Rheims Cathedral took 100 years to build – several generation of builders

Amazing thing is they stuck to the plan

About the only medieval cathedral that did – others reflect the styles of generations of builders

Shanty towns are built to meet the basic need for shelter from whatever materials are to hand

The rational type of building is a suburban house

Building is much easier than IT

IT deals with systems – more complex

This is a well established framework

Activity often called “Business” or “Process”

Software often called “Application”

Common to roll

- business and information or
- data and information

into one architecture

We believe that is a mistake
Mapping of systems to architectures

Each cell contains a number of elements that describe the architecture content

Refer to poster

Simple process

Applied to each cell

Don’t need to populate the entire architecture
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