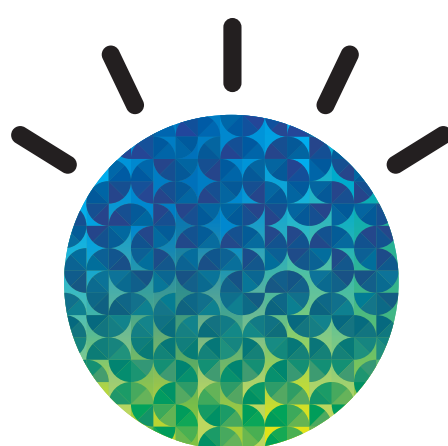
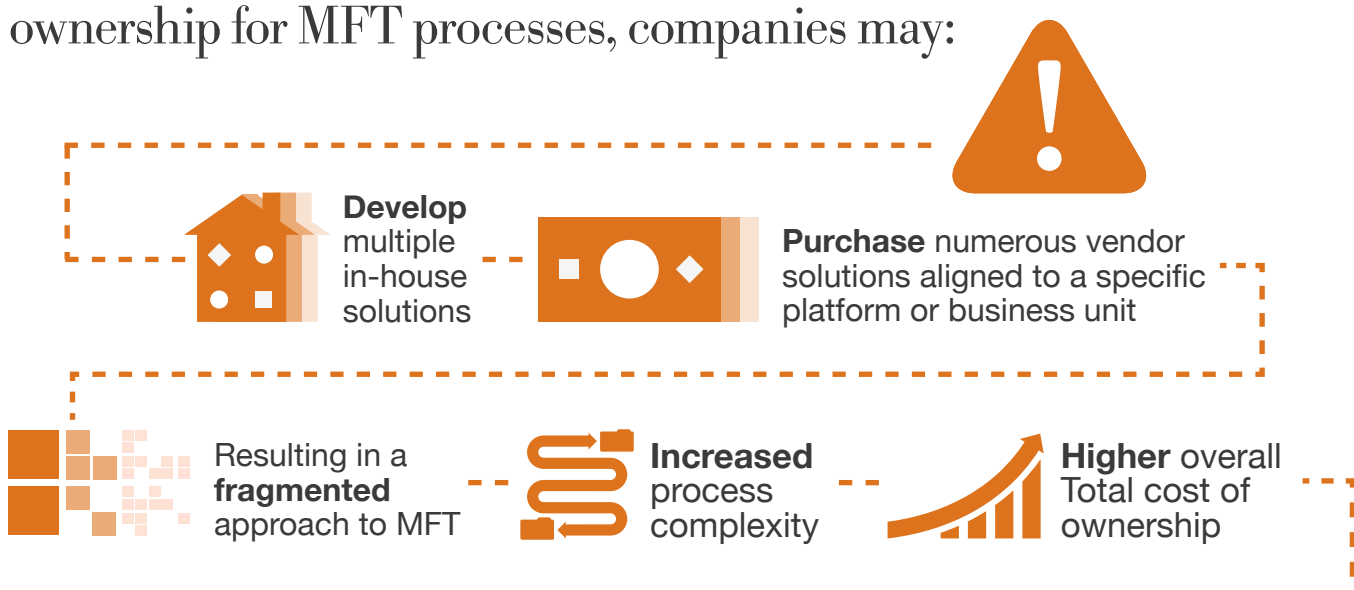


A Managed File Transfer Center of Excellence – Taking a strategic approach



Deploying a Managed File Transfer (MFT) solution is the first step you can take toward a comprehensive data movement strategy across your organization. But is that enough?

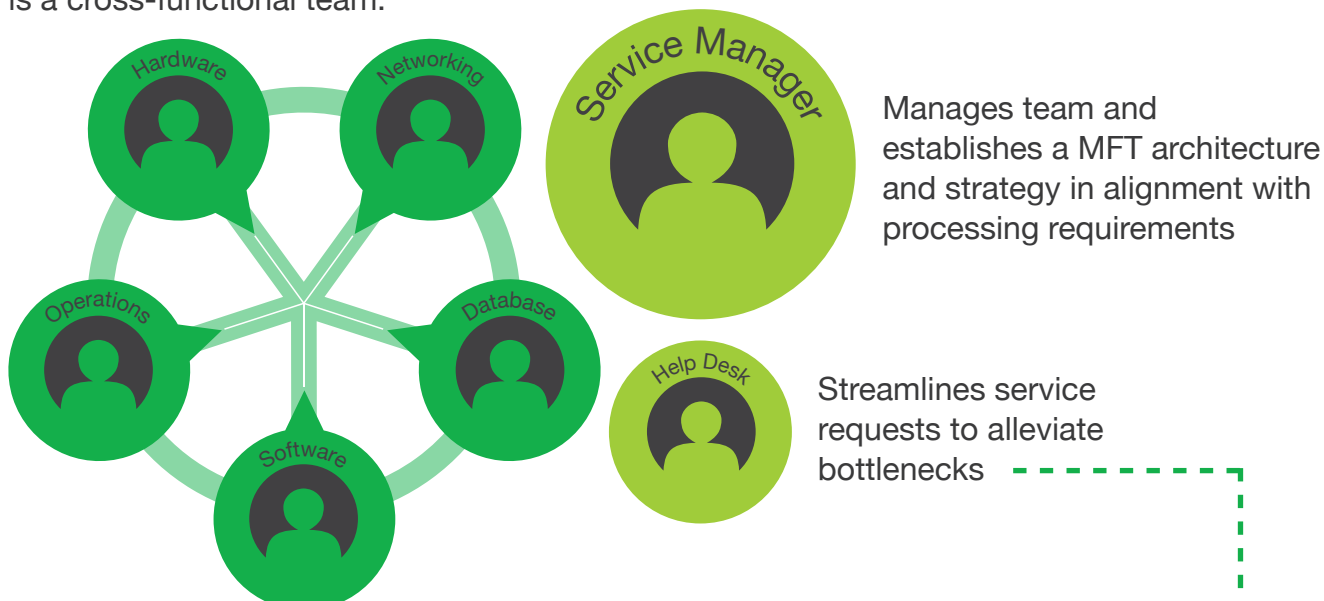
Without strategic direction, uniform standards and dedicated ownership for MFT processes, companies may:



By adopting a customer-centric MFT architecture managed by a designated Center of Excellence, organizations can realize the full potential of a MFT solution.

So, what is a Managed File Transfer Center of Excellence?

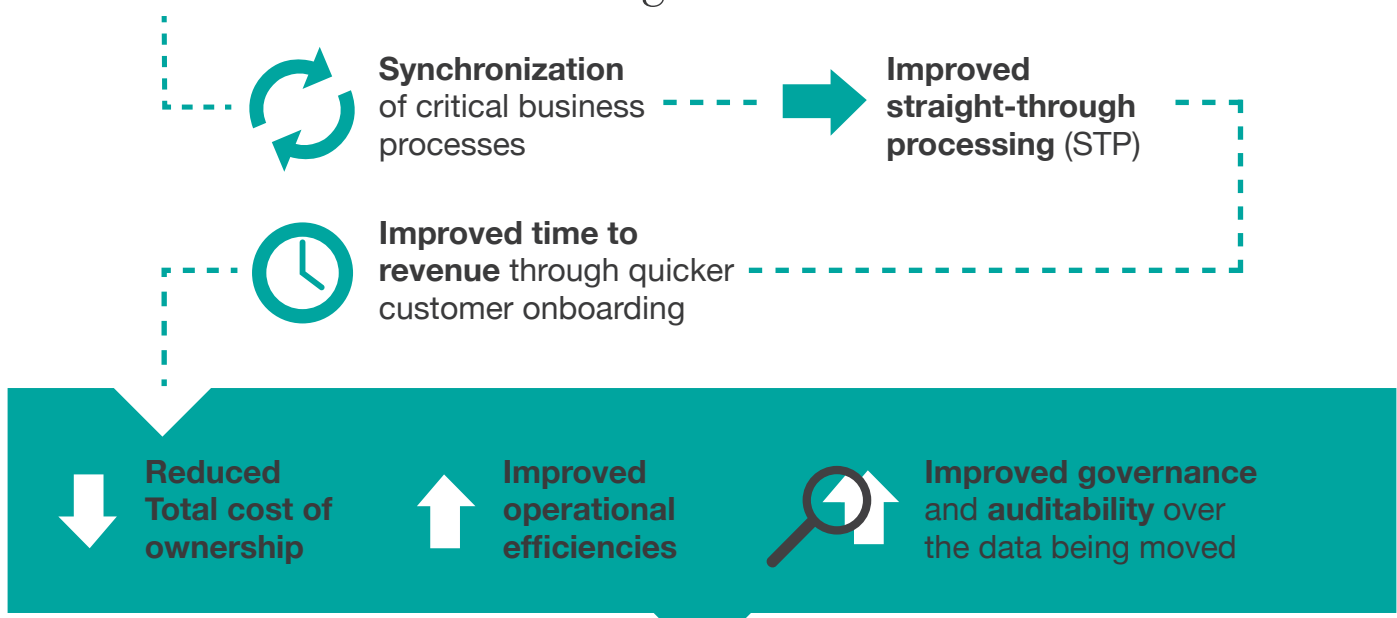
The MFT Center of Excellence is a cross-functional team:



A Center of Excellence consolidates a fragmented MFT approach into a single multi-disciplinary team responsible and accountable for:

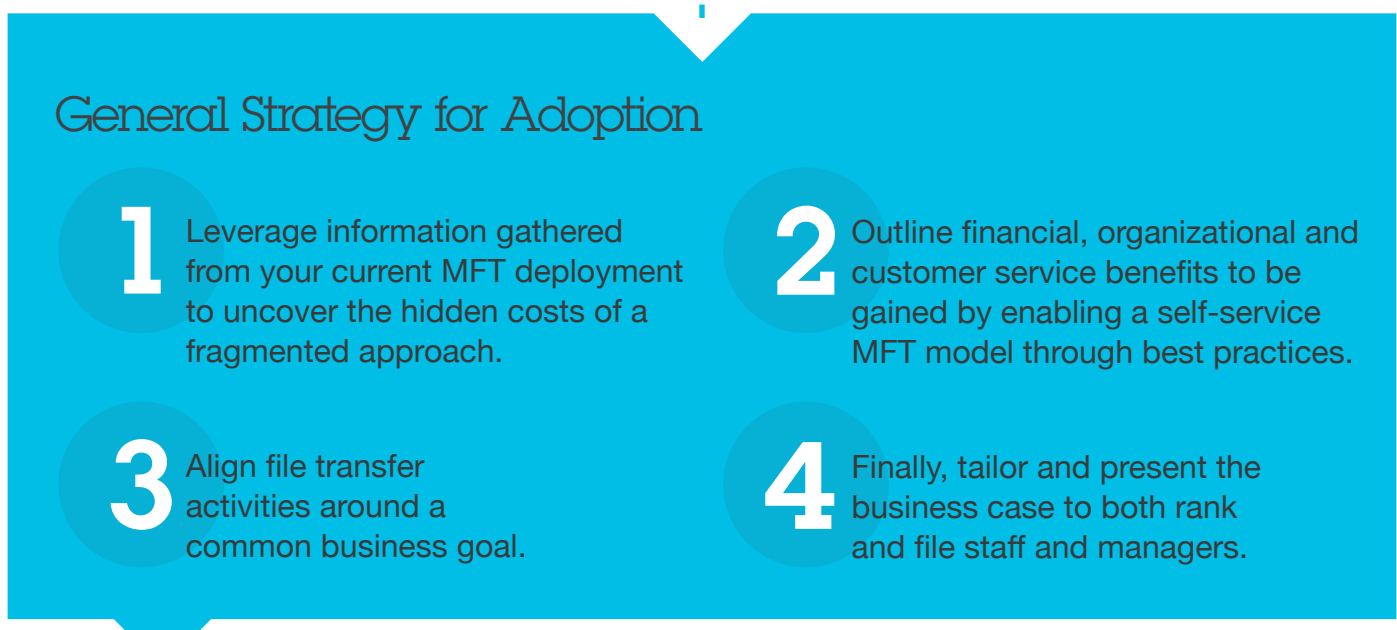
- Optimizing processes and services to help ensure the highest levels of service to the organization.
- Consolidated governance and visibility into transfer activity.
- The on-boarding of customers and trading partners.
- Technical implementation and technology road map aligned to Line of Business (LOB) needs.
- Establishing standards and templates.
- Organizing operational support teams.

A successful MFT Center of Excellence enables a self-service file transfer model across the organization:



How do I get started?

Stakeholders may be reluctant to lose control over file transfer activities, and faced with using their LOB budgets to accommodate a company-wide file transfer strategy.



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- Extensive experience
- Resources to guide your efforts

For further information about implementing a Managed File Transfer Center of Excellence within your organization, please read more at <https://ibm.biz/BdxyWQ>