



# Data Driven Decision Making

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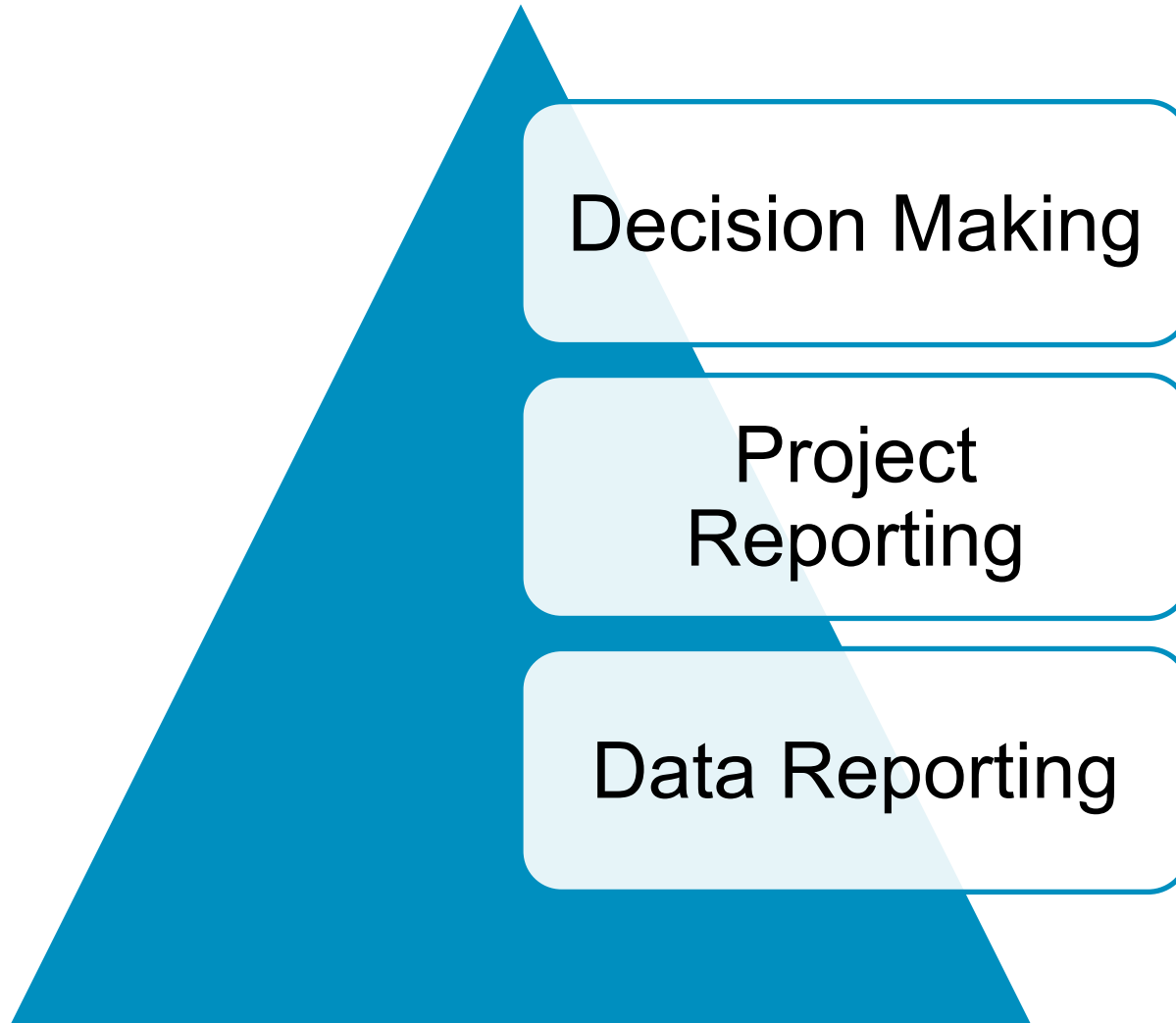
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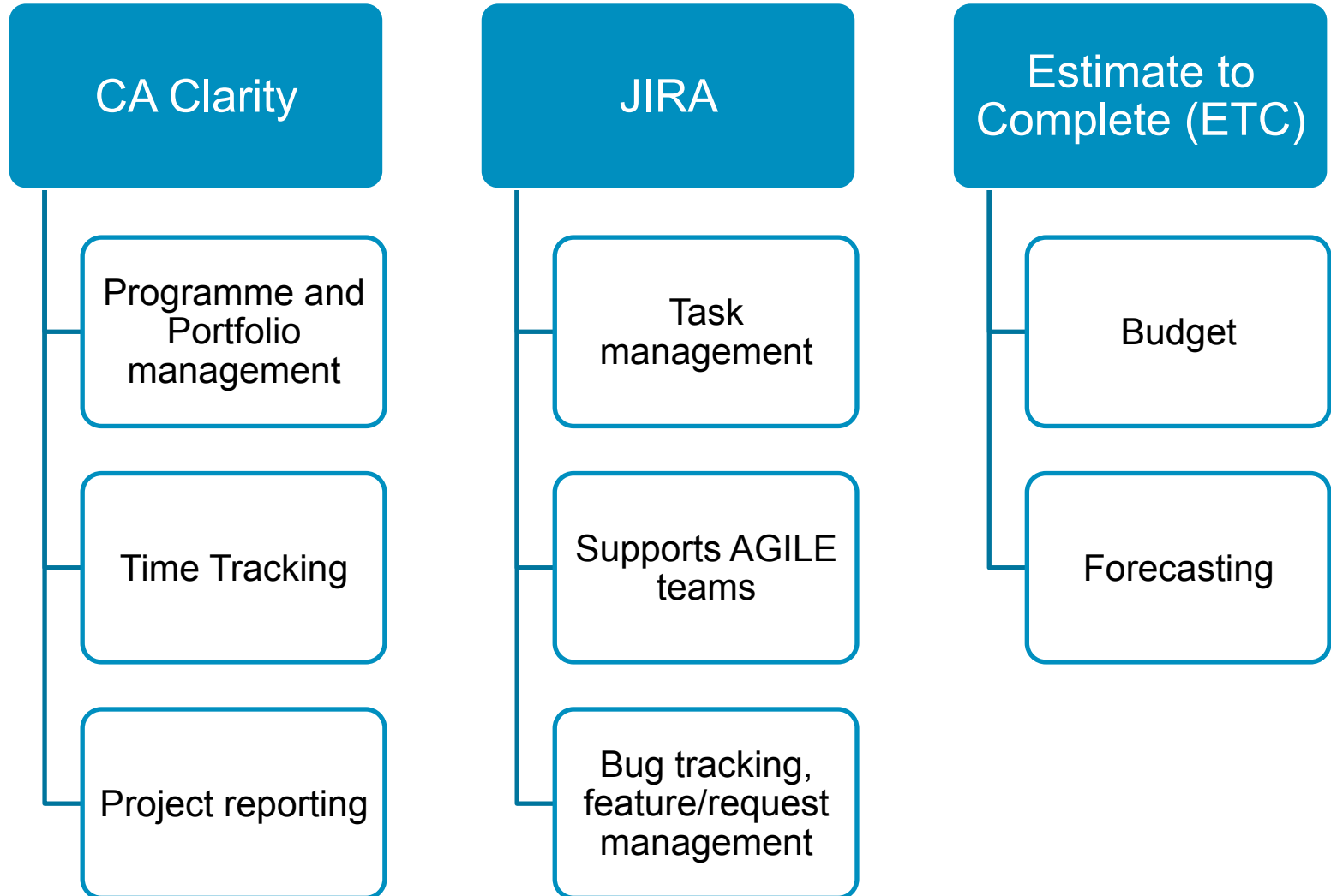
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- 1 Understand Clarity usage and best practice required to support effective decision making
- 2 Improve application of the Estimate to Complete (ETC) measure
- 3 Enhance JIRA's visibility and connectivity to Clarity



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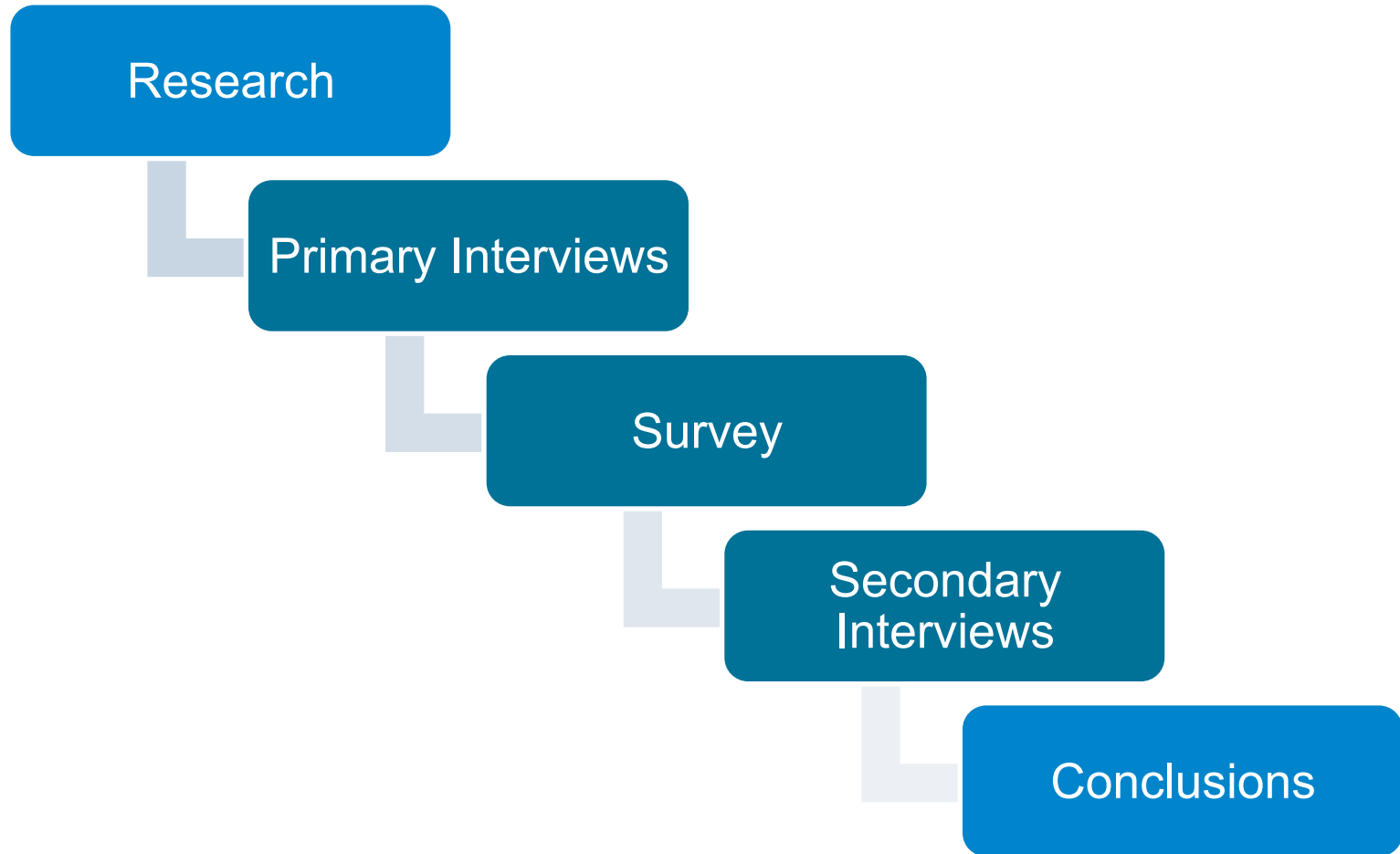
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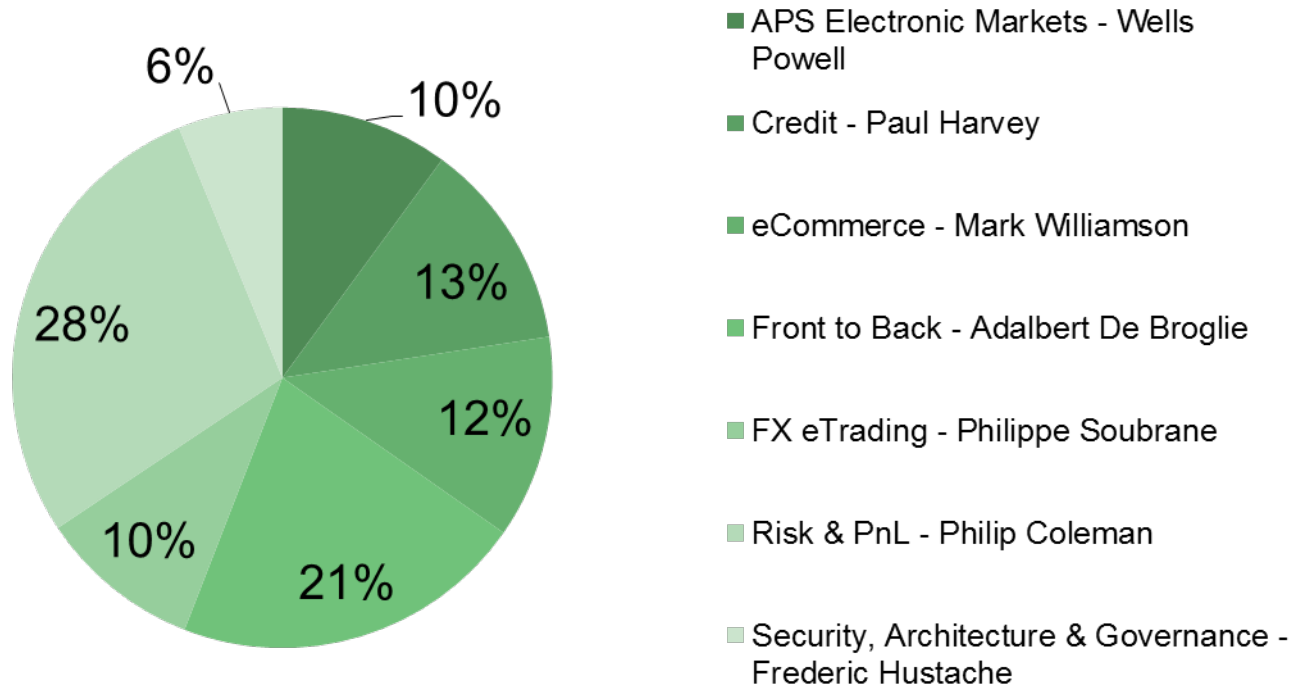


## Primary Interviews

- Recently implemented
- Used mainly for budgeting time
- Inconsistent data quality
- Benefits are misunderstood



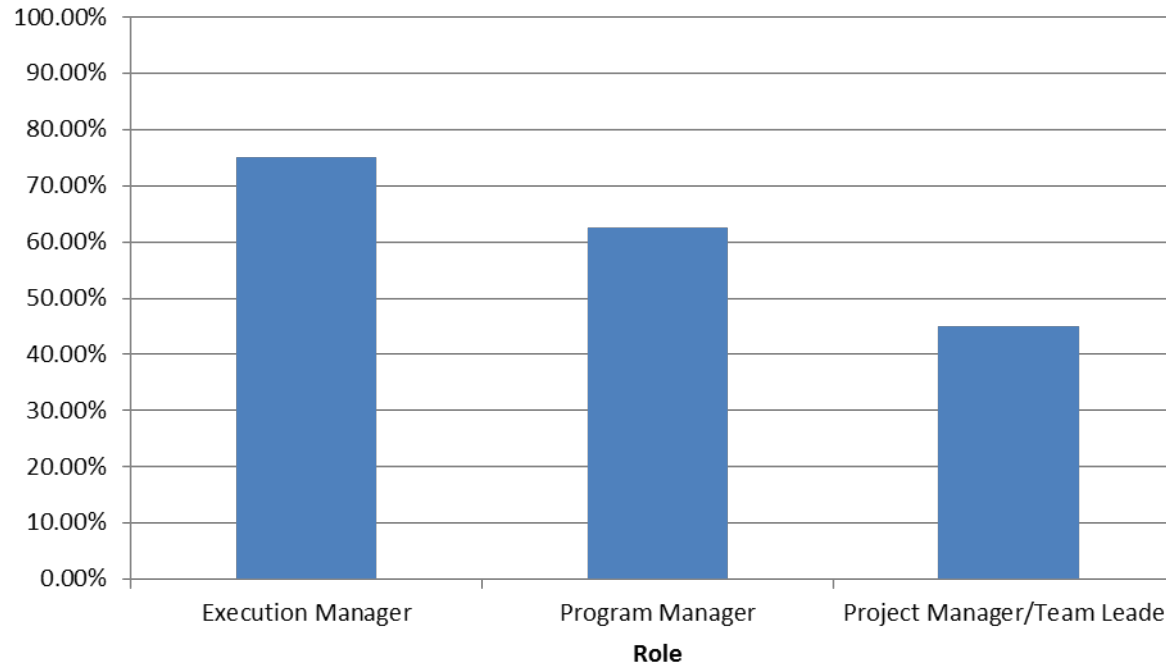
## Survey Respondents Based on Execution Area



Number of Respondents	288
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## Percentages of Respondents Based on Role



Role	Percentage of Respondents	Number of Respondents
Execution Manager	75.00%	6
Program Manager	62.50%	25
ProjectManager/Team Leader	45.00%	72
Total		103



# Clarity Project Card

Project Card	Functional Layer	Sponsor	Project Manager	Total Budget / Forecast over years (cash m€)	Extra Budget required in 2013 ?	Investment Driver	Capitalisation
IRG RPNL Exotics Envelope	Risk P&L	NA	BARRETT, Graham	0.00 m€	No	Industry mandated / Regulatory	Cap3

Clarity Project data as of: 12 Nov 2013 09:00:02:800

### Project Description

Context NA 1

Benefits

Scope

### Project Approval(s)

Date	Decision

### Project Status

Overall Status	% Complete	Global	Risk	Cost	Timing	Trend
	0%					

Executive Summary -

Achievements -

Upcoming Activities -


Back to Green Plan -

Risk & Dependencies -

### Key Milestones

Start 01/01/2013 End 31/12/2014

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Key Milestones (top 10)	Baseline	Revised	Comments
1-Project Start <span style="float: right; font-size: 2em;">5</span>	-	01/01/2013	
2-Project End	-	31/12/2014	

Project Card

IRG RPNL Exotics Envelope

Project Plan

*\*only upto 20 tasks presented*



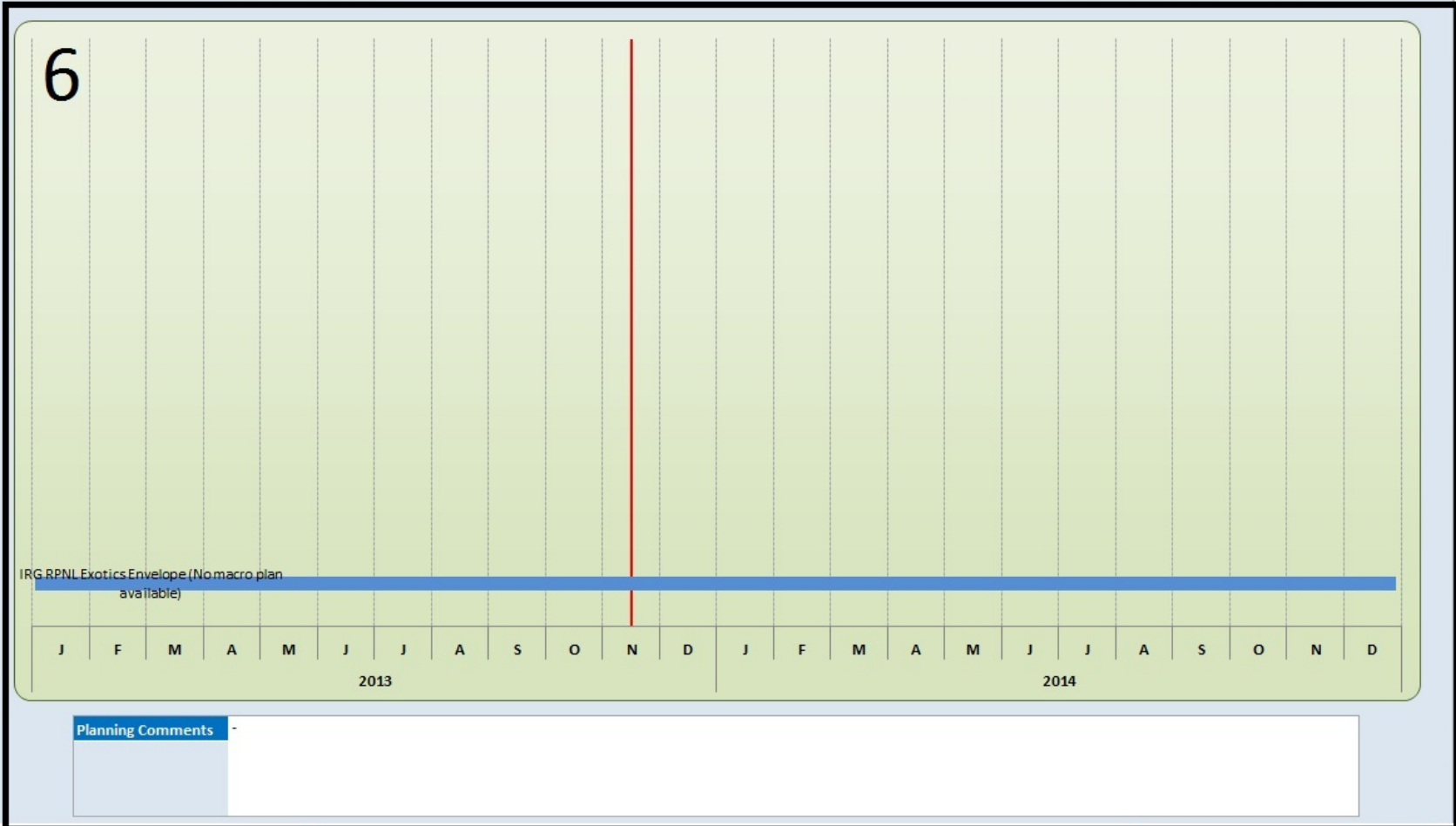
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Project Card				Project Financials											
IRG RPNL Exotics Envelope				Cash and P&L values in m€. Effort in FTE.											
<b>Cash in mEUR</b>				Tot Budget (over years)		A12		A13		B13		B14			
<b>7</b>		Cash (m€)	FTE	Cash (m€)	FTE	Cash (m€)	FTE	Cash (m€)	FTE	Cash (m€)	FTE	Cash (m€)	FTE		
	Permanent	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0		
	Contractor	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0		
	Consultant	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0		
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>		
	Software	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00			
	SW/Appli Consulting	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00			
	Hardware	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00			
	Travel & Exp.	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00			
	Others	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00			
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.0</b>		
	<b>P&amp;L in mEUR - Project Costs</b>				2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	TOT
Non capitalised investments				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Depreciations				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total P&amp;L impact (project)</b>				<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	
<b>P&amp;L in mEUR - Running Costs</b>				2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	TOT	
Additional IT running costs				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
<b>Financials Comments</b>															



# Clarity Project Card contd.

<b>Project Card</b>	<b>Project Governance</b>
IRG RPNL Exotics Envelope	

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<b>Project Manager</b>	BARRETT, Graham		
<b>Sponsor</b>	NA		
<b>Stakeholders</b>			
<b>SteerCo Members</b>		<b>SteerCo Planning</b>	<b>Notes</b>

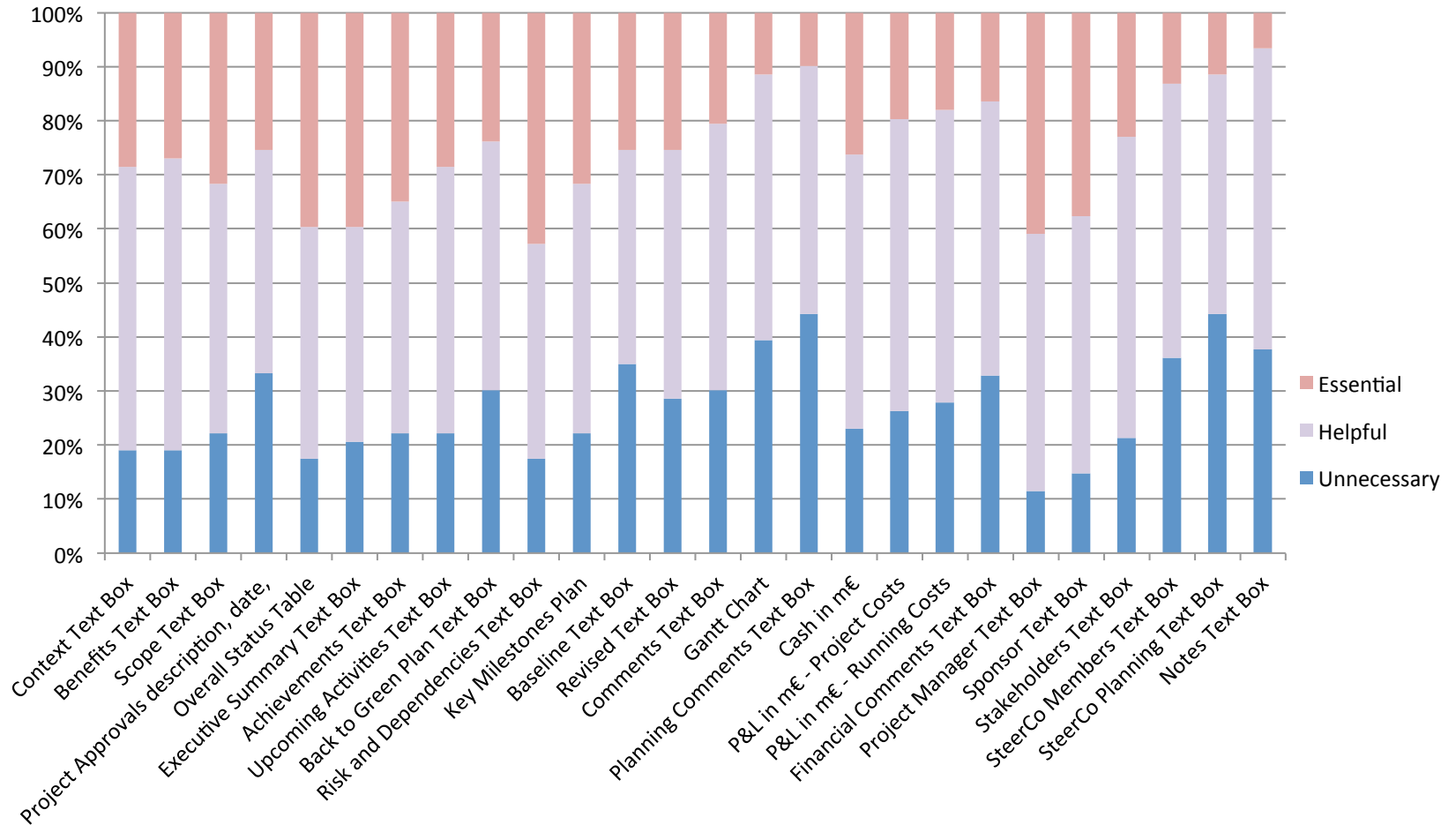
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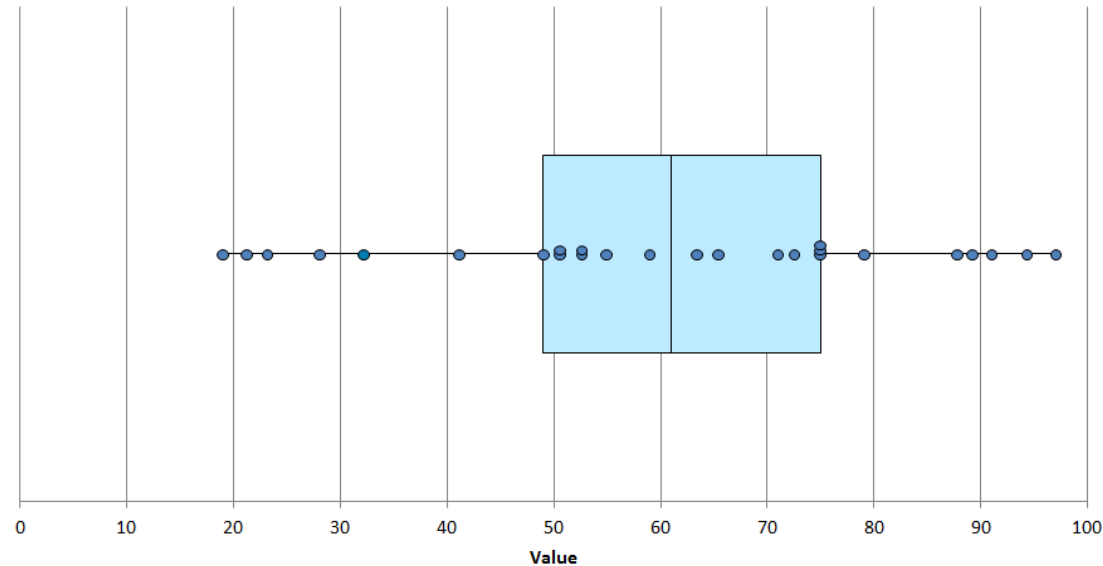


# Survey Results – Clarity Project Card

## Project Card Component Ratings



### Box and Whisker Chart of Components' Values



#### Components Below Q1:

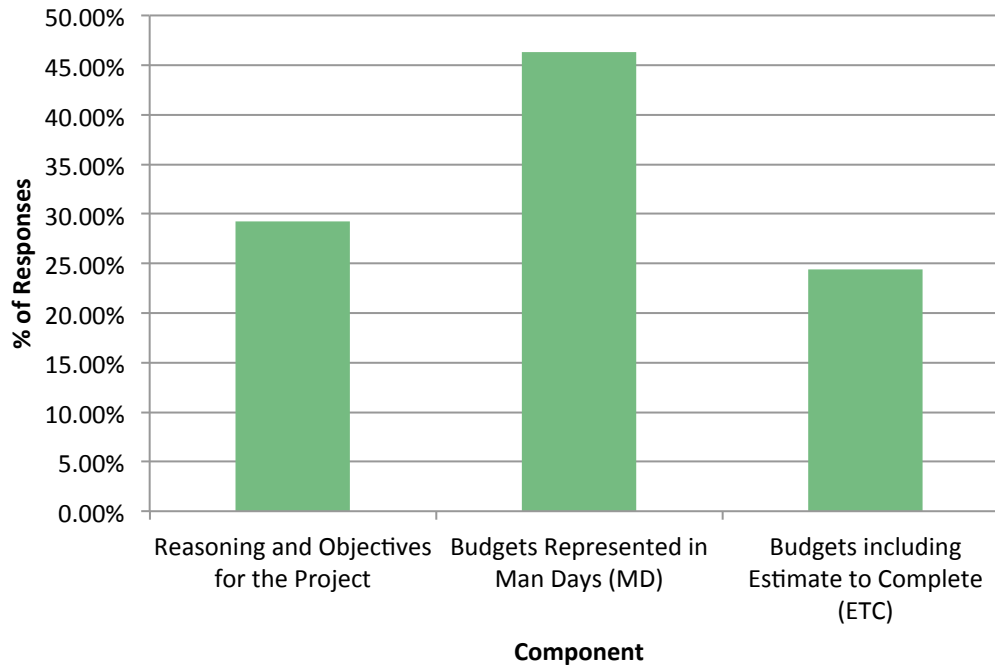
- Gantt Chart
- Financial Comments textbox
- Notes textbox
- Planning Comments textbox
- SteerCo Planning textbox
- SteerCo Members textbox

#### Components Between Q1 and Q2:

- Back to Green Plan textbox
- Baseline textbox
- Key Milestones Top 10 List
- P&L in m€
  - Project Costs
  - Running Costs
- Project Approvals



## Additional Components



Respondents' Suggestions:

- Cost benefit of project
- ETC for budget and forecast
- Evolution of budget
- Risk & Issues

Components	% of Respondents	Number of Responses
Reasoning and Objectives for the Project	29.27%	24
Budgets Represented in Man Days (MD)	46.34%	38
Budgets including Estimate to Complete (ETC)	24.39%	20



## Secondary Interviews

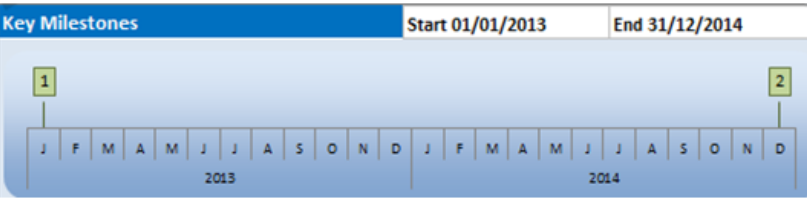
- Gantt Chart is helpful but not necessary unless it can assist in budgeting
- Project financials would be better represented in man days
- May be helpful to have customized Project Cards per teams





# Conclusions and Recommendations - Clarity

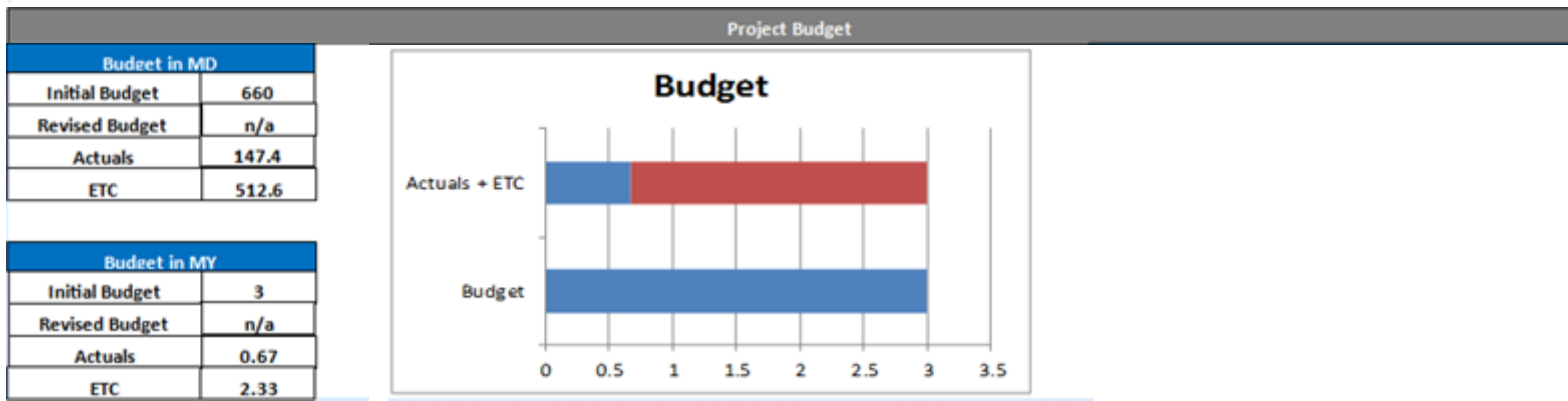
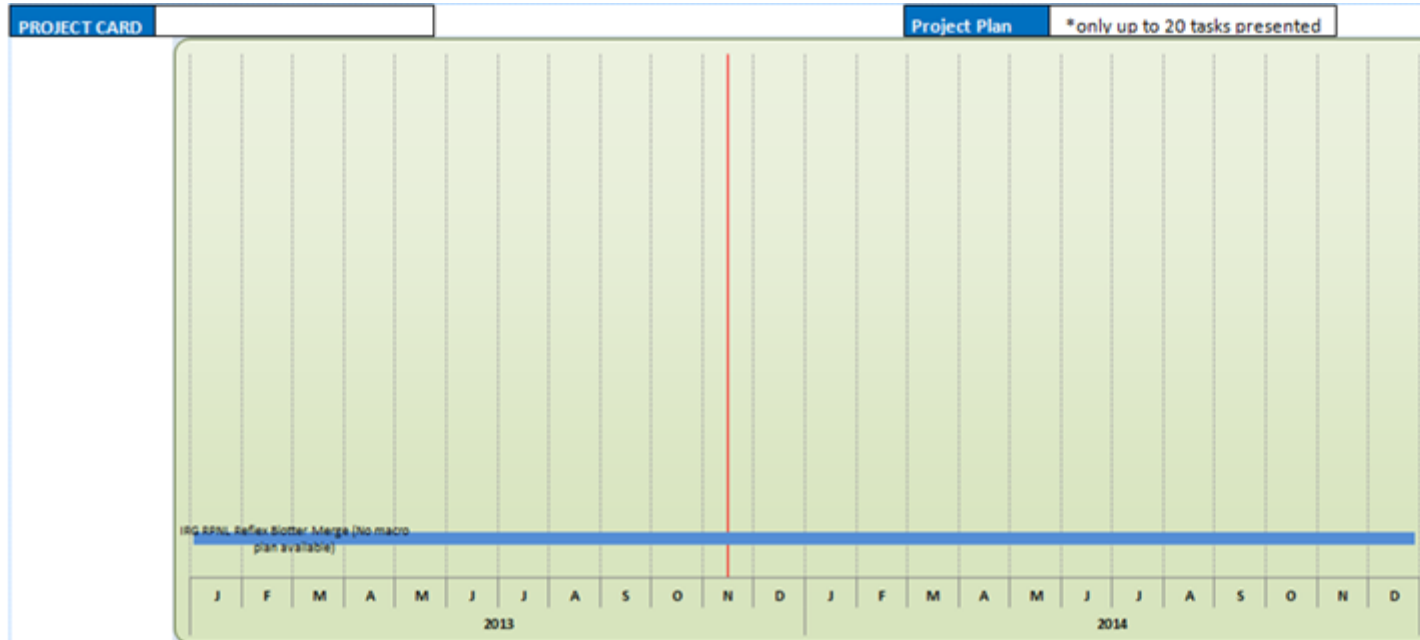
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PROJECT CARD		Functional Layer	Sponsor	Project Manager	Total Budget/Forecast Over Years (Cash m€)	0.00 m€	Extra Budget Required in 2013?	No	Instrument Driver	Capitalisation
							Notable Project	Yes		
Project Description	Reason for doing Project:			Benefits:			Scope:			
Project Status										
Overall Status	% Complete	Global	Risk	Cost	Timing	Total	Critical Risks/Issues			
	%					↗	Description		Mitigation/Resolution	
Executive Summary										
Reasons for Red & Amber										
Back to Green Plan										
Risk & Dependencies										
Project Approvals			Date	Decision		Milestones Delivery Plan (Achievements & Next Steps)				
							Target Date	Status		
								Completed		
								Completed		
								In Progress		
								Delayed		
								Not Started		
Key Milestones							Start 01/01/2013	End 31/12/2014		
										



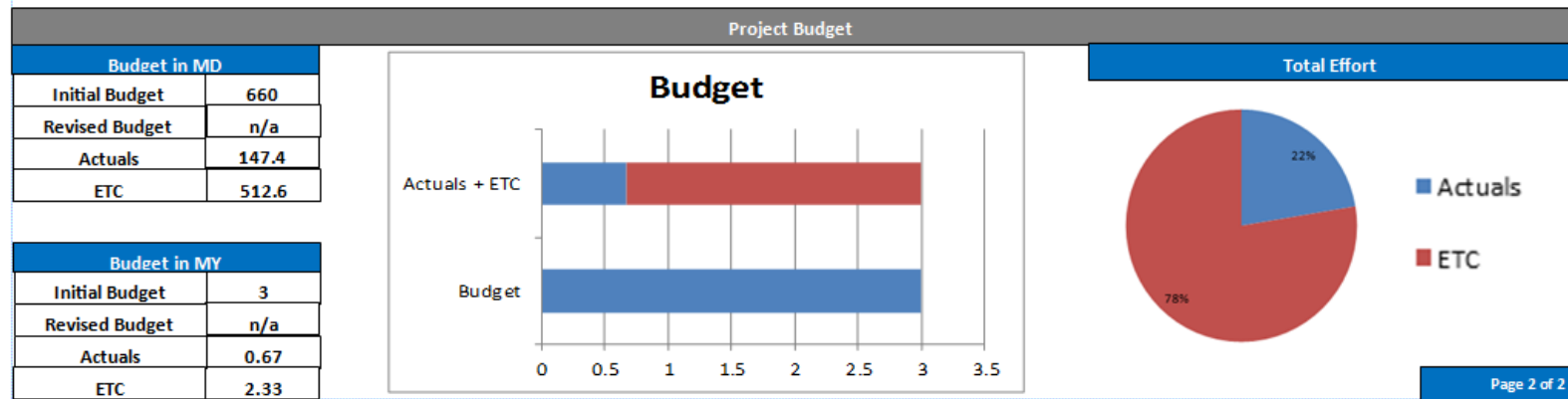
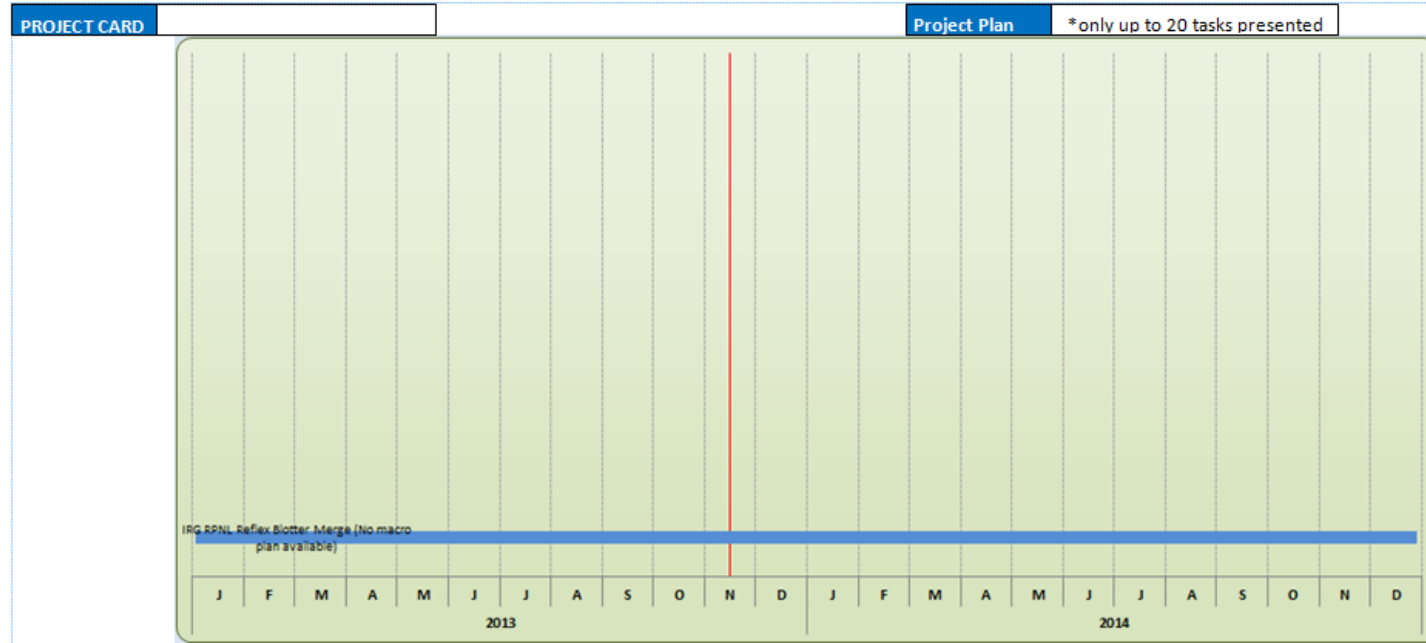
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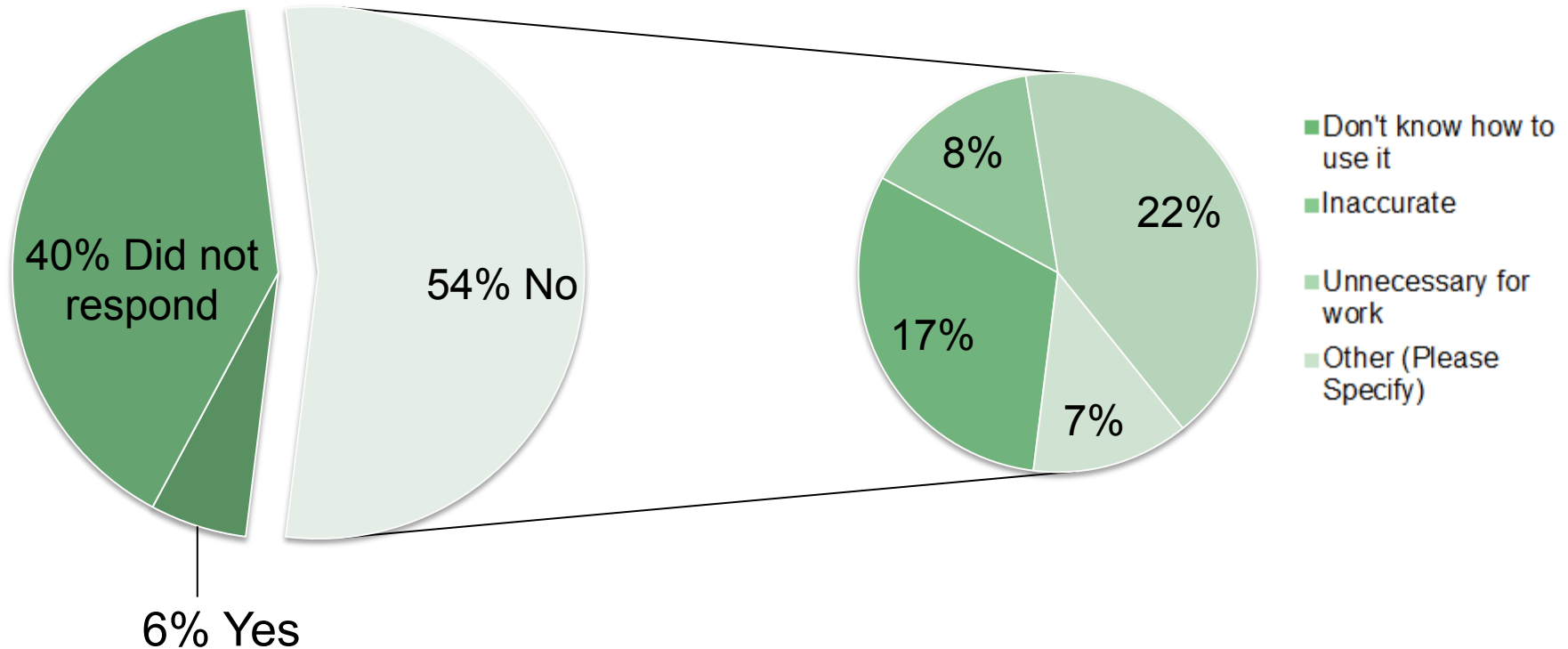


## Primary Interviews

- Included in Clarity but not used properly
- No defined use for reporting
- Not commonly used in project teams



## Why employees are not using ETC

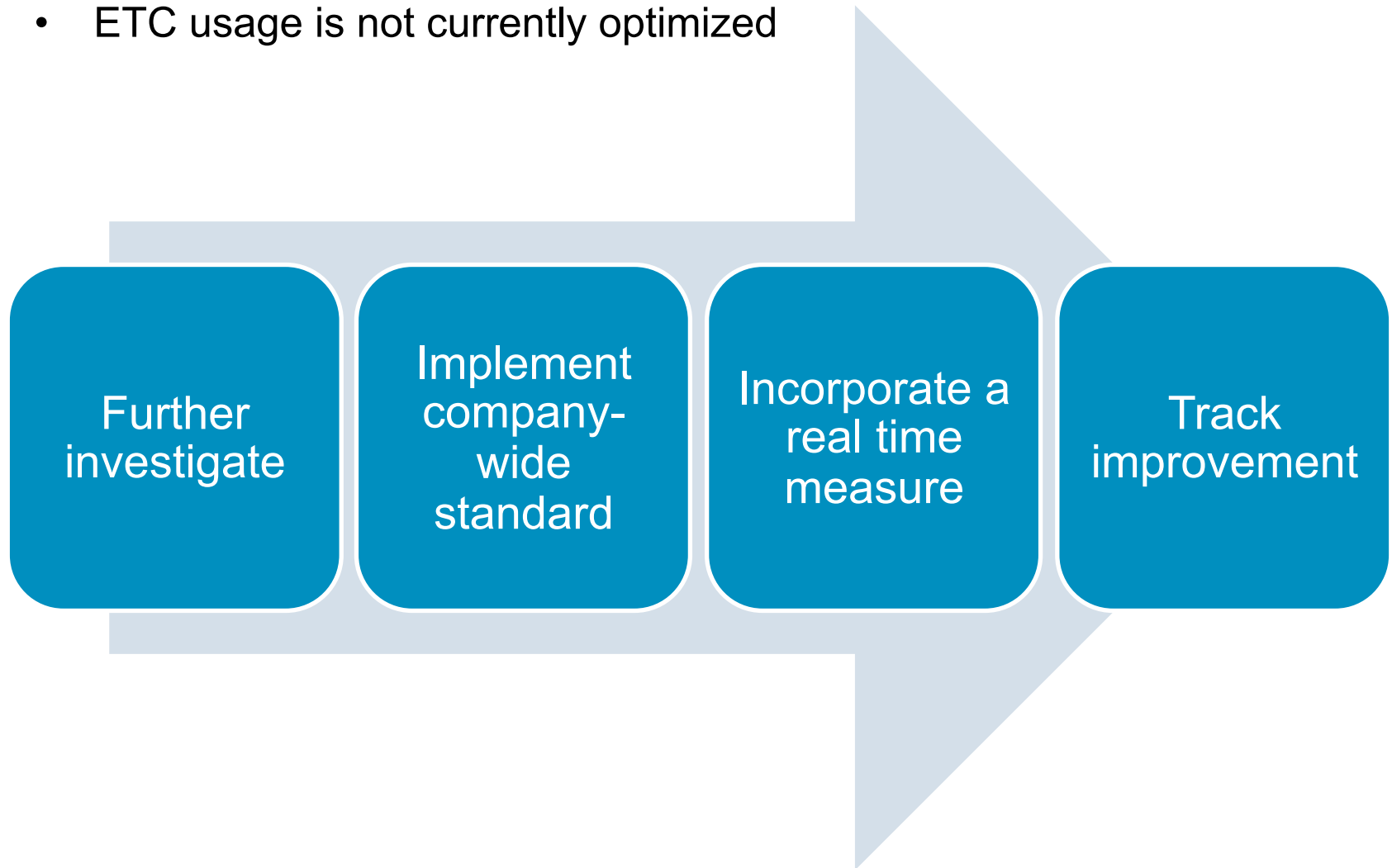


## Secondary Interviews

- Currently not used but would be beneficial for forecasting
- Needs more education on usage
- Would be better represented in REAL time



- ETC usage is not currently optimized



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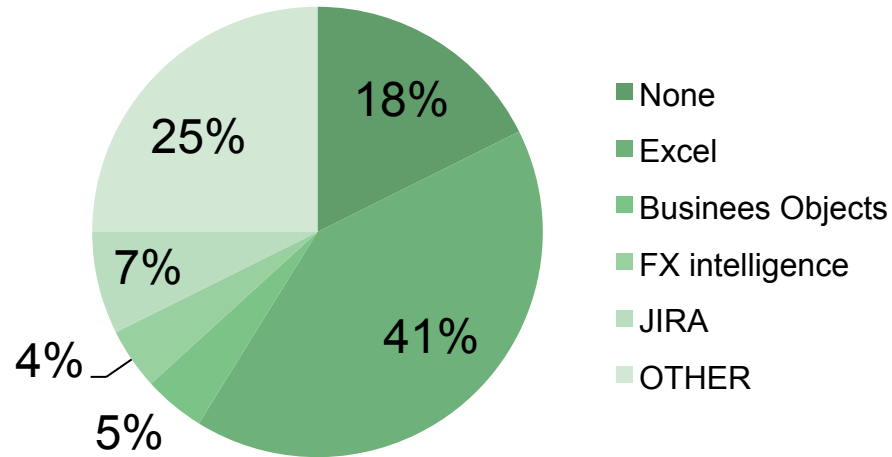


## Primary Interviews

- Useful tool for task management
- Contains useful internal features
- Produces data that is updated in Clarity

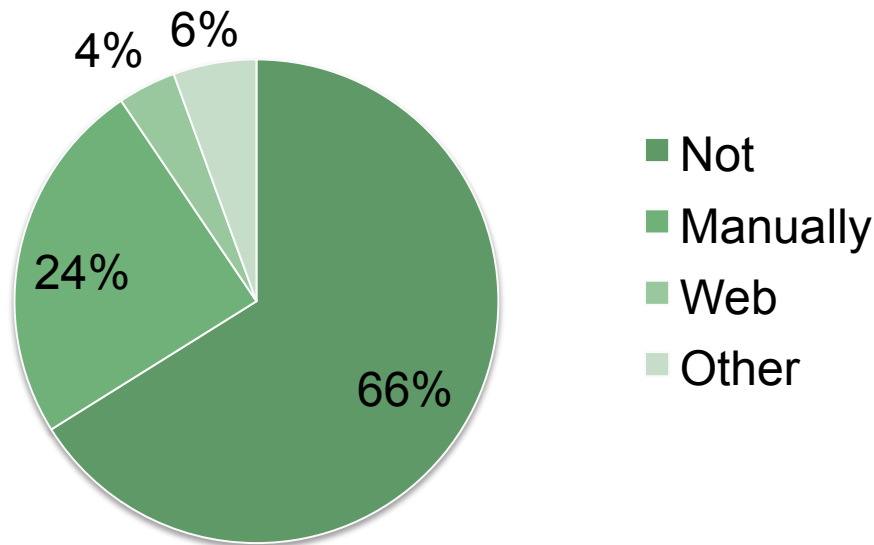


## External Reporting tools





## How JIRA is connected to Clarity



### Other Responses:

- In unused Clarity fields
- Not at the moment, but would be ideal
- Connection was not well made at the present
- JIRA works with AGILE management where Clarity works with waterfall management




## Secondary Interviews

- External databases are team specific
- There is no current linkage with Clarity



## Visibility

- JIRA has many unused internal reporting tools
- There is no majority of external reporting tools



Increase user  
access of JIRA  
throughout FIIT

Share best  
practices

Track improvement



## Connection to Clarity

- JIRA has no formal connection to Clarity
- Employees presently are manually entering JIRA data into Clarity
- Received a positive reaction
  - Optimization of Project Mapping
  - Employees would gain more value added time

Further  
investigate  
shared data

Understand  
possible  
connections

Test  
connections

Track  
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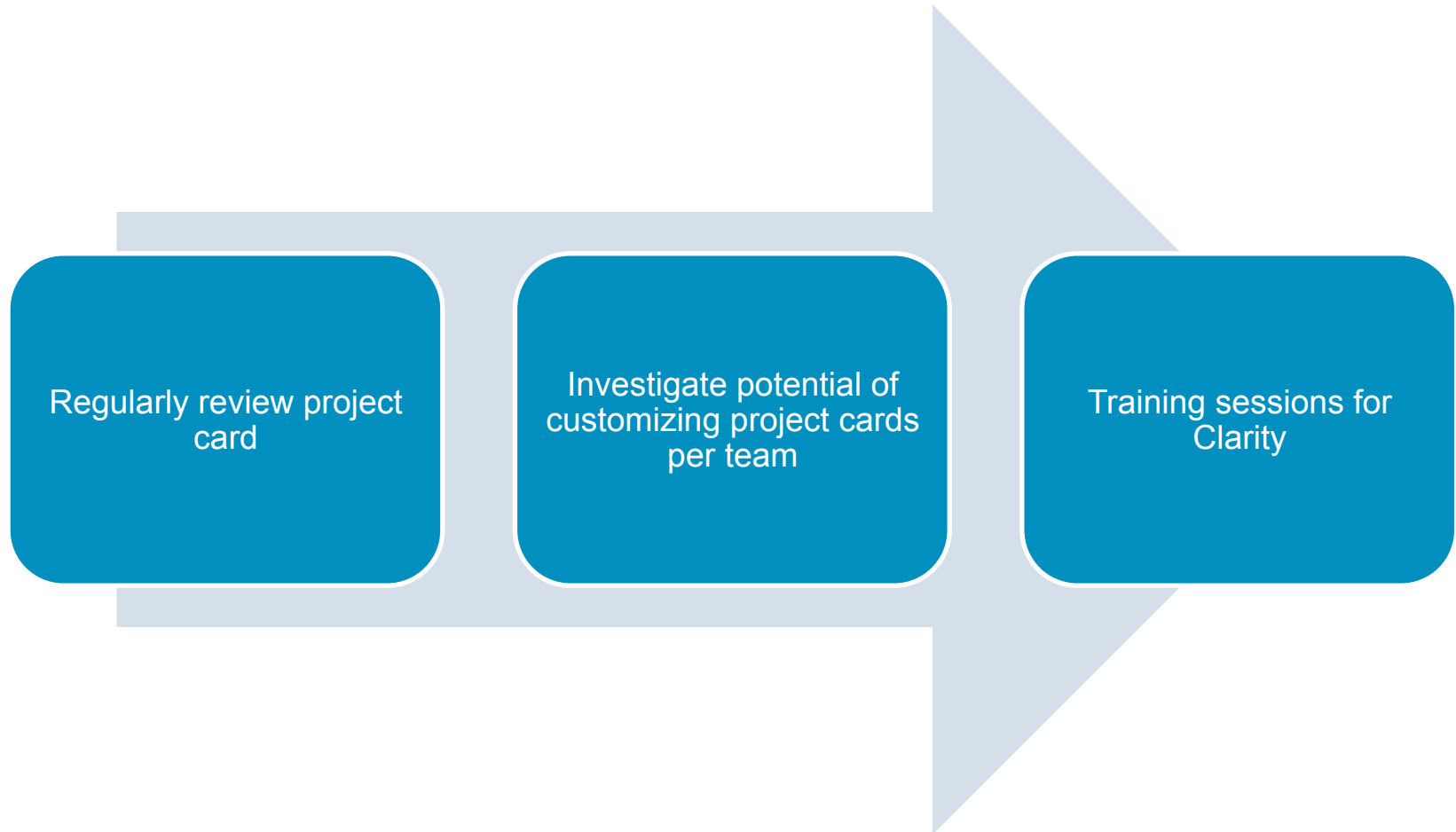
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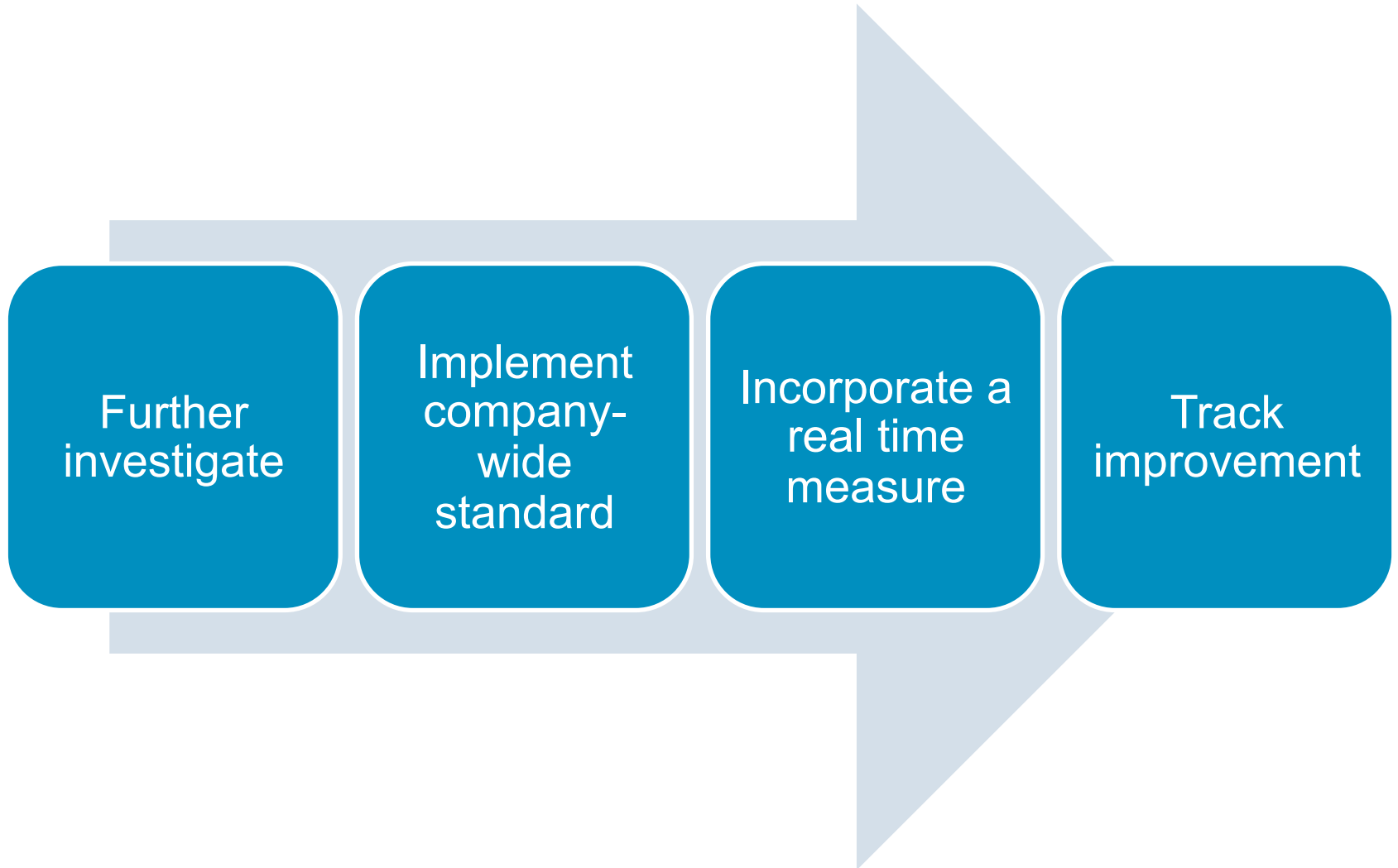




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