Document Distribution Platform (DDP)
For quick and easy distribution of product documents

Product lifecycle management always involves distribution of information. All products require constant contact with customers, suppliers and regulatory authorities, and each recipient needs specific information in a specific format. Of course, different documents generated during the product's lifecycle can be distributed to recipients using external programs.

But why work so hard to send your product documents to the required recipients, if you can do it directly from Within TEAMCENTER® environment? Document Distribution platform (DDP) is a software solution developed by McKit Systems which allows you to deliver product information without leaving Within TEAMCENTER® environment, and with no need to put your other tasks on hold.

DDP features advanced delivery options – it allows you to collect and arrange documents according to a special set of rules for distribution to recipient groups, and as part of this process, convert documents to different formats and generate tables of contents of the delivered data. The documents are collected in packages according to the specific requirements of the recipients.

DDP offers a wide variety of distribution methods, as dictated by the process, including email, access with FTP, web portal and printed hard copies. Delivered content and feedbacks are stored on TEAMCENTER®, for full traceability of the distribution process.

Using DDP can improve the PLM process in the following key areas:

Technical Delivery Package
The need for a strong technical delivery package (TDP) was expressed in feedback from many TEAMCENTER® users who asked for advanced delivery tools that meet their needs. This led to the development of DDP, which provides a complete solution for all types of product document delivery, for all purposes and all customers on TEAMCENTER®.

Quick distribution
Your technical designs, legal correspondences and all other types of product documents can now be easily sorted, converted to the required format and delivered directly to the required recipients, all as an integral part of your work within TEAMCENTER® environment and in large groups of documents that DDP can handle effortlessly.

DDP Advantages:
- Easy collection and management of the distributed content, including full traceability of the different deliveries across the entire PLM cycle.
- The required delivery content is triggered and decentralized across several information systems: PLM, ERP, File Systems, Archives, etc.
- Flexible and fast delivery.
- High efficiency in converting and delivering the required content to the required recipients.
- Allows offline access to the converted/collected documents using standard browser, with similar presentation to that of TEAMCENTER® environment using the Offline Package (OPG) solution.
- Hard copies can be easily be printed.
- Storage on FTP server.
- Automatic email distribution.
- Data is usable offline on shared folders, mobile devices, ZIP files and CDs/DVDs.
- 4-tier / Active Workspace.

Solution Focus:

Document collection
Collect your documents from all of TEAMCENTER®'s structures and objects.

External Trigger
An interface which enables extracting, processing and distribution of engineering documents from TEAMCENTER® according to requests from external systems as ERP.

Complete integration of TEAMCENTER reports
Add TEAMCENTER® reports to the package wherever necessary.

Traceability
Trace your delivered documents throughout all stages of the process.

Deliverables are never lost
All deliverables are saved and stored.

Feedbacks and notifications are never lost
Saved and stored on TEAMCENTER®.

Fully-controlled package delivery
DDP can identify the latest file changes since the last delivery package was created. You can choose between complete or differential packages.

Predefined delivery templates
For faster delivery to the required recipients.

Product files are always available
With Offline Package (OPG), developed by McKit Systems, your product files are also available to you offline, in an environment that fully simulates TEAMCENTER® on your browser.

"DDP is just a tool for document distribution – but it led to an incredible improvement in the quality of our work. With DDP, keeping contact with different people involved in the process is easier than ever." (One of our clients)