

DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION  
STRATEGY SERIES: PART 4

# EVALUATING TECH SOLUTION SETS



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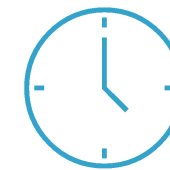
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## WHAT

Methods and mindsets for understanding your treasury tech needs.



## WHEN

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## WHERE

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# ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

GET TO KNOW TODAY'S SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTS



## BRETT TURNER

Brett Turner, Founder & CEO of Trovata, has spent his entire career in finance at both public and private high-growth companies – CPA at Deloitte; Controller roles; SEC Reporting at Amazon; and CFO of three tech startups since 2005. At each stop along the journey, cash & reporting have always been a major focus. In addition, he had a front row seat to the transformation of enterprise IT by AWS as a co-founder in his last startup.



## CRAIG JEFFERY

Craig Jeffery formed Strategic Treasurer in 2004 to provide corporate, educational and government entities direct access to comprehensive and current assistance with their treasury and financial process needs.

His 30+ years of financial and treasury experience as a practitioner and as a consultant have uniquely qualified him to help organizations craft realistic goals and achieve significant benefits quickly.

# TOPICS OF DISCUSSION

KEY AREAS OF FOCUS &  
ANALYSIS



**TREASURY TECH**  
EVOLUTION



**DRIVERS**  
OF UPDATED SOLUTIONS



**CURRENT LANDSCAPE**  
AVAILABLE TOOLS



**FORWARD LOOKING**  
PLANNING FOR GROWTH







**EVALUATING OPTIONS**  
CONSIDERATIONS



**KEY TAKEAWAYS**  
AND FINAL THOUGHTS

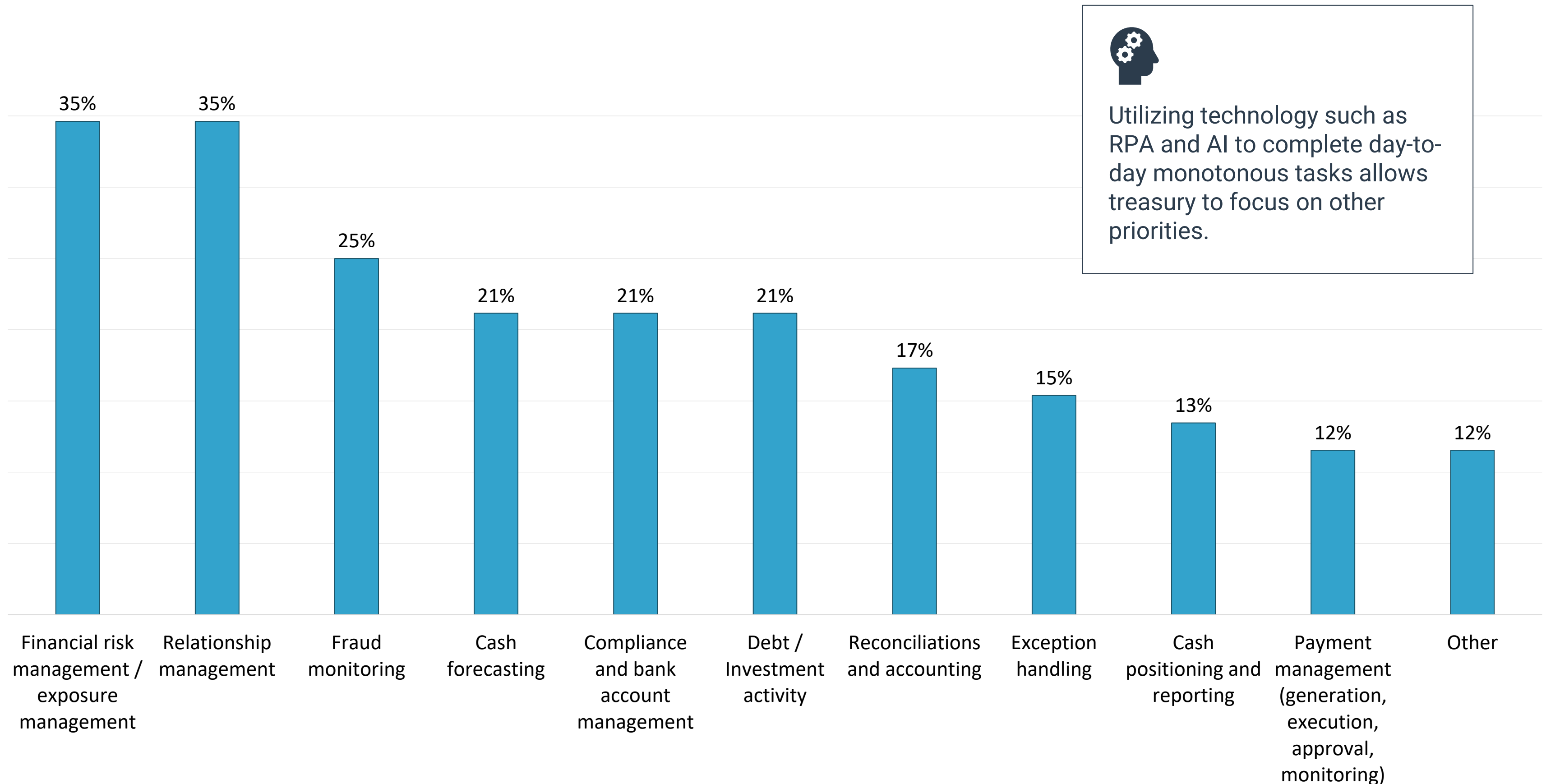
# EVOLUTION OF TREASURY

	 <b>On-Premise Installed</b>	 <b>Hosted</b>	 <b>SaaS</b>	 <b>Cloud-Native</b>
<b>SECONDARY PHRASING</b>	Installed	ASP	Private Cloud-SaaS	Public Cloud-SaaS SaaS, PaaS
<b>SOFTWARE APPLICATION</b>	Company Managed	Company Managed Vendor Managed	Vendor Managed	Vendor Managed
<b>TENANTS</b>	Single-Tenant	Single-Tenant	Multi-Tenant	Single
<b>PLATFORM, HARDWARE</b>	On-Premise	Hosted Servers	Hosted Servers	PaaS – Platform as a Service
<b>CLOUD</b>	Non-Cloud, Data Center	Private <b>Cloud</b>	Private <b>Cloud</b>	Public <b>Cloud</b>
<b>HARDWARE MANAGED BY</b>	Company	Data Center for Company - Various	Data Center for Vendor - Various	AWS, Azure, Google Cloud
<b>RELEASES</b>	12-24 months	12-24 months	1-3 months	1-4 weeks
<b>NOTES</b>	2-Tier, 3-Tier, N-Tier	N-Tier		Microservices Natural Language Search Low-Code, No Code
<b>TYPICAL CONNECTION</b>	Internal, Direct	Web – Citrix	Web, Web-Citrix	Web

# WORK IN PROGRESS

NOT ENOUGH TIME/STAFF TO DO IT ALL

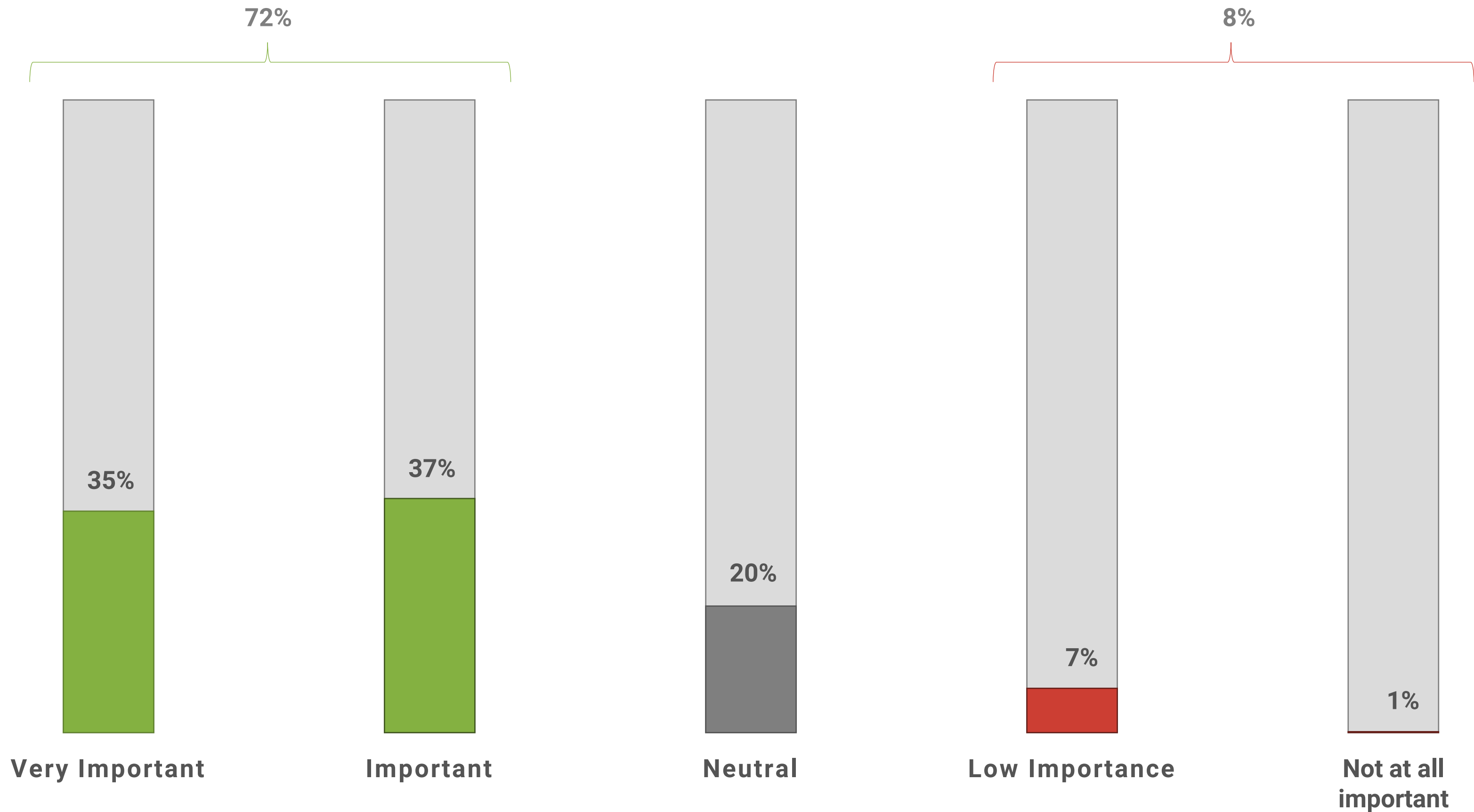
Over a third of corporate respondents indicated they currently have responsibilities that they don't have time to perform. Business-critical functions are being neglected:



# WANTING DIGITAL

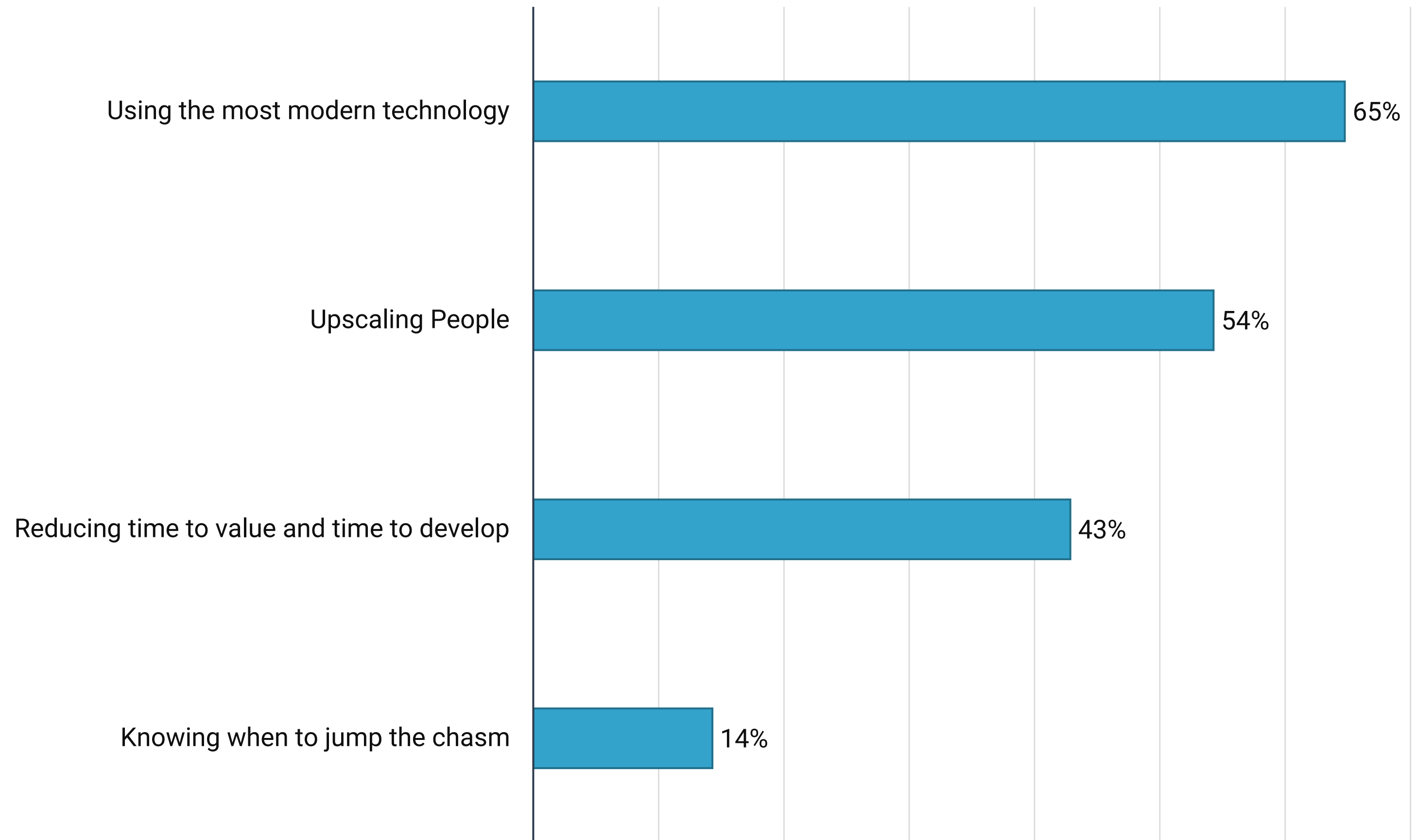
## UNIFYING DESIRE ACROSS CORPORATES

» Our desire to move toward full-electronic processing is best described as:



# POLL QUESTION

**What is essential to future proof your department?**

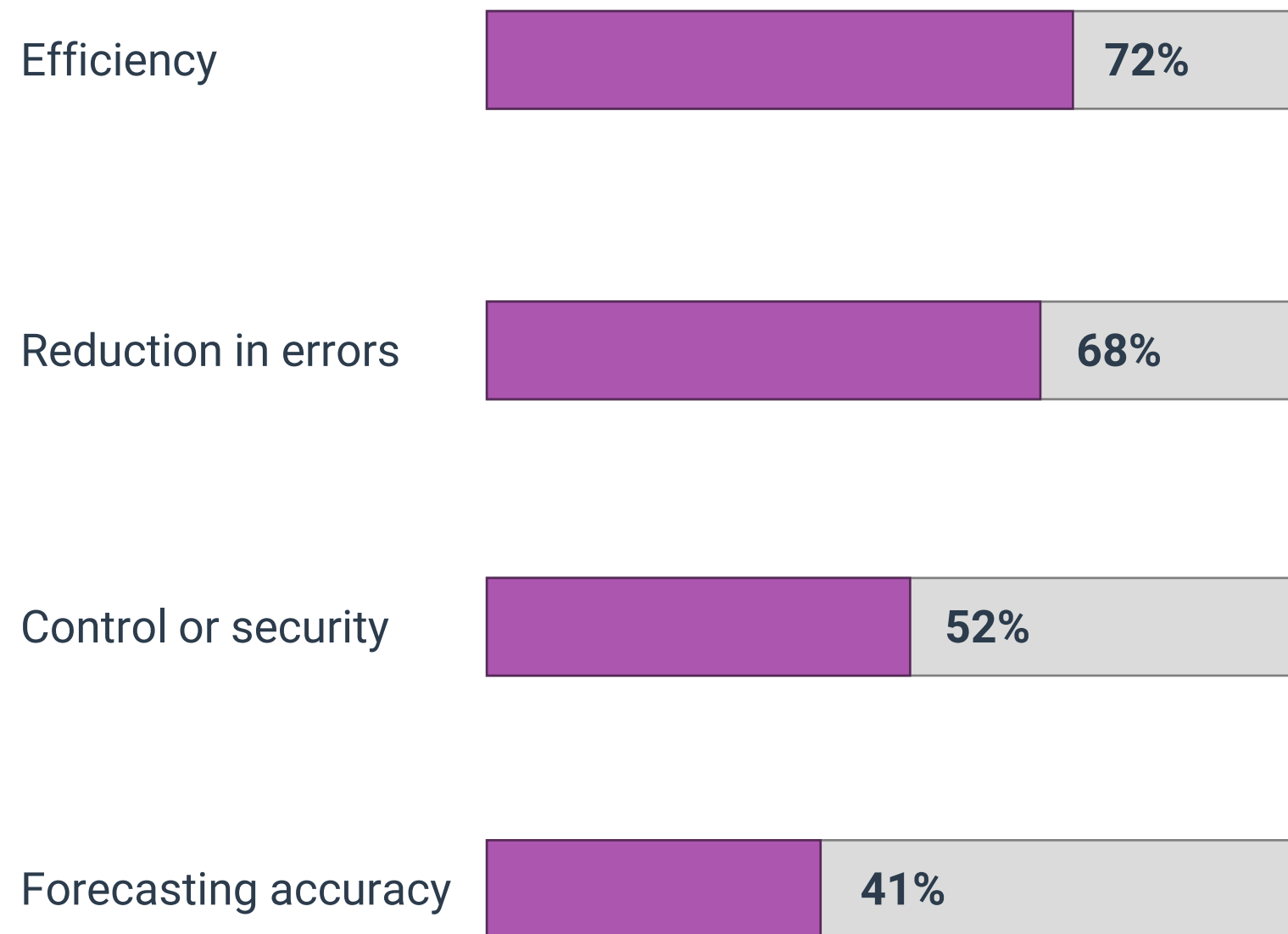


# WHY AUTOMATE

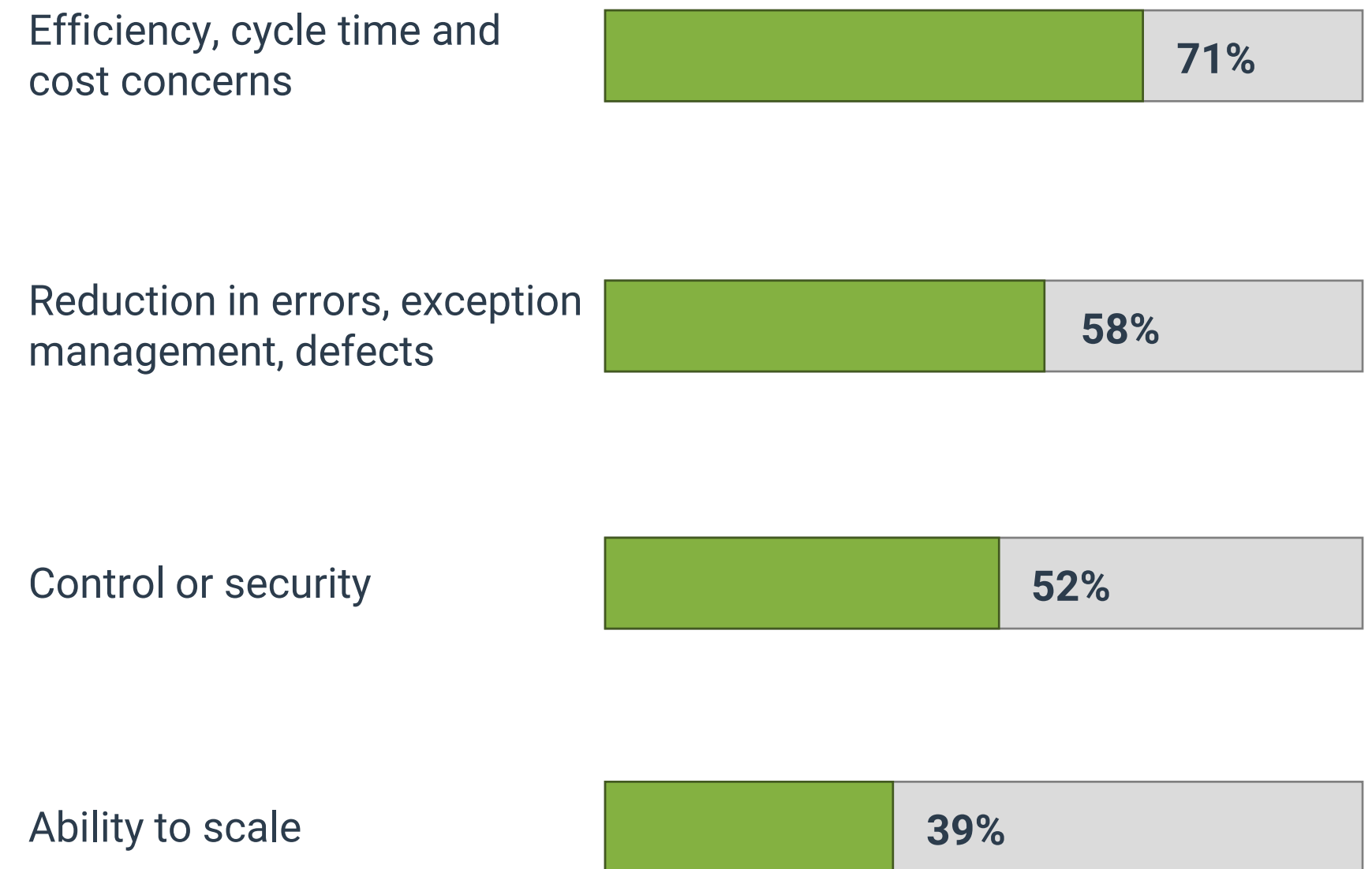
## EFFICIENCY THE TOP DRIVER

» *What would drive you / drove you to more automation?*

### ACCOUNTS PAYABLE



### ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE





# TREASURY TECH LANDSCAPE

POWERFUL TOOLS AT THE FINGERTIPS



## CLOUD SERVICES

Shifting away from installed



## BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE

Abundance of insights & information



## DATA EXPLOSION

40-50% compound annual growth rate



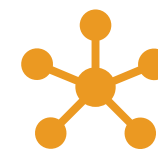
## FRAUD PREVENTION

Attacks are automated, persistent, sophisticated and increasing



## RPA & ML

Automatic assistance for numerous functions



## CONNECTION OPTIONS

Networks & APIs



## COMPUTING POWER

Cost going down, processing speed going up

# FUTURE PROOFING

## EVALUATING FOR GROWTH



### AUTOMATES PROCESSES

- Supports the automated capture of data from internal systems and interrelated transactions
- Ensures compliance with regulations through automation to improve transparency and accountability
- Captures data in real-time



### IMPROVES VISIBILITY

- Centralizes transactional data for improved insights on transactions and all payment channels
- Relies on a single source of truth
- Visualizes business risk in real-time to make important decisions to eliminate risk factors

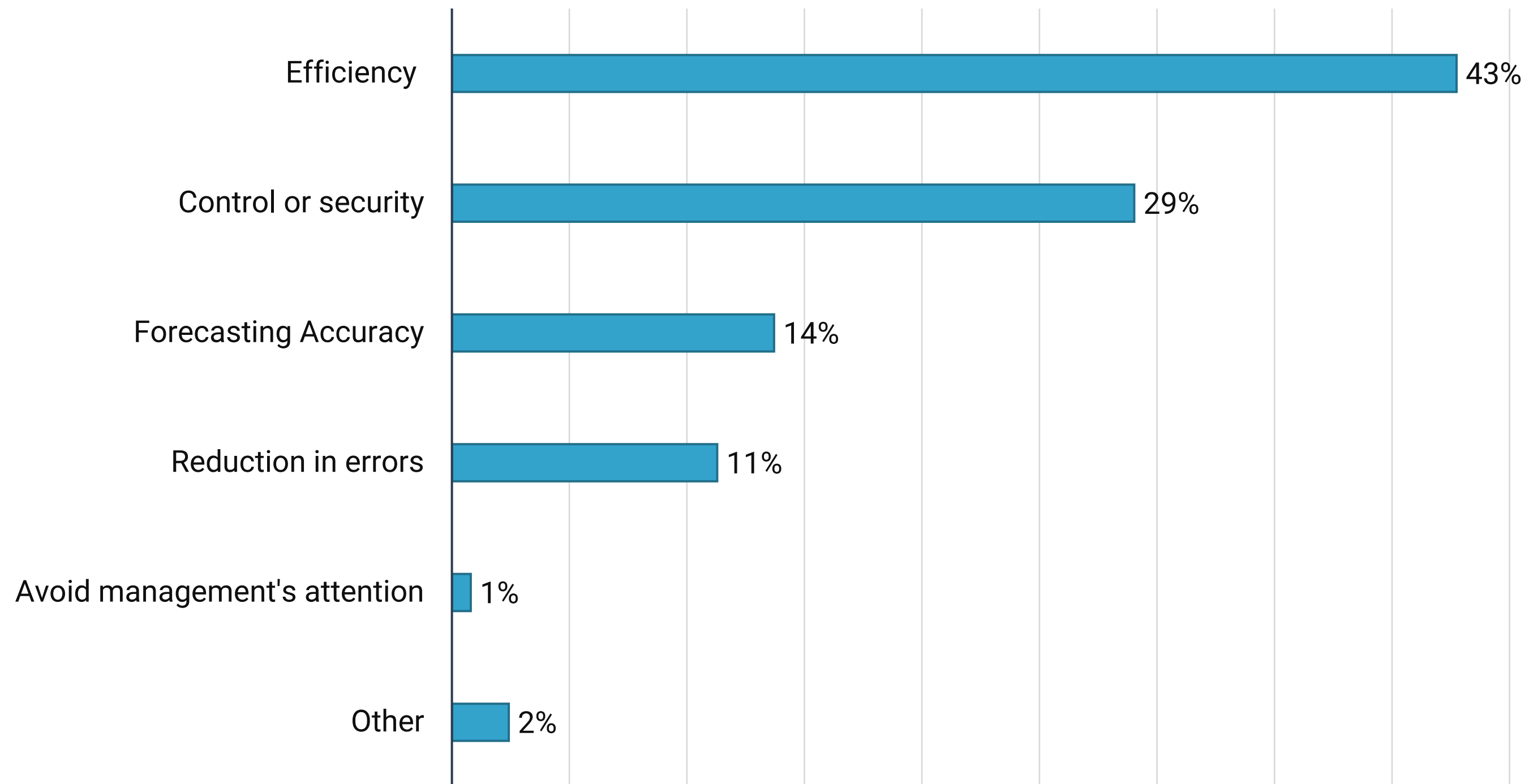


### OPTIMIZES CASH MANAGEMENT

- Improves cash forecasting accuracy for data-powered decision making
- Centralizes cash management

# POLL QUESTION

**What is your highest priority?**



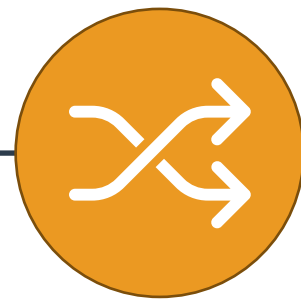
# DEMOCRATIZATION OF TREASURY

## WORKFLOW AUTOMATION



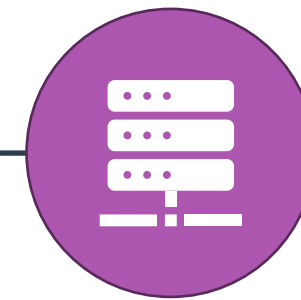
### SINGLE SOURCE OF TRUTH

- Real-time cash and transaction data
- Direct-to-Bank APIs



### FLEXIBILITY

- Customizable
- Automated
- Drill-down capabilities
- Interactive



### SYSTEM NEEDS

- Internal IT resource
- Onboarding requirements



### FUNCTIONALITY

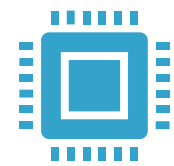
- Historical data searching
- Tags

# CONSIDERATIONS

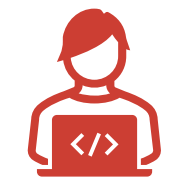
## SHIFTING TECH LANDSCAPE



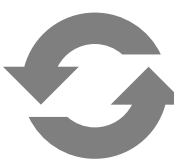
**Onboarding and data collection process**



**Current tech system(s)**



**IT department resources available**



Repetitive tasks that could be automated



Current & desired data analytics tools



Features needed to ease reconciliation challenges



**Real-time data or manual refreshing**



**Banking partners**



Risk identification and managing



Desired implementation timeline



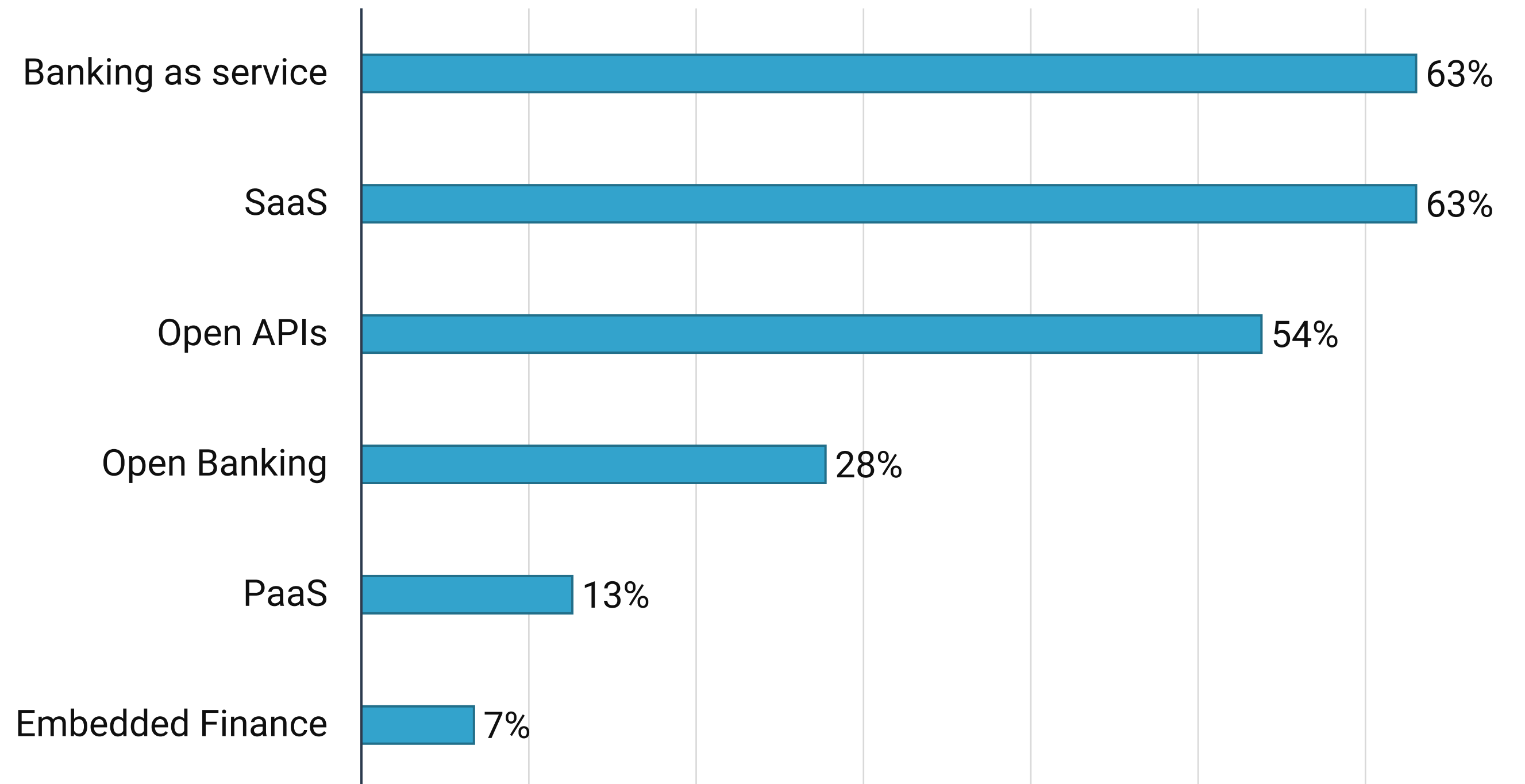
Customer support tools available



Replace system or integrate from existing technologies

# POLL QUESTION

Which of the following terms are you familiar with?



# KEY TAKE-AWAYS



## QUESTIONS

- Are you prepared for the shift towards cloud-native technology?
- Does your bank use APIs to deliver its services?
- Is implementation or IT required for setup?
- How future-proof is my system's environment?
- Can I access and manage data at scale?



## CHARACTERISTICS OF THE FUTURE ENVIRONMENT

- Business Intelligence
- Visibility and transparency
- Automation

# LET'S CONNECT.

DON'T LET THE LEARNING END HERE...  
CONTACT US WITH ANY FUTURE QUESTIONS.

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EPISODE 171

### Why Real-Time Cash Visibility Matters

On this episode of the Treasury Update Podcast, Host Craig Jeffery sits down with Brett Turner, CEO and Founder of Trovata, to discuss why real-time cash visibility matters. They explore Brett's career journey in the start-up world, the concept of real-time, steps to achieving true cash visibility and ways to overcome key impediments. Listen in to find out how to access valuable cash insights to position your company for success.

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