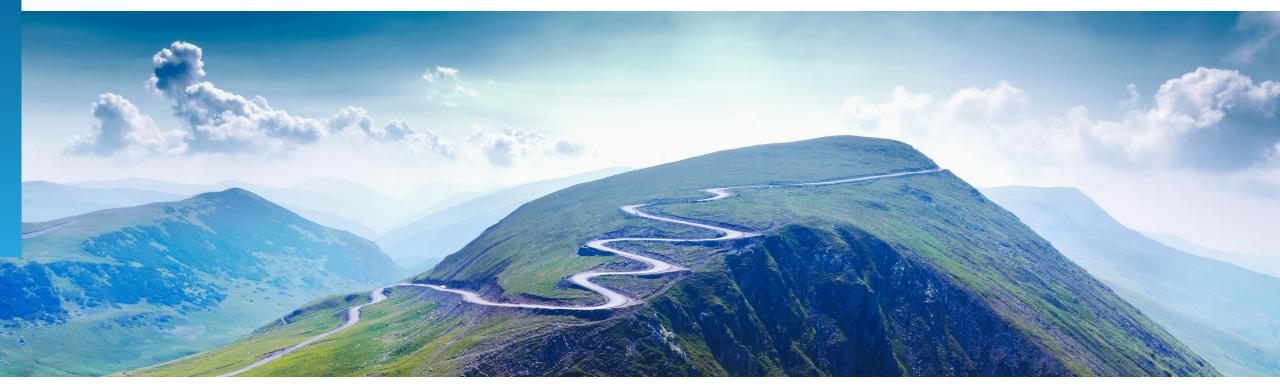




# **IT Sourcing Pinnacle Model® Assessment**

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# Pinnacle Model® research methodology



# Definition of Pinnacle Enterprises<sup>™</sup>

Everest Group Pinnacle Model® assessments identify Pinnacle Enterprises™ companies that are achieving superior business outcomes because of their IT sourcing capabilities. The journeys of these best-of-the-best companies provide insights into the key enablers needed to achieve desired outcomes and point to the investments required for the greatest speed-to-impact. Whether companies are wanting to make incremental changes or achieve major transformations, Pinnacle Enterprises exemplify the way to success.



Define the topic

We evaluate multiple themes to identify hot topics that will resonate globally with sourcing leaders. We work with internal and external SMEs to define the topic and set boundaries.



Survey enterprises

We use surveys, RFIs, and other data collection methods to gather information from enterprises on capabilities and outcomes associated with the topic under evaluation.



Interview participants

We then conduct interviews/roundtables with a subset of participants to gain deeper perspectives on their experiences, challenges, and journeys.



Form hypotheses

We form an emerging point of view on the correlations between capabilities and outcomes, adoption trends, and key success factors.



Validate and refine

A cross-section of SMEs from various practices debates and refines the emerging hypotheses.



Publish and educate

We compile and share the final results with participants, our members, and other stakeholders in the global services sector. Participants also receive a high-level customized analysis.



In the current Pinnacle Model analysis, we look at enterprise IT sourcing practices to compare outcomes with associated capabilities.



Pinnacle Enterprise differentiators



Accelerating your supplier management journey

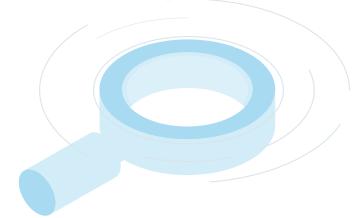


Implications for enterprises

# This study focused on the upstream procurement processes related to IT spend

Category management/ strategic sourcing Contract management and administration

Supplier Relationship Management (SRM)



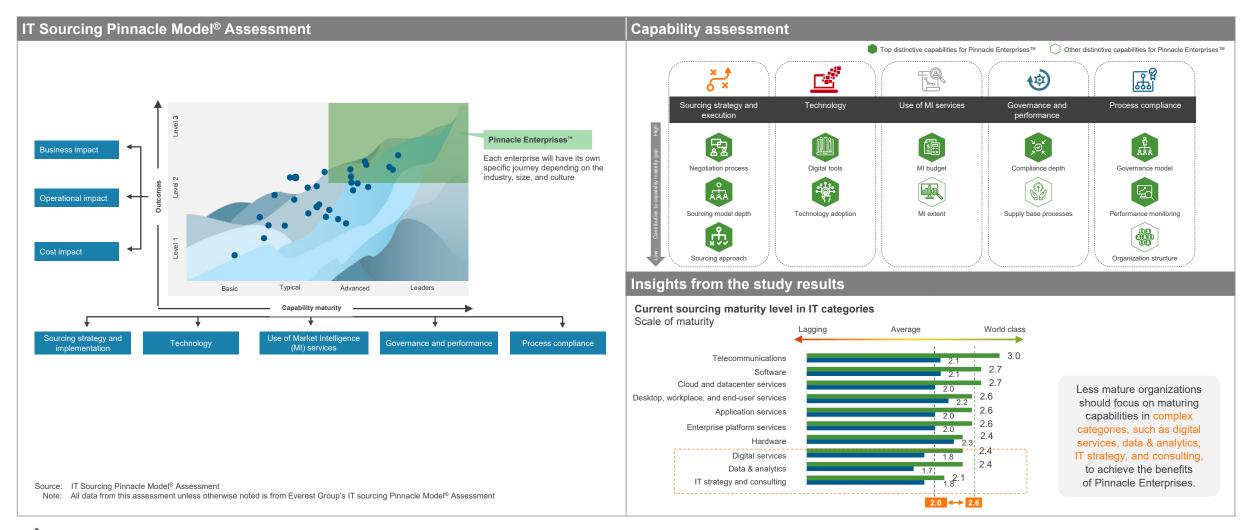
Indirect spend														
	Services							Materials						
Prof. services	Cont. labor	BPO services	Engineering services	Facilities	Legal	HR Services	IT	MRO	Office	Office	R&D	Capital	Events	
Strat consulting		Finance & accounting		Real estate	LP outsourcing	Benefits	Software		Supplies	equipment	supplies	equipment	and meeting supplies	
Ops consulting		Procurement		Landscaping	Patent services	Payroll	Hardware	Catering	Secondary	Safety	Uniforms	Printed	Marketing	
Tech consulting		HR		Snow plowing		Recruiting	Services	, J	packaging	supplies		supplies	materials	
		Contact center		Janitorial		Generalist								
		Supply chain		Office services										

Direct spend						
Services	Materials					
Contract manufacturing	Raw materials					
Logistics	Components					
Distribution	Primary packaging					
Temporary labor	Chemicals					
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Analytics

**HVAC** 

# Everest Group identified IT sourcing Pinnacle Enterprises™ based on their focus on outcomes and capability maturity; below are three charts to illustrate the depth of the report



# The IT Sourcing Pinnacle Model<sup>®</sup> report covers provider best practices followed by enterprise IT sourcing Pinnacle Enterprises<sup>™</sup>, and maps their outcomes with associated capabilities







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