



# Designing Digital Adoption Journeys for Large Enterprises

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# Introductions

Working with you side-by-side, every day



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# Agenda

- 01 Digital Adoption Platform (DAP) 101
- 02 DAP for large enterprises
- 03 Designing DAP centers of excellence for large enterprises
- 04 Practical examples
- 05 Closing



# Digital Adoption Platform 101

# What is a digital adoption platform?



## **Personalized Onboarding:**

Introduce your users to the application with a tour of all key features.



## **In-App Guidance:**

Create interactive, step-by-step tooltips that guide your users across applications.



## **Self Service:**

Provide in-app contextual help to users in the moment of need.



## **Change Management:**

Highlight new features or changes to improve awareness and usage.



## **Data-Driven Adoption**

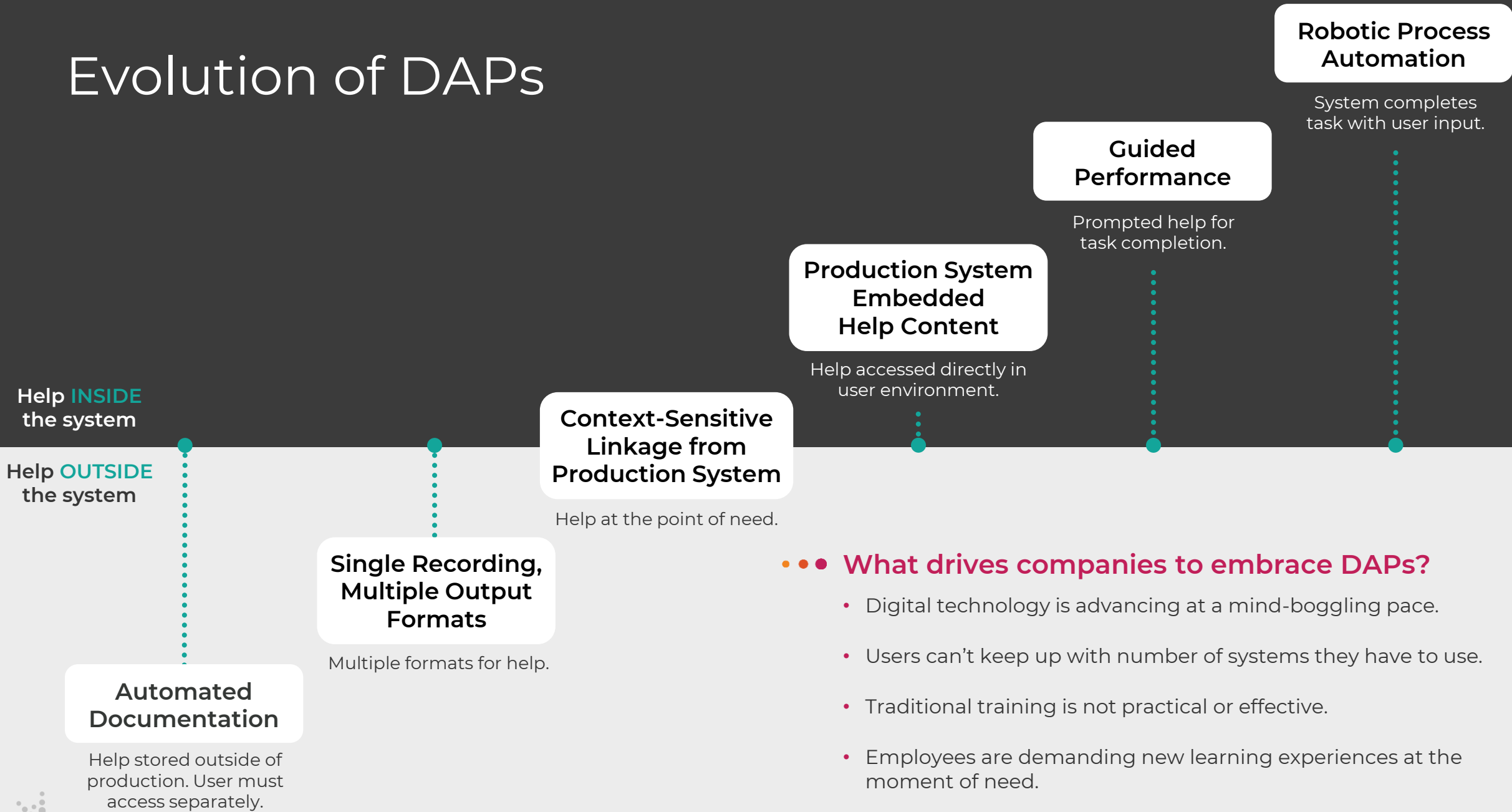
Understand your users' behavior to continuously optimize experience and improve adoption.



## **Workflow Learning:**

Enable real-time learning in the flow of work.

# Evolution of DAPs



## ••• What drives companies to embrace DAPs?

- Digital technology is advancing at a mind-boggling pace.
- Users can't keep up with number of systems they have to use.
- Traditional training is not practical or effective.
- Employees are demanding new learning experiences at the moment of need.



End User



### Adoption Everywhere

- Content Aggregation
- LMS / KB Integration

### Onboarding & Training

- Task List / Pop-ups
- Contextual Self-Help

### Change Management

- Guided Pop-ups
- Beacons

### Automation

- Automate Flows
- Auto-input to reduce errors

Digital  
Experience  
Layer

### Product Analytics

- Analyze User Behavior on underlying app

### Ease of Authoring

- Auto Contextualization
- Auto Testing

### Open Ecosystem

- Seamlessly integrates with existing platforms

### Flexible Deployment

- Cloud Hosting
- Self-Hosting

Administrator



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# DAP for Large Enterprises



# Enterprises are spending big on software applications

**\$900  
billion**

Estimated worldwide spend on software in 2023

—Gartner

**300+**

Cloud applications used by an enterprise on average

—SaaS Trends 2022

**10**

Applications used per day on average by an employee

—Asana

# Expectations vs. Reality

**Lack of technology adoption** is the biggest barrier that derails enterprises from achieving their digital transformation goals.



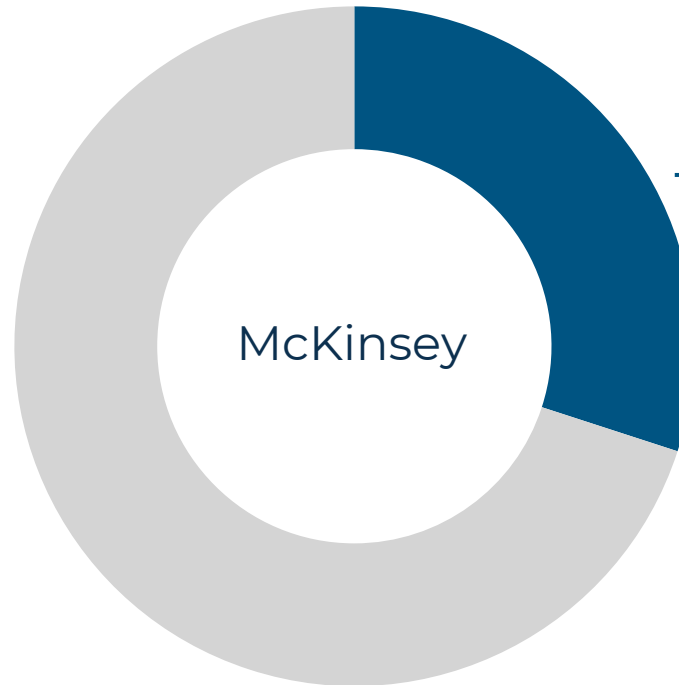
Tech overload



Resistance to change



Skill gap



<30%

Large enterprises consider their digital transformation project to be successful.

Key adoption challenges faced by enterprises

How can users self-navigate product functionality?



Which user segments are experiencing difficulties in the app and in which areas?



Can adoption strategies be tailored to user types?



Where are users dropping off?



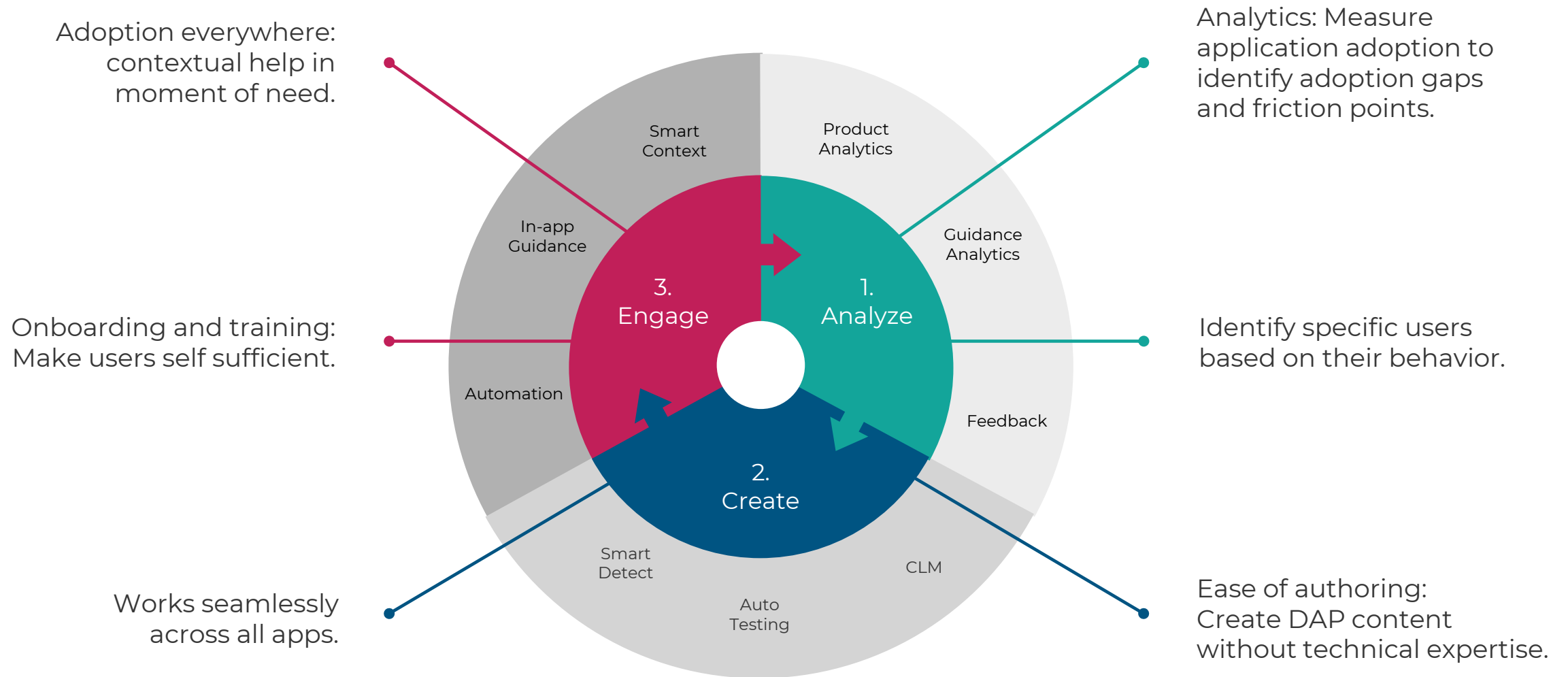
How to quickly address adoption issues without engineering help?



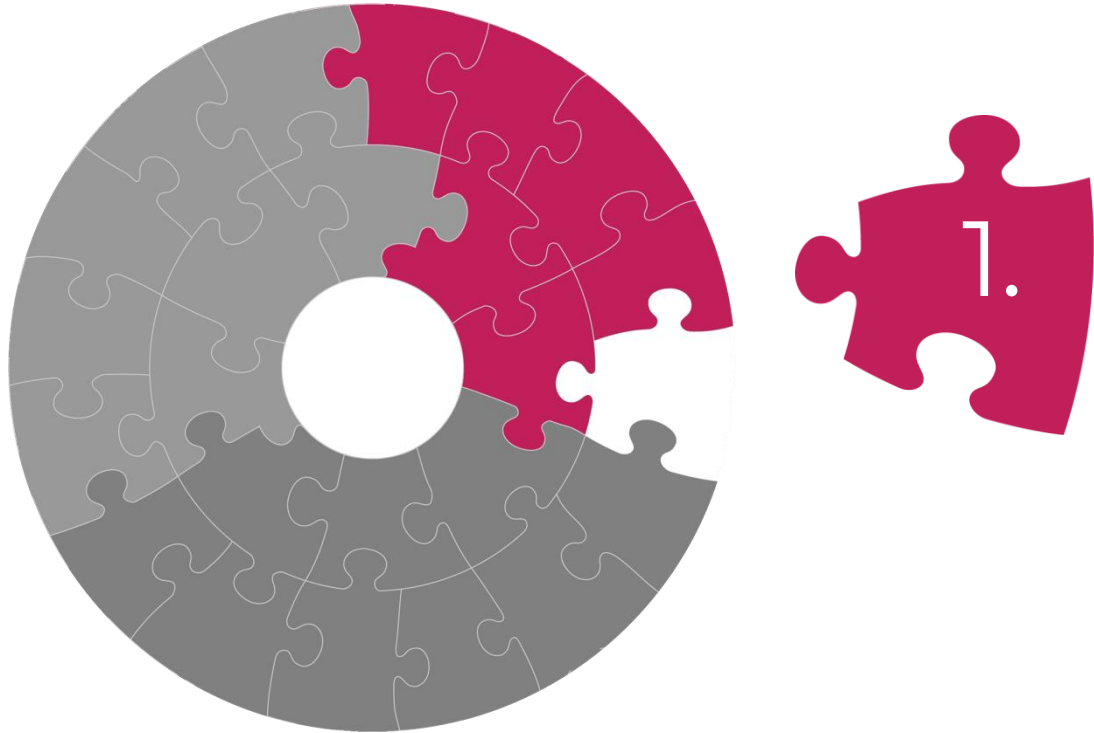
How can I monitor important application metrics in one single view?



# Reimagining DAP: data driven DAP



# Identify enterprise wide applications



How easy is it for your employees to navigate through the various systems and processes within your organization and find help at the point that they need it?

How many applications (business applications and learning applications) do you have within the organization?

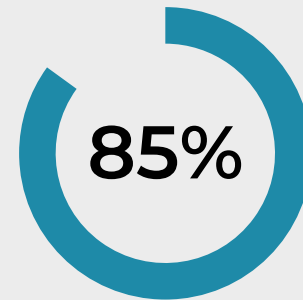
**93%** of employees say they couldn't do their job without the help of at least **three software applications** every day.

**50%** of employees say they couldn't do their job without the help of at least **six software applications** every day.

# Identify the user journey through these applications



Leveraging a DAP will help identify where your employees are experiencing difficulties, and within which application. This can support the organization to simplify processes and monitor individual adoption levels to examine application ROI.

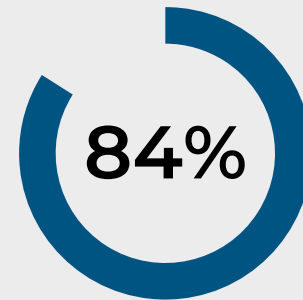


of software users have daily tasks and workflows that bridge **multiple software applications.**

# Monitor the adoption of multiple applications



Learning teams and IT functions are inundated with reports and analytics from multiple applications. Enable considerable time-saving by viewing and monitoring important application metrics in a single view.



84% of employees say there are core features and processes in the software they use every day that they don't now how to use.

# Designing DAP Centers of Excellence for Large Enterprises







“My personal goal is to help those who have assumed the role of digital adoption champions. To shift the conversation away from making people tech savvy to making tech people savvy. And to measure value through the eyes of the user.”

# Greisy Flores

Director of Value Realization and COE Program

## Bio

- Sr. Product Manager of Digital Adoption
- 27 years at Nestlé
- 4 years in Tech L&T (2013-2016)
- 6 years in DA space (2017-2022)
- Established the Nestlé Digital Adoption Center

# What is a digital adoption center of excellence?



A **dedicated team** working as a centralized hub of expertise focused on **maximizing the value and effectiveness** of the Digital Adoption Program.



Primary goal is to drive the **successful adoption and utilization** of the digital adoption platform across the organization.



Serves as a **strategic advisor and enabler**, providing guidance, and support on digital adoption.

# How does a DAP COE work?

## Stakeholders

IT Product Managers

Comms & Change Managers

Business Unit Process Owners

People Dev. & L&T Team

DT and Digital Experience Managers

Product Portfolio Managers



COE Strategist

Solutions Engineer

COE Program Mgr.

Project Manager

DA Assistants

**COE Manager**

(DAP strategy & DAP evangelist)

**Technical Lead**

(Security, tech expertise, onboarding, enablement)

**Business Analyst**

(Analytics, business cases, value modeling)

**Project Manager**

(Manage DAP project book of work)

**Content Developers**

(Build DAP solutions)



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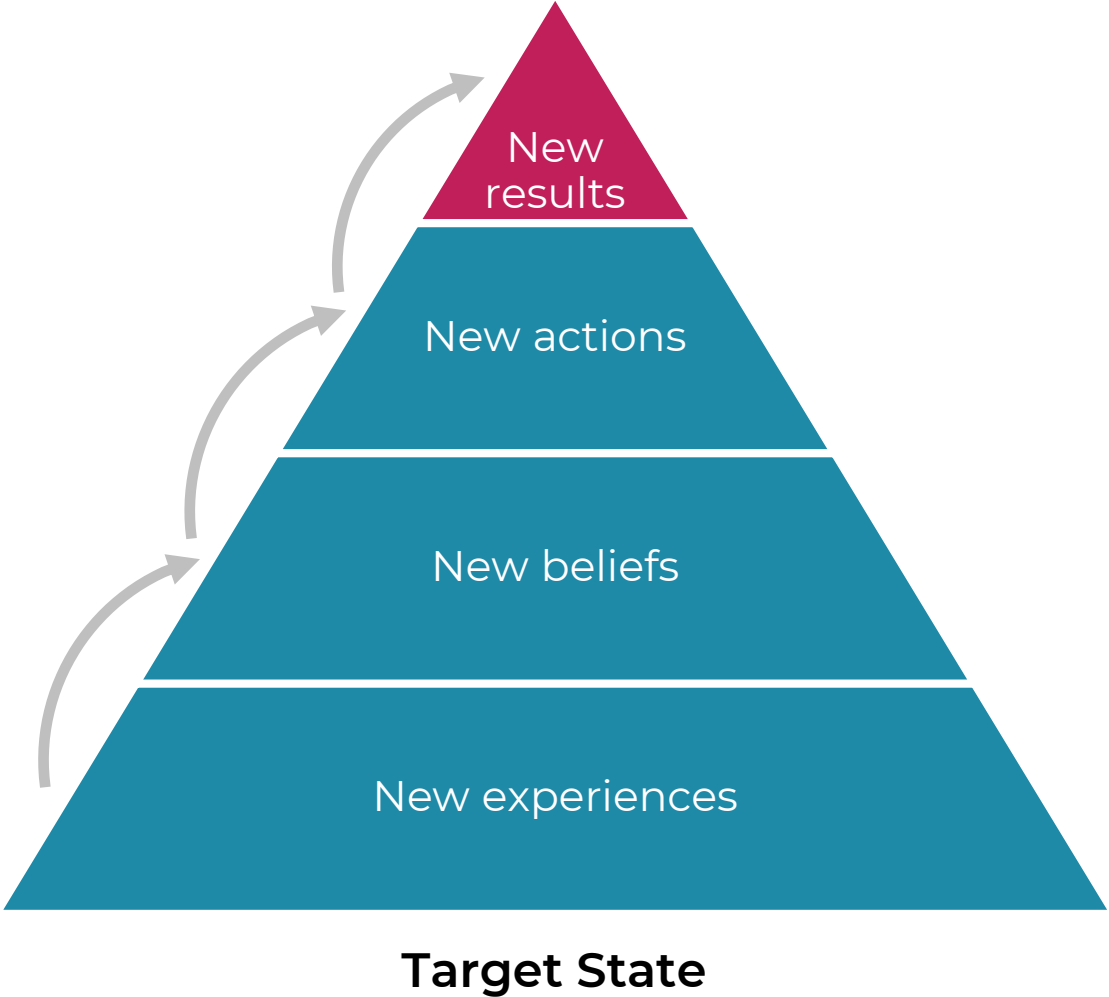
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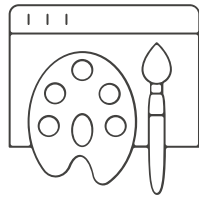
# Focus of DAP COE? User experience.



# DAP COEs drive userization

Userization goes beyond traditional customization and aims to provide a highly personalized and adaptive user experience.

It does not alter customization and it is easier and more cost effective than personalization.



## Customization

adapts the technology to specific needs of an organization without fundamentally altering its core functionalities.



## Userization

**refers to the process of designing digital solutions to meet the specific needs and preferences of individual users.**



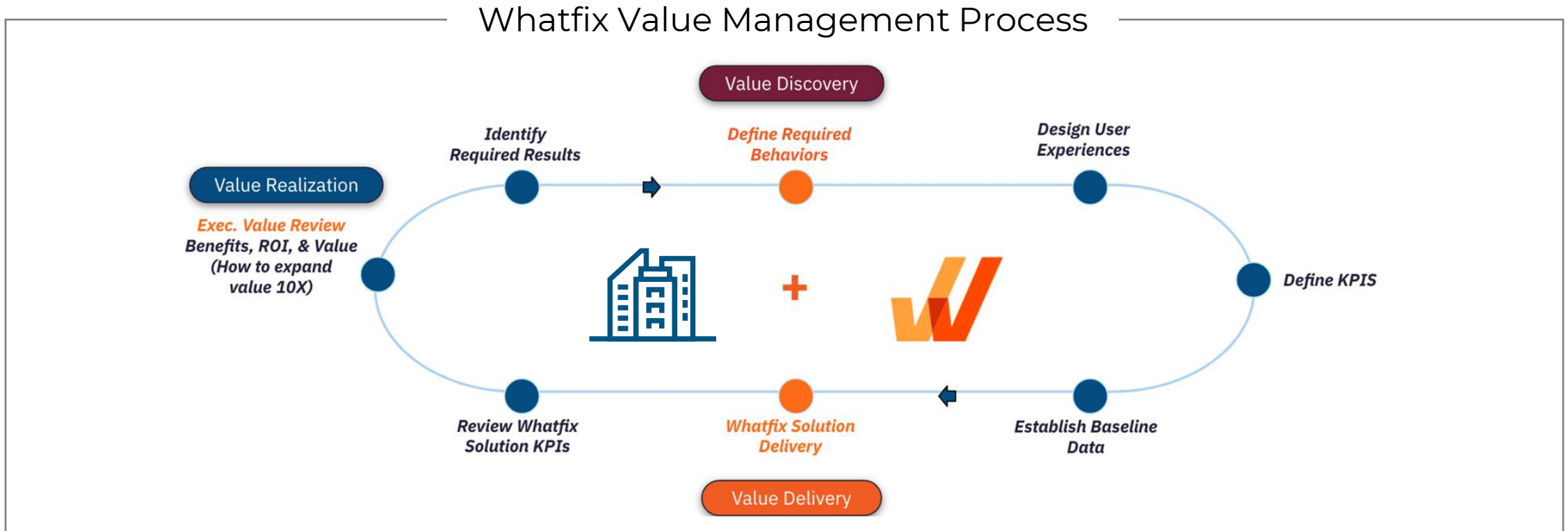
## Personalization

goes deeper into tailoring technology by creating highly customized experiences based on specific user characteristics, behaviors, and preferences.

# Benefits of the DAP COE?

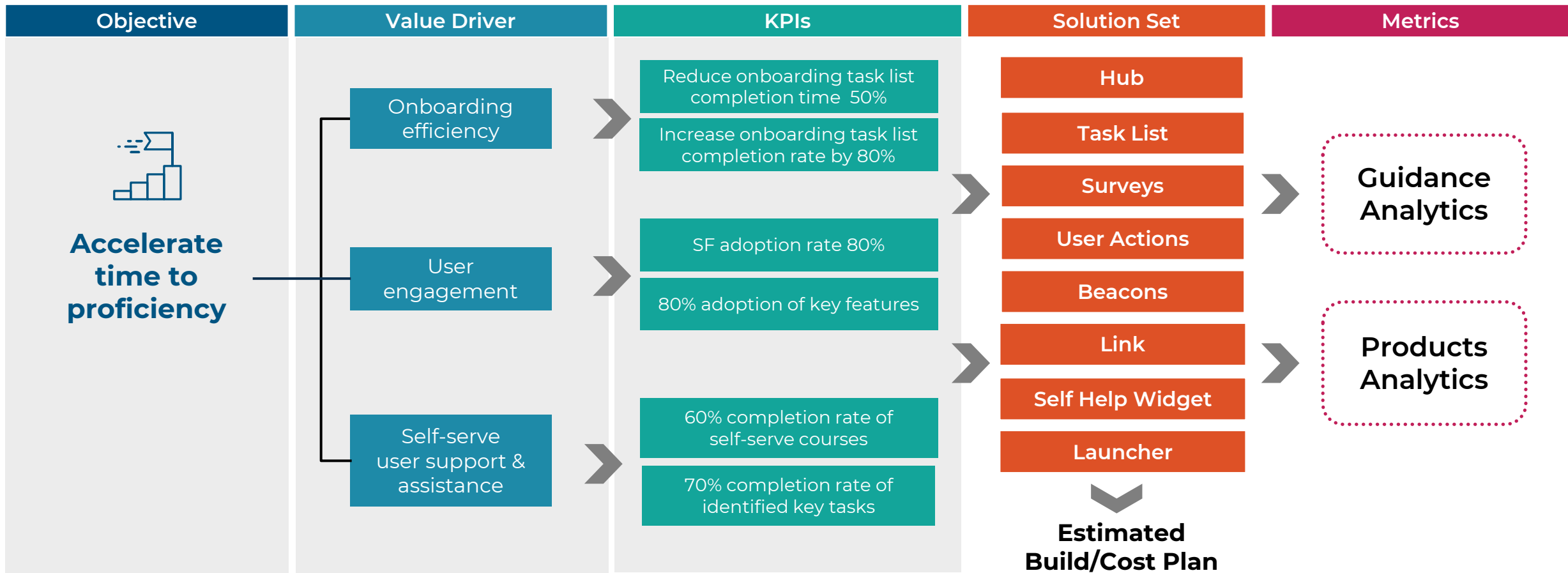
Delivering value at scale by improving user experiences with technology.

The DAP COE serves as a strategic enabler, driving the adoption of Whatfix to enhance business performance, achieve organizational goals, and ensure a measurable return on investment.



# Implementation approach: business objective

Define clear objectives to ensure that content creation aligns with strategic goals, resonates with the target audience, and maximizes value.



# COE supports application owners

## Inform

### User Centricity

#### **User behavior:**

Understand user experience in your application, where they struggle, what they use.

#### **End user feedback:**

Gather end user feedback to improve processes.

#### **Measuring adoption:**

Use product analytics to track adoption and usage.

- Analyze friction points leading to low user adoption.
- Track performance metrics, and identify areas for improvement.

## Improve

### Improve Processes

#### **Onboarding and training:**

Speed up the onboarding by providing in-app guidance and training.

#### **Increase compliance to standard:**

Increase user adoption and engagement by providing personalized and context-sensitive support that addresses individual user needs and preferences.

- Design fit-for-purpose solutions based on insights.
- Optimize workflows, simplify UX, and increase user engagement.

## Sustain

### Manage & Maintain

#### **Reinforce digital behaviors:**

Targeted notifications and in-app guidance.

#### **Offer on-going performance support:**

Realtime feedback, suggestions, and recommendations to help users complete tasks more efficiently.

#### **Measure progress and success:**

Metrics on user behavior and adoption.

- Reduce support effort.
- Reinforce change management objectives.
- Improve continuously.



# COE supports IT

## Analytics

### Insights on UX

**Provide insights and analytics:**  
User behavior and adoption data allows organizations to identify areas of technical debt and prioritize efforts to address them.

**Productivity metrics:**  
Task completion rates, time to complete a task, quality of work, utilization rate.

- Increase visibility of UX.
- Eliminate digital friction.
- Reduce technical debt.

## Adoption

### Managing Change

**Enhancing user productivity:**  
Improve user productivity by helping them complete tasks more efficiently and accurately, reducing the likelihood of errors.

**Accelerate the pace of digital transformation initiatives:**  
Ensure that end users are effectively utilizing digital tools.

- Automate processes.
- Direct communication with in-app notifications.
- Increase user satisfaction.

## User Exp

### Standardization

**Promoting consistent workflows:**  
Consistent workflows across users, teams, and departments can reduce the complexity of software usage.

**Personalized and context-sensitive training and support.**

- Provide on-demand guidance and support within the software itself.

# COE supports end users

## Learn

### Better User Experience

“Provides an engaging and interactive learning experience.”

“Makes it easy to learn how to use new software or tools.”

“Personalized and context-sensitive training and support.”

“Makes learning new software or tools less intimidating.”

- Reduce training time effort with in-app guidance and tips.
- Reduce onboarding.

## Efficient

### Simplify Digital Processes

“Helps me complete tasks more efficiently and accurately.”

“Saves me time by providing in-app guidance and support.”

“Reduces the need to switch between different tools or applications.”

“Provides step-by-step guidance that is easy to follow.”

- Automate processes and remove empty clicks.
- Provide just-in-time notifications and eliminate emails.

## 24/7 Support

### Real Time Feedback & Support

“Provides immediate feedback and suggestions.”

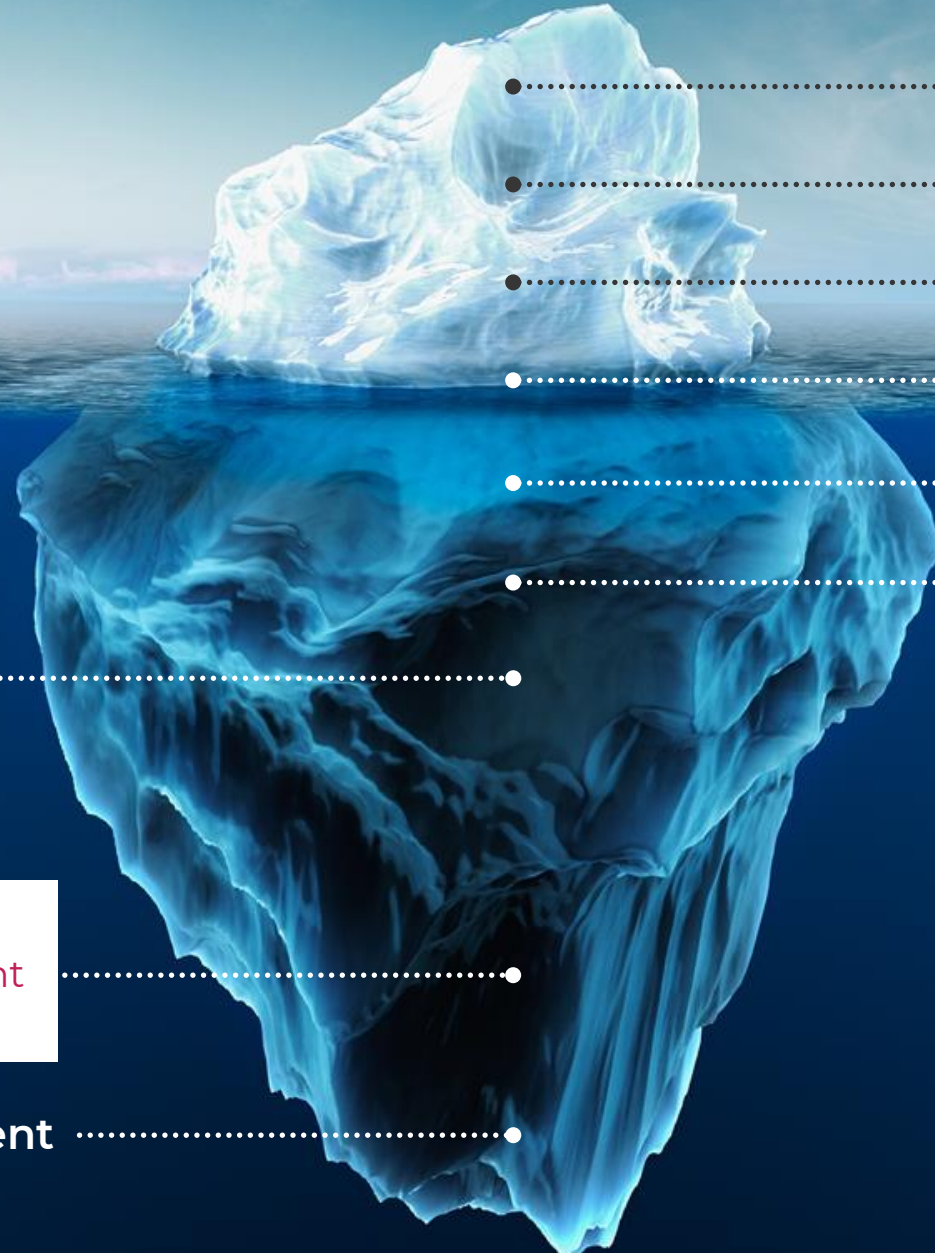
“Helps me avoid errors and mistakes.”

“Assists me with problem-solving in real time.”

“Gives me the confidence to use new software or tools.”

- Self-service, 24/7.
- Learn at your own pace.
- Just in time, just enough, just for me.

# Total value proposition



- ..... End User Functionality
- ..... Analytics and Reporting
- ..... Deployment Options
- ..... Integrations
- ..... Product Maintenance
- ..... Security and Compliance

## Customer Success Services

- Implementation
- Product training
- Content creation

## Value Realization Services

- Customer value management
- Consulting and COE support

## DAP Community Management

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# Customer Success Story

# Global Information Services Company Drives Salesforce Adoption Across its Global Employee-Base with Whatfix

## Challenges

- Highly customized Salesforce with a complex process
- Poor adoption and user feedback
- Extensive content creation efforts in launching Salesforce to new Business Units
- Ineffective training and delay in time-to-productivity

## Actions

- Intelligent segmentation and automatic element detection
- Interactive on-screen guidance
- Multi-formats to reduce video creation efforts
- Dynamic reinforcement training across geographies and divisions

## Results

50%	60%	20%	72%
reduction in training time	reduction in content creation time	increase in data quality	increase in productivity in the first year of Digital Adoption

## Business Case Study

With a heavily customised Salesforce instance and multicultural processes to cater for, the flexibility of Whatfix empowers us to get the right training to the right people, at the right time!

Senior Specialist, Global CRM Training

### Application

Salesforce Classic, Salesforce Lightning

### Region

UK

### Featured Solution

Whatfix powered on-screen guidance technology

### Industry

Information Services

## About Whatfix



**600+ Customers**  
100+ of Fortune 1000

Clients in **30+ Countries**;  
**6 Offices** (US, UK, Germany,  
ANZ, India)



**CSAT ~99%**  
Customer-Driven innovation

**Winners with our Customers**  
(Gold Award for Customer  
Service and Experience)



**11 Technology Patents Filed**  
Product focus & expertise

**Strong Partnerships with Global  
partners**

“Our vision is to empower companies to maximize business outcomes by eliminating technology complexities for their users”

**Contextual | Interactive | Real-time Guidance**



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