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Developing a Treasury Roadmap

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#### Introduction

- Boutique consulting firm focused on enhancing Treasury Operations and Technology
- Extensive experience streamlining process and procedures surrounding
   Treasury transactions for corporates
- Over 75 vendor assessments and implementations of TMS
- Deliver complex treasury, liquidity, risk management, payment and accounting project solutions
- Hands on client work to ensure needs are met in an efficient and effective manner utilizing industry best practices

#### What is a Roadmap?

A roadmap is a strategic plan that describes the steps an organization needs to take to achieve stated outcomes and goals.

It clearly outlines links among tasks and priorities for action in the near, medium and long term.

An effective roadmap also includes metrics and milestones to allow regular tracking of progress towards the roadmap's ultimate goals.

# Key elements of a successful roadmap

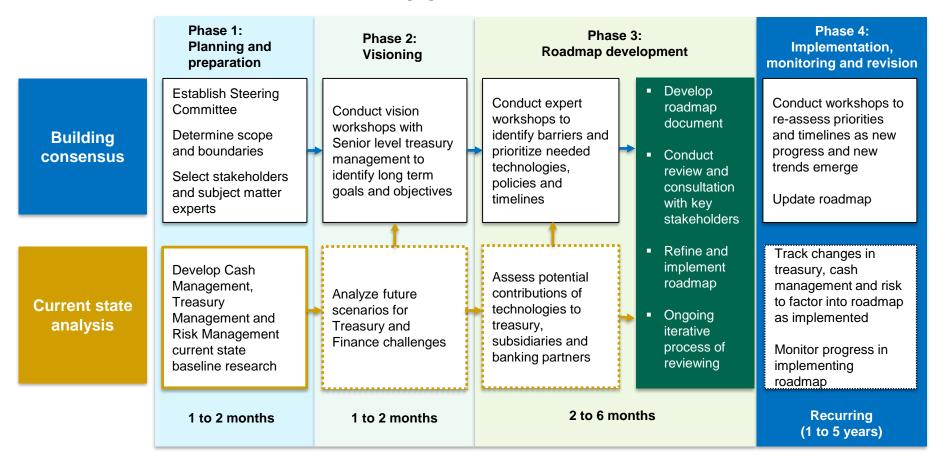




# The Roadmap High Level Development Process

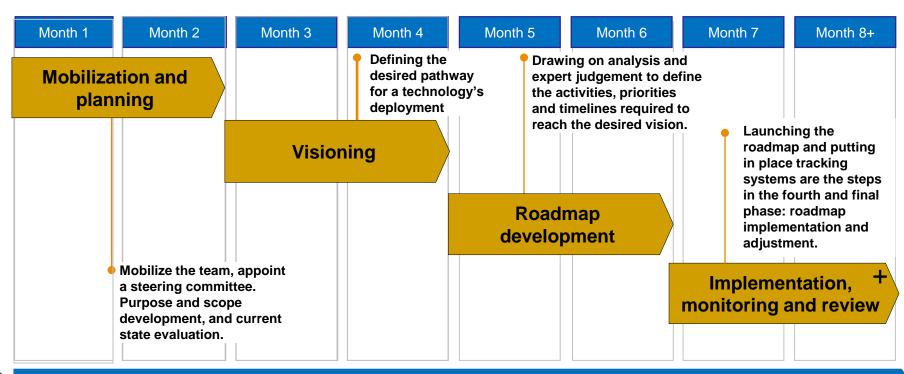
The development process ensures that a roadmap identifies mutual goals and determines specific and achievable actions towards realizing a common vision

#### Roadmap process outline





#### The Roadmap Steps





#### **Project Management**

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Mobilization and planning

Visioning

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Roadmap development

Implementation, monitoring and review

- Ensure leadership commitment
- Appoint a steering committee
- Develop a scope statement
- Conduct current state evaluation
- Select stakeholders and SME's
- Modelling and scenario analysis -
- Long-term goal setting
- Develop a RACI chart
- High-level roadmap ideas
- Roadmap workshops held
- Prepare draft roadmap
- Conduct roadmap review
- Internal and External review
- Launch the roadmap

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- Begin implementation
- Monitor progress and adjust
- Manage expectations



#### Roadmap vs. Road Mapping

**Roadmap**: a specialized type of strategic plan that outlines activities an organization can undertake over specified time frames to achieve stated goals and outcomes.



Road mapping: is the evolving process of creating and implementing a roadmap and monitoring and updating it as necessary.

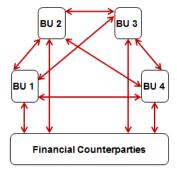




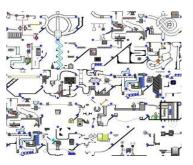
# What's Driving Your Need for Change?



Too many Bank Relationships



Payment decisions and execution are being actioned locally



Multiple ERPs and Different Versions, Need to Standardize



International Growth



Outdated Treasury
Technology or no system at all



No Risk Management Program



FX Exposures not managed correctly



New Regulation and Compliance Requirements

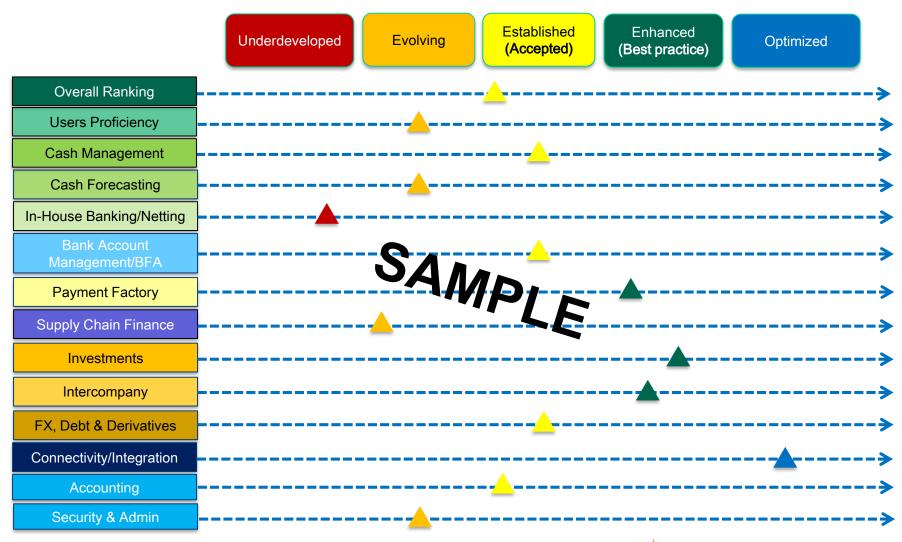


Cash and Liquidity
Management

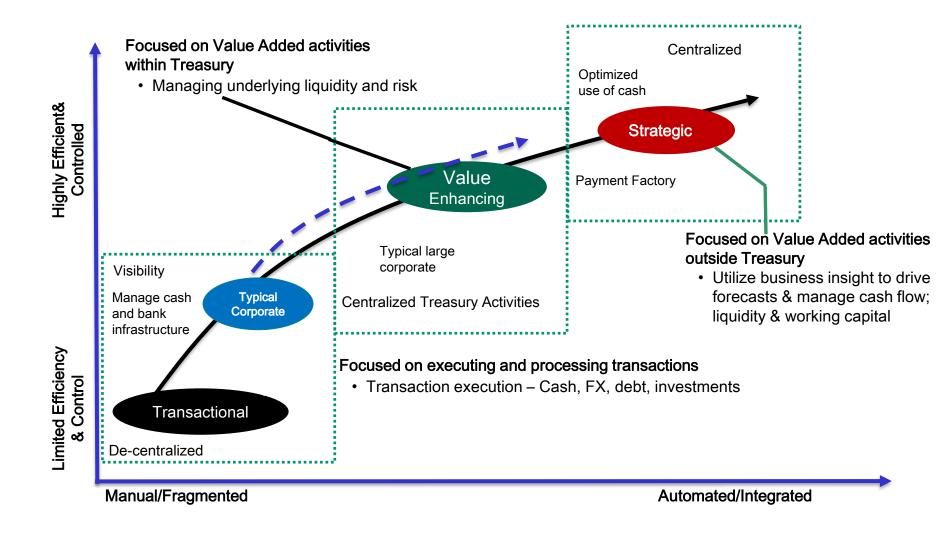


### What Areas in Treasury Do You Need to Improve?

A Treasury Scorecard can be developed from detailed findings, benchmarking functions against industry best practice. A current state assessment is essential.



#### **Building Treasury's Vision**



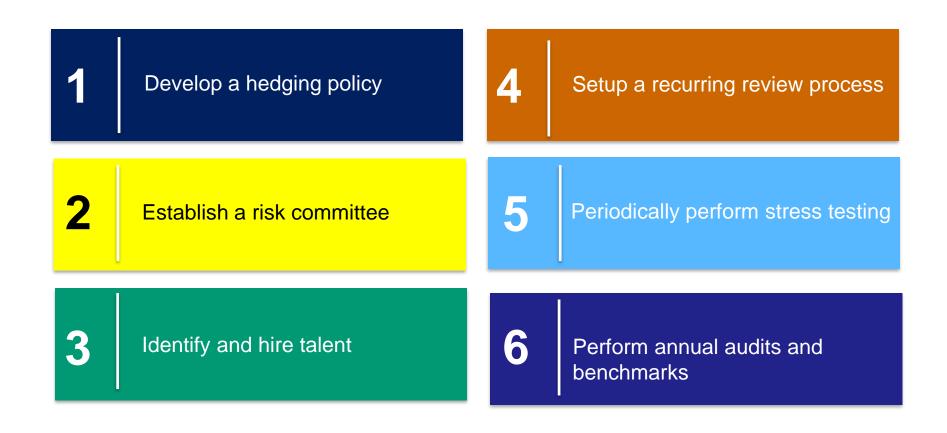
# Cash Management & Cash Forecast Initiatives



Sample Cash Management/Forecasting Initiative



#### Building a Risk Management Program



#### Sample Risk Management Initiative



# Planning for a Successful Exposure Management Program

#### Articulating Business Impact **Defining FX Exposure** A firm's economic exposure to the Analyzing and effectively exchange rate is the impact on net communicating how currency risk cash flow effects of a change in the affects key performance metrics and exchange rate. It consists of the financial results. combination of transaction exposure and operating exposure. **Potential Benefits Available Hedging Instruments** Ability to manage impact on financial Understanding operational performance and reduce earnings alternatives, natural hedging options and cash flow volatility. and financial instruments available.

#### Sample Exposure Management Initiative



### Building a Business Case

#### Making a Case for Change

(+) Understand your current total spend on treasury processing:

This could include: work hours, fixed cost for connectivity, bank fees, paper check processing, maintenance of systems to name a few costs.

(-) Understand the potential saving by implementing technology

Staff reallocation or elimination, less overall space, equipment, and office expenses. Reduced vendor management and technology maintenance across all Business Units.

(+) Additional savings + benefits

Improved control over the payment process, elimination of re-work correcting errors, savings from global visibility of company cash flows, transaction processing efficiency minimizing risk and ensuring regulatory compliance, and standardization.

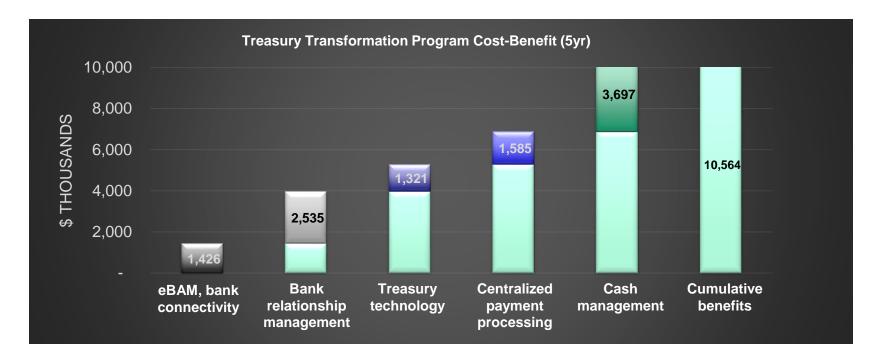
(-) Cost associated with implementing the treasury technology

License Fees, maintenance fees, consulting

A first step in undertaking a transformation effort is frame the business case from a quantitative and qualitative perspective



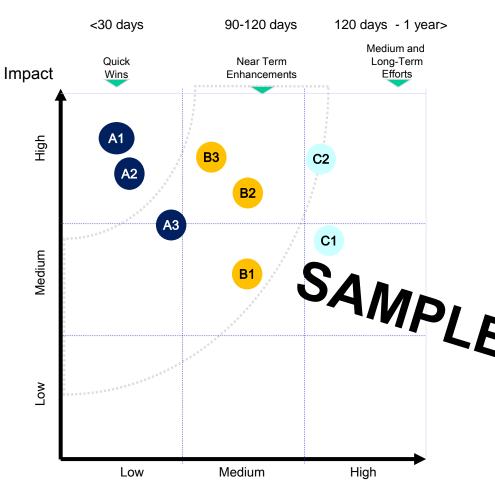
#### **Cost Benefit Analysis**



Undergoing Treasury Transformation will have both qualitative and quantitative benefits. This example shows how several smaller projects can contribute a larger cumulative benefit.



#### Roadmap Timelines and Prioritization



Level of Time and Resource Commitment (effort)

#### **Users Level of Proficiency**

- A1 Additional training needed on Daily Cash Positioning
- A2 Account Lifecycle training is required for Accountants
- A3 IT should attend overview training

#### **Daily & Monthly Treasury Processing**

- B1 Change Accounting procedure for suspense items
- **B2** Review Netting process
- B3 Improve payment approval workflow

#### **Operational Efficiency**

- C1 Increase level of automation in forecasting process
- C2 Implement automatic limit monitoring



### Stakeholder Participation

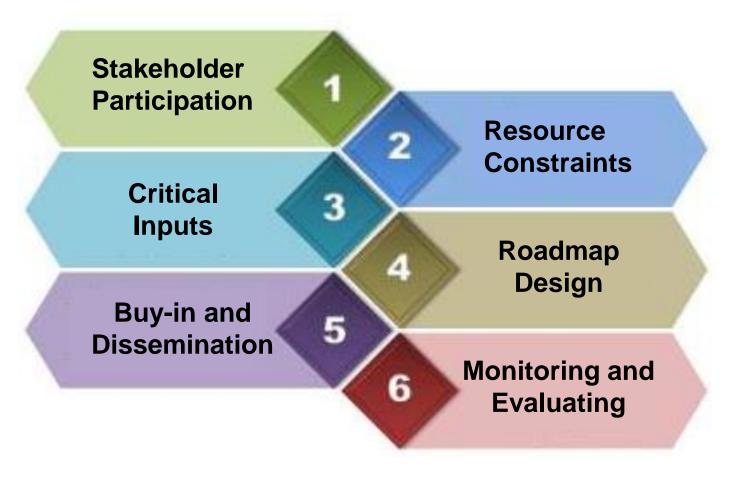
Who will set roadmap goals and milestones?
Who will be responsible for measuring goals are met?
What HR resources are available to accomplish roadmap activities?
Who will be responsible for carrying out activities?
Which stakeholders will be critical in ensuring roadmap success?





# Key factors to consider

There are six vital aspects to consider when designing a roadmap process:







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