SOA provides methods for systems development and integration where systems group functionality around business processes and package these as interoperable services. An SOA infrastructure allows different applications to exchange data with one another as they participate in business processes. Service-orientation aims at a loose coupling of services with operating systems, programming languages and other technologies which underlie applications. SOA separates functions into distinct units or services which developers make accessible over a network so that users can combine and reuse them in the production of business applications. These services communicate with each other by passing data from one service to another or by coordinating an activity between two or more services.

## Agitech's SOA Offerings include:

- Defining the conceptual SOA Vision and SOA strategy to achieve business performance;
- Mapping out the business processes of the enterprise and assessing them for optimization and redundancies;
- Design of reference architecture and application portfolio assessment;
- Governance model definition by documenting standard processes, policies, roles and responsibilities that maintain consistent SOA implementation across projects and portfolios;
- IT infrastructure assessment and SOA Life Cycle Plan.