

Conclusion:

# THE ECONOMIC BENEFITS

of an investment in SMART visual collaboration solutions far outweigh the cost of implementation.

Architecture, Engineering and Construction professionals use SMART solutions to:

1 Navigate among files



2 View and make notes over models (e.g. BIMs)



3 Create and review reports

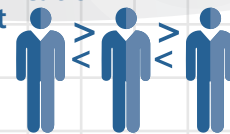


4 View project files (PDF, Microsoft PowerPoint®, Microsoft Word®, Microsoft Excel®, etc.)



Primary benefits attributed to the use of SMART solutions in review meetings:

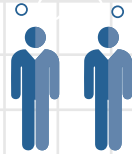
1 Faster communication among project stakeholders



2 More engaged team members



3 Better understanding of client requirements



4 Improved quality conformance



5 Shorter project meetings



## Economic impact of SMART solutions in two organizations

Cost of Implementation: \$137K (including 1 full-time employee for training and maintenance)

### Design Firm

**\$300<sup>K</sup>** annual estimated savings of self-performed work

**7 Weeks** payback on investment estimated

### General Contractor

**\$3M** annual estimated savings of contracted work

**1 Week** payback on investment estimated