



Smart eDA Fact Sheet 1

Smart eDA is an online service designed to streamline the development assessment process in Queensland. It transforms the current paper-based Integrated Development Assessment (IDAS) process into an intuitive and interactive internet based process. It aims to deliver time and cost savings in the development assessment process through transmission of information electronically.

New 'look and feel' release of Smart eDA

As part of our ongoing process of continual improvement, we've listened to industry stakeholders and incorporated their suggestions into 'new look and feel' enhancements to Smart eDA.

There is now a more user-friendly interface, together with the following key enhancements:

- Easier navigation
- Progress indicators
- Clearer layout
- Ability to add private notes
- Improved task functionality



To find out more about what's new, please visit:
www.smarteda.qld.gov.au

Latest councils to sign up with Smart eDA

Bundaberg Regional Council, Cairns Regional Council, Mackay Regional Council, South Burnett Regional Council, Dalby Regional Council and Somerset Regional Council are the latest councils to sign up with Smart eDA.

This spells good news for those wanting to lodge development applications to those councils as they will be able to do this electronically through Smart eDA in the future.

Anticipated timeframes for council participation are:

Bundaberg Regional Council	June 2009
Cairns Regional Council	August 2009
Mackay Regional Council	September 2009
South Burnett Regional Council	September 2009
Dalby Regional Council	October 2009
Somerset Regional Council	October 2009
Gladstone Regional Council	November 2009
Rockhampton Regional Council	November 2009

For more information about participating and interested councils, contact Shane Maloney of Smart eDA on (07) 3405 6166



Smart eDA Report Card – May 2009

A report card has been developed for Smart eDA to monitor and report on key performance indicators for the project. This report card will be updated each month and published through this fact sheet and on the Smart eDA website.

Smart eDA Report Card	Key Performance Measures May 2009	Target 31/12/09
Take Up		
No. of Smart eDA simulations conducted for Councils -	9	22
Councils signed up to implement IDAS messaging model	7	13
Councils accepting electronic lodgement via Smart eDA	1	10
High growth councils fully connected with Smart eDA	0	2
Other councils fully connected with Smart eDA (Medium / low growth)	0	10
State referral agencies participating in electronic referral process	12	13
No. of registered users (Planning consultants, surveyors and developers)	430	550
Usage / monitoring		
DAs lodged to Councils electronically	13	100
DAs commenced electronically since November 2007	6,504	10,000
Average No. of DAs initiated in Smart eDA (per month since July 2008)	378	700
Electronic referrals to State Agencies	6	20
No. of Industry professionals who have participated in training on Smart eDA	45	120