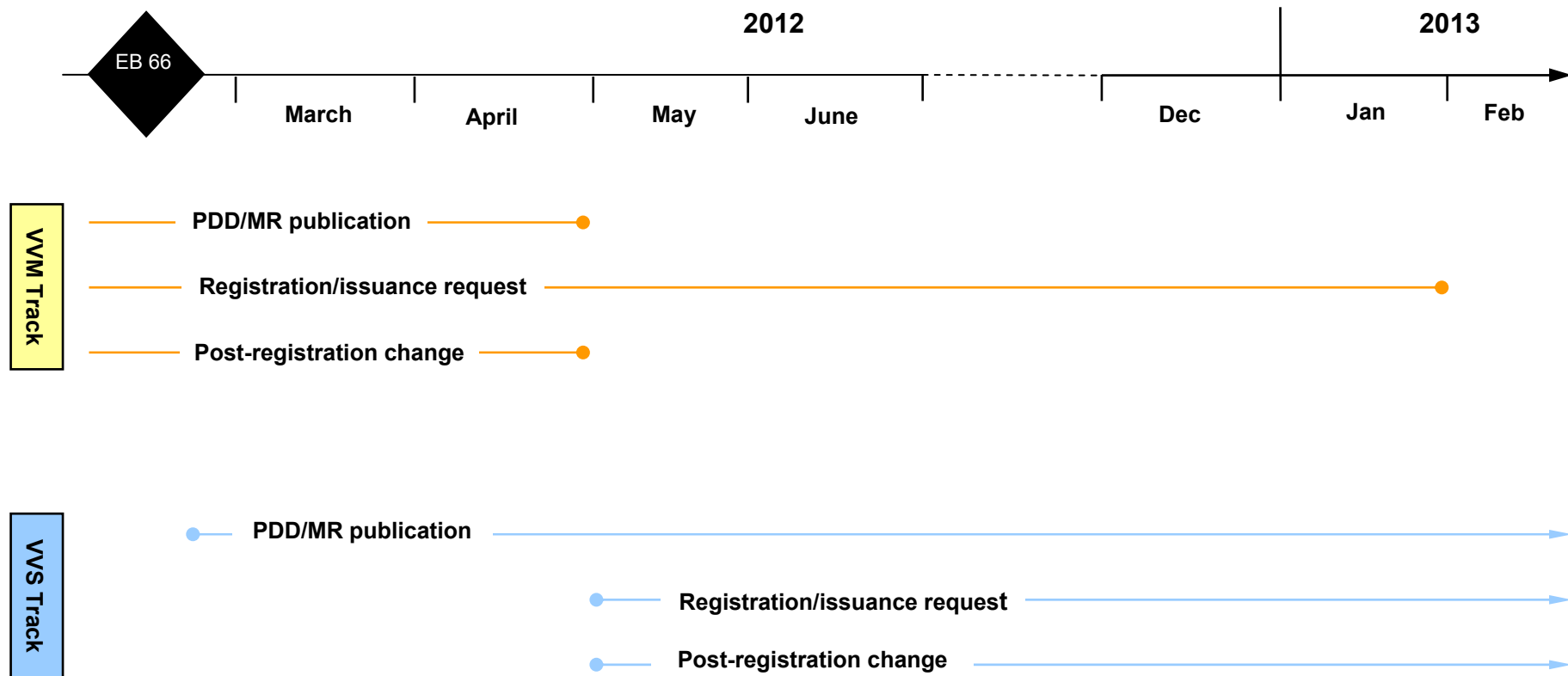




## Implementation timeline (Version 03.0)





## Detailed timeline and milestones for the implementation of the PS, VVS and PCP

Timeline	Milestone
After EB 66	New, revised or consolidated documents (i.e. guidelines and forms) consequential to the adoption of the CDM Project Standard (PS), Validation and Verification Standard (VVS) and Project Cycle Procedure (PCP) become available for use by project participants (PPs), coordinating/managing entities (CMEs) and designated operational entities (DOEs).
After EB 66 – 30 April 2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>PPs/CMEs can choose to prepare and have project design document (PDD) or programme design document (POA-DD)/component project activity design document (CPA-DD), or monitoring reports (MR) published under the process governed by the PS, VVS and PCP (<b>VVS Track</b>) or the process governed by all regulatory documents that have been replaced by the PS, VVS and PCP, including the Validation and Verification Manual (VVM) (<b>VVM Track</b>).</li><li>DOEs may submit PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs/MRs prepared under the VVM Track;</li><li>DOEs may start submitting PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs/MRs prepared under the VVS Track;</li><li>DOEs shall conduct validations/verifications:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Based on VVM Track rules for those PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs/MRs published under the VVM Track;</li><li>➤ Based on VVS Track rules for those PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs/MRs published under the VVS Track.</li></ul></li></ul>
1 May 2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>New processes for submissions to the secretariat under the PCP begin:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ PPs/CMEs <b>shall</b> prepare and submit <b>all</b> PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs/MRs in accordance with the VVS Track;</li><li>➤ <b>Earliest date</b> when DOEs <b>shall</b> submit post-registration changes under the VVS Track.</li><li>➤ <b>Earliest date</b> when DOEs may submit requests for registration/issuance under the VVS Track.</li></ul></li></ul>



Timeline	Milestone
1 May 2012 – 31 Jan 2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ DOEs shall:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➢ Conduct validations/verifications based on the VVM Track for those PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs/MRs published under the VVM Track and submit requests for registration/issuance under the VVM Track;</li><li>➢ Conduct validations/verifications based on the VVS Track for those PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs/MRs published under the VVS Track and submit requests for registration/issuance under the VVS Track.</li></ul></li><li>▪ PPs/CMEs shall switch from the VVM Track to the VVS Track if post-registration changes are required to PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs for which MRs were published under the VVM Track. PPs/CMEs may use the new PDD/PoA-DD/CPA-DD form required under the VVS track when submitting post-registration change requests. However, in this case, DOEs shall include a statement in the post-registration change assessment opinion that the transfer of information from the old form to the new form is correct and materially the same as the information in the registered PDD/PoA-DD/CPA-DD.</li><li>▪ PPs/CMEs may choose to switch from the VVM Track to the VVS Track for a PDD/PoA-DD/CPA-DD/MR that has been published under the VVM Track, so that the request for registration/issuance is made under the VVS Track. The published PDD/PoA-DD/CPA-DD/MR form is not required to be updated using the relevant VVS track form when submitting the request registration/issuance under the VVS Track.</li><li>▪ In the case of both mandatory and voluntary switching from the VVM Track to VVS Track referred to above, the PDD/PoA-DD/CPA-DD/MR, as applicable, does not need to be re-published using the new forms required under VVS track.</li></ul>
31 Jan 2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <b>Last day</b> for DOEs to submit any requests for registration/issuance under the VVM Track:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➢ Any requests for registration/issuance made under the VVM Track will continue to be processed by the Board/secretariat under the VVM Track until the end of the registration/issuance process no matter how long it takes.</li><li>➢ Any requests for registration/issuance submitted under the VVM Track before 31 January 2013 but “kicked out” from the process resulting from a completeness check or information and reporting check would have to be modified to comply with the requirements under the VVS Track if the re-submission is made after 31 January 2013.</li></ul></li></ul>
1 Feb 2013 onwards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ DOEs shall submit <b>all</b> requests for registration/renewal of crediting period/ issuance under the VVS Track:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➢ If requests for registration/renewal of crediting period/issuance for any PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs/MRs published under the VVM Track cannot be submitted by 31 January 2013, the documents shall be modified using the forms and based on the requirements under the VVS Track. In this case, re-publication of the modified PDDs/PoA-DDs/CPA-DDs/MRs is not required, but they shall be submitted with the validation/verification reports.</li></ul></li></ul>



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### History of the document

<b>Version</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Nature of revision</b>
03.0	31 October 2012	Further details on post-registration changes included and inclusion of history box.
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