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For many Shared Service Centres it's their SAP data processes that are proving to be the bottleneck in delivering a faster, more cost-effective service. In this presentation, we'll discuss the barriers to efficient processes and how we can help you lower your cost per transaction.

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Agenda

- Challenges in SSC's
- What kind of processes are automated with Automate Studio
- How is the automation developed
- Automate Studio and RPA

Scope of Shared Services



Data from: Global Shared Services 2017 Survey Report (Deloitte)

How do the SSC's work and communicate

The data is transmitted from the requestors to SSC with

- **Emails**
- Workflows are also used in some extent
- Ticket systems

The data is processed with

- SAP GUI based dialogues
- ABAP programs
- Other tools
- RPA

Challenges

Some of the methods and organization create problems due to

- Limited understanding of local business rules and regulations
- Loss of data
- SAP End-User dialogues not necessarily easy to use
- Time delays
- Minimal data validation possibilities
- Lack of auditability

What we do: Automate and streamline SSC business processes with Automate Studio



What have ADSOTECH's customers done to improve SSC processes with Automate Studio

- Repetitive processes with high data volumes have been automated via development of automated routines to load data from EXCEL to SAP
- Workflow processes have been implemented to control the flow of data from requestors to the SSC's
- RPA processes are gradually implemented with Automate Studio and RPA tools

Examples of typical processes

Finance (Record to Report)

FB01/FB50 Post documents

FBRA Clear/ Reverse document

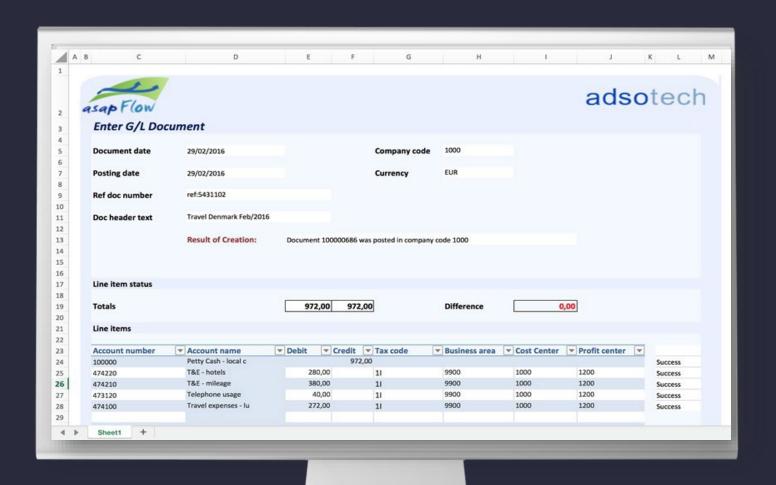
FD02 Change Customer

FD32 Change Customer Credit Management



Finance

GL Processing Automated



Examples of typical processes with large data volumes

Sales and distribution O2C

VA01 Create Sales Order

VA02 Change Sales Order

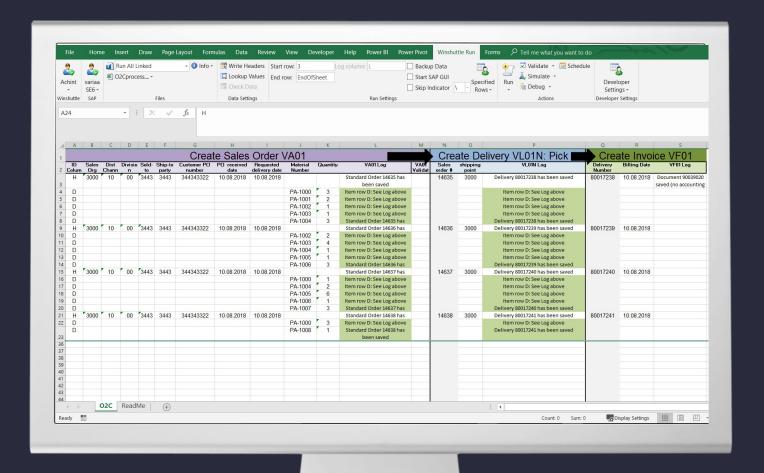
VF01 Create Billing Document

VK11 Pricing Condition Creation



SSC User Experience Order to Cash

O2C Processing



Examples of typical processes with large data volumes

Material Management

MM01 Create Material

MM02 Change Material

ME32K Change Contract

Human Capital Management

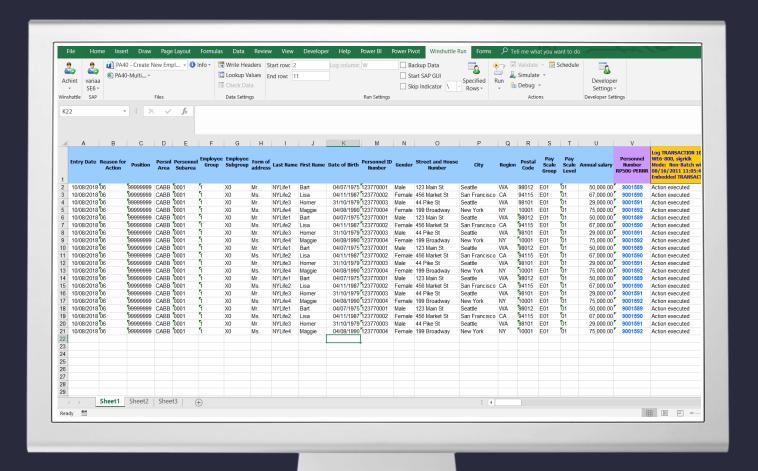
PA30 Maintain Employee Inforecord

PA40 Hire employee



Business User Experience HR

Mass employee load



Benefits according to customers

What are the benefits in using Automate Studio (Excel based processes)

- Easy to create any kind of script
- Enable SSC super users to make changes and create new processes whenever they need to
- Easy to use (user friendly)
- Validation of data before posting- better data quality
- Real productivity improvements and cost savings

Proven time savings

TCode description	Average days saved per customer	Processing time saved
VK11 - Create Condition Records	1,782	79%
MM02 - Change Material	959	77%
XD02 - Customer Change	404	89%
ME12 - Change Purchasing Info Record	392	83%
FB01 - Post Document	286	91%
PA30 - Maintain Personnel Master Data	280	88%
VA02 - Change Sales Order	127	67%
AS02 – Change Asset	102	75%
FB60 – Enter Vendor Invoice	82	95%



Business User Experience Finance

GL Processing Automated Workflow



Benefits according to customers

Workflow solution benefits

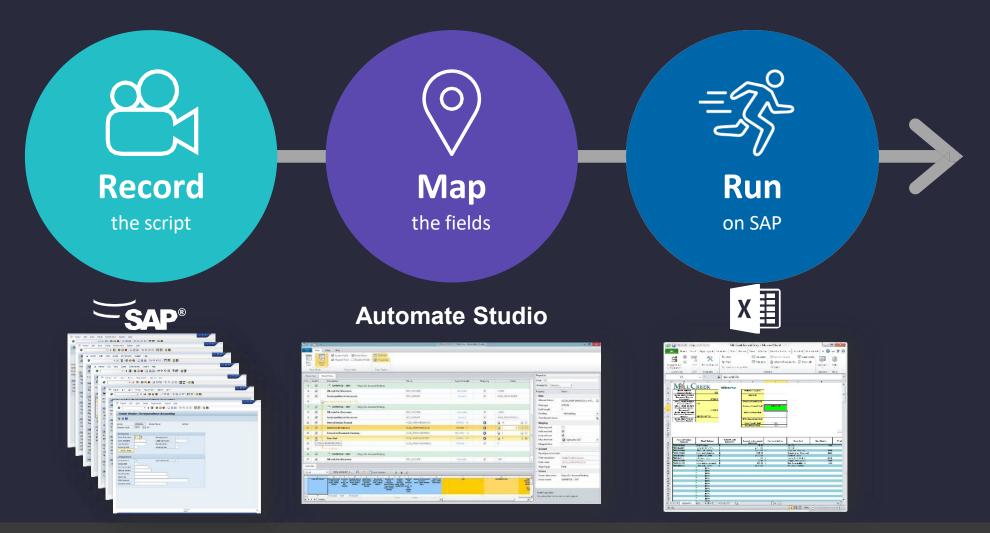
- Reduce data entry time
- Automatically populate data fields to reduce time and errors
- Improve data quality by real-time validations
- Enable SSC super users to make changes and new processes without IT involvement

Manage processes through visibility & standardisation

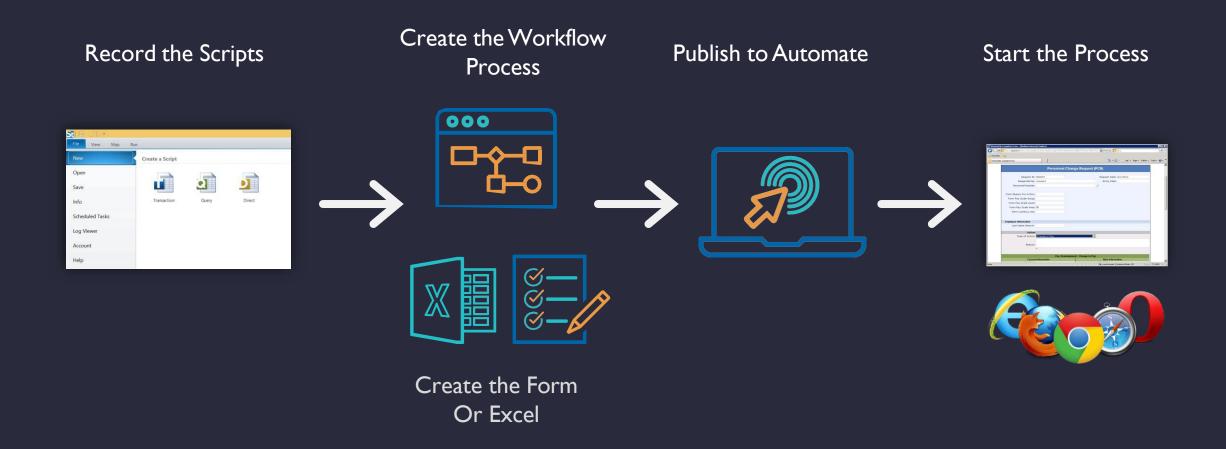
- Actively manage processes for greater efficiency
- View historical data to continuously improve processes



Creating an Automate Studio script



Web Form & Workflow Development



Recipe for scale

We are moving quickly to structure our organization for faster growth and to ensure we can respond to the fast-changing needs of our consumers, customers, system and associates around the world.

CEO Leading Global Beverage Company

2009	8,291 changes/creations	
2015	12,027 changes/creations	
Transaction volume	1 45%	
Cost per transaction	Automate Studio 👢 58%	

Scale



Increased volume without additional resources

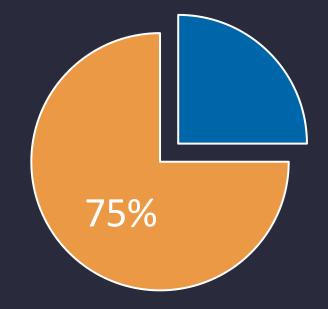
The Evolving Role of Shared Services



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Transactional vs Knowledge based work in most SSCs today

Enabler for shifting away from transactional activities is RPA or Process **Automation**



Over 75% of SSCs plan to increase their knowledgebased processes

Data from: Global Shared Services 2017 Survey Report (Deloitte) & State of The Shared Services and Outsourcing Industry Report Europe - 2018 (SSON)

RPA and Automate Studio

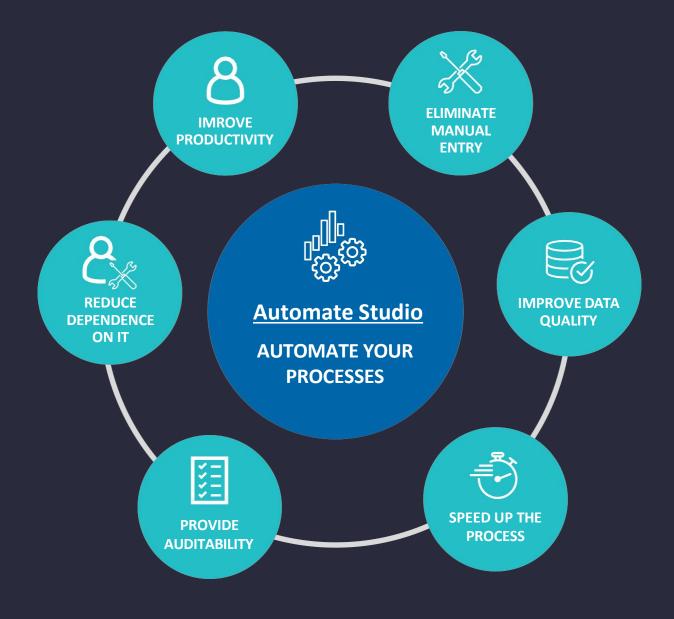
Automate is an RPA product, but SAP centric

- Integration between generic RPA products and Automate Studio provides the best solution
- The Automate Studio product has a lot of SAP intelligence which makes development of automation is easier and faster
- Automate is robust and fast in execution

Empower SSC teams to work better with SAP



Get time back by automating with Excel and Workflow



Improve data management across your SAP landscape in all business units



Financial Accounting



Controlling



Sales and Distribution



Materials Management



Plant Maintenance



Asset Management



Project Systems



Production Planning



Quality Management



Human Resources

Trusted by the biggest brands in Nordic Countries

Over 100 customers across every industry



Global and growing





SAP Certified Integration with SAP S/4HANA



