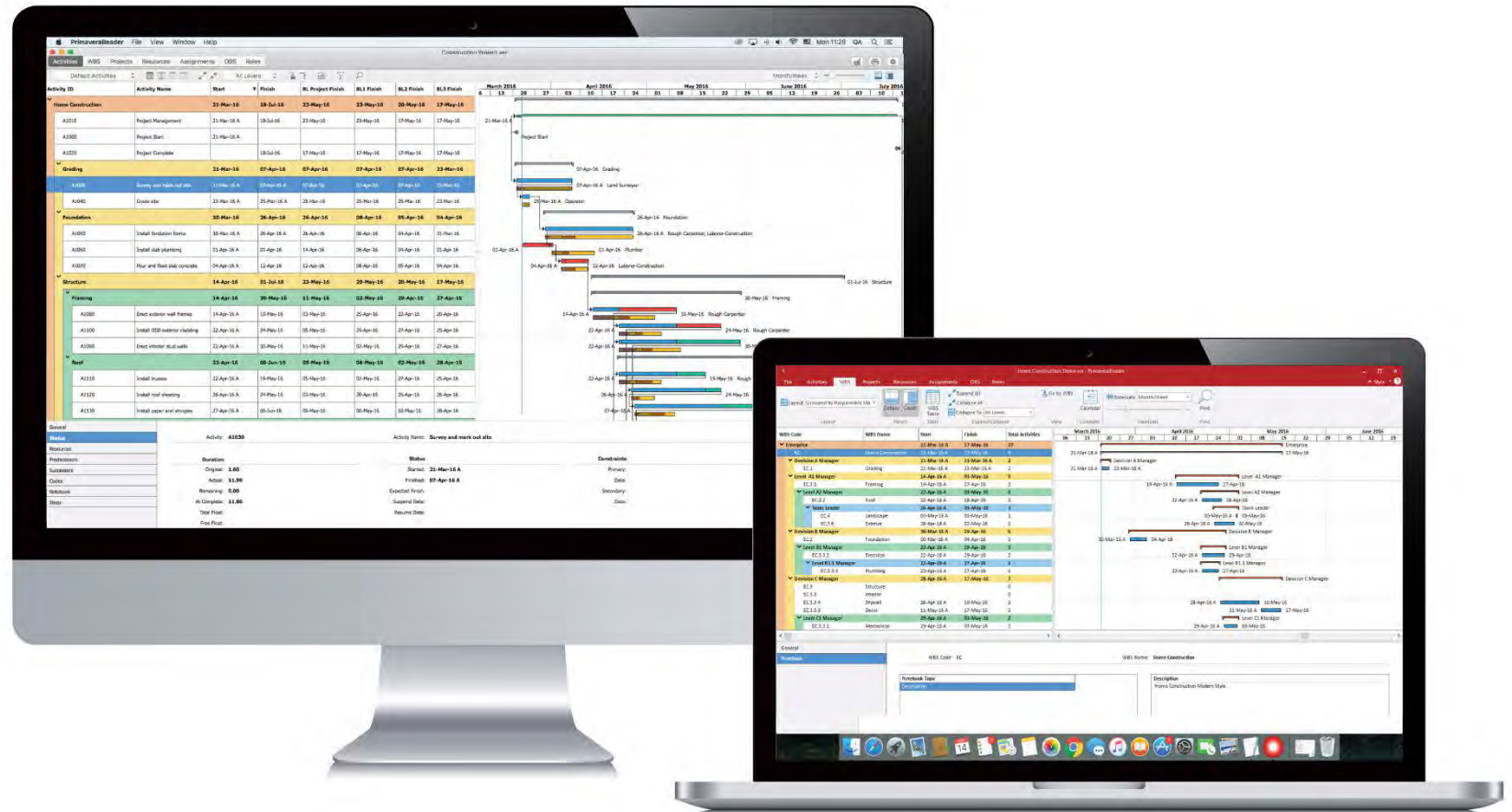# Primavera**Reader**

Reader for Oracle® Primavera P6 files

Introduction to PrimaveraReader

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The new way of viewing Project Schedules
Introduction to PrimaveraReader

Introduction

PrimaveraReader is a reader for project schedules created with Oracle® Primavera P6. It enables users to open and view project plans exported from Oracle® Primavera P6 in XER or XLS format.

This cost-effective solution is designed to deliver overview of important project plan details among all parties involved that don't need to have an Oracle® Primavera P6 license.

Key Features

- **Activities** – overview of the open project activities
- **Resources** – view the resource structure and details
- **WBS** – Work Breakdown Structure of the project
- **Projects** – view of the Enterprise Project Structure
- **Assignments** – resource allocation and cost info

- **Roles** – view the roles assigned to resources
- **OBS** – Organizational Breakdown Structure
- **Details** – detailed information for selections
- **Baselines** – compare different project versions
- **Custom and Auto filters** – find and filter specified tasks

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Have a detailed overview and insights of plan's activities

Activities View & Relation to predecessors/ successors

Activities

This feature enables detailed overview and graphical representation of the activities included in the project schedule.

Benefits: Users can view information in the Activities panel, which is divided between the Activity Table on the left side, the Gantt chart on the right side, options ribbon at the top and the details view at the bottom of the screen.
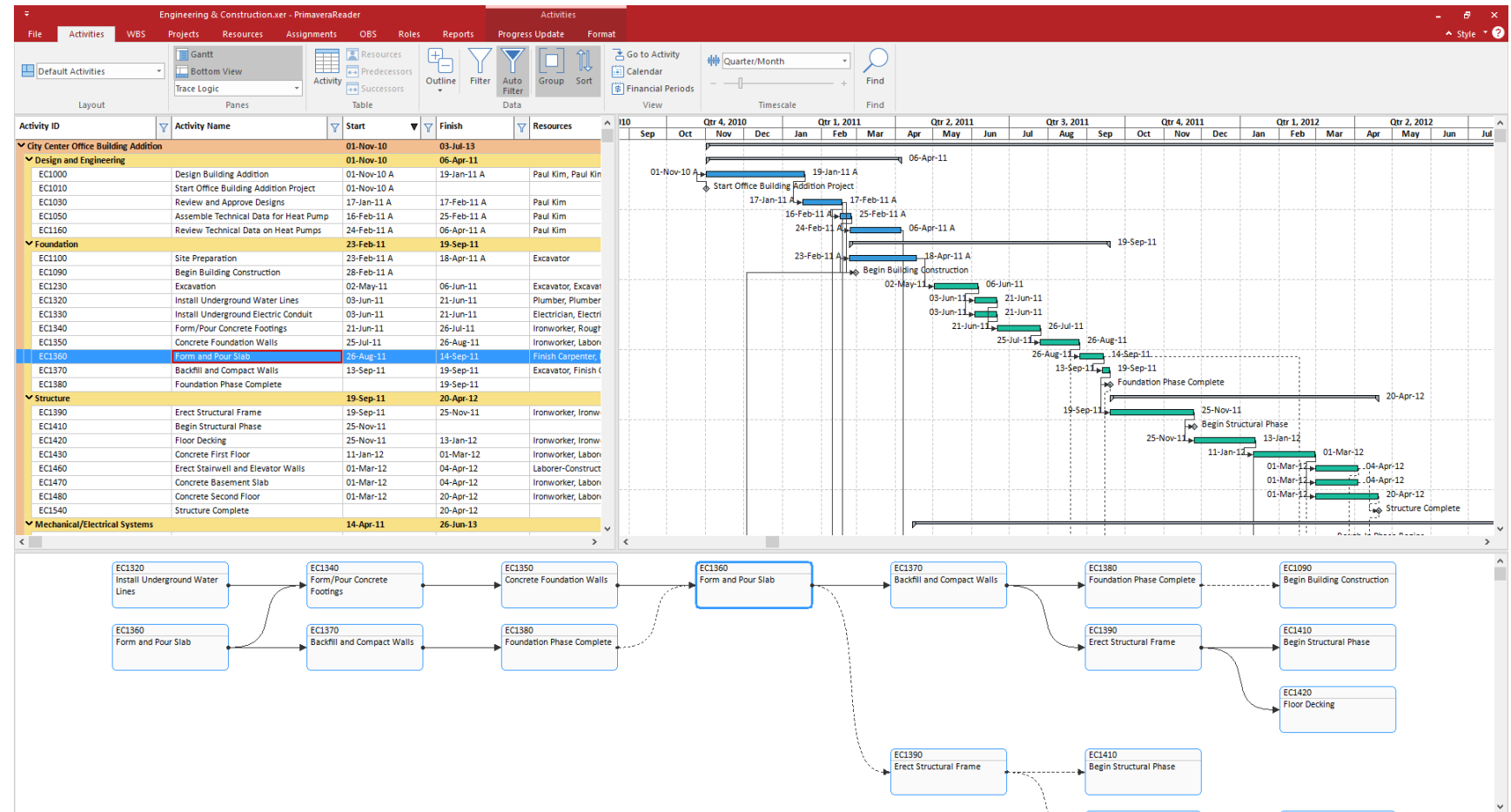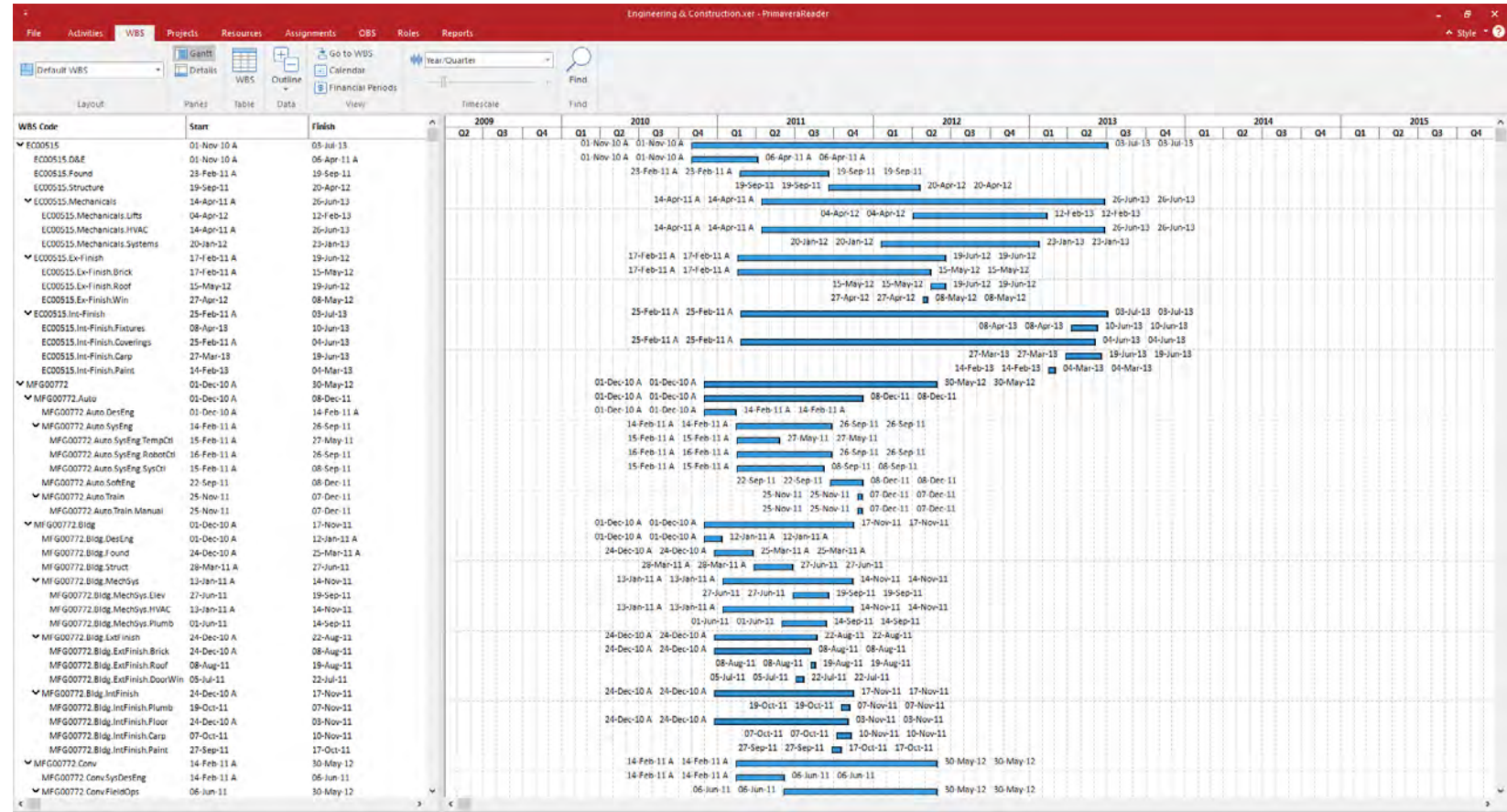
Know your Work Breakdown Structure
WBS View

Work Breakdown Structure

The Work Breakdown Structure view offers an elaborate overview and decomposition of the work to be executed by the project team.

Benefits: Users can preview the Work Breakdown Structure (WBS) for the currently open project accompanied by a Gantt chart on the right.

Preview the resources information in full detail
Resources View

Resources

The resource tab shows a list of all resources needed to complete the projects included in the Enterprise Project Structure.

Benefits: Users can view the availability limits, unit prices and the calendar which defines their standard work time and non-work time for each resource.

Assignment spreadsheet with full allocation insights

Assignments View

Assignments

The Assignments view shows a display of the resource allocations across all imported project schedules.

Benefits: Users can view resource usage, cost and quantity information in a detailed spreadsheet and can use curves to define any nonlinear distribution of the resource usage.

Create custom layout for different types of views

Apply personalized layout for specific view

Custom Layouts

This feature enables you to customize the order and design of different project elements in the appropriate view: Activities, WBS, Projects, Resources and Assignments.

Benefits: You can create custom layouts from default ones or modify layouts that are imported as PLF file, from Oracle® Primavera P6 and specify new arrangement according to the project requirements.

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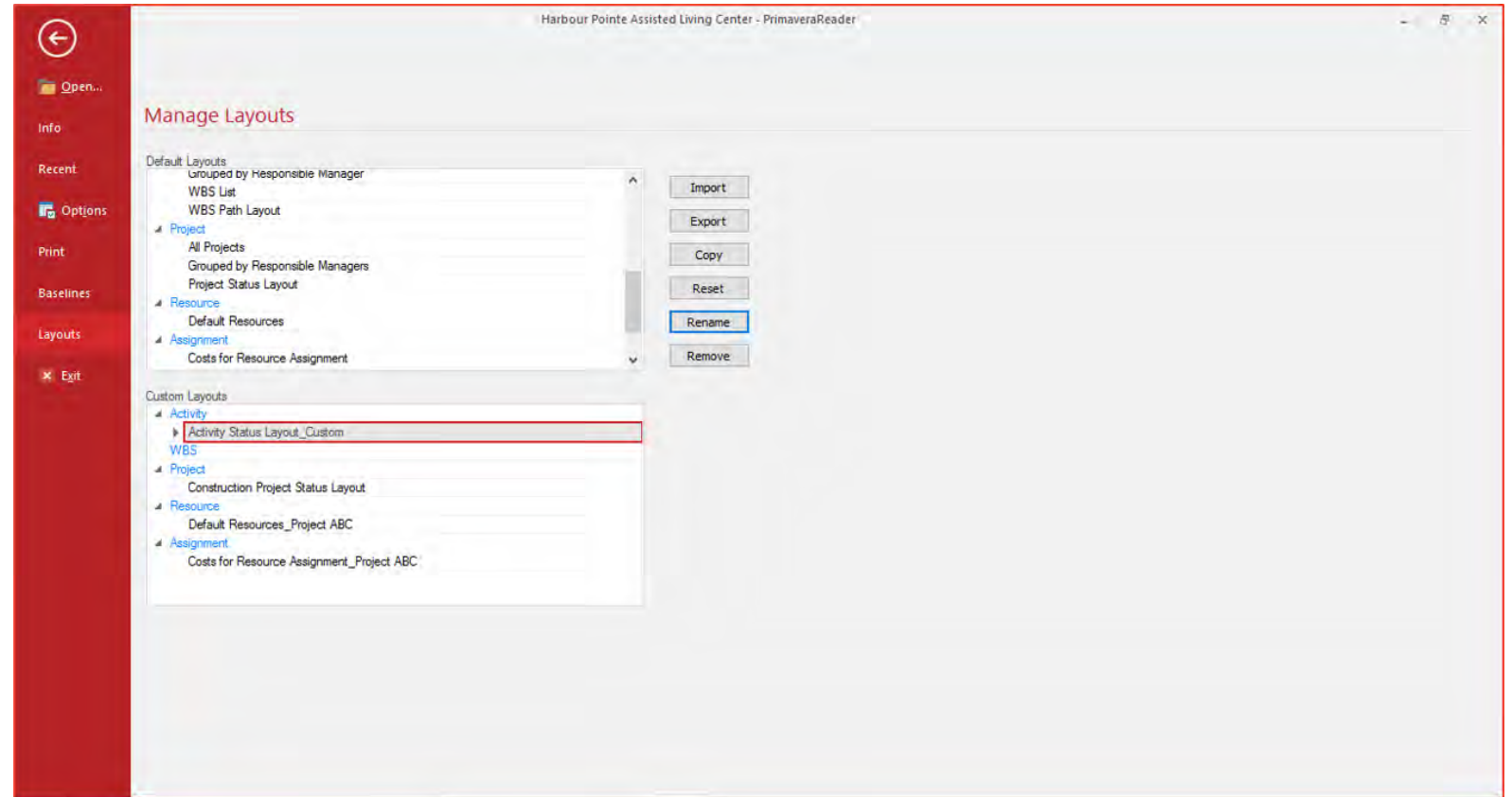
Compare the changes to the previous project plans
Baseline View

Baselines

The baselines functionality enables comparison of up to four updated versions of a project schedule.

Benefits: Users can get a detailed graphical presentation of the aspects that have been changed from the original schedule in the Gantt preview on the right side of the interface.

No worries while working in large plans → filter data of your interest only
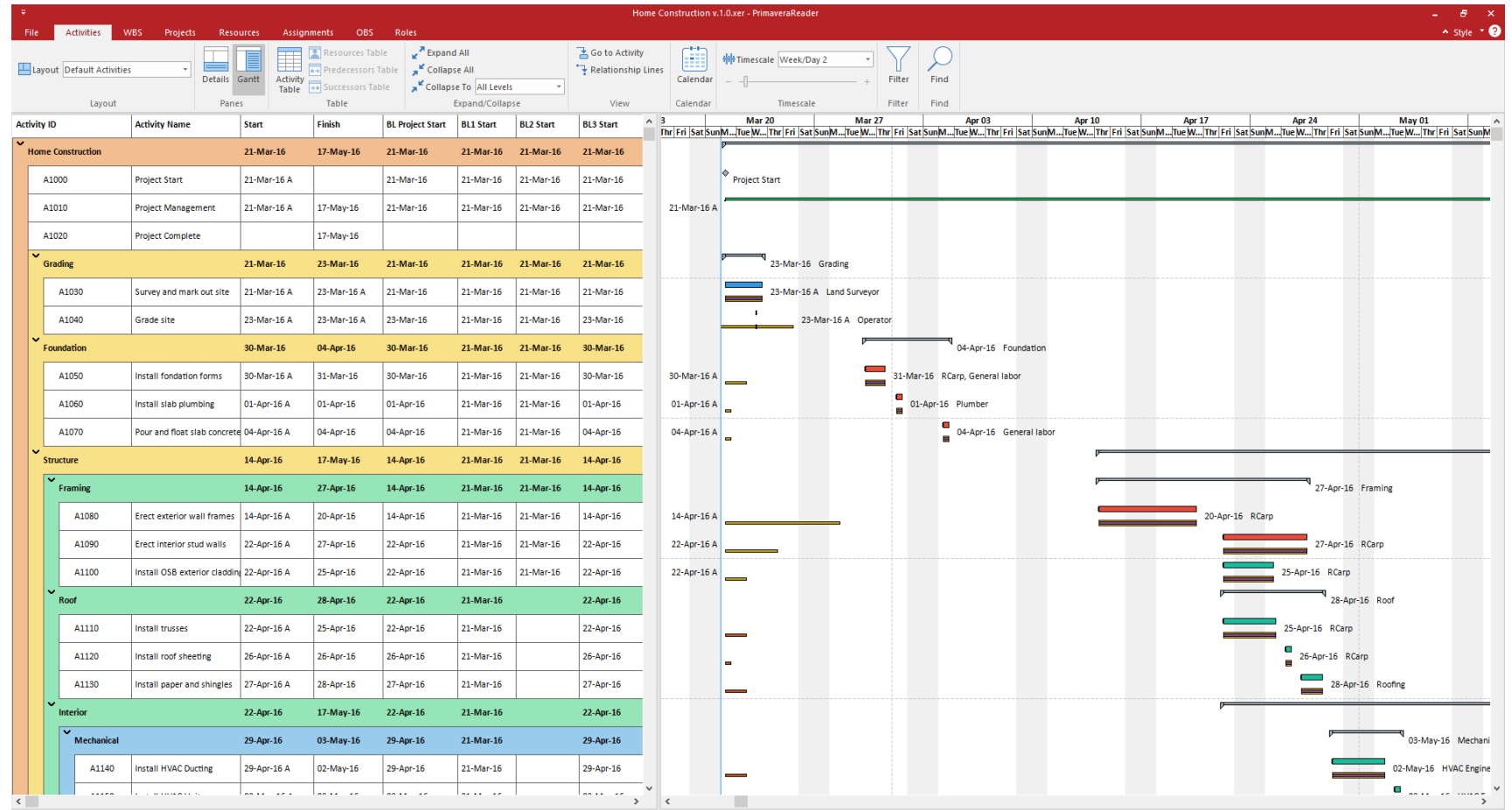## Filter + Auto Filters

User-defined Filters & Filters

Auto Filtering allows filtering of the data in one or more columns according to the cell contents. User-defined filters Allows you to specify exactly which Activities related information you need to view in the Activities table.

Benefits: Users can view and navigate the display of data of interest from the activities in the project schedule, particularly if it is a large schedule.

Resource Usage Profile view

Analyze resources and roles units and costs

Various types of information

You can organize the project profiles and specify which information to be displayed in the graph: costs or units.

Benefits: With the use of the Resource Usage Profile, you can analyze the cost and quantity usage for roles and resources, for a single project or for multiple projects.
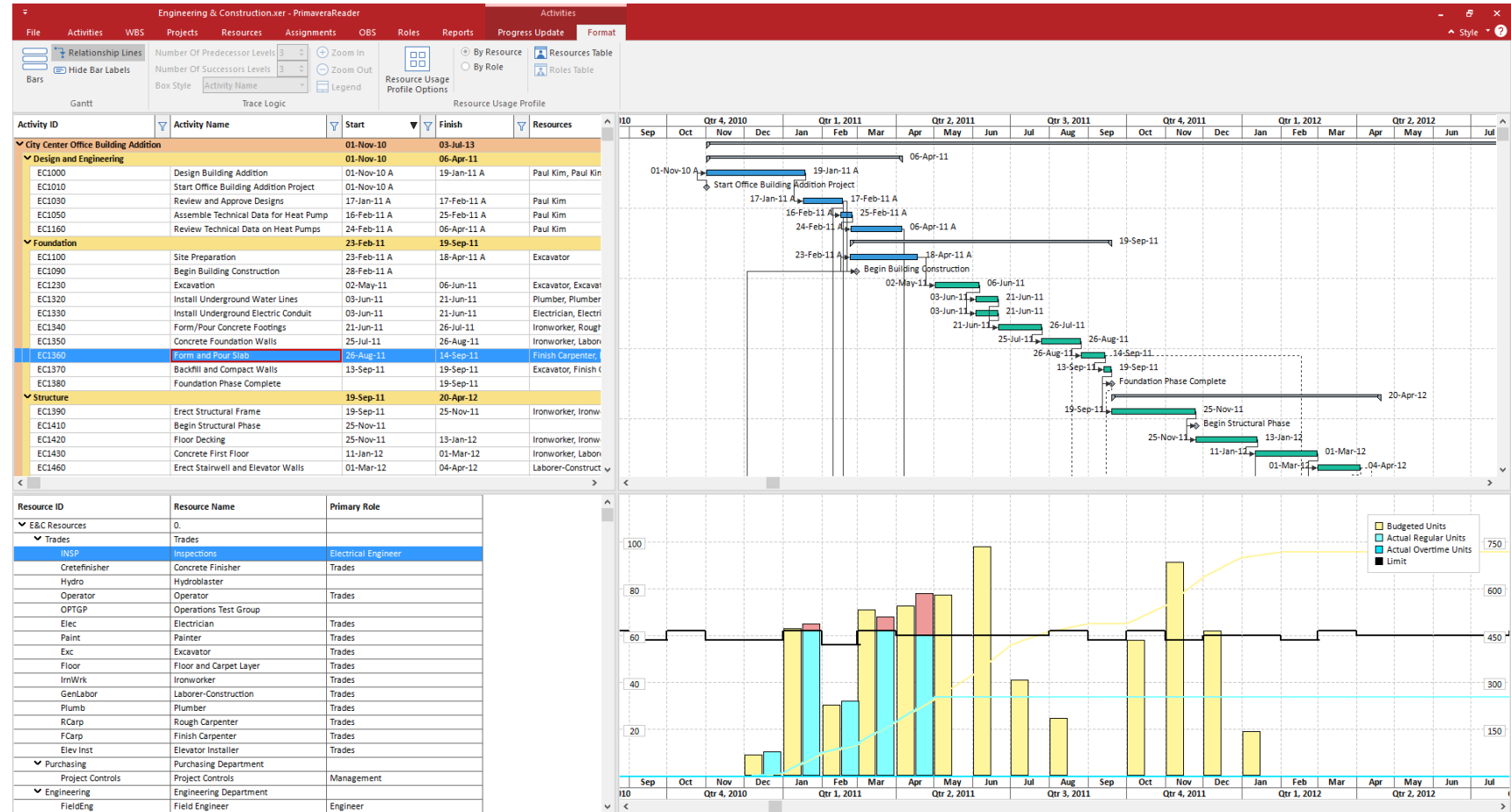
Graphical Reports

Professional graphical reports for all project stakeholders

Reports and dashboards

This feature enables you to work with default report categories or to create your own and share it with your team.

Benefits: You can use the graphical reports to provide business critical information to PMO, project stakeholders and sponsors, making the business reporting process meaningful.
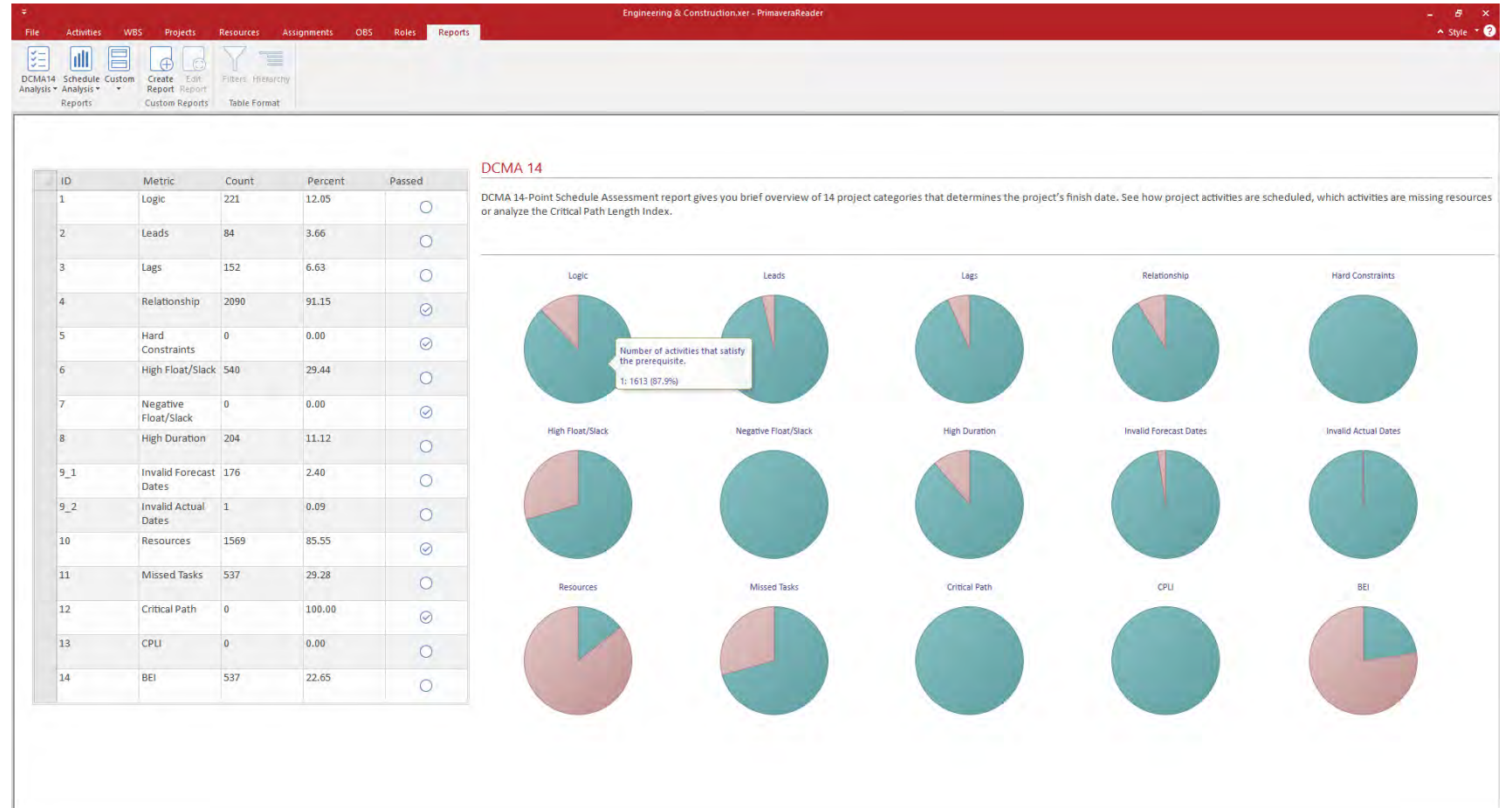
Bar Customization
Create your personal view

Gantt Chart customization

This feature enables you to add new bar types, to remove the unnecessary one or to make modification.

Benefits: You can use the Bars dialog to create new layouts, presenting project information that is not visible and share it with the team.

Progress Update: Add/Delete Bars & Gantt Preview
Get detailed information from the field

Update the project plan

This feature enables you to insert proposals for adding or removing activities from project plan.

Benefits: Team members can insert proposal for new activities that are already in progress on the field or to inform the scheduler which tasks are canceled and should be removed from the plan.

Why choose PrimaveraReader instead of sharing PDF files
5 main advantages over PDF printed schedules

1. Provide an Interactive overview of the project

Each member has a personalized view, chance to add/remove columns and see relationships inside an elaborate Gantt chart. Also there are Activities, WBS, IPS, resource assignments views, which offer full information regarding the specified topic.

2. Use Custom and Auto filters

The project team members have flexibility when viewing their Activities and Filters, which is a basic feature needed to easily handle plans that contain hundreds of lines / activities.

3. Navigate through predecessors and successors

Team members have a complete overview of the project relations and don't feel isolated from the whole.

4. Work with custom layouts (import .plf files)

The team members can import the company's custom layouts in PLF format or choose how assignment data is displayed in their view. Each layout shows different columns and applies different groping and sorting of data.

5. Baselines comparison of project schedules

Users can easily spot what has been changed from the previous schedule with the clear visual comparison of the Activity updates from previous .xer file version.

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Sharing plans between [Project Scheduler] and [TL & Members]
General Use-case

Case:

Project Scheduler is preparing a project plan in Oracle ® Primavera P6 and needs to share it to other team members, who only need to view the schedule activities.

Solution:

Use PrimaveraReader as a cost-effective solution for all Project managers, TL and other project participant that don't require editing of the schedule plan.

Users get quick access to activities and gain detailed overview of the progress of activities or responsibilities that have been assigned to them.
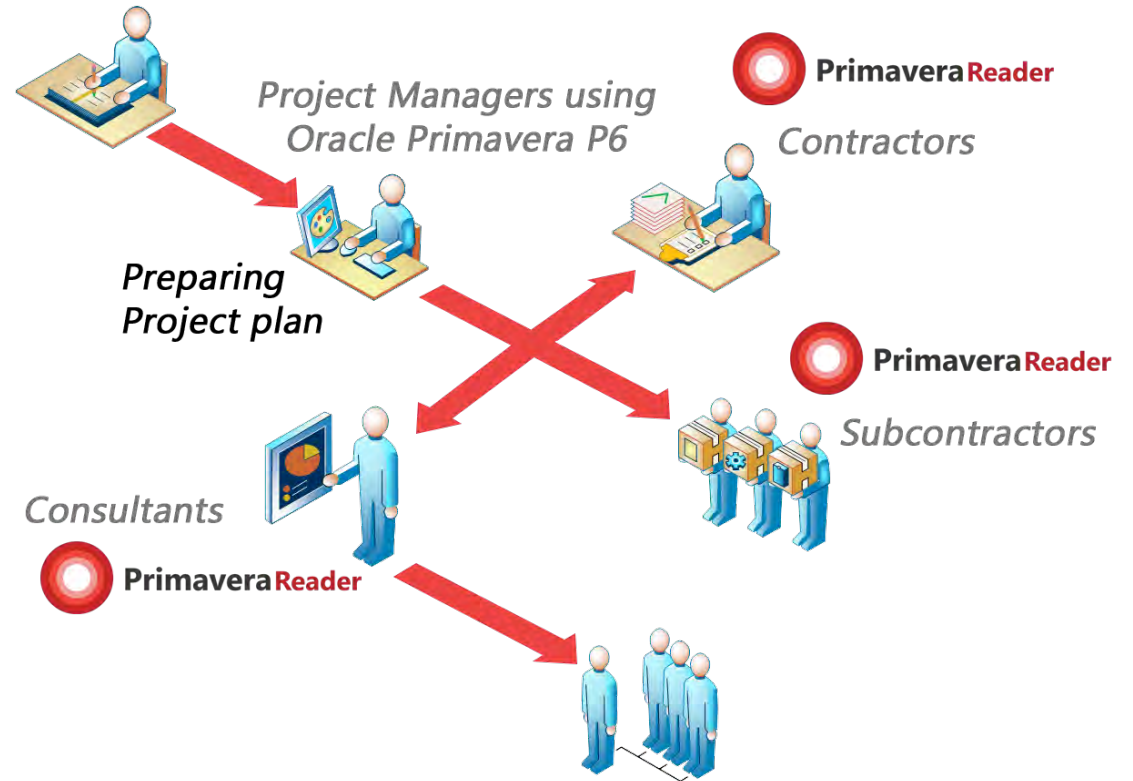
Project Managers using Oracle Primavera P6

Contractors

Preparing Project plan

Subcontractors

Consultants

Using the PrimaveraReader, Consultants, Subcontractors and Team Leads, can manage deliverables and costs accross the project

Complex plans including [Subcontractors] and [Stakeholders]
General Use-case

Case:

Along the project team, there is a great number of consultants and subcontractors that are included in the project activities or are included in the management of deliverables.

Solution:

Use PrimaveraReader as an excellent cost-effective solution that will allow detailed view to all the stakeholder, without complex tutorials or worries if some changes by mistake occur.

PrimaveraReader also allows opening multiple projects **without the need of importing** XER files in P6 Database.

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Team Members
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Closing project and review

Create long-term customer relationship

Primavera Reader

Improve project performance and save on costs
Main reasons for implementing PrimaveraReader

Reasons for implementing PrimaveraReader

- Offers **dynamic working environment** for the whole project team

- Has intuitive user interface [requires no **learning curve**; no **training costs**]

- Provides all of the **important views** from Oracle® Primavera P6

- Save on software licensing costs

- Fast view of plan schedules **without import/ export in DB** [open +450K activities in 8 seconds]

- Matching company environment with **custom layouts & filters**

- It replaces the use of alternative **methods to share XER schedules** [like PDF reader]

Our solution is **flexible** in implementing **new features** to meet your organizational requirements!

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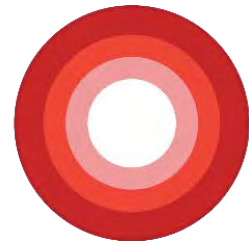
Experience in Project Viewing tools [+15years] & [+6million users]
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