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# Intercompany program transformation





## **Common intercompany accounting (ICA) challenges**

## **Transaction volume**

- Lack of visibility into transactions
- Increased manual effort to reconcile intercompany transactions
- Out-of-balance intercompany accounts

## **Disparate systems**

- Disaggregated data sources
- Invoices not linked to intercompany transactions
- Manual intervention required for transactions between entities

## **Process complexities**

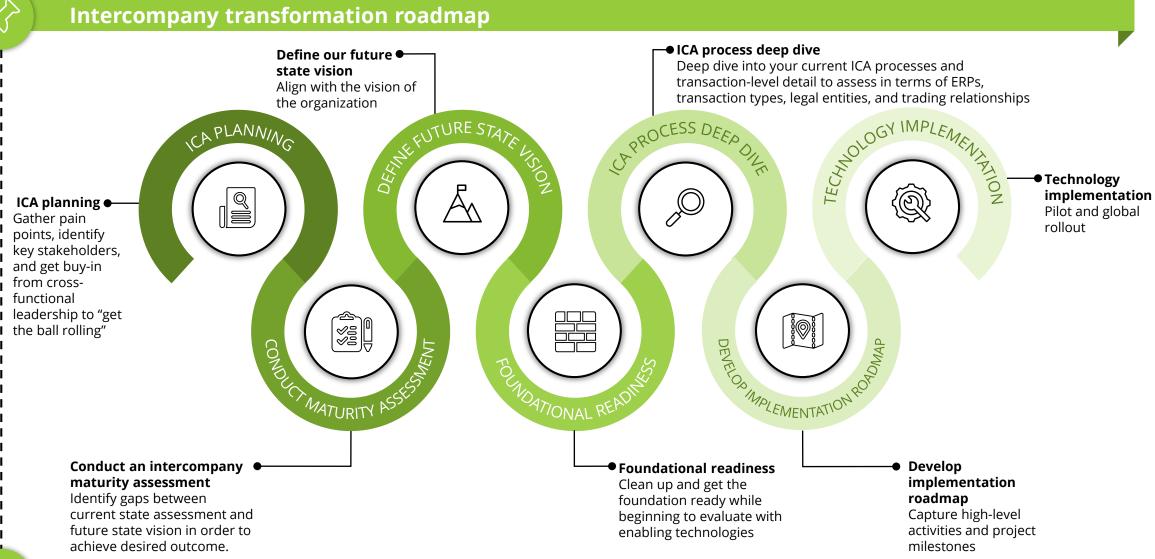
- Inconsistent processes and rules across businesses
- Lengthy process to trace and track down issues

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## **Our ICA framework**

## 7 framework pillars **Leading practices** Global policy executed timely; oversight from accounting, tax, treasury; 69 **Governance and policies** materiality used to rationalize transaction volume. Integrated transactional level pricing and analytics. Tight integration of Intercompany pricing transfer pricing and finance functions. Master data managed by center of excellence to support tax, business, and **Data management** finance requirements. Fully automated processing of invoices in ERP to achieve more standard **Transaction management** intercompany process and reduce timing delays. Automated dynamic settlement and clearing of originating transactions; **Netting and settlement** efficient management of cash considerations. Fully-automated, transaction-level matching, reconciliation, and elimination **Reconciliation and elimination** including clearing of original balances post settlement. Integrated reporting and analytics; dashboard visibility to performance Internal and external reporting

metrics.



## **Intercompany additional resources**

- Cleaning up the mess under the bed: Why intercompany accounting is increasing corporate risk
- Intercompany accounting framework and leading practices
- Transforming intercompany transactions accounting
- Intercompany accounting leading practices for transformation

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