

Global PLM NX Upgrade in August 2012 – Supplier Impact

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For the attention of the Managing Director and Quality Manager.

Dear Sir or Madam,

Scope / Applicability: Rolls-Royce Suppliers that use NX Native

What has happened?

Rolls-Royce has made changes to its Product Lifecycle Management (PLM) IT system. The changes affect the way in which your company exchanges information with Rolls-Royce.

On 13th August 2012, Rolls-Royce upgraded the standard of software operating its PLM system from NX6 to NX7.5.5.4 Maintenance Patch 02, and Teamcenter from 8.01 to 8.3.3.2 across all of its Businesses.

Suppliers who use NX Native:

- You may be on a different version of NX from Rolls-Royce.
- Following our upgrade, data generated using NX7.5 at Rolls-Royce will not be readable in NX6. Therefore, it is recommended that you upgrade your system in step with Rolls-Royce.
- Your current data transfer solution remains unchanged. Examples of existing transfer media include Forum Pass, DVD, /Email etc.

You will need to obtain the NX7.5 software either directly from Siemens, or from your Siemens VAR (Re-seller).

You will also need the 'R-R NX7.5 Config' pack, which contains template parts, dpv settings etc, and support 32bit and 64bit versions of NX. This is available from your Siemens VAR (Re-seller), but can also be sent directly from Rolls-Royce if you request it.

What do you need to do now?

Upgrade to NX7.5 if you have not already done so, and also download the RR NX7.5 Config pack, by contacting your Siemens VAR (Re-seller). If you are unsure who to contact, please call Tracy Timms at Siemens on 0121 745 0314.

Please acknowledge receipt of this note by sending an e-mail to Sarah.Gibson@Rolls-Royce.com. We will use this information to check against our databases of suppliers to ensure that we have reached all appropriate suppliers with information about the upgrade and the config pack.

Further information

If you have any questions arising from this note, please send them to Sarah.Gibson@Rolls-Royce.com.

Kind regards
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