

COST CONTROLLER

Project Delivery

Objectives

The Cost Controller will be responsible for monitoring and managing financial operations ensuring the project remains within approved budget. The role will ensure the implementation of best practices in financial analysis, and cost reporting, providing high-level oversight to deliver accurate cost estimates, cash flow forecasts, and performance insights. The role supports informed decision-making by maintaining robust cost governance, monitoring budget performance, analysing trends and variances, and ensuring project cost information is accurate, timely, and aligned with approved baselines.

Role Specific Accountabilities

- Maintain project cost control processes aligned to governance requirements and approved baselines.
- Ensure any deviation from budget is promptly spotted and analysed, final impact is estimated, and the effect of corrective actions taken and monitored.
- Monitor project expenditure, commitments, accruals, forecasts, contingency utilisation, and forecast at completion (FAC).
- Satisfy corporate requirements for the cost control reporting, cooperating with the proper interfaces.
- Develop and maintain cost reports, dashboards, and performance metrics for project leadership and governance forums.
- Analyse cost trends, cost movements, and emerging financial risks and opportunities.
- Support earned value or performance measurement approaches where applicable.
- Coordinate monthly cost forecasting processes with delivery teams, contractors, and commercial stakeholders.
- Review contractor cost submissions and forecasts for completeness, logic, alignment with scope, and consistency with delivery assumptions.
- Challenge assumptions where required and identify unexplained movements or inconsistencies.
- Support cost assurance reviews, estimate reviews, and periodic reforecasting exercises.
- Work closely with planning/scheduling, risk, and commercial teams to ensure alignment between scope, schedule, risk, and cost outcomes.
- Support integration between cost forecasts and schedule impacts, including risk and contingency implications.
- Assist in maintaining alignment between the cost baseline, contract variations, and approved changes.
- Maintain cost control systems, reporting tools, and cost databases.
- Improve reporting automation, dashboarding, and cost data quality.
- Contribute to development and continuous improvement of project controls standards, templates, and governance frameworks.
- Any other duty or task as reasonably and lawfully directed by Marinus Link.

One Marinus Culture Charter



Our Purpose

Interconnect Australia's
renewable energy for
future generations



Our Mission

Deliver Marinus Link in a
timely, efficient and
sustainable way to ensure
long term benefits for
communities and consumers



Our Values

- ◇ Safety first and always
- ◇ Collaborating makes us stronger
- ◇ Empowering our people to thrive

To be successful in this role

- Demonstrate the behaviours and values in alignment with the One Marinus Culture Charter.
- Hold relevant tertiary qualifications in Project Controls (Engineering, Project Management, Finance, Estimating, Risk Management, or Quantity Surveying) is desirable.
- 7+ professional experience in cost control, project controls, commercial reporting, or project finance within major infrastructure, construction, transport, utilities, rail, roads, energy, or capital projects.
- Experience in contemporary cost estimating techniques, Earned Value Management and risk management in large-scale complex infrastructure projects.
- Experience with Incentivised Target Cost (ITC) contracts is highly beneficial.
- Demonstrated ability to influence stakeholders, implement collaborative working practices and drive momentum across all project levels.
- Able to demonstrate the capacity to perform the inherent requirements of the role.
- Strong problem-solving and analytical skills, with the ability to interpret complex data and make strategic decisions.
- A result orientated team player with the ability to adapt to a continuously changing environment.
- Direct experience working on teams within a complex matrix environment.
- Able to demonstrate the capacity to perform the inherent requirements of the role.

Reports to: Senior Manager, Project Controls
Direct reports: 0

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Our Commitments

1. Be accountable and act with integrity to deliver our commitments
2. Take responsibility for the safety and wellbeing of ourselves and each other
3. Leverage expertise, adaptive thinking and positivity to solve problems
4. Build trust, listen with intent and demonstrate respect and kindness
5. Lead with an inclusive and growth mindset and celebrate our achievements



**Together
we are
One Marinus**

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