



Acquisition Independent Testing



“A purchased software solution has to satisfy the user’s needs in a correct and efficient way.” -Frederick Gallegos

It is fairly common that an organization decides to purchase a software solution from an external party for financial, strategic or concurrent reasons. If you are such an organization and you must bind external components into your own system, how can you be sure that they will meet your quality expectations in regards to compatibility, security or performance? **Remember that once a software has been implemented, it can take many years before it becomes stable.** Therefore, you must ensure that your new acquisition will not turn into a nightmare.

If you have acquired a software to be incorporated in your existent business process, you should foresee that it’ll generate a positive return on investment. Independent testing of such a software can yield you many benefits, such as:

- **Ensure profitability of your investment from independent experts**
- **Verify the correctness of your product’s quality attributes in an objective manner**
- **Evaluate the quality related to your supplier’s software development process, for further business deals.**

Furthermore, it is important to know which kind of tests should be executed, in order to minimize the costs in time and money, as well as to maximize your profitability. Qualibre Technologies is a leader in planning and executing various types of tests for these kinds of situations:

- **Functional testing**
- **Performance and scalability testing**
- **Security testing**

However, not only external software functionalities should be taken into consideration. In fact, imagine for a minute that your supplier tells you that the software component is completed. Unless you’re an expert in software development, how else could you know that it is actually completed? And once delivered to you, how can you be sure that it responds to your expectations? Don’t let chance guide your decision. We have the knowledge and technology to help you prevent these kinds of worries by accompanying you in:

- **Realizing user acceptance testing**
- **Defining a customer-supplier agreement**

Purchasing a commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) software tailored to your business process or system is a delicate situation that can ensure you a greater gain on your competitors, or vice-versa. Don’t get caught repeating traditional mistakes that others have done in the past. You can, without a doubt, count on Qualibre Technologies, a software engineering firm specialized in independent software testing.