

# DIGITAL PROCUREMENT TRANSFORMATION



HARNESSING THE FULL TRANSFORMATIVE POWER  
OF DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES TO DRIVE TRUE  
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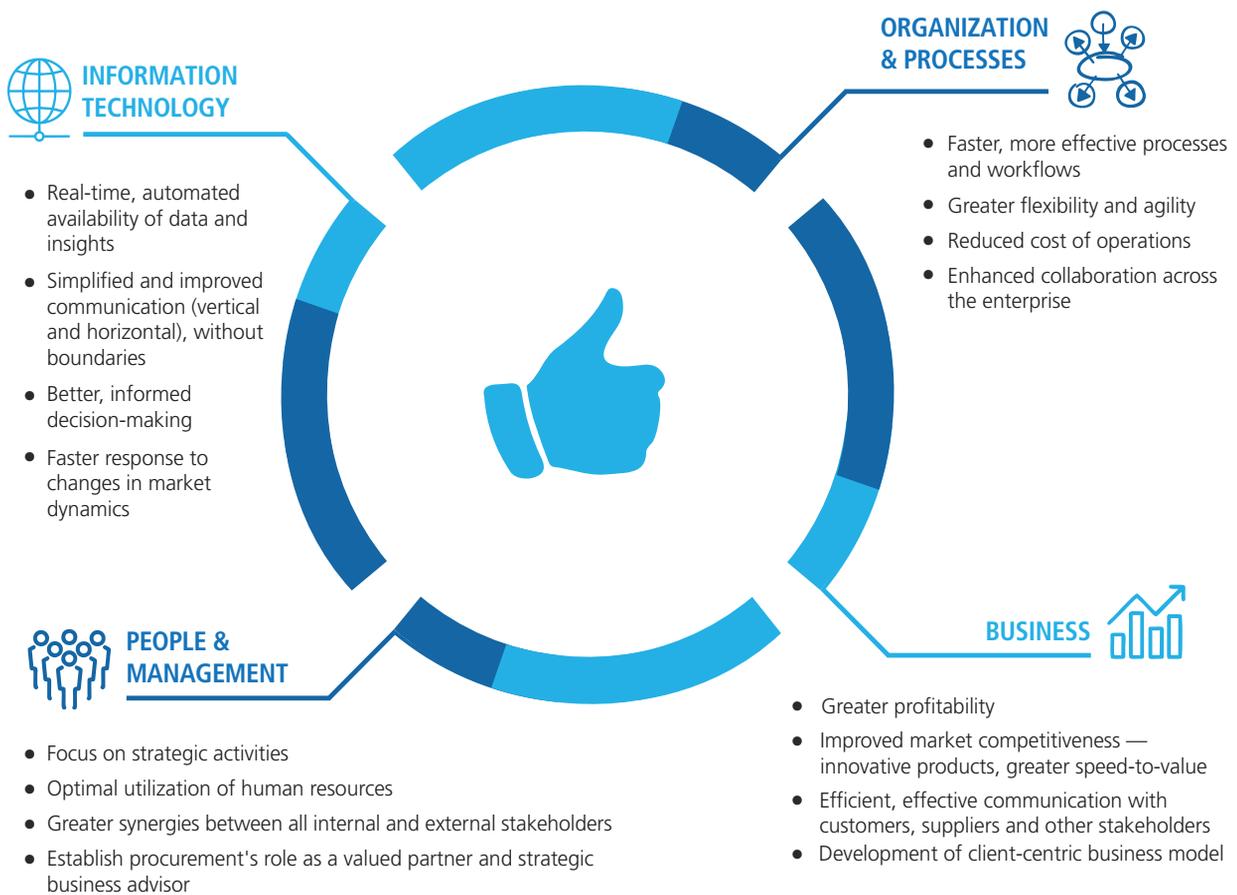
In the Industry 4.0 business environment, new opportunities abound for procurement to demonstrate its value within the enterprise — to establish its role as a trusted business advisor and strategic partner. Greater productivity and greater savings are desirable and viable goals — but procurement has the potential to take a quantum jump, creating new business models and becoming a primary strategic asset impacting the corporation’s overall competitiveness and performance.

To get to this next level, procurement needs to not only recognize, but also welcome the disruptive effects of technological innovation. Current business imperatives across all sectors are to run leaner and meaner, to be agile and responsive to customers and stakeholders, and to base strategic decision-making on data and analytics.

Digital procurement transformation is a radical approach to procurement process engineering that seeks to harness the full transformative power of digital technologies to drive true step changes in outcomes. By embracing and leading digital transformation within its own function, procurement has great potential as an innovation catalyst and driver of market leadership for the enterprise as a whole.



## BENEFITS OF DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION





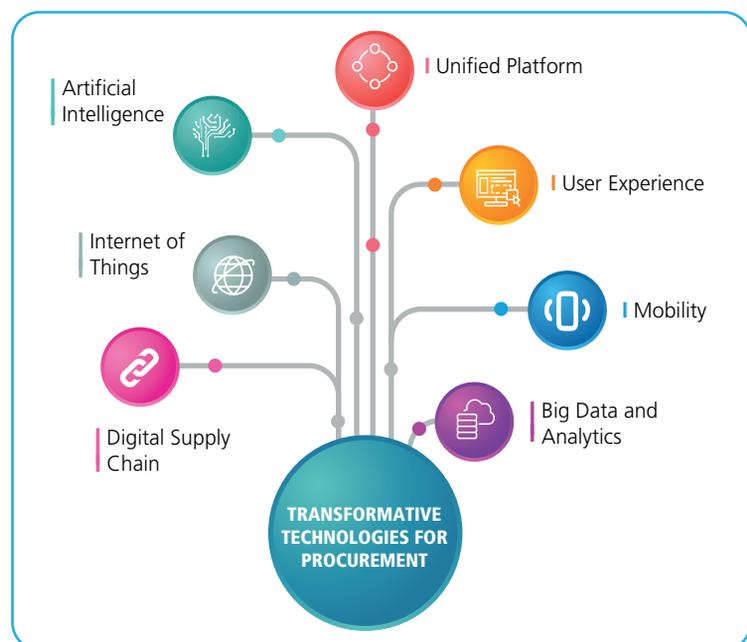
## PREPARE YOUR PROCUREMENT TEAM FOR A DIGITAL-FIRST ECONOMY

As a leading global provider of end-to-end, source-to-pay procurement services and software, GEP has a clear vision of procurement's future and the full capability to support clients throughout their digital transformation journey.

GEP's unified approach to digital procurement transformation — encompassing strategy, managed services, and software — helps enterprises rapidly build the infrastructure required to power a high-performance digital procurement organization. We help clients leverage innovative technologies, such as artificial intelligence, big data analytics and unified source-to-pay to streamline and optimize their end-to-end procurement operations.

Our digital transformation engagements are focused on delivering:

- Enhanced control and efficiency across all source-to-pay activities
- Real-time visibility into category and supplier performance
- Proactive monitoring and mitigation of supply chain risks
- Granular as well as big-picture insights for effective decision-making
- Faster speed to value
- Lower total cost of ownership
- Greater procurement agility
- Higher internal stakeholder satisfaction



GEP's delivery teams and technology experts have extensive experience with all ERP, F&A, and sourcing and procurement systems to help you accelerate your digital transformation journey.

To learn more about how GEP can help digitally transform your procurement team, contact us today.

“GEP is at the leading edge of Procurement As-a-Service innovation. Strong execution and managed services provide clients with high value now. And its transformational capabilities and expertise make GEP a collaborative partner to guide clients in the digital procurement transformation journey, with cloud-based digital procurement platform GEP SMART and emerging technologies such as robotic process automation, artificial intelligence, and blockchain.” – HfS Research



GEP helps global enterprises operate more efficiently and effectively, gain competitive advantage, boost profitability, and maximize business and shareholder value.

Fresh thinking, innovative products, unrivaled domain and subject expertise, and smart, passionate people — this is how GEP creates and delivers unified supply chain solutions of unprecedented scale, power and effectiveness.

Named a Leader in Gartner Magic Quadrants, Winner for Best Procurement Software and Best P2P Provider at the World Procurement Awards, Best Procurement Consultancy at CIPS Supply Management Awards, and Best Provider at the EPIC Procurement Excellence Awards, GEP is frequently honored as an innovator and leader in source-to-pay direct and indirect procurement software by Gartner, Forrester, IDC, Procurement Leaders, Spend Matters and CPO Rising.

GEP is also ranked leader in managed procurement services (procurement outsourcing) by Everest Group, NelsonHall, IDC, ISG, HfS and IAOP. In addition, the primary research firm in the management consulting sector, ALM Intelligence, ranks GEP leader in procurement strategy and supply chain consulting.

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GEP SMART is an AI-powered, cloud-native software for direct and indirect procurement that offers comprehensive source-to-pay functionality in one user-friendly platform, inclusive of spend analysis, sourcing, contract management, supplier management, procure-to-pay, savings project management and savings tracking, invoicing and other related functionalities.



GEP NEXXE is a unified and comprehensive supply chain platform that provides end-to-end planning, visibility, execution and collaboration capabilities for today's complex, global supply chains.

Built on a foundation of big data, artificial intelligence and machine learning, GEP NEXXE is next-generation software that helps enterprises make supply chain a competitive advantage.

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