

# KPIT Cummins Infosystems Ltd.

Solutions & Best Practices in BPM

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## Reasons for BPM Initiative



## Increased Complexity

- Multiple sources of information
- Multiple recipients of information
- Increased Outsourcing & global supply chains
- Faster response times required
- Higher productivity and automation required
- Complex & Varied Order Configurations

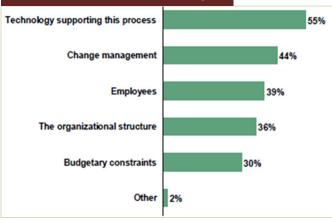
# Fragmented Information Islands

- Enormous data across various customer / supplier points
- Growth by Acquisition
- Inconsistent definition / view of same order across the supply chain
- Lack of visibility of order/inv data

#### Need BPM

- To manage Complex business processes
- To manage automation though Business Rules
- To manage faster response time
- To manage integration seamlessly

## Causes for Process challenges

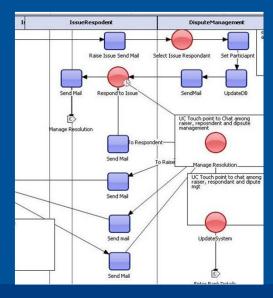


Source: A commissioned study conducted by Forrester Consulting

#### **Common Practice**

- Technology required to execute end-to-end order management is difficult to find in one integrated system.
- Companies put an ensemble of fragmented ERP, CRM, and SCM systems without ever considering the end-to-end order flow.

# Distributed Order Management Framework

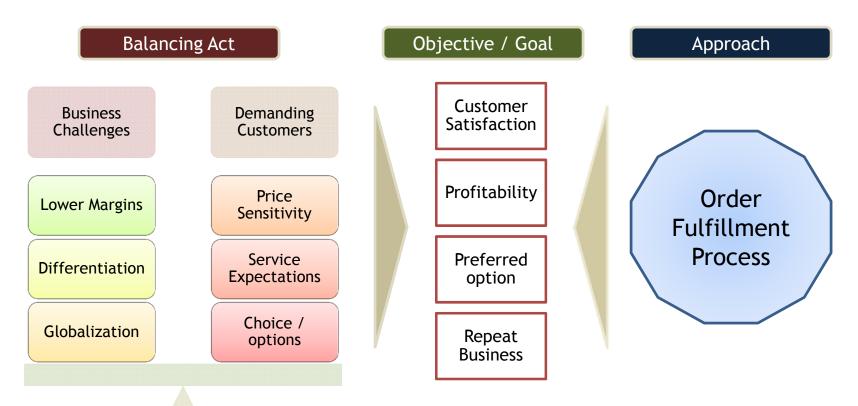


Manage & Track Order Fulfillment process through Capture, Process, Distribution to completion stage on BPM

## **Current Business Environment**



The Economic Situation coupled along with the changing customer expectations drive the need to manage Order Management more efficiently



## Distributed Order Management Solution (DOM)



- Companies are struggling to keep track of Orders through the complex Supply Chain
  - Delays
  - · Lack of Visibility
- Applicable for companies such as automotive, consumer packaged goods, high-tech OEMs, consumer durables, and third-party logistics firms.
- The DOM Solution would be able to do the following:
  - Accept orders from diverse sales channels,
  - Direct & Control execution instructions to internal / external fulfillment entities,
  - Be a single window visibility tool to all the fulfillment operations of the enterprise.

#### Limitations in Current Conventional Solutions



- Traditional applications address fulfillment "within the four walls" of a company
- Existing technology infrastructure was never intended to handle the complexities of multiple channels & multiple customer interactions.
- The key problems are as follows:
  - High Volumes with multiple sources and multiple partners
  - Enormous amounts of data but this data is not centralized across the organization.
  - Real Time Order visibility in the extended Supply Chain
  - Integration with Legacy & Other Transaction Systems

## Our Solution Approach



#### Process Governance

- Order Fulfillment Process Ownership
- Avoid local /function improvements
- Plan for Agility and Flexibility

#### **Optimize Process**

- Customer facing process
- Order capture at various points of web, phone, mail, etc
- Execution process
- Organization processes of mfg, value addition etc,
- Supplier Facing process
- Procurement

## Leverage Existing Technology

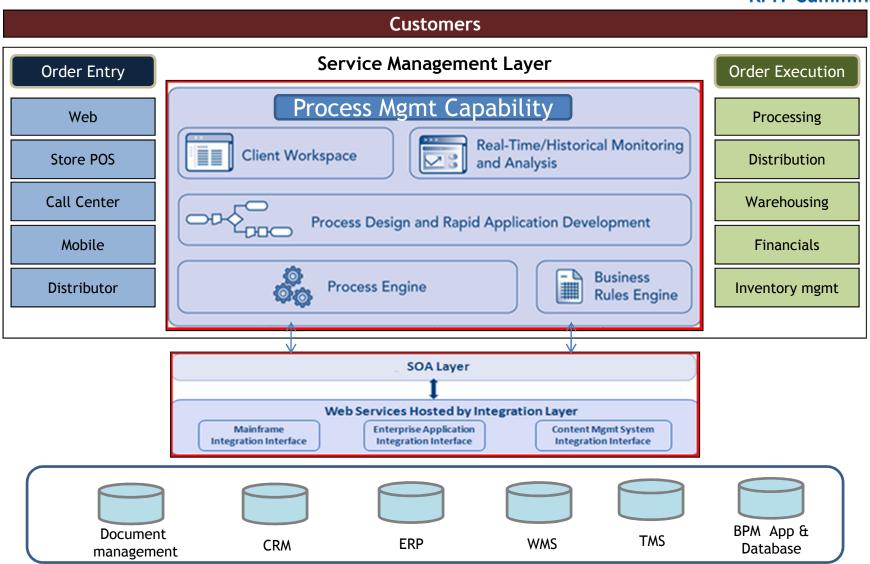
- Gap Analysis for fitment
- Current strengths
- Accumulated business knowledge and best practices

## BPM based Solution

- Process based
   Distributed Order
   Management
   Solution
- Enables Service
   Differentiation
- Bring all stakeholders on the same platform
- Enables process based integration
- Process dashboards

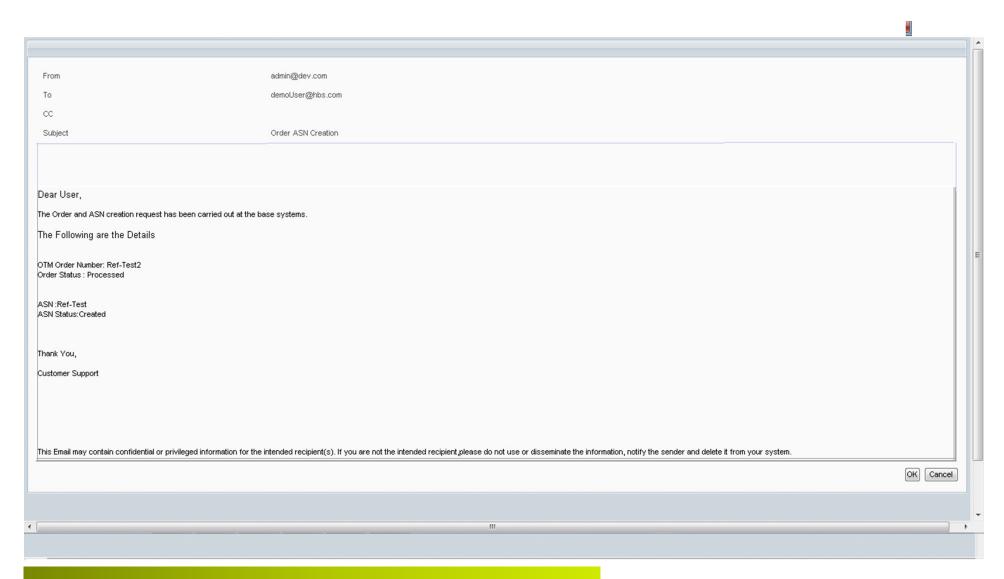
## Our Distributed Order Management Solution Architecture





## Screen shots of solution







## Accounts Payable Process

Manage & Track the complete process from invoice capture, approval, ERP 3-way check, payment advice, payment completion

## Background of Accounts Payable Process



- Invoice processing is a mix of distributed and centralized processing in an ERP environment.
- Marketing, Transportation and other expenses are typically distributed across branches and sales offices depending on Business Policies
- Companies centralizing payment process through
  - Setting up captive shared service center
  - Outsourcing to BPO
- Current Challenges in the payment process
  - Higher Probability of leakage early payments, incorrect payments etc.
  - Inconsistent turnaround of processes leads to distressed suppliers, increased procurement costs etc

#### **Business Case for Solution**

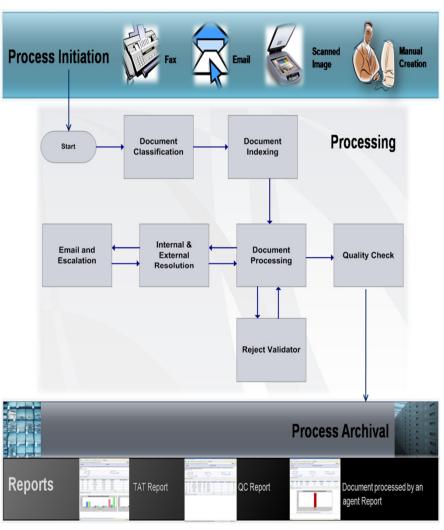


- Applicable to BPOs or Shared Service Center
- Key challenges faced in transitioning business process from current entity to Shared Service or BPO
  - Long process transition times
    - Process Gaps
    - Lack of common view across stakeholders
  - Managing these outsourced business processes within the defined SLAs
  - Lack of visibility & control over process once outsourced
- Build competency & expertise in the process
- Ability to standardize and take this offering for other customers





- BPM platform to be used to define and model the process for account payables
- All outsourced processes in F&A
   (Finance and Administration) domain
   viz; Accounts Payable, Travel &
   Expenses, Case Tracker, etc.
- The Generic Process Automation Framework offers parameterized configurable capabilities, with extensive reusability of process & technology components for multiple process roll-outs.
- Solution offers Dashboards & Reports for monitoring process SLAs and continuous process improvement.



## **Solution Benefits**

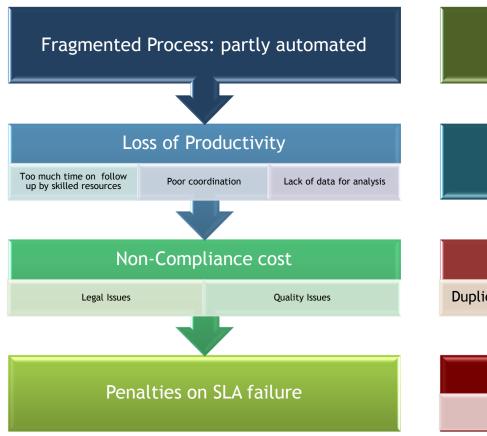


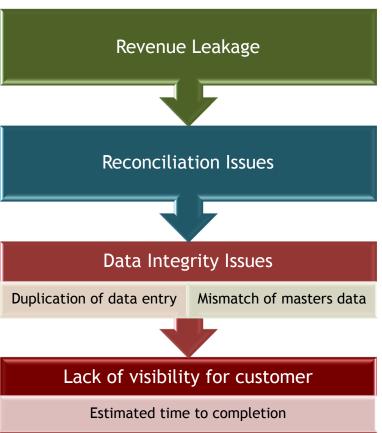
- Provides competitive advantage by faster on-boarding of outsourced processes.
- Enables better control & visibility to customer at required points in the process after it has been outsourced.
- Increased adherence to planned SLAs on Quality and Turn
   Around Time & other process parameters
- Reduced cost per transaction leading to higher operational profits.
- Scalability of solution to handle higher volumes and multiple processes for multiple customer deployments over time.

## Business Challenges Addressed By BPM



BPM is the right solution to address these business challenges that one often hears in conversations with CXOs





## Sample Processes



- Service Orders
- 2. Finance Reconciliation in scenario of multiple divisions
- 3. Item Master, Supplier Master, Customer Master creations
- 4. PMO processes
- 5. Alerts & Notifications as part of quality process
- 6. Supplier Schedule management
- 7. HR On-boarding / Leavers
- 8. Customer On-boarding for Services Organization
- 9. Dealer extensions
- 10. Warranty management
- 11. Engineering & change management
- 12. Payment Process
- 13. Web-extensions for ERP processes

### **BPM Critical Success Factors**



## Incremental improvement is the key

If you focus to include all in 1.0, you will never see 1.1 release.
 Follow a phased approach towards implementation.

## Map all stakeholders

- Process is often embedded in transaction systems & manual activities.
- Discovery through meetings & workshops with Stakeholders
- This will also help to avoid any critical requirement being missed out.

## Assess Willingness to Change:

- Need to manage two kinds of scenarios:
  - End- Users face challenges and need improvements. In these situations acceptance is easier
  - End-Users are comfortable and very familiar with current systems.

#### **BPM Critical Success Factors**



- 'LEVERAGE' & Do not 'REPLACE' existing Systems
- Build Business Case:
  - Identify and document the expected business benefits
  - This will serve as guiding lighthouses to keep focus on the core areas
  - Build Focus on data collection (process data, business data, effort data, implementation time, etc) through the journey of BPM.
- **Business participation** is critical to the success of any BPM project.
- Plan and Put together a well-oiled BPM COE to improve BPM adoption in Organization:
  - provide continuous value in terms of learning, reusability,
     productivity and sustenance.

### Our Services on BPM



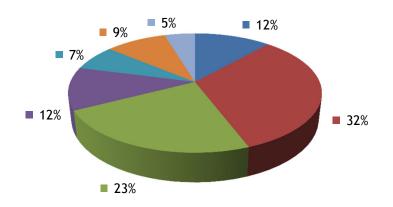


- Our Service Offerings on BPM helps customer traverse the entire BPM journey from Process Modeling, Technology evaluation to implementation and support.
- Our BPM solutions help customers extend ERP & manage customizations to manage organization / industry specific processes, exceptions etc.
- It also helps companies overcome operational challenges such as SLA compliance, reconciliations, regulatory compliance etc.

## Our BPM Service Offerings



#### **Role wise Distribution**



- BPM Process Consultants
- Process Developers
- BPM Technical developers
- Integration consultants
- Document Management Consultants
- J2EE & BPM Technical Architects
- Quality Assurance

#### Consulting

- Business Process Maturity
  Assessment & Process Mapping
- •BPM Product Evaluation & Recommendation
- •BPM Business Case Preparation
- •BPM Architecture Consulting & Roadmap Creation

#### Enablement

- •Solution Design & Implementation
- •Legacy Transformation & Modernization
- •Building Agile Business Applications

#### Sustenance

- •Support & Maintenance
- Version Migration
- Optimization

#### **Specialized Offerings**

- •Post Implementation Value Assessment
- •BPM COE Setup
- •BPM Training
- •BPM Testing
- SaaS Based Offerings

## Our BPM Experience



Industry Vertical	Case Study Brief
ВРО	Invoice Processing and Contract / Rate Management System
Services for Construction	Solution Frameworks and components for implementation and roll out
Hardware Manufacturer	<ul> <li>Process consulting &amp; analysis - modeling, standardization &amp; measurement (KPIs &amp; Metrics)</li> </ul>
Shipping	<ul> <li>Automation &amp; optimization of cargo clearing processes using BPM-SOA (BPM &amp; ILOG Suite)</li> </ul>
Banking Solutions	Lending and Loan Management system
Food Processing	<ul> <li>Integration of Transportation, Warehousing and ERP systems through a process execution layer</li> </ul>
Express Logistics	Solution recommendation, business case & roadmap preparation
Freight Forwarding	Legacy modernization approach & roadmap
Insurance	<ul> <li>New Business Acquisition, Underwriting &amp; Claims process implementation &amp; support using TIBCO iProcess &amp; TIBCO BW</li> </ul>
Pharma	<ul> <li>BPM COE/ Shared services Setup, Enablement &amp; Proliferation</li> <li>Process automation &amp; optimization within the shared services model of BPM COE using Lombardi BPM</li> </ul>



## **Key Highlights**

- Average traffic volume of around 300+ vessels/ships at ports globally per day
- Peak load of 6 million containers processed per week
- Average of around 50+ process tasks to be executed per vessel for cargo loading/ unloading



# Process Automation Enabled by BPM-SOA - Global Shipping Major

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#### **Business Requirement**

- Need to measure & improve productivity of core shipping business processes on a continuous basis
- Need to comply with country specific regulatory norms for clearing cargo at ports
- Need to automate manual tasks resulting in lower productivity & rework
- Need to integrate existing systems for vessel scheduling, port operations, container booking, etc. to eliminate duplicate data entry

#### **Solution and Services**

- SOA based solution architecture comprising of following key components -Service Bus, BPM (process mgmt) & IBM-Ilog JRules (rules mgmt)
- Our scope of work solution design, configuration & development for over
   25+ processes spanning over the entire program life cycle

#### **Business Value**

- Improvement in process efficiency in the tune of 20-25% to start with
- Reduction in operational cost by enhancing utilization of empty containers
- Better & faster compliance to regulatory norms



## Key Highlights

- Average invoice volume of around 100 per day
- Custom development of Contract & Rate Server
- Integration between BPM invoice processing and Rate Server



## Invoice Processing, Contract Mgt on BPM Based Solution - Global BPO

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#### **Business Requirement**

- High volume of invoice processing for two of its customers in Transportation and Logistics business
- Need to automate this process of invoice capture and processing
- Contract and Rate definition in a custom built software based on business operating model and its contracts with transporters
- Need to integrate the business process with this custom system to accurately arrive at rates based on the invoice details submitted by the customer

#### **Solution and Services**

- Savvion BPM used for defining and developing the invoice capture and processing activities
- Custom built a contract management and rate definition server for keeping the master data of the transporters and different types of negotiated rates

#### **Business Value**

- Streamlined and automated process of invoices capturing and processing in a outsource environment
- Integration of process with Rate Server ensures greater degree of control on payments to transporters for services rendered.
- Ability to report on process metrics and various



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by **Industry Focus**:

## **AUTOMOTIVE**

- International Association of Outsourcing Professionals (IAOP), Apr '09 Among BEST 20 leaders

by services offered:

**Industry- Specific** 

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specialized provider focused on automotive industry

-Forrester (Aug 09)

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