

## Typical Project Assumptions

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### **Resource Assumptions**

- Project staff resources will be available when and as they are needed.
- Required hardware resources will be available when and as they are needed.
- Required customer resources will be available when and as they are needed.
- A significant percentage of the project staff will be experienced with the technical environment.
- A significant percentage of the project staff will be experienced with the operating environment.
- Access to industry experts and specialized skills will occur as needed.
- A "full-time" resource implies at least 35 hours productive work per week.

### **Delivery Assumptions**

- Deliverables will be subject to no more than a specific number of review cycles.
- Equipment order lead times are known and can be expected to be met.

### **Environmental Assumptions**

- No industrial action will be taken that will affect the project.
- Issues will be resolved in a timely manner.
- The project organization described in the project plan will be put in place.
- Systems components will be capable of being integrated with minimum rework.

### **Budgetary Assumptions**

- The statistics used in preparing the estimates are accurate within a given percent.
- No outside consulting will be required or Outside consulting will be limited to a specified number of days at a specified rate per day.

### **Functionality Assumptions**

- The scope of the project is limited to that described in the project charter.
- Formal charter and scope change procedures will be followed.