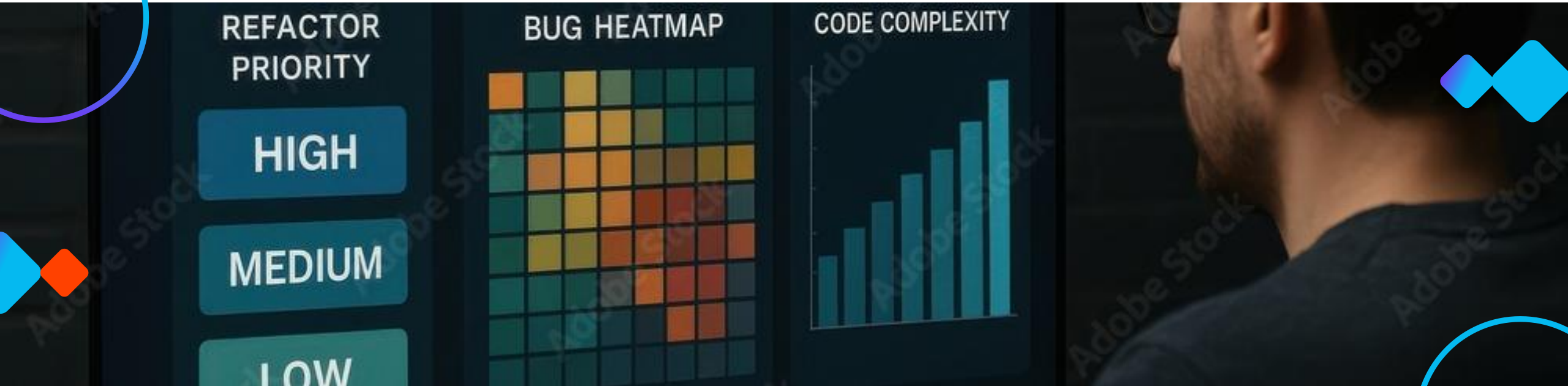


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MASTERCLASS:

Cracking the Technical Debt Code



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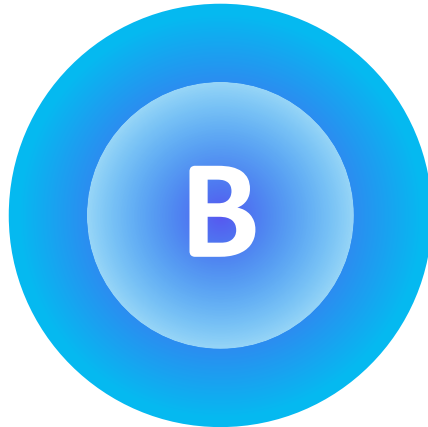
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Poll #1: Who has the final say on software purchases at your company?



LOB managers



C-suite or Legal



IT Department



Get to know IT



Stephen R. Covey

Author, *7 Habits of Highly Effective People*

***“Seek first to understand,
then to be understood.”***

Budgets are significant *and* tight



\$6,000

IT SPEND

Average per employee
per year

8%

SPEND OF GROSS

Average annual percentage

\$250,000+

SOFTWARE

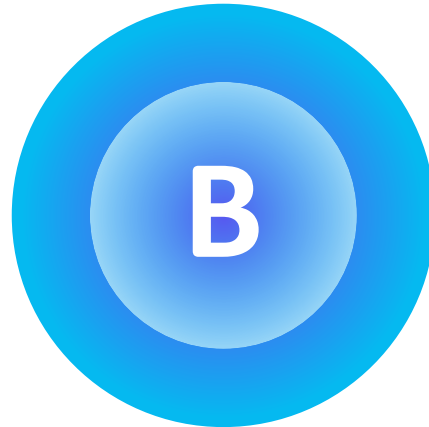
Average SMB spend per year



Poll #2:
How many dedicated IT staff members does your company have?



0



1 or 2



3+



IS less more?



25 employees or less



26 to 75 employees



Over 76 employees



Complexity is an IT headache



Business goals



**Technological
maturity**



**Regulatory
standards**

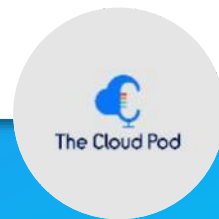


Cybersecurity

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“Technical debt is the cost of technical decisions that are made for the immediacy, simplicity, or [budget] that, while easy today, will slow you down or increase your operational costs/risks... Most often, it’s related to technical products but can be found in most business processes and use cases.

Justin Brodley, co-host of The Cloud Pod



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Technical debt is standing in the way of AP automation



Takes human and monetary capital



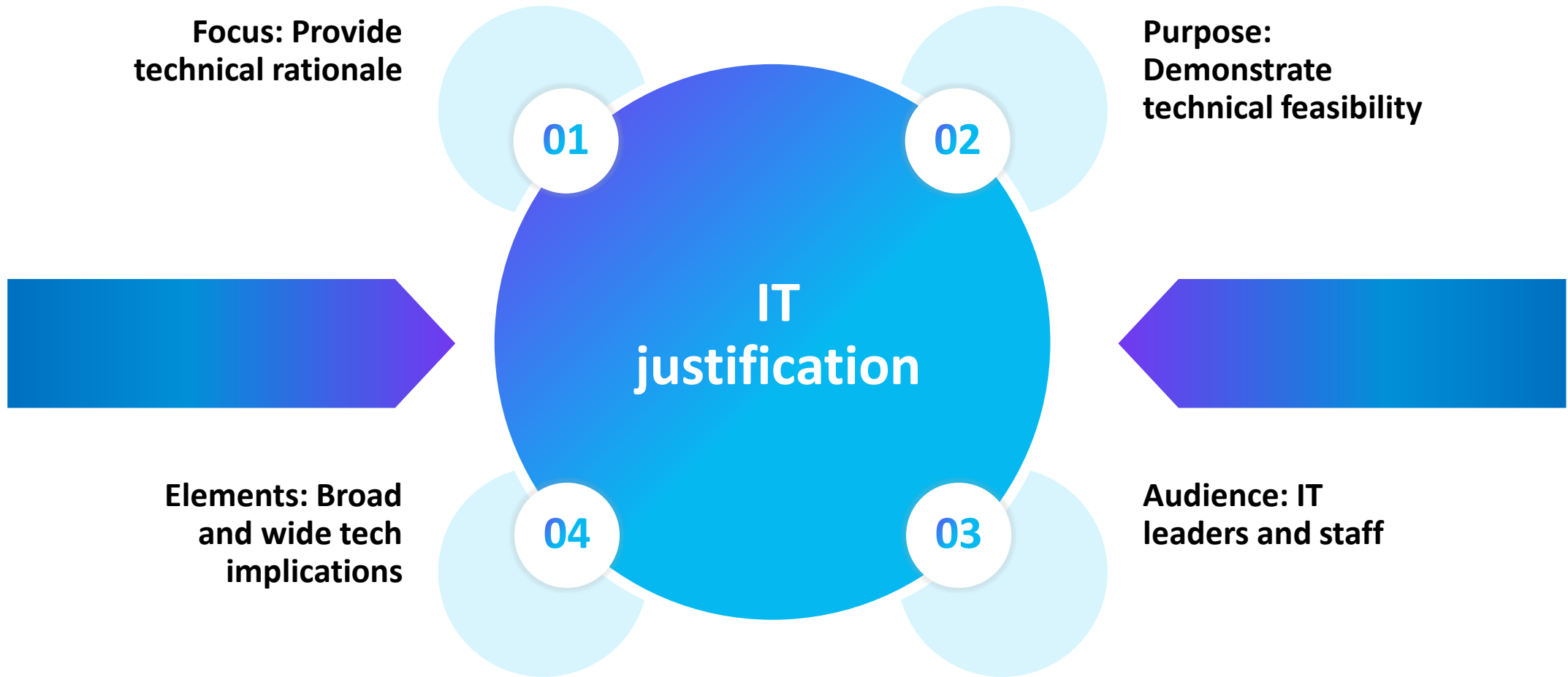
Impacts risk appetite



Business justification focuses how a project supports the organization's strategic goals, while IT justification specifically addresses the technical viability, costs, and benefits of the IT components of a project.

Poll #3: Have you participated in development of an IT justification?





A word about technical feasibility assessments



1

Tech requirements

4

Compatibility

2

Available resources

5

Time and costs

3

Risks and constraints

6

Compliance



Simplicity CAN be simple with Quadient AP

Easy PO creation **01**

Reduced errors and dupe payments **02**

Secure upload and storage **03**

Quick implementation **04**



Quick, safe payments your way

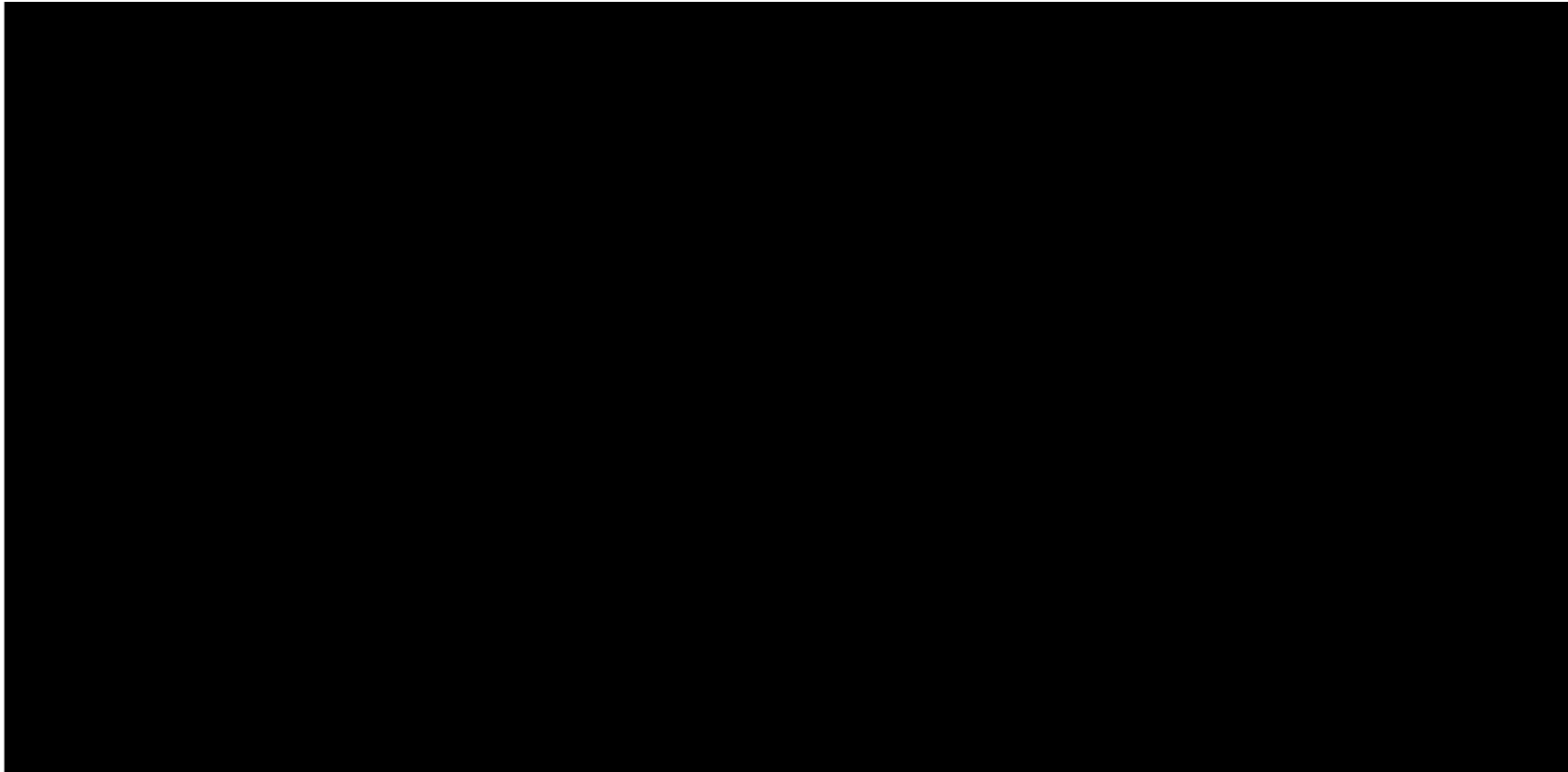


Payment choice



Payment security

**Poll #4: Which electronic payments attribute
would be most attractive to your vendors?**



Cloud ready, willing, and able



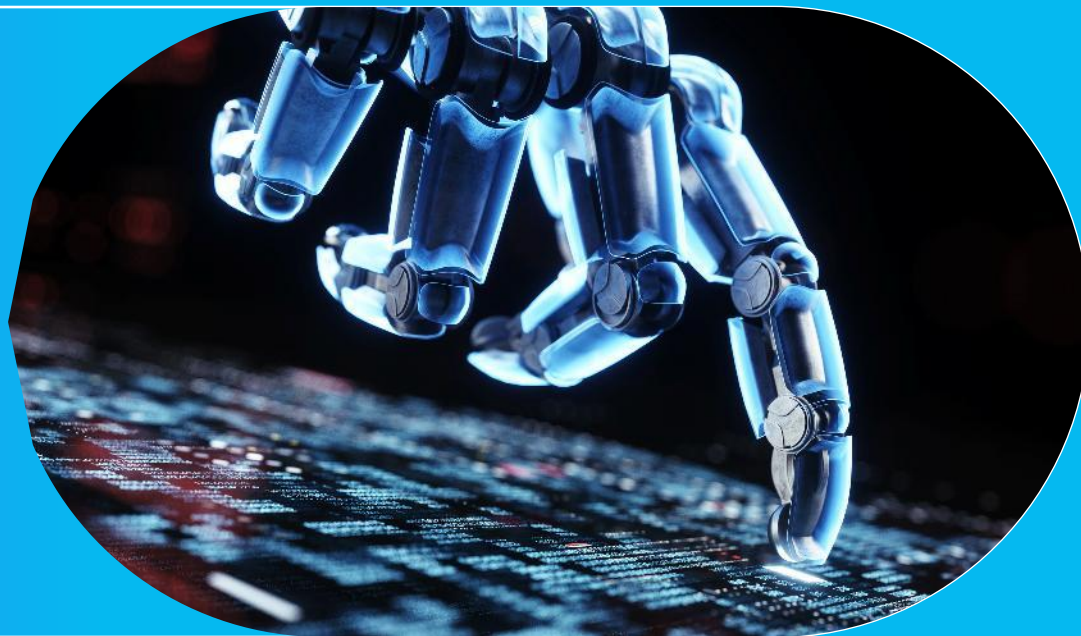
01 Connectors with the top systems

02 AnySync fills in the gaps

03 Easy end-to-end integration

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