

Feature	EVMMax	Cobra	Explanation
Integrates with MS Project and Primavera	✓	!	Integrates in one direction, integration functionality suspect
Turnaround time for bug fixes and errors; enhancement requests	✓	!	Measured in months or never
Workflow and forms Related to Workflow (i.e. BCR, WAD)	✓		
Contains Program and change control log that has pivot reporting to make sense of the data, not a transactional list	✓		
Cost Analysts and Engineers can work in the same system; lower cost point for engineers and CAMs	✓		
Hierarchical Structure and Data rollup	✓	!	Cobra's main program screen does not show hierarchy and only shows assigned elements; does not contain a true hierarchical project
Contains Rich Text Editor (manage project documentation and data in the same database, create WBS dictionaries, BOEs, etc.)	✓		
Timephased Data	✓	✓	
Rate Engine	✓	✓	
Security	✓	✓	
Can manage manpower; FTE equivalent reporting; look at manpower needs within the project or across the enterprise	✓	!	Can manage FTE's, but cannot do enterprise level manpower reporting
Interfaces with Estimating System BOEMax to provide feedback	✓		
Graphical Reporting	✓	!	Need wInsight, an additional application
Customized Screens (Filter building and Logic)	✓		
Lock Capability (at the WBS Level - allows user to work exclusively at an WBS Level)	✓		
Integrates with Deltek Cobra	✓		
Integrates with MS Excel	✓		
Has an EV / Actual Cost Engine to transfer from the bid to performance baseline	✓	!	Has no estimating system
Has color banding for easy visual account identification of hierarchical levels	✓		
Can Link files to WBS level and make viewable	✓		
Integrates with exchange server to autocreate emails; assign estimate responsibility via authorship field	✓		
Can create resource specific calendars	✓		
Can create more complex burdening rules (i.e. adding custom expressions, constants, math operations)	✓	!	Cannot create custom expressions, simple and complex burdening only
Can back up data projects to xml files	✓	!	Backs up data to .cmp; not universal xml format
Can save an existing project as a new project (choice to carry over assignment data; or just data structures)	✓	✓	

Can reorder hierachical code files; in/out/up/down	✓		
Can create unlimited combinations of budget "buckets" and reporting buckets;	✓	✓	
Respin reports using pivots to meet all customer and government audit needs; ultimate report flexibility - there is not a report the user can't create	✓		
built in api	✓		
Can connect to multiple datasources simultaneously; i.e. accounting, Project Server, Cobra, etc.	✓		
Define custom budget spreads, distributions and learning curves	✓	!	No learning curve capability
Stores ALL timephased data - budget, actuals, earned, forecast	✓	!	Cobra is limited, stores timephased data as it was for one particular reporting period, then the data gets overwritten, need to store project backups to retrieve this data
Contains graphics within the application	✓	!	Must transfer data to winsight each month; winsight is a whole application that requires data admin, data transfer and many problems each month; this technology is obsolete
Contains CPR Formats 1-5	✓	!	Both Cobra and winsight contain CPR format 5 reports; two different products from two different vendors (Welcom and CSSI), just Deltek purchased
Technology	SQL Server; Web based or client server; .net and c++; Cutting edge dev environment	!	SQL Server; smart client?, really just client server, still has foxpro remnant files outside of SQL Server to manage database, old development environment
Data rollup	Automatic	!	Relies on user to click buttons to perform simple database functions
Data cleanup	Thorough	!	Cobra leaves orphaned tphase records, orpaned resource records, etc. causing error that have been happening for years, still not cleaned up