

Providing Alfresco Project Implementation Resources to Small and Medium Sized Organisations

Monetical CMS™ is the first Community System Integrator Portal, uniquely tailored for Alfresco content management. Available as a cloud service, Monetical CMS provides Alfresco project owners a true low-cost alternative approach to traditional system integrators. A one-stop-shop for acquiring the right skilled staff, Agile project tools and Alfresco expertise and support, for a successful and efficient implementation.

Why Choose Monetical?

Alfresco projects are becoming increasingly complex; demanding a broader understanding of new subject matter expertise to successfully evaluate and implement Alfresco in a timely and cost effective manner. A distributed landscape and costly traditional system integrator fees make it extremely difficult for small and medium sized organisations to engage the appropriate Alfresco expertise with the right project experience, at the right price. Monetical CMS changes this by providing a one-stop-shop portal that delivers the following resources at a much lower cost:

- Alfresco and Agile skilled consultants
- Agile project tools
- Past project experience
- Ongoing support and learning service
- Project implementation best practices

Alfresco and Agile Skilled Consultants

Monetical's directory of certified Alfresco and Agile skilled consultants allows individual project owners to identify, evaluate and engage the right skills specific to their project needs. Whether the project requires a single Alfresco developer or a small team supporting all the main functions (development, business analyst, testing and architecture), Monetical CMS is there to help.

What Agile Project Tools are Supported?

Monetical CMS includes an Agile Application Lifecycle Management tool, which offers comprehensive process support and provides all project activities required by highly distributed organisations, including:

- Shopping for product backlog tasks
- Consultant assessment and appointment
- Evaluate custom development tasks
- Evaluate purchasing 3rd party products
- Sprint planning
- Daily scrum project performance
- Community support
- Stakeholder & end user presentations
- Sprint retrospectives
- Project management reporting

What Makes Monetical Unique?

The ability to manage the entire Alfresco implementation in the cloud and engage appropriate skilled consultants, ensures complete ownership of the project and guarantees project knowledge is retained in-house. Furthermore, Monetical CMS repositories of past structured project experience enables project managers to quickly identify and address project challenges and ensure project implementation is optimised by exploiting known project best practices.

The ability to self-plan, resource and manage each Alfresco implementation in this unique way is also enhanced by managing project costs in three ways:

1. Lower day rates for skilled consultants
2. No upfront infrastructure costs
3. Free technical support from a community

What Expertise does Monetical CMS Provide?

In addition to the directory of skilled Alfresco and Agile consultants, pre-populated databases deliver embedded subject matter expertise in the form of:

- Standardised task lists
- Pre-defined benchmark audits
- Best practices guidelines
- Performance corrective measures

What Support and Learning Facilities does Monetical CMS Offer?

Each Alfresco project managed within Monetical CMS provides direct access to a collection of integrated support and learning capabilities.

Monetical CMS brings together the leading wikis, blogs and forums into a single source. This ensures each project team is fully aware of the most up-to-date information on a broad range of subjects. This guarantees each project does not spend valuable time searching and reviewing the wealth of unstructured information that can be found on the web.

Project Best Practices

A comprehensive workflow mechanism enables project teams to easily gauge their performance compared with Alfresco implementation and Agile adoption best practices, which are defined within a library of pre-defined checklists and surveys. Root cause analysis tools help identify underlying causes where performance is weak, a feature unique to Monetical CMS. A library of preconfigured corrective measures assist project teams, allowing fundamental operational and commercial weaknesses to be addressed.

Monetical CMS Price Structure

Monetical CMS is available free of charge to Alfresco project owners. Under the Monetical community license model, project owners can create their own Account, within which they can create any number of project profiles that support and manage the definition of their backlogs as well as manage the sprint cycle. A number of user profiles can be created and shared, these grant different levels of access to individual roles (e.g. project member, stakeholder, management and end users).

Access to a wealth of structured past project experience is also available, helping project owners identify potential performance challenges and leverage best practices. Integrated benchmark audits, and community support and learning features are also available at no additional cost.