

Digital Operational Resiliency Act (“DORA”) Der Weg zu verbesserter operativer Resilienz

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Agenda

- Introductions & Overview
- DORA Insights
- Readiness Assessments – a possible approach
- Regulation as the opportunity to innovate

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 \$6+

billion revenue as in FY23

 \$10+

trillion in equity and fixed income trades processed per day

 7+

billion customer communications processed annually

 40+

global clients for managed services

 6

decades of experience in the financial services industry

 100+

countries in which securities processing is supported

 150

Brokerage firms on our securities processing platforms

 98%

client revenue retention rate

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“DORA creates a regulatory framework on digital operational resilience whereby all firms need to make sure they can withstand, respond to and recover from all types of ICT [information and communications-technology]-related disruptions and threats”

- Council of the EU



Why more regulation with DORA?



Secure and Protect

- Securing your infrastructure, policies and practices are critical to avoid cyber related fraud



Prevent and detect

- Managing security risk in your interactions and relationships with your counterparties is key



Share and Prepare

- Cyber-Attacks on one company in one location can easily be replicated and impacting a whole sector if not more

Digital Operational Resiliency Act (“DORA”)

The Digital Resilience Act (DORA) is an EU regulation that entered into force on 16 January 2023 and will apply as of the 17th January 2025. The Digital Operational Resilience Act (DORA) aims to **establish a clear foundation for security and operational resilience** in the **financial services** sector for European Union (EU) financial regulators and supervisors, while also aligning with **other EU measures on cyber security and data**. DORA establishes a **framework** for digital operational resilience in the finance sector by outlining **five key pillars**, which include:

- Information and communication technology (ICT) governance and ICT risk management
- Testing digital operational resilience
- Reporting system for serious ICT incidents
- ICT third party risk management
- European monitoring framework for critical ICT third party service providers

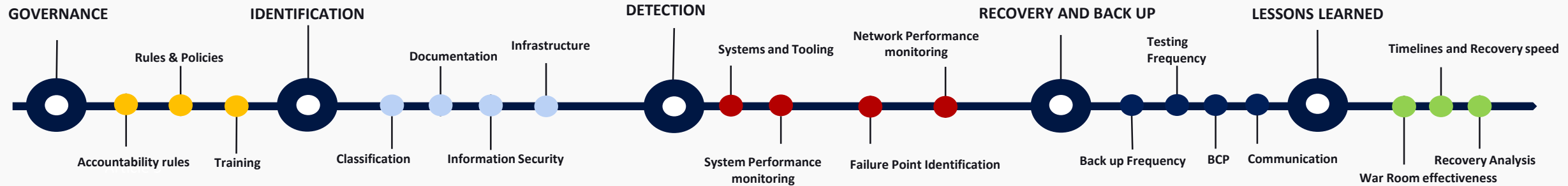
The DORA Objective

- Bringing **critical information and communications technology (ICT)**, including **cloud service providers (CSPs)**, within the regulatory perimeter. These would be supervised by one of the European Supervisory Authorities (ESAs), who would have the power to audit, inspect and impose fines.
- DORA aims to harmonise local rules across the EU, setting EU-wide standards for **digital operational resilience testing**.
- Harmonising **ICT risk management rules** across financial services sectors, based on existing guidelines.
- Harmonising ICT incident **classification** and **reporting** and opening the door for the establishment of a single EU-hub for major ICT-related incident reporting by financial institutions.

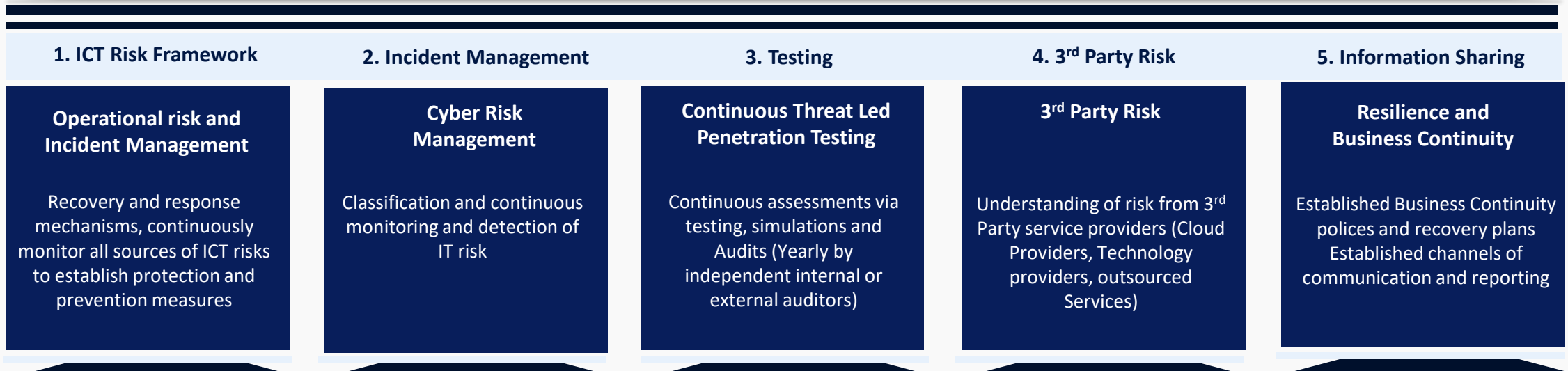
The Five Pillars of DORA

Financial entities are required to set up a comprehensive ICT risk management framework

ICT risk management framework requirements



DORA



Digital Operational Resiliency Act (“DORA”)

DORA requires the creation of a comprehensive ICT Risk Management framework and Digital Resilience Strategy including a comprehensive suite of ICT Risk Management Policies

DORA assessments required to ensure regulatory readiness

- Systems Criticality Assessments (Identify critical assets (In-house & Third-party service provider) which align to critical/important functions)
- Risk and Control Gap Analysis (Map your people, processes, technology, facilities and information that supports your important business services)
- Business Impact Assessments (Understand the business Impact of cyber threat and set impact tolerances for each important business service)
- Incident/problem management processes and tools for efficient management of ICT events
- Robust incident detection and automated response capabilities to reduce impact/improve resilience
- Operational metrics on critical functions for review against defined risk tolerances
- Monitoring and responding to cyber events (Scenario Testing)
- Regular testing of digital operational resilience

Compliance might be difficult due to:

- legacy in-house technology
- technology obsolescence
- out-of-maintenance solutions

From:

- different providers
- in different countries
- with different service levels
- diverse understanding of what is required

Challenges with tech stack

DORA Readiness assessments

1. Criticality Assessment - Approach & Deliverables

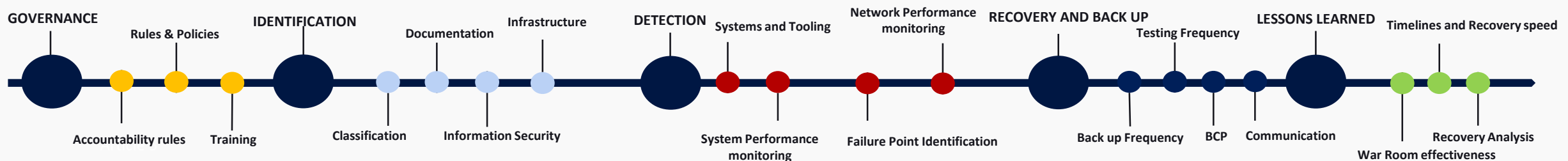


Conduct a criticality assessment to identify and protect your **most important** digital assets and functions. By prioritizing critical assets and developing appropriate risk mitigation strategies, organizations can **enhance** their operational resilience and better withstand potential disruptions and threats.

Current state analysis

It is recommended to analyze the following as part of the assessment:

- **Identification of critical digital assets:** across your entity/enterprise identify critical assets (In-house & Third-party service provider) which align to critical/important functions. Integral to this analysis is the operational model, processes and procedures that underpin and support the services that the critical assets deliver to the business
- **Impact analysis:** Analyze and assess the potential impact of a cyber-attack or major disruption on critical assets and the subsequent impact on operations and clients. This analysis will feed into current planning and communication strategy for such events to highlight existing gaps and vulnerabilities
- **Prioritization:** Based on the asset identification and impact analysis, determine the risk that is presented should a critical system suffer disruption. This will allow you to perform specific risk assessments based on the organization's risk appetite against the firm's strategic objectives to obtain a balanced view
- **Develop risk mitigation strategies:** Risk mitigation strategies will be developed to reduce the risks within the critical assets and their eco systems. These strategies will feed into technology change, operational model revisions, third-party agreements and testing cycles



DORA Readiness assessments

2. Risk and Control Gap analysis

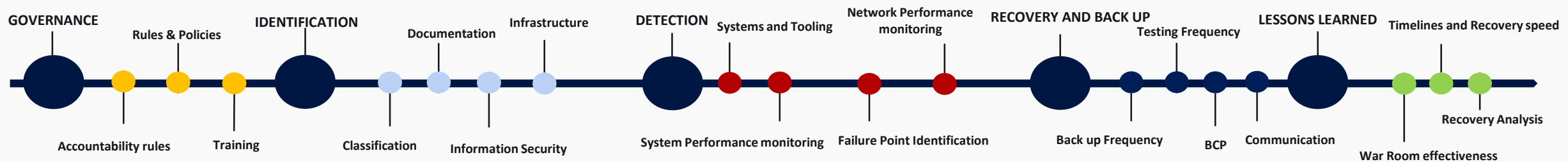


Perform a deep dive analysis of your current risk and control framework to identify gaps between current state and target state for DORA implementation. This will require a close examination of the existing risk and control business model with a full review of the ICT risk management and governance process.

Current state analysis

Key activities will include the following:

- **Evaluate and assess the effectiveness of the current ICT change program** to maintain systemic robustness and reduce overall vulnerabilities across critical assets. This will require a deep dive review of past change as well as future change initiatives
- **Analyze the current control framework** that supports critical systems/platforms and their associated support functions. This analysis will help establish the effectiveness of the current model against the DORA future model and identify ineffective or duplicate controls
- **Review current horizon scanning for potential cyber threats** by examining the parameters of the scanning to ensure that it aligns with business risk appetite, perimeter protection levels, data in transit and incoming data streams into the client secure area. Analyze the alert and monitoring processes through metrics and remediation process reviews
- **Understand the current third-party vendor support model for critical functions**, whether it aligns to the regulation and fully complies with DORA standards. Include the third-party vendor industry partners if applicable to allow for effective risk management across the full value chain for each critical service
- **Analysis of resiliency practices**, business continuity policies and disaster recovery plans, including yearly testing of the plans across all supporting functions
- **Assessment of ICT incident management**, internal/customer escalation protocols, monitoring of early detection indicators/controls and reporting procedures for ICT disruptions
- Assessment of employee security awareness training



DORA Readiness assessments

3. Business Impact Assessment

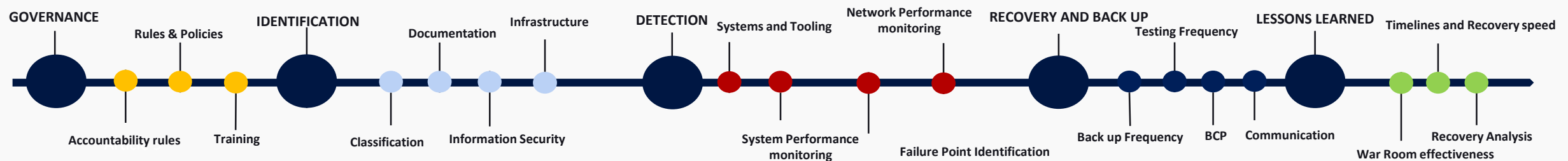


Complete a thorough evaluation of the effectiveness and readiness of your business model and review business impact associated with cybersecurity attacks and major Information and Communication Technology (ICT) disruption. This will ensure that your organization is fully prepared to manage cyber risk and achieve full compliance to avoid penalties from the EU authorities.

Current state analysis

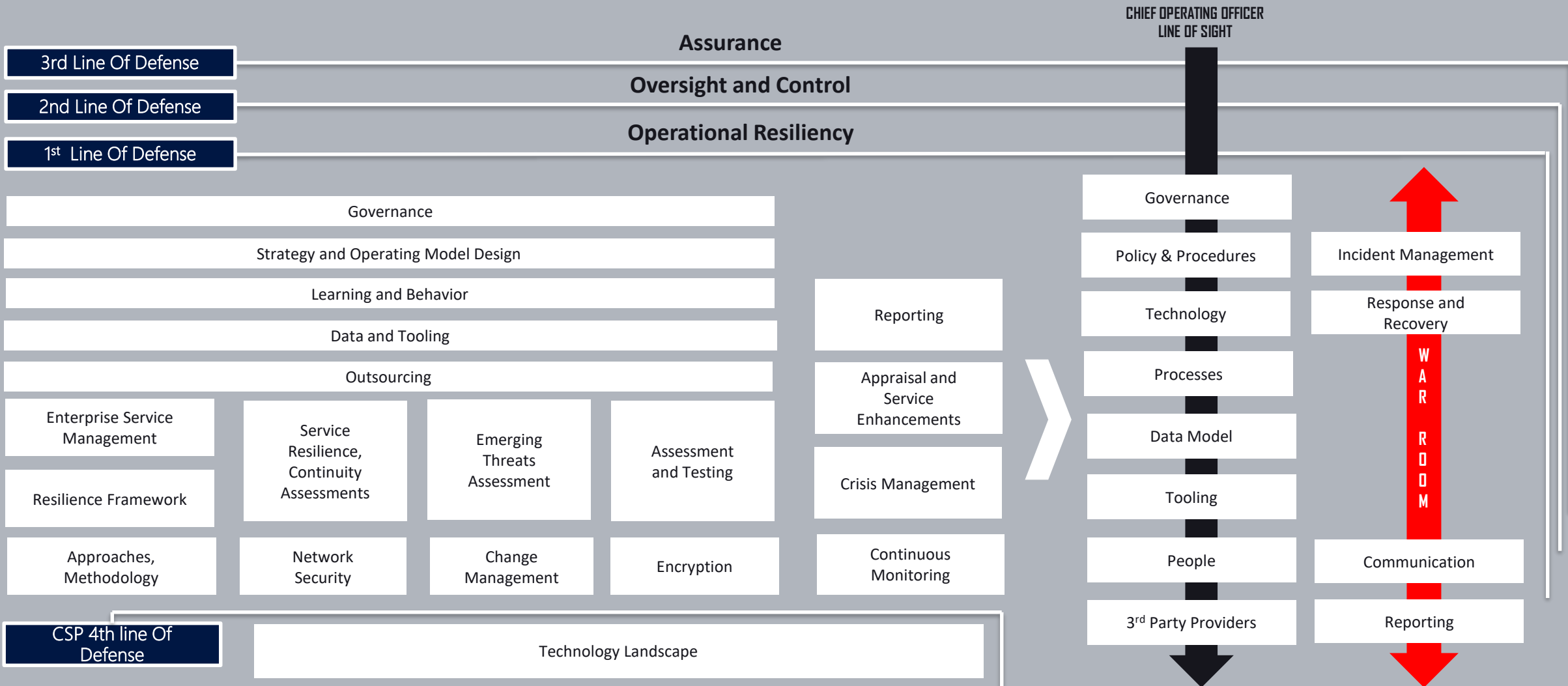
Key activities will be captured and managed through the following project governance model:

- **Creation of a Service map** from source for critical and important platforms and applications to identify weak points and highlight potential technology upgrade or investment needs.
- Work with technology partners to understand all parts of the Technology stack that could be impacted by DORA and create a detailed checklist of all available and/or missing services
- **List and understand all third party (TP) dependencies** and provide recommendations to monitor their service delivery quality and performance i.e., service questionnaire, SLA agreements
- **Create business case scenarios** for all major event types to assess the current state of readiness and map all risks and controls associated to it including recommendations for remediation i.e., better technology protection, new vendor connectivity, increased resourcing, deliver options paper etc..
- **Perform criticality assessment per function** with full RAG status and detailed action plan
- **Write testing plans for scenario-based testing** to ensure effectiveness of major incident management (cyber threat, ICT management, global system impact, trauma event, BCP failure)
- **Define and assign roles and responsibilities** for the internal teams to closely manage post trauma events and enforce a robust governance model



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Assess and Validate your entire ICT Operating Risk Framework



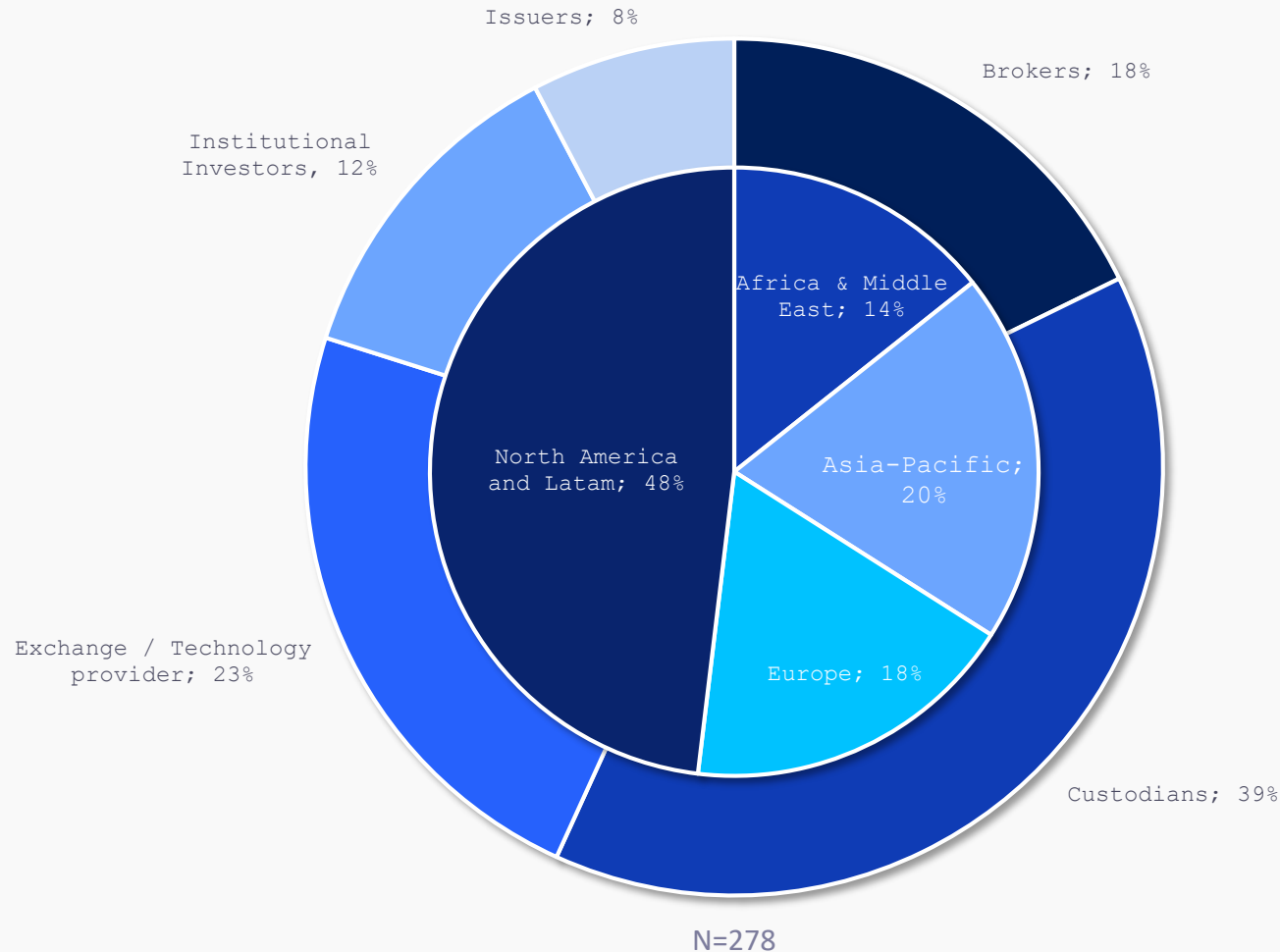
Asset Servicing Automation 2024

Regulation as the opportunity to innovate

Key Survey Findings

Overview

Asset Servicing Automation 2024



Key Themes

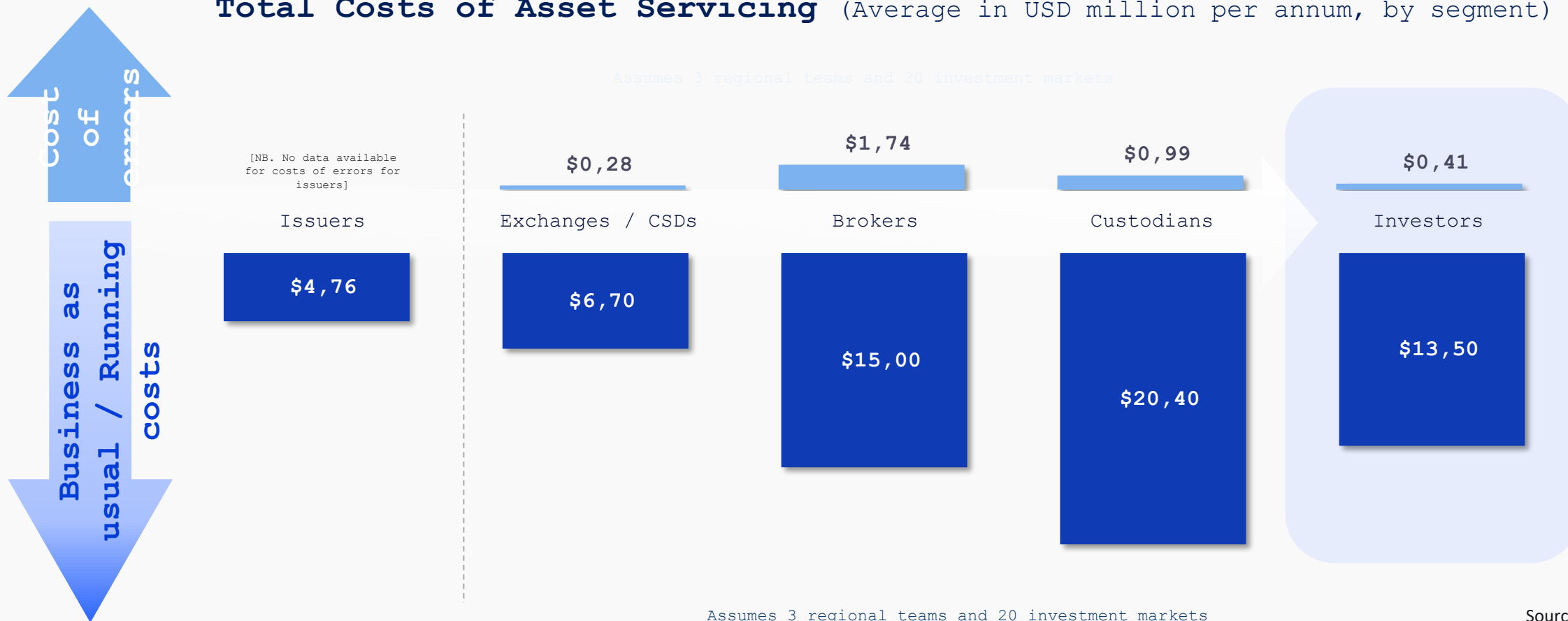
1. **How much** are corporate actions **costing us** in 2024?
2. What **root causes** are we seeing trigger issues across the market?
3. **What steps** are firms taking to minimize cost and risk?
4. What is the **longer-term case** for industry standardization from issuer to investor?

Source: The ValueExchange

1. How much is Asset Servicing costing us?

Fund managers and beneficial owners are carrying a direct cost of USD14m per annum – with indirect, pass-through costs multiple times that value

Total Costs of Asset Servicing (Average in USD million per annum, by segment)

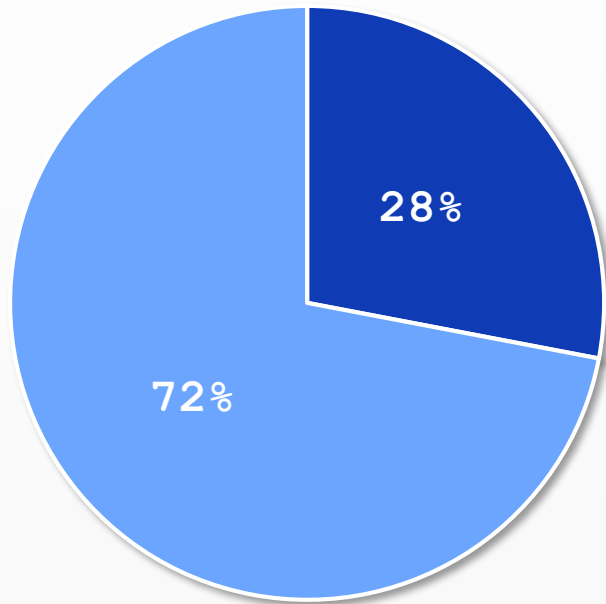


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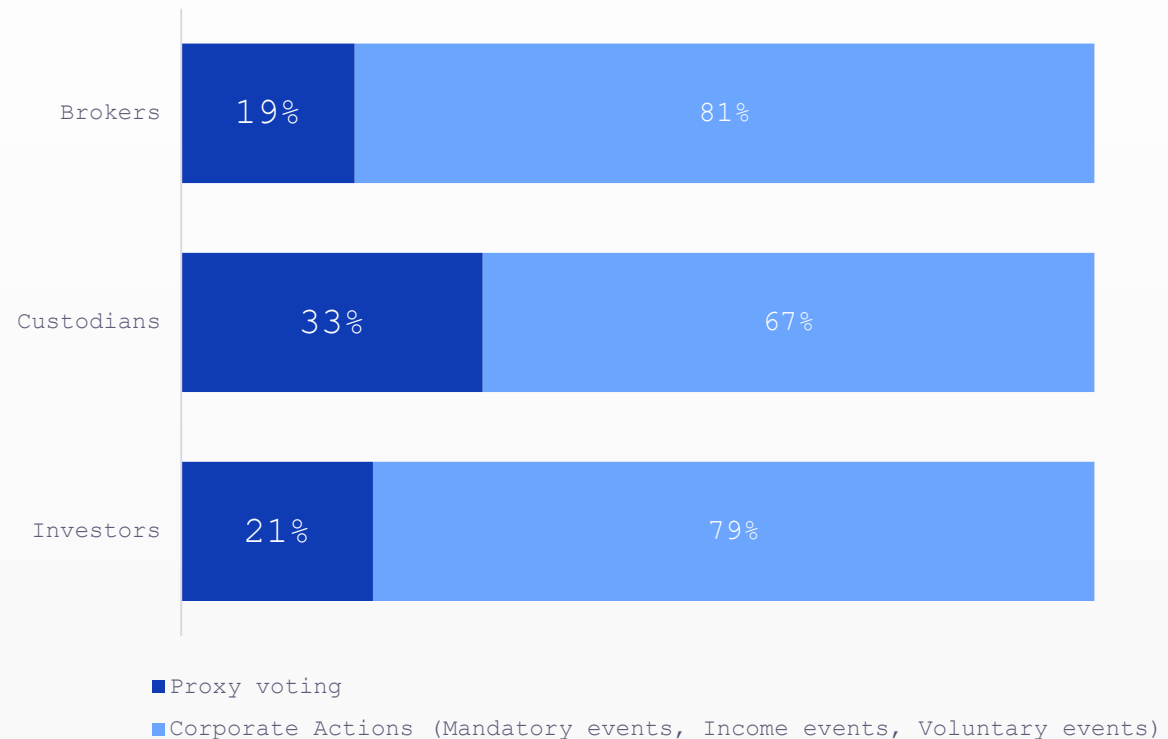
1. How much is Asset Servicing costing us?

Brokers are carrying the heaviest resourcing weight for Corporate Actions processing

Total distribution of headcount by activity



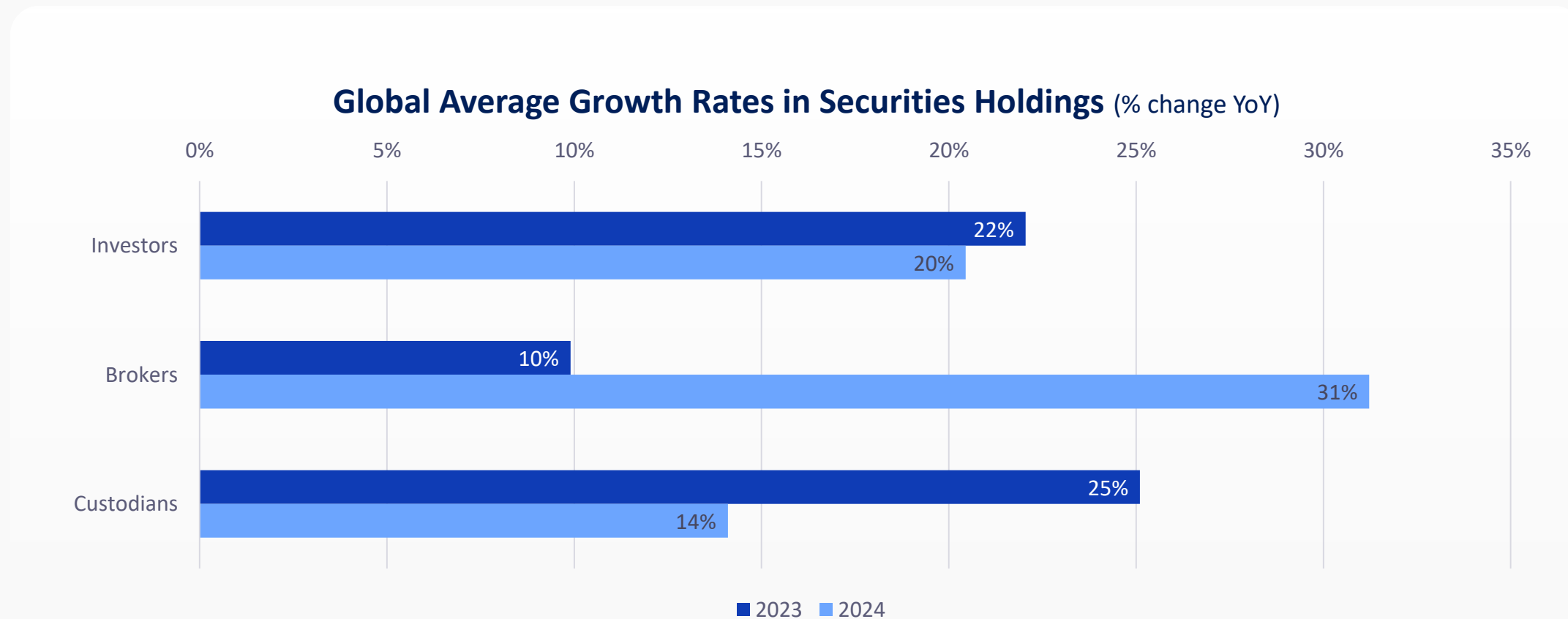
Average Headcount by Scope & Activity (2024)



Source: The ValueExchange

1. How much is Asset Servicing costing us?

Consistent volume growth is a core part of investors' costs – but do brokers need to be watching out?

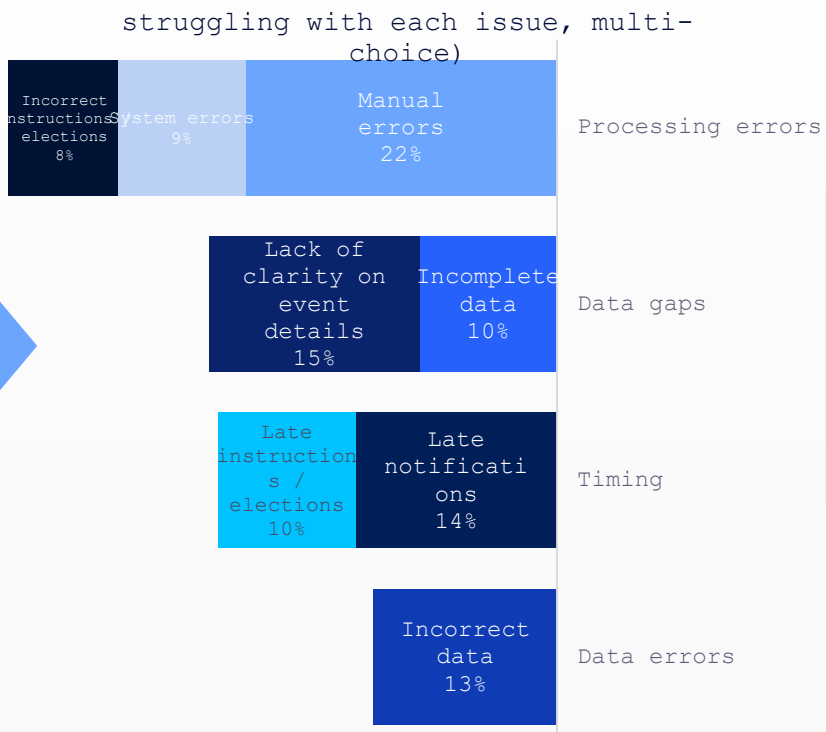


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2. What are the **core issues** that we need to address?

Poor automation of data is creating meaningful issues

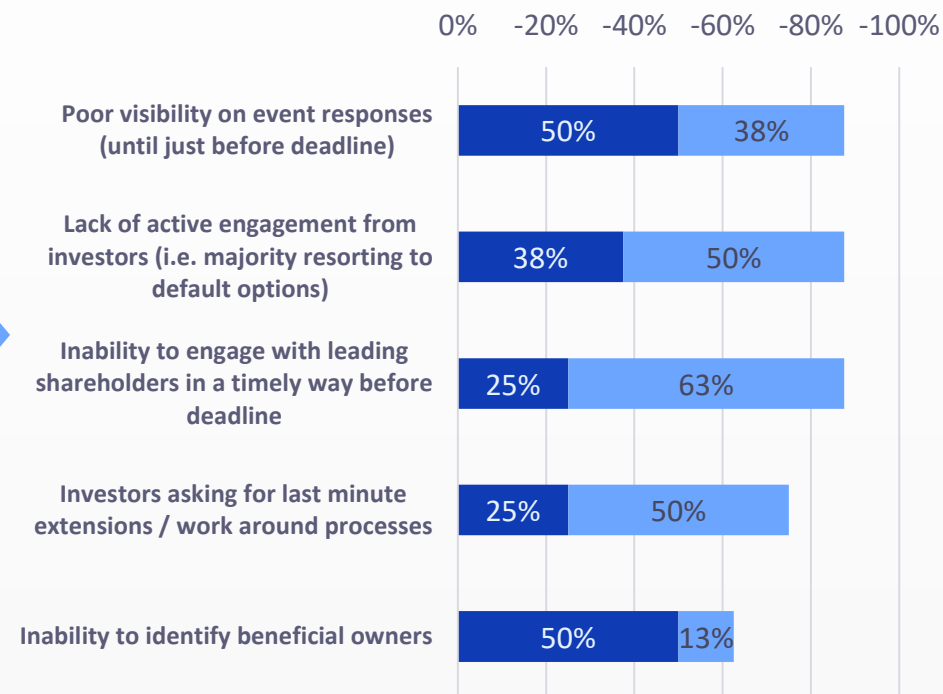
Issues faced by financial institutions in 2024 (% struggling with each issue, multi-choice)



Manual data processing is creating a range of issues...

...each of which costs valuable time for issuers

Issues faced by issuers and transfer agents in 2024



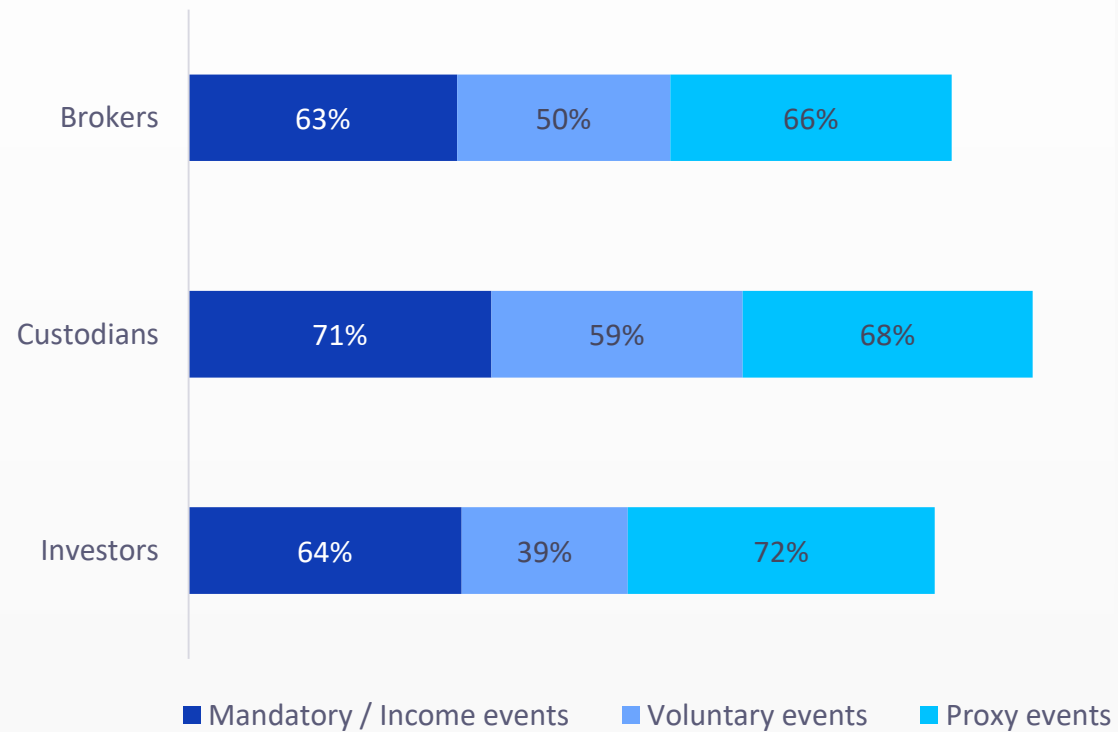
■ Significant impact ■ Limited impact

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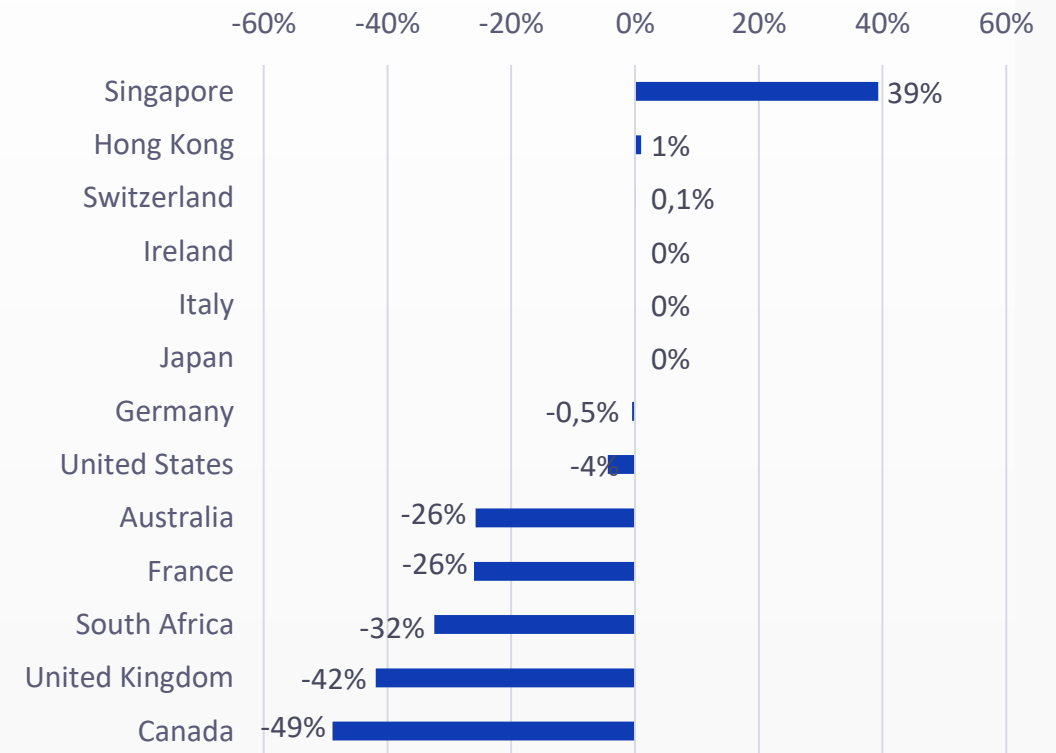
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Our STP rates are low and declining

Average STP rates event segment (and by event type)



Change in Automation Rates Per Market (2023/2024)



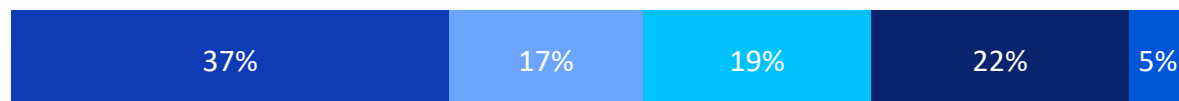
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Manual risk is much higher for instructions than for announcements

How are we receiving event notifications

(% distribution, globally)



How are we receiving event elections / instructions

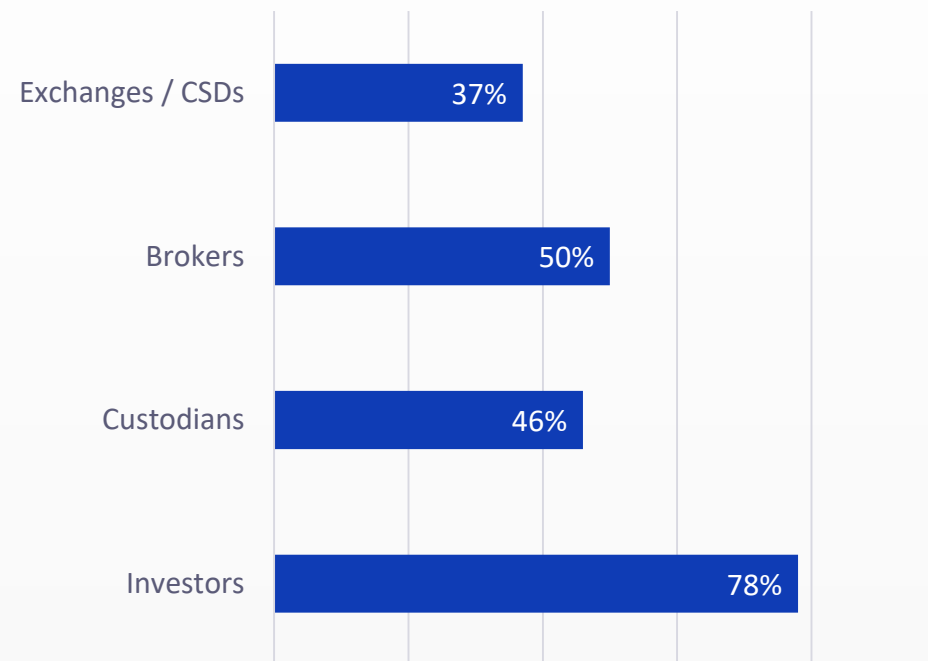
(% distribution, globally)



- ISO 15022 messages
- ISO 20022 messages
- Local data standard
- Website / portal
- Manually (e.g. email, phone, fax, letters)

How are we receiving event elections

(% receiving manual event instructions, per segment)

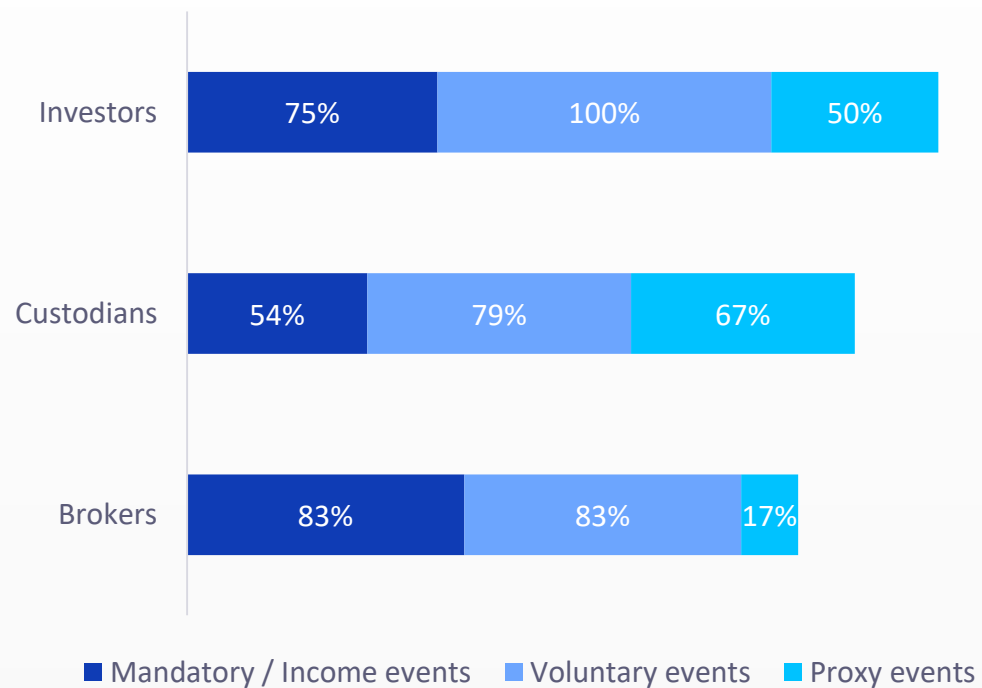


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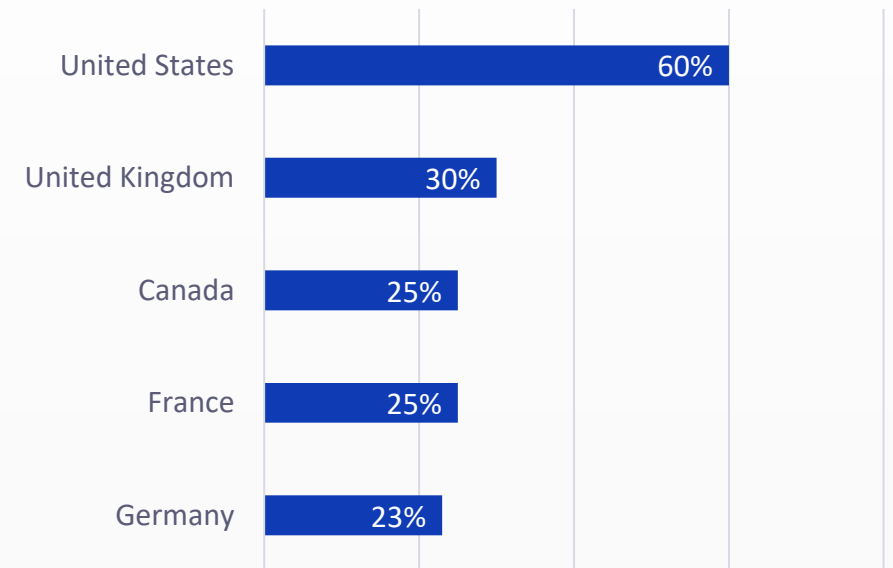
3. Where are we driving change?

We are spending a lot of money trying to fix voluntary events today

% of respondents in each segment with change plans in each event type



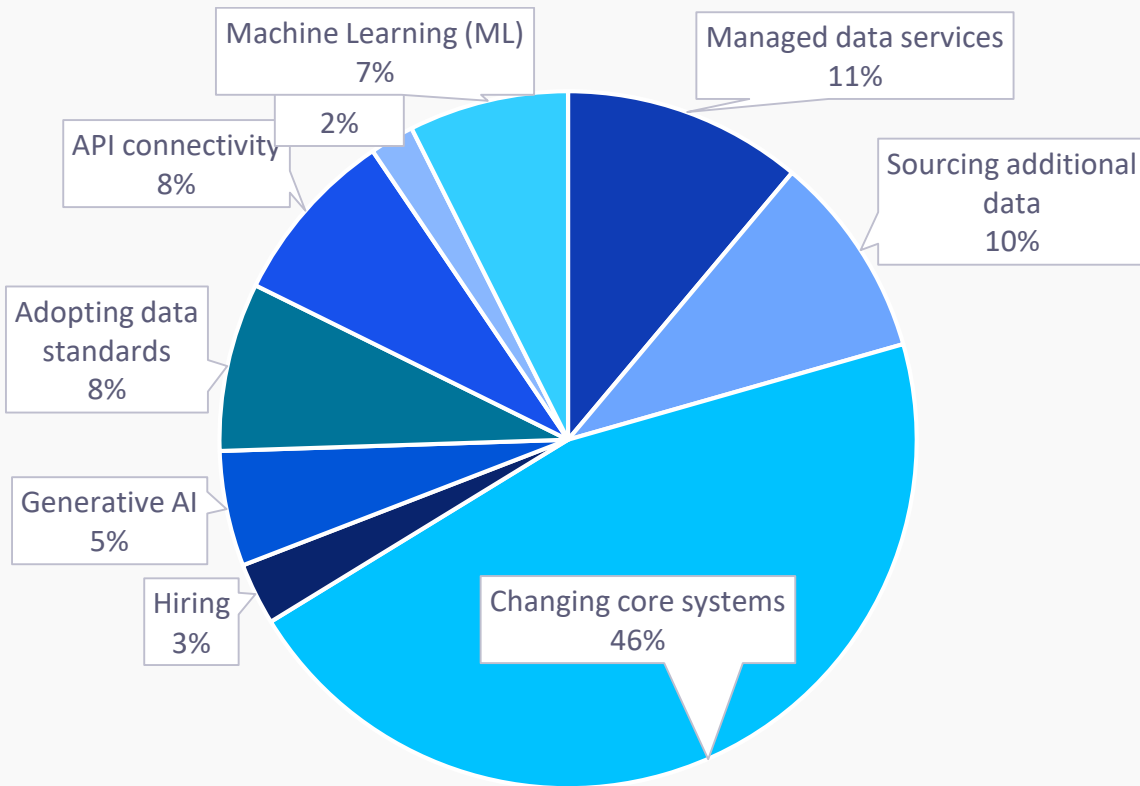
Top 5 markets for asset servicing change (% of respondents by market with change projects planned)



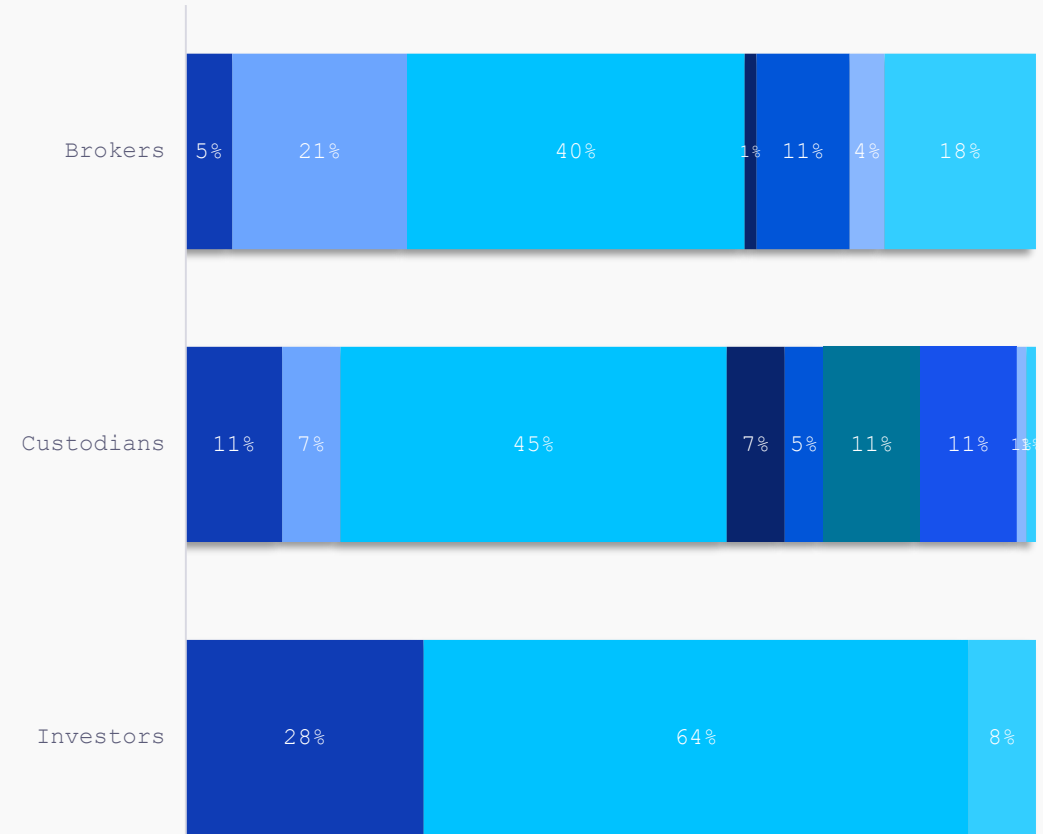
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3. How are we driving automation?

System change and data are our core answers



Main solutions for corporate action automation

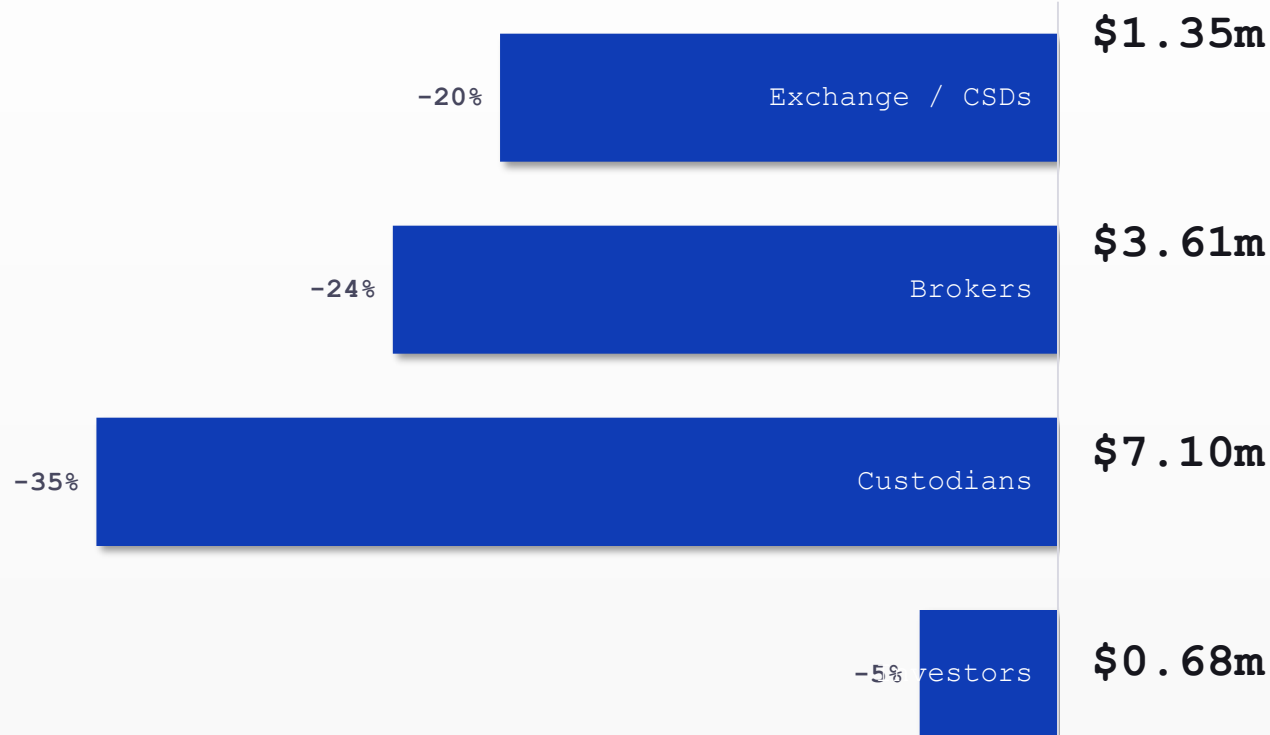


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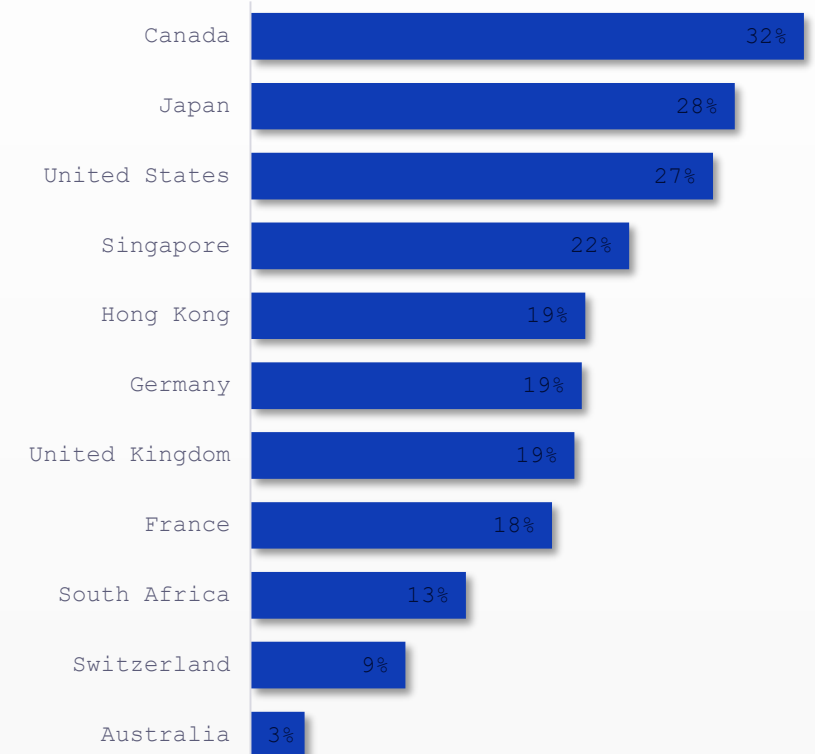
3. What is the case for **logicized event data**?

USD 680,000 per annum removed from investors' direct costs – with several times that in indirect costs eliminated

Expected savings from a real time, logicised data feed (% and USD million per firm, per annum)



Expected P&L savings by country (% saving per annum)



4. Where does the industry need to come together?

Where does the industry need to come together? (average score out of 5)



Source: The ValueExchange

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