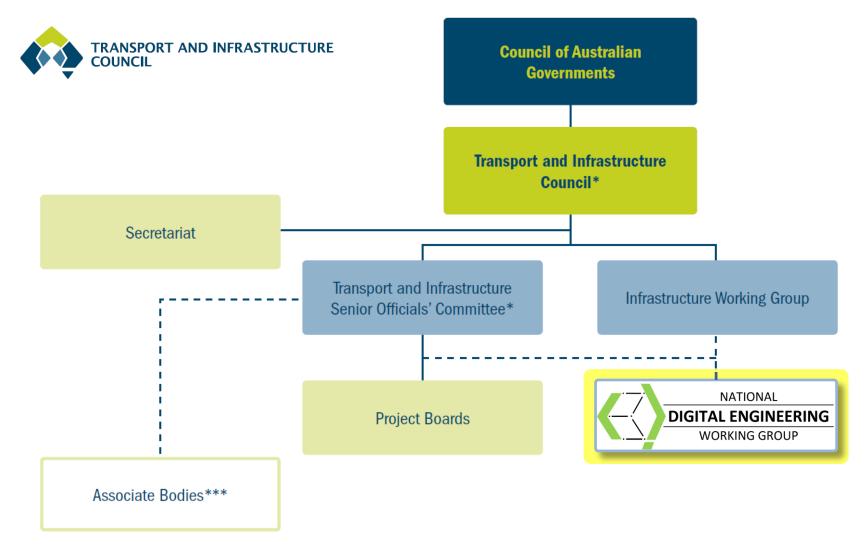
- Alignment of jurisdictions towards a nationally consistent approach
- Learn lessons from all sectors and international experiences
- Develop common understanding of DE for public sector infrastructure
- Build capability and promote uptake of DE

Membership

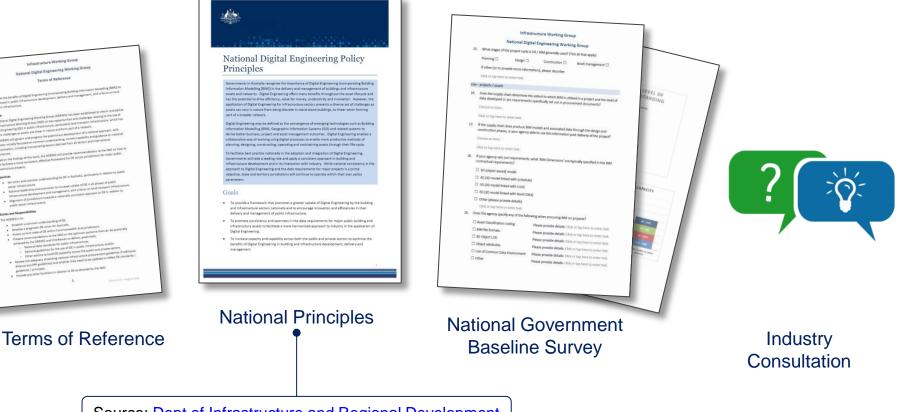
- Established in April 2016
- 16 members from 7 Governments (Commonwealth and Jurisdictions)



Governance



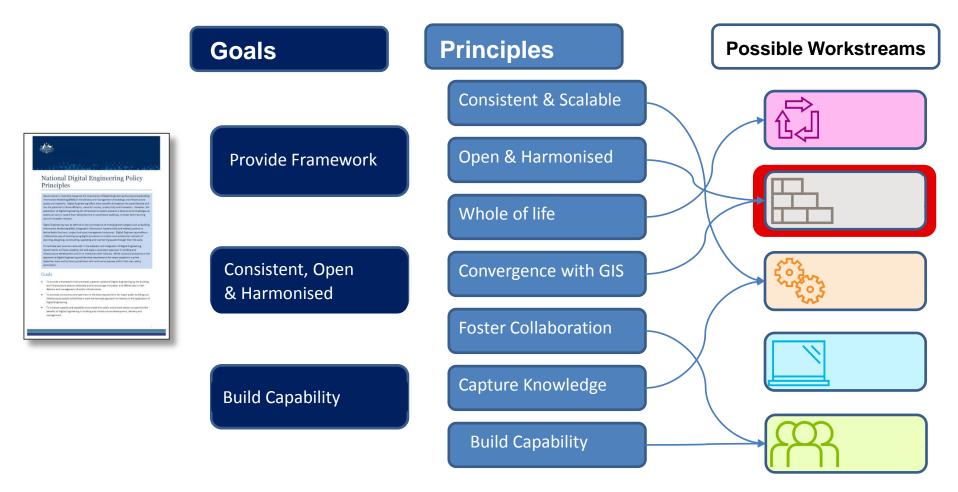
Progress to-date



Source: Dept of Infrastructure and Regional Development



National DE Policy Principles



Questions?



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