

# COMPANY PROFILE 2018



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# Our team



## Company

We are an **ISO 9001:2008** certified company in the field of Multilingual Localization & Translation with following facts:

- Established since 2011 by industry veterans;
- Around 20 in-house employees;
- More than 600 resources in 60 language pairs with average of 4 year experiences in the expertise of Technical/Technology, IT (Hardware/Software), Business, Life science and legal.
- 200 partners over the world;
- Hi-tech infrastructures (cloud-based TMS & PMS);

**Chairwoman:** Mrs. **Nguyen Kim Oanh**, MA of Linguistics, has more than 30 year experiences in Translation.

**President/CEO:** Mr. **Nguyen Duc Manh**, BA of IT, Linguistics, Law, has more than 25 year experiences in Translation & Localization.

**General Manager:** Mrs. **Jane (Nguyen Thuy Anh)**, BA of BA -, 3 year experiences of Operation & project management

**HR & Resource Manager:** Mrs. **Eliza (Nguyen Ngoc Ha)**, BA of International, has 8 year experiences of HR and vendor management;



## Executives:



# Differentiators

## ☐ Vision:

*To be Reliable & Transparent  
Localization Partner*

## ☐ Mission:

*Help clients reach expected market*

## ☐ Core value:

*Best Practice of Localization Project  
Management*

## ☐ Honest & Prompt response

## ☐ Customized Time-zone Services

## ☐ High Capability Mature Model Level

- CMMI level 4
- Comprehensive Cloud-based ERP system

## ☐ Transparent Quality Management System

- ISO 9001:2008 certified QMS
- Quality control with high quality standards: **Six-sigma 4**
- Quality assurance in compliance with EN 15038, ASTM 2575



# Translation & Localization



## Languages

- Most of Asian languages

## Expertise:

- **General**
- **IT/Technology:** Hardware, Software, Networking, Telecom, Mobile
- **Business:** Marketing & Advertisement, Financial/Banking, HR, Management;
- **Technical/Engineering/Manufacturing:** Automotive, Machinery, Instruments & devices, Electronic, Electric, Manufacturing, Civil Engineering, Construction; ...
- **Legal:** Contracts, Corporate, Business, Litigation, Patents & Trademark, ...
- **Life science:** Medical, Healthcare,

Pharmacy, Food & stuff, Cosmetics, Chemicals, Biology, Bio-chem, Genetics

## File format

- **Document:** MS office, InDesign, Illustrator, FrameMaker, QuarkXPress, Photoshop, CorelDraw ....
- **Software:** Type of software: OS, Applications, ERP/CRM, Embedded, Help on various platforms: OS on PC and Mac
- **Website:** Web content, Add-on, Mid-wares, online help, e-learning...
- **Multi-media:** Voice-over, dubbing, subtitling, sound recording, graphic engineering, e-learning



# DTP & Other services

## Multilingual DTP

### DTP tasks:

- Layout/formatting
- Art works
- Graphic engineering

### DTP tools:

- MS office,
- InDesign, Illustrator,
- FrameMaker, QuarkXPress,
- Photoshop, CorelDraw ....

**DTP platform:** PC & Mac with various OS

**Languages:** Asian & European languages

**Capacity:** 1,000 pages per day

## Engineering & Testing Services

### Localization engineering:

- File preparation,
- Project management,
- Localized testing,
- Functional testing;

### Linguistic engineering:

- TM align,
- Term extraction & build glossary;

### Graphic engineering

### Sound engineering:

### Content creation & technical writing;

### Linguistic consulting.



# Quality Offers

## Quality Statement

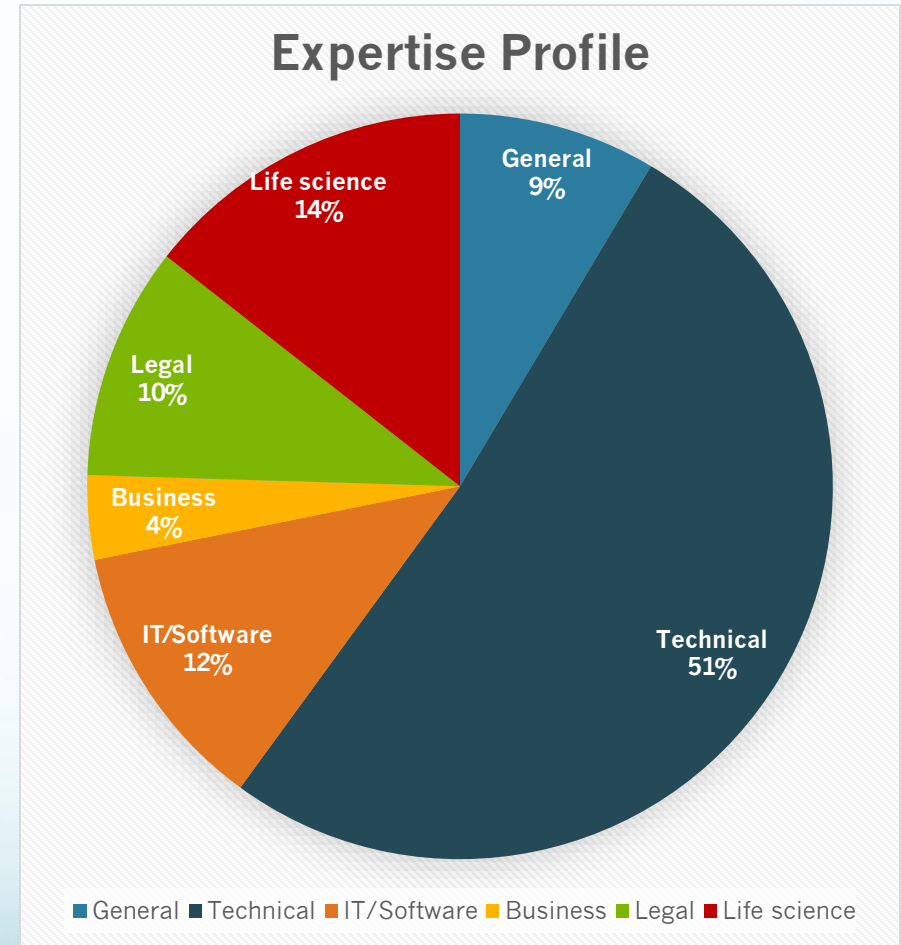
1. Open, honest and prompt response;
2. Experienced & qualified native experts;
3. Available necessary technical and logistical infrastructure;
4. Adhere to the quality processes;
5. Meet all deadlines;
6. Respect all terms and conditions;
7. Keep client's confidential strictly ;
8. Support all client's requirements;
9. Improve services quality continuously;
10. Correctness is around 99.5%.

## Quality Specifications:

1. Quality Metrics: Lisa QA 3.1, SAE J2450
2. Quality Management Standards: ISO 9001:2008. EN 15038, ASTM
3. **Expected Overall Figures** (3 sigma)
  - Client's satisfaction: 99.5%
  - Error rate: 0.5%
  - Correctness: 99.5%

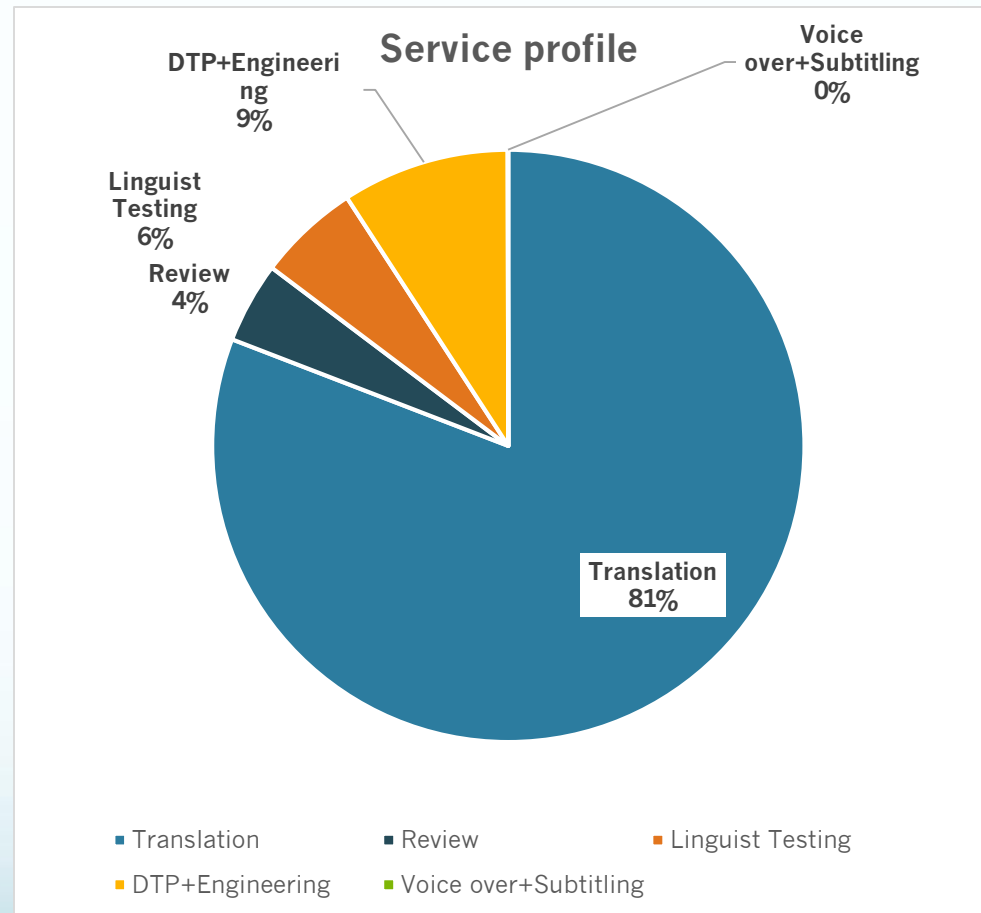


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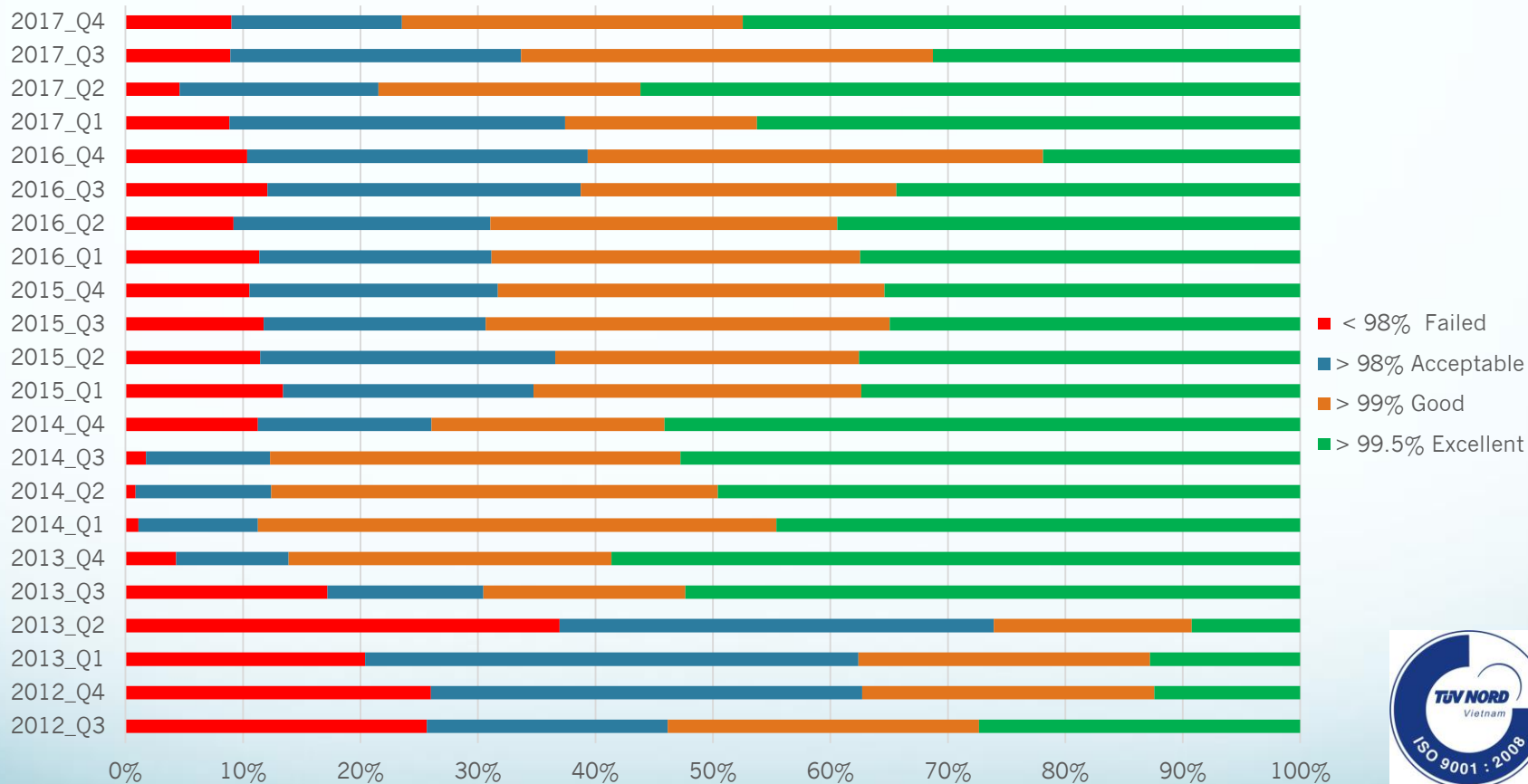




# Service Profile

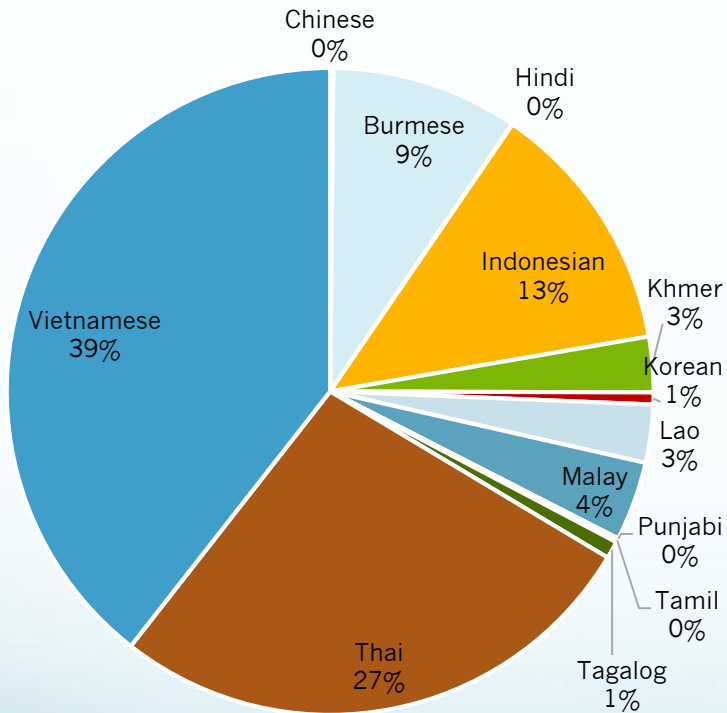


# Quality Profile (for translation only)

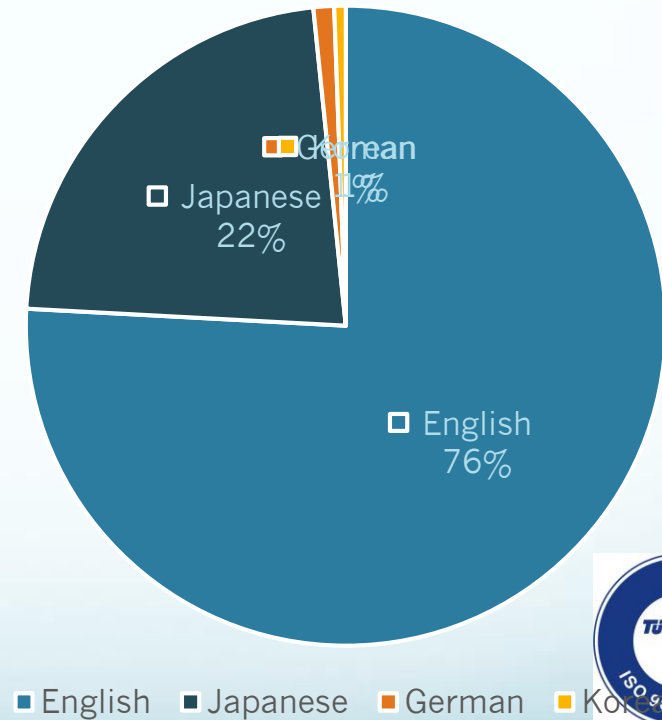


# Language Profile

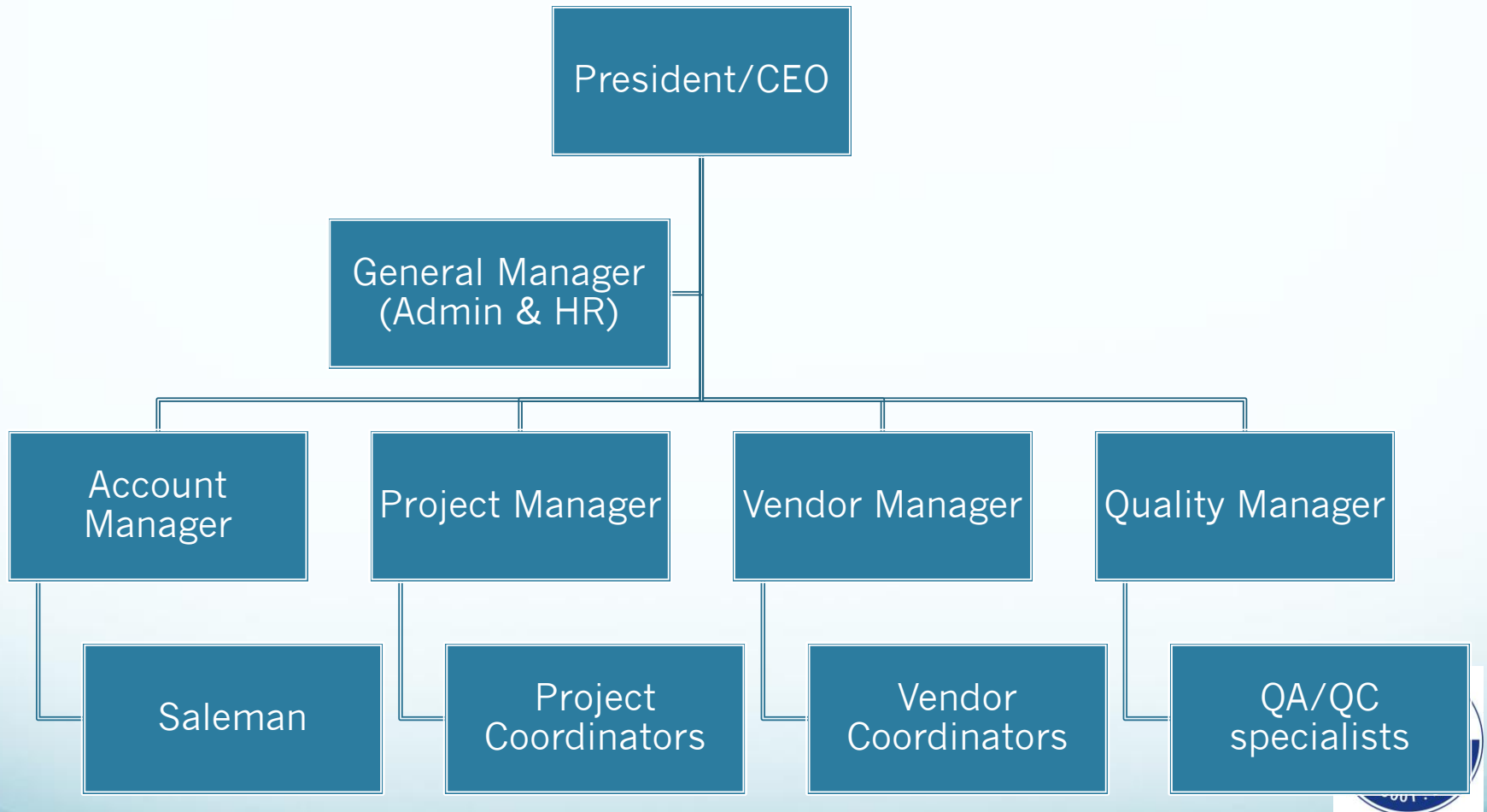
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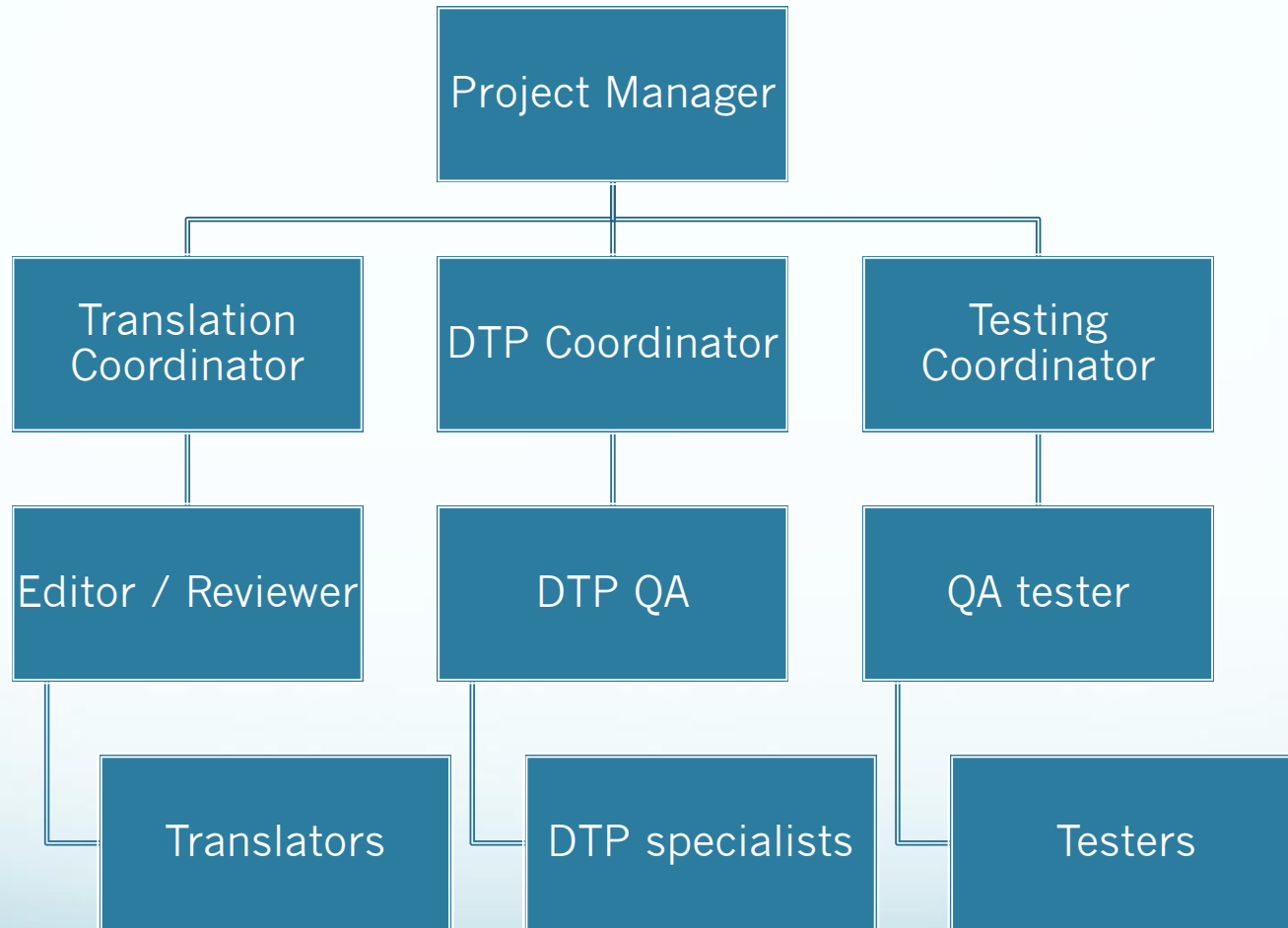
Source Language



# Company Organization



# Project organization



# Recruitment & Development

## Recruitment Process

- Search > Shortlist > Primary interview > Test (Linguistic competence, IT basics) > Evaluation > NDA, service agreement > Probation (5 jobs)

## Qualification criteria

- Translator:
  - BA or MA degree of linguistics,
  - 2 year experiences of translation
- Editor / Reviewer
  - BA or MA degree of linguistics
  - > 3 year experiences of translation
- Subject Matter Expert:
  - BA/MA background in certain expertise with foreign language proficiency
  - > 5 year experience of translation

## Test pass criteria

- Correctness > 99%

## Resource's records:

- CV, registration info, NDA, Agreement.

## Training new resources

- Tool usage: Our own TMS
- LQA process: T > E/R > Correction > QC
- Linguistic quality: Correctness, Errors, Style guide, Subject matters, criteria PASS/FAIL...
- Performance target: productivity, LQX

## Training new tools & processes

- Any new tools required by clients

## Quarterly Performance Review

- Calculate rate of "PASS". If rate of "PASS" < 90% → given "warning" and ask do RCA
- Calculate error category % per each error causes → find out preventive measures
- Decide remove unqualified linguists from our team



# Resources & Throughput



Source	Target	Number of linguists	Throughput Words/day	Average experience years
English (US/UK)	Vietnamese	294	50K-100K	4.5 years
	Indonesian	110	15K-30K	4 years
	Thai	88	10K-20K	4 years
	Malay	40	10K-20K	4 years
	Burmese	35	10K	4 years
	Khmer	30	15K	4.5 years
	Lao	6	10K	3 years
	Tagalog	12	10K	4 years
Japanese	English	40	30K-50K	5 years
	Vietnamese	35	30K-50K	4 years
	Thai	5	10K	5 years
	Indonesian	15	15K- 20K	4 years
	Burmese	5	5K	4 years
German	Vietnamese	10	10K-20K	5 years
	English	10	10K-20K	5 years
French	Vietnamese	15	10K-20K	5 years
	English	15	10K-20K	5 years

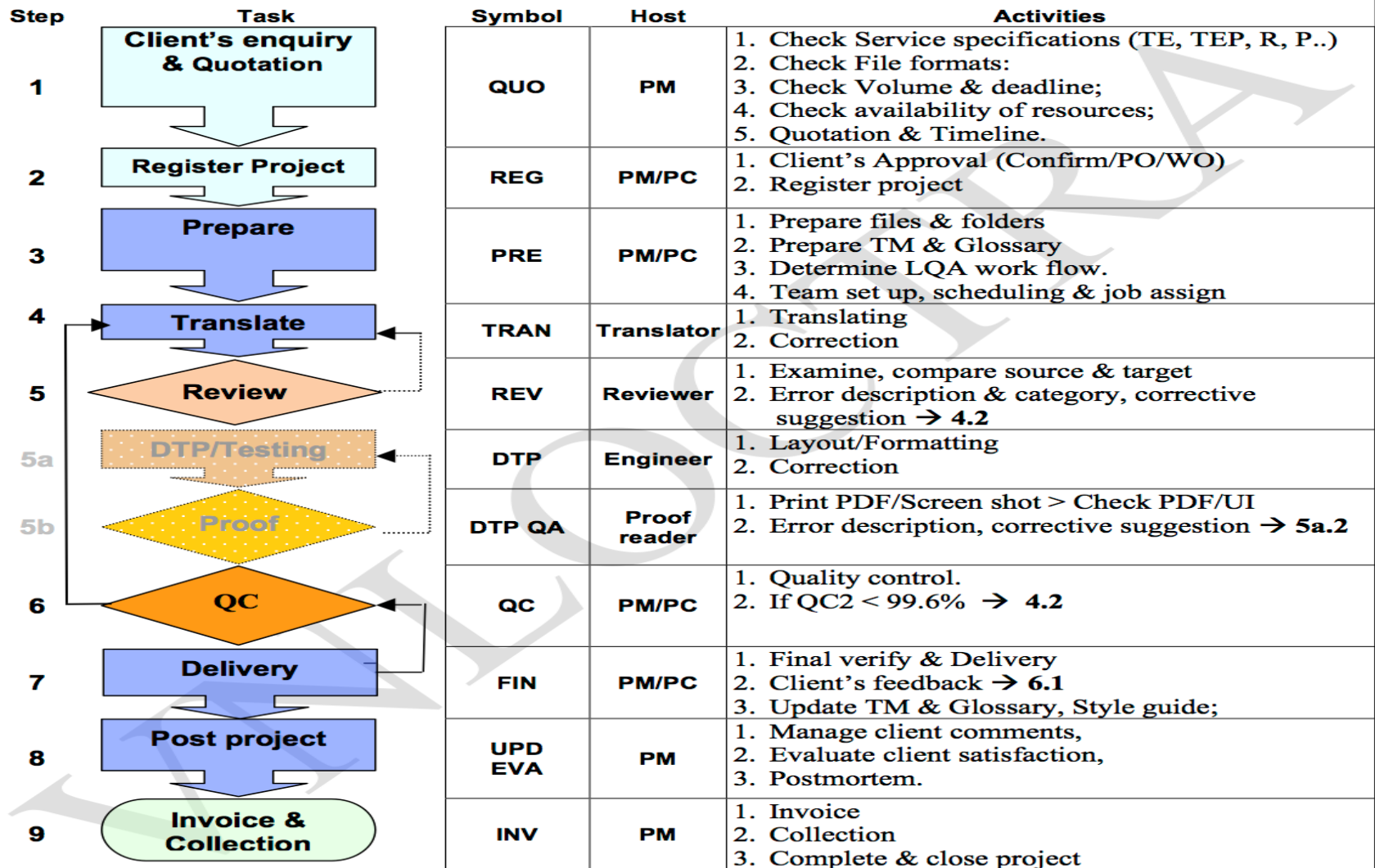
# Infrastructures

- ❑ Computer network: 3G Hz, 4Gb RAM, 540 HDD, MacBook, iMac, iPhone, iPod
- ❑ Internet connection: FTTH 750K – 35Mb
- ❑ Own 2 IBM server for project management, hosting email, website, FTP server, and TMS
- ❑ Tools
  - Own **Cloud-based TMS**, compatible with most of CAT tools as follows:
    - CAT tools: TRADOS, SDLX, Hyperhub, Locstudio, WordFast, Idiom, Xtran, Dejavu, Catalyst....
  - DTP tools: InDesign, Illustrator, QuarkXPress, Frame Maker, Word, PPT, Excel ...
  - Project Management System: Comprehensive **Cloud-based ERP**





# Project Process



*Standard Project process chart*

# Account Management



- ❑ Each PM shall be responsible for number of accounts. Each product family shall be grouped in certain account.
- ❑ Client info management
  - Name, address, contacts, communication method;
  - Services specifications, prices, terms of payment;
- ❑ Client's requirement & Quotation
- ❑ Project registration: Name, Number, AM, PM, PO, Volume, deadline, tools, file format, instructions,
- ❑ Project tracking: Project Dashboard, LQA Dash board
- ❑ Delivery: Client's feedback & corrections
- ❑ Invoice & collection
- ❑ Client's satisfaction survey & evaluation



# Project Management

## ❑ Preparation:

- Project registration, project folder & files,
- TM, Glossary, Style guide, references
- Team set up > schedule > job assignment;

## ❑ Production: LQA process

- Translation > Reviewing > Correction > QC - by 3 different linguists

## ❑ Tracking: Progress Dash board, LQA Dash board, Client comment Dash board.

## ❑ Delivery: Final verify > packing + zipping > Delivery

## ❑ Post production: Update TM, Glossary, Style guide

## ❑ Risk Management

- **Deadline:** Actual productivity, standby resources, availability management
- **Quality:** one more checking step, if FAIL status.
- **Budget:** manage productivity per hour, issues raised, approve time sheet



# Quality Management

- **Quality Control (QC)**

QA process	Quality Control Process	Correctness
Only translation	Translate > QA 10% - 30%	98.0%
1 round of checking	Translate > Edit (check 100%)	99.0%
2 rounds of checking	Translate > Review > Correct > Final review (check 100%)	99.8%

- **Quality Assurance (QA)**

- Comprehensive quality management system starting from handling client's requirement to delivery (see our standard production process)

- **Quality Improvement (QI):**

- Update and maintain linguistic assets (TM, glossaries, style guide.
- Post-mortem and doing RCA, if required
- Quarterly Internal auditing, Quality plan, ...



# LQA Process

1. **Translation:** render the meaning from source text into target text;
2. **Edit/Review:** 100% check, suggest changes, error category,
3. **Correction:**
  - Check reviewer's comments > If agree, implement changes. If not, point out the reason > Root cause analysis
4. **Final review:**
  - Check Translator's nonconformities > Calculate Correctness
  - PASS criteria: Correction's quality score > 99.5%
5. **Final verification:** check deliverable against client requirements



# Error Management

✓ **Error definitions:** Any violations of rules of language conventions, product, instructions, TM, Glossary, Style guide, Locals

✓ **Correctness** (%) =  $\text{Total\_error} / \text{Sample size}$

✓ **QC (Quality control score)** =  $\text{Round}(\text{Correctness} * 1000, 3) - 900$

✓ **“PASS” criteria**

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|--|----------|
| ◦ QC1 (T>QA): Correctness > 98.0%          | QC1 > 80 |
| ◦ QC2 (T+E>QA): Correctness > 99.0%        | QC2 > 90 |
| ◦ QC3 (T>R/E>C>FR>QA): Correctness > 99.5% | QC3 > 95 |



# Root Cause Analysis (RCA)

- ❑ **Cause category:** direct causes shall be grouped as below to find out root causes:
  - Careless, Lack of knowledge, Lack of references
- ❑ **Cause analysis** (fish-bone chart)
  - Why questions until no more answer > Root causes
- ❑ **Corrective:** suggest measures to eliminate root causes
- ❑ **Preventive:** suggest measures to eliminate potential causes.



# Client's Satisfaction Management

- Client's claim management
  - Project claim > Register > Corrections > Root cause analyze
- Root cause analyze
  - Fish-bone chart, 6 sigma method
- Client's satisfaction evaluation
  - Number of claim/Total of project





# Continuous Improvement



1. RCA as doing correction
2. Performance review: If any resources don't meet following criteria, they will be terminated.
  1. Rate of pass : **80%**
  2. QC average > Target QC (under quality plan)
3. Internal auditing: quarterly
4. Quality plan: quarterly, yearly.
5. Quality system reviewing: Yearly



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