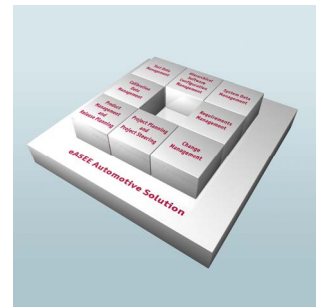


Quick and Reliable Process Improvement with the eASEE Automotive E/E Solution

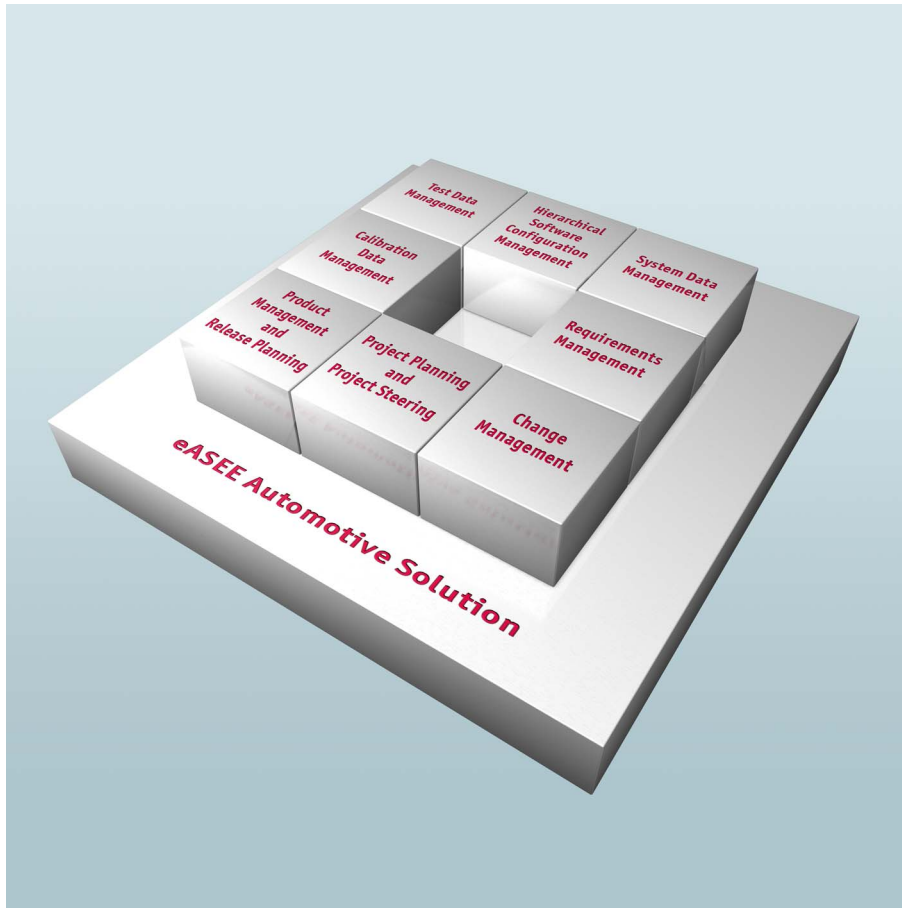
Stuttgart, 10/14/2009 – Vector has specially tailored its eASEE Tool Suite to the processes and requirements of automotive E/E development and extended it by adding a wide range of engineering functionalities.



Vector has further developed the eASEE Tool Suite – in cooperation with such automotive OEMs as Volvo Cars – to create the eASEE Automotive Solution product for the automotive market. Inter-module functionalities previously treated as customer-specific extensions, were generalized and are now supplied as part of the product. This substantially reduces the effort (time and resources) customers need to expend to modify eASEE in implementing it throughout their organizations. Role-specific support for all central engineering processes is based on a uniform data backbone. As a result, automotive E/E development departments quickly achieve the desired data universality. Requirements, system and test data management are all integrated and supported in the first version of the eASEE Automotive Solution.

The core of this solution is the eASEE System Data Management module (eASEE.sdm 1.3). It provides an engineering environment that seamlessly covers all applications: from description of the vehicle electronics on the functional level to the logical and technical architecture level and finally the software architecture of the ECUs. This universality gives all development participants quick access to up-to-date engineering data and detailed support for the various specific roles in the development process.

The eASEE Automotive Solution 1.0 product was released on 10/01/2009. Future versions will add integration of the eASEE Change Management module, eASEE Product and Release Planning, and the hierarchical software development module specifically designed for embedded software development: eASEE.hscm.



[Figure 1: Modules of the eASEE Automotive Solution]

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