

ABB Ability™ Axis Contractor Work Management

Improving contractor efficiency with the power of mobility and the cloud



ABB Ability™ Axis Contractor Work Management replaces paper-based processes with an electronic collaboration platform. The solution covers all core Contractor Work Management processes, including work allocation, work update, work completion and invoicing.



Electronic messaging – direct B2B system-to-system integration for high volume contractors



Web portals – browser-based application for small to medium volume contractors

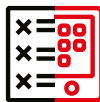


Fax/email gateway – for low volume, occasional or very low capability contractors

Contractor management challenges

The typical work management process **The contractor management opportunity**

Paper-based processes – slow and error-prone



Electronic delivery of all work allocations and updates = faster insight to job status

Inefficient contractor work allocation



Significant increase in the visibility and governance of contractors

Lack of visibility and governance of contractors – contractors account for 15% of workplace fatalities in the US¹



Potential savings of \$5-\$10 per invoice²

¹ US Bureau of Labor Statistics

² In terms of accounts payable processing time

The right solution, right now



Cloud-based solution, fully supported & managed by ABB – reduces total cost of ownership and increases speed to deploy



SaaS offering – no on-premises hardware or software required



No charge to trading partners to connect to the Axis network – removes a common barrier to entry



Native integration with ABB Ability™ Ellipse and Asset Suite; easily integrated to other ERP/EAM software (Oracle®, SAP®, etc.)



Increases the efficiency, accuracy and governance of contractors