

Built on Microsoft 365, the Proposal Manager Solution delivers banking specific capabilities for streamlining and improving the proposal management process for corporate lending





Integrate administration tools and insights with a modern, flexible experience and builtin compliance solutions.



Built for teamwork

Enable seamless cross-team collaboration with connected communications, document sharing, and co-authoring.



Unlocks creativity

Deliver compelling content quickly and easily with a connected experience across devices.

Commercial banking is extremely competitive



Highly competitive lending environment

34% of the largest global firms work with 11 or more banks.1



Pressure to reduce operational costs/margins

of back-office commercial bank employees' time is spent on repetitive, manual tasks.²



Increasing client expectations

of corporate clients are willing to change their primary bank to access services through a one-stop digital shop.³



Increased compliance and security demands

of commercial banks name compliance as the biggest challenge to offering a digital lending solution.⁴



Culture of collaboration

61%

say the solution to reaching their strategic goals is collaborating more across functions, paired with faster decision making.⁵

Banks are Digitizing Core Processes

Corporate Lending

Loan origination

Proposal management

Risk analysis

Compliance management

Funding & disbursement

Loan servicing

Loan repayment

Refinancing

Loan origination



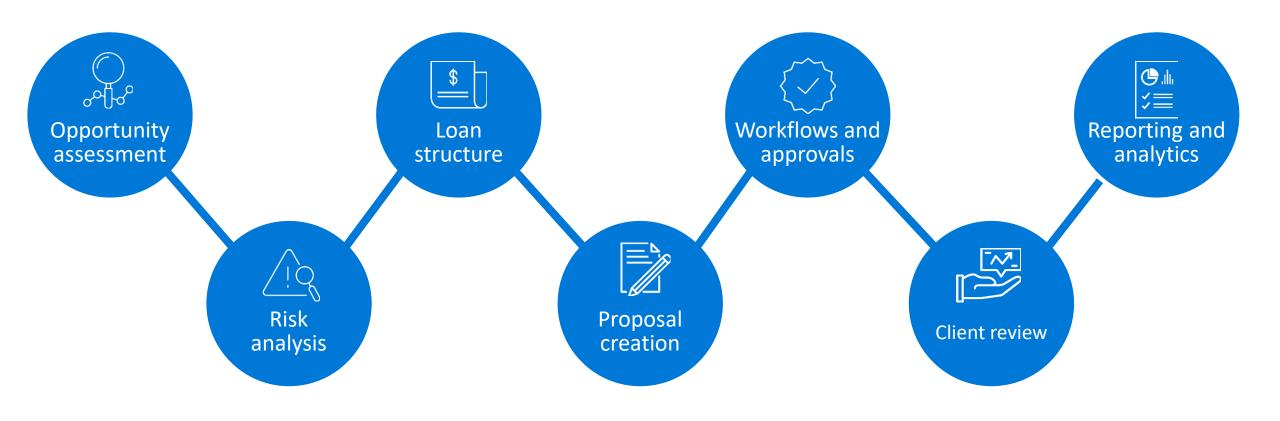
Automate proposal management

A Relationship Manager is building a repeatable process to create proposals for corporate bank clients. He needs to reduce the overall time taken to complete the loan process and deliver a proposal.

Data integration from core systems and documents
Customized and secure lending process workflows
Built-in proposal tracking and notifications
Dynamically generated proposals



Solution Streamlines and Automates a Disjointed Process



Proposal Manager: How it works

approvals.

Scenario: A relationship manager and loan officer work with other team members to prepare a commercial lending proposal for a prospective client. The Solution streamlines these steps:



and conditions.



Opportunity assessment

Challenges: cohesively and holistically gather and track data and documents associated with corporate lending

Identify corporate lending opportunities and rapidly trigger the proposal process

Track proposal status and uncover opportunities to optimize the credit facility

Easily gather client documents such as financial statements and business plans and link selected data

Generate and upload call reports on the go clearly reflecting clients' needs

Efficiently formulate client cashflow and funding needs

Automatically select the required templates and forms





Risk analysis

Challenges: assessing client funding needs, cashflows, collateral assets, and guarantees with a holistic view while mitigating risk.

Easily access a complete set of client financial documents

Accurately assess and valuate client collateral assets

Seamlessly evaluate and optimize the client and credit facility risk

Consider obligor liability and limits in the proposal context

Easily collaborate with the proposal team to explore credit options with the client and improve return versus risk





Loan structure

Challenges: balancing competing priorities – creating a loan that is favorable to the bank while providing a competitive, winning deal structure. Presenting a credit structure that will engender internal approval.

Seamlessly generate credit facility structure disbursement schedules

Tap into the power of the team to consistently formulate viable options with pricing and expected returns

Determine credit terms and conditions

Set forth clauses of default





Proposal creation

Challenges: ensuring completeness, correctness, and currency of customer documents. Easily obtaining relevant internal documents. Streamlining the proposal creation process across disjointed data siloes.

Schedule tasks for and assign sections of the draft proposal to deal team members

Automatically create client documents (including waivers where required)

Prepare offering ticket for internal approvals, and determine appropriate approval route to expedite sign-offs

Dynamically generate proposal through collaborative iterations with the deal team and client





Workflows and approvals

Challenges: identifying point-people for approvals.

Orchestrating the deal pursuit. Unifying and automating paper-based processes. Conducting interim and final approval. Automating compliance checks with artificial intelligence capabilities.

Efficiently conduct profitability analysis

Collect appropriate sign-offs from approvers and senior credit risk officers

Obtain approval from credit committee as necessary

Easily monitor workflow and individual task status via notifications and visualizations





Client review

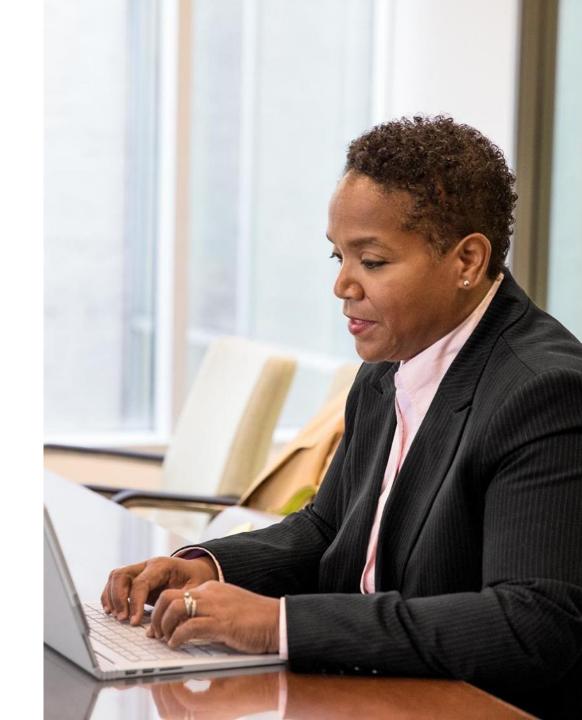
Challenges: accurately capturing call memos and reflecting client's feedback. Incorporating feedback into a revised proposal. Creating customer presentation. Explaining loan structure, default clauses, and loan advantages and terms to customer. Making updates based on client feedback in real-time with notes and annotations.

Formalize and finalize proposal documents with automatic component compilation

Collect and securely safekeep documentation of financial collaterals

Easily submit the formal commitment letter to client, ensuring it reflects the agreed upon and approved terms

Conduct impactful proposal presentation



Proposal management processes tailored to a variety of roles









Banking Specific Solution Built On Microsoft 365

Proposal Management Site and Mobile App Digital call memos Consolidated, secure document repository **Built-in workflows & notifications Cross-group collaboration** Capabilities Collaborative document editing **Document versioning** Real-time analytics Secure document archiving Digital signing Mobile view **Core Banking Systems Integration**

Microsoft 365 Enabling Technologies

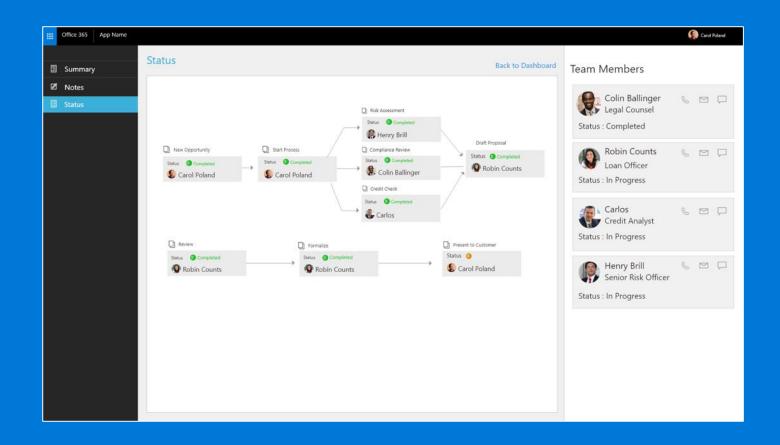
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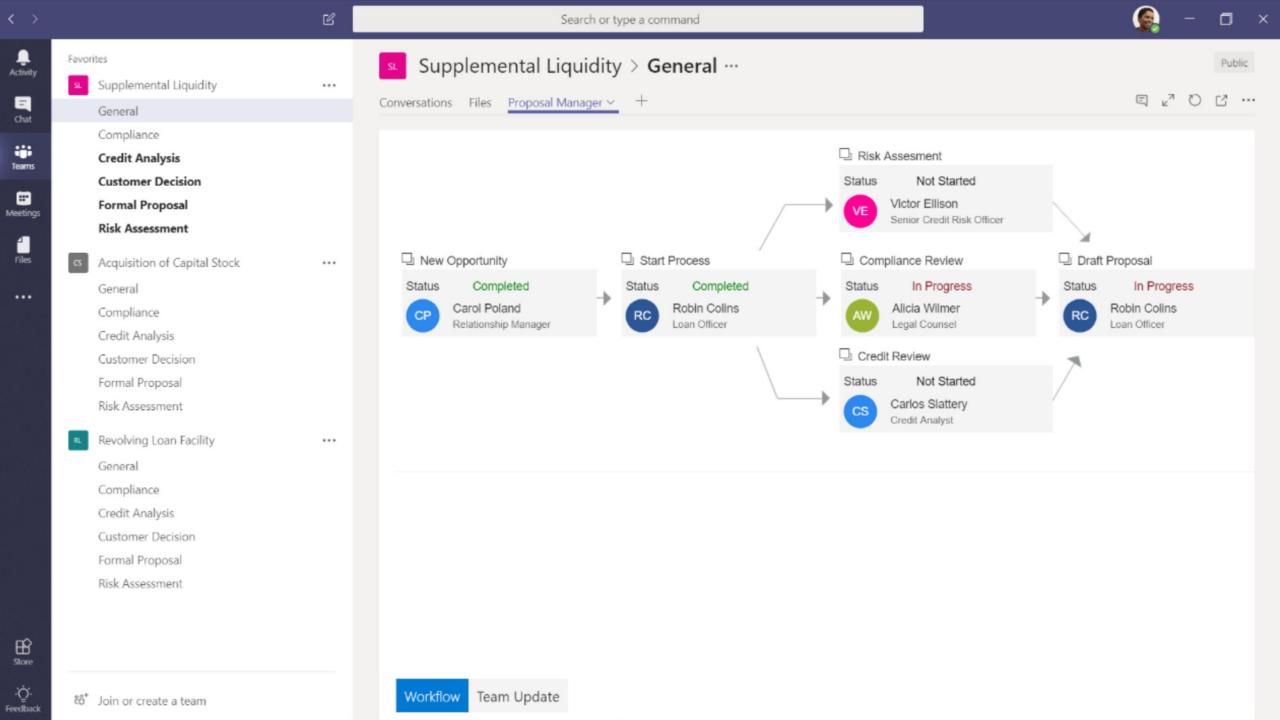
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SharePoint ECM/Compliance
Workspace

Built-in Workflow and Deal Team View

View the proposal workflow and overall status, broken down by role. One can see the status of different tasks and which team member is responsible for each step in the process.

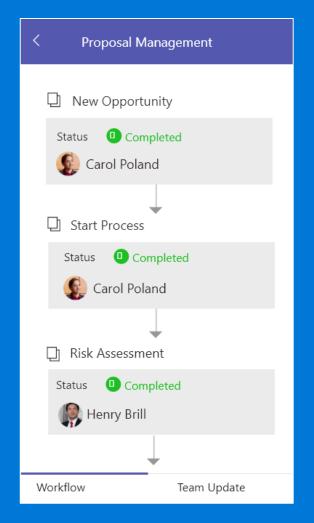
See all channels related to a particular opportunity in a unified hub, as well as related conversations and files. This layout provides a snapshot of the proposal status.

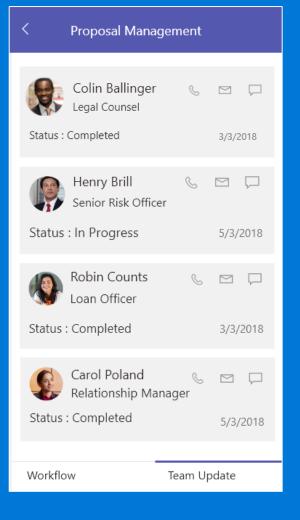




Mobile Workflow

View the proposal workflow and each item's status, broken down by role. One can see the status of different tasks and which team member is responsible for each step in the process.





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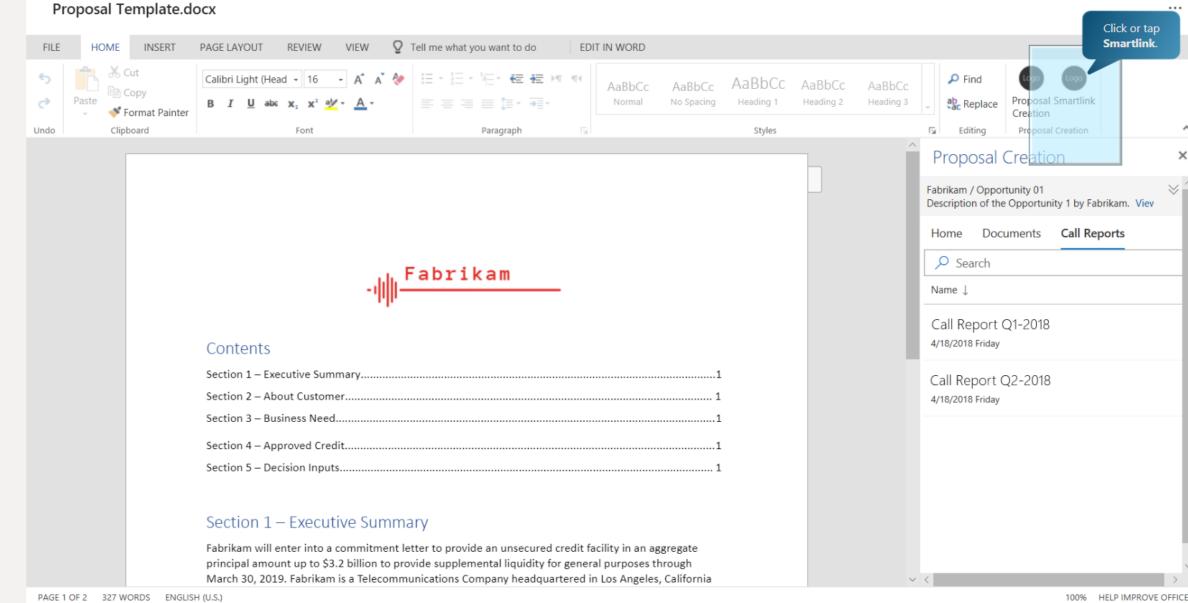








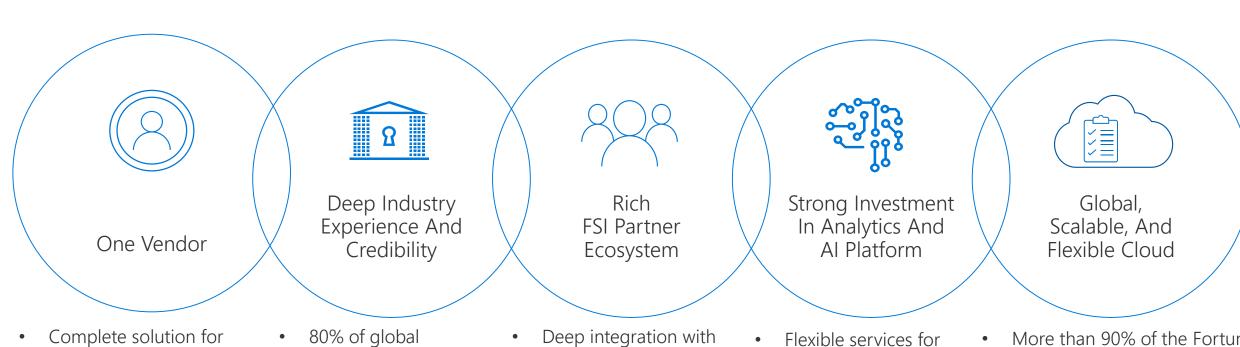




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The Microsoft Advantage

A complete platform developed by a vendor with decades of industry relevant experience



- Complete solution for proposal management
- Integrated solution delivers a unified banking experience
- 80% of global systemically important financial institutions have adopted Microsoft's cloud
- Deep integration with core system providers
- Multiple Partner-built solutions on top of Microsoft's platform
- Flexible services for any scenario, from bots to natural language processing
- Al Infrastructure with virtually limitless scale
- Comprehensive tooling for Al coding and management

- More than 90% of the Fortune 500 on the Microsoft cloud
- Most consistent and complete hybrid cloud on the market
- WW network of datacenters across 42 regions, more than any cloud provider
- Specialized Microsoft FSI Compliance Program



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