

# BROOKS LIFE SCIENCES EXCEEDS DEPARTMENT PRODUCTIVITY GOAL WITH EASY PROJECTS

## INDUSTRY

Technology

## DEPARTMENT

IT

## EMPLOYEE SIZE

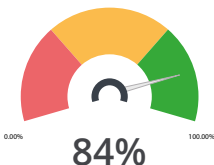
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## TEAM LEADER

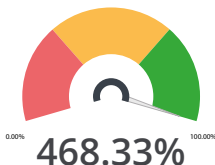
Shawn Bucy (IT Project Manager)  
Clay Angelly (Business Unit Manager)

### RESULTS ACHIEVED

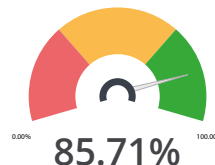
Project Completed on Budget



Annual User Growth Rate



Activities Completed on Schedule



The global leader in automated sample management for drug discovery and biostorage applications. Brooks provides an unparalleled experience in automated compound, biological storage and sample processing solutions. With the largest installed base, over 230 stores, Brooks' systems manage over 1 billion samples worldwide.

### PREVIOUS PROJECT MANAGEMENT TOOLS:

- Microsoft Project - Microsoft Excel

### CHALLENGE:

"The problem was that work was dispersed across multiple systems and manual methods so efforts were not being captured properly. We needed a project portfolio, reporting, and time tracking solution in one." - Clay Angelly, Business Unit Manager

### PLAN OF ACTION:

The decision to go with Easy Projects was made based on the platform's ability to handle robust API, time tracking, custom fields, easy searching/filtering through projects and reporting capabilities with high quality performance and quick responsiveness. Additionally, it was the Easy Projects success team's dedication and round the clock support and configuration that sealed the deal.

### OUTCOME:

"Our business has a diverse set of users and the Easy Projects implementation team quickly and effectively met our specific needs. EP became key to an early success story during our internal business goals towards true Continuous Improvement efforts as well because of its easy, yet robust reporting capabilities." - Clay Angelly, Business Unit Manager

"Now that we are using Easy Projects, our department has gained full visibility which has helped us attain funding for two additional Support Specialist FTEs and allowed our developers to focus more on the development of new features rather than supporting day to day operations. As a result, we have sped up delivery times on requested new functionality, which has led to better quality development." - Shawn Bucy, IT Project Manager

**"EASY PROJECTS HAS CENTERED OUR TEAM AND IS INCREASINGLY HAVING THAT EFFECT ON OTHER TEAMS IN OUR BUSINESS. EVERYONE NOW KNOWS THAT A GIVEN PROJECT ISN'T REAL UNTIL IT'S IN EASY PROJECTS"**  
— CLAY ANGELLY, BUSINESS UNIT MANAGER

### THE RESULTS:

- 100% OF TRACKED MILESTONES COMPLETED ON SCHEDULE
- 92% OF TASKS COMPLETED ON BUDGET
- 500 HOURS SAVED PER YEAR

**"EASY PROJECTS' SUPPORT IS FAR ABOVE WHAT I WOULD EXPECT FROM ANY SOFTWARE VENDOR. SUPPORT IS ALWAYS AVAILABLE FOR QUESTIONS, AND SOMEONE IS ALWAYS WILLING TO HELP US CONFIGURE THE SYSTEM TO SUIT OUR NEEDS."**  
— SHAWN BUCY, IT PROJECT MANAGER

### THE EASY PROJECTS RECIPE FOR SUCCESS



BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE



TIME TRACKING



RESOURCE LOADING



MOBILE APP



CUSTOM FIELDS