

# Streamlined Vendor Payments for Leading Smartphone Manufacturer

## Current State

A leading global smartphone and AIoT company with a vast supplier network faced inefficiencies and errors in its vendor payment processes due to a lack of automation and centralized oversight. This resulted in difficulty monitoring payment schedules and amounts, hindering operational efficiency.

## Desired State

The company sought to automate and optimize its vendor payment process to reduce errors, enhance efficiency, and gain real-time visibility into payment schedules and amounts.

## Challenge

The existing manual system struggled to track payments effectively, leading to potential delays, errors, and a lack of transparency in financial transactions.

## Solution Framework

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### 01 Analysis

Evaluated the existing vendor payment processes and identified key pain points related to manual data entry, limited visibility, and inefficient tracking mechanisms.

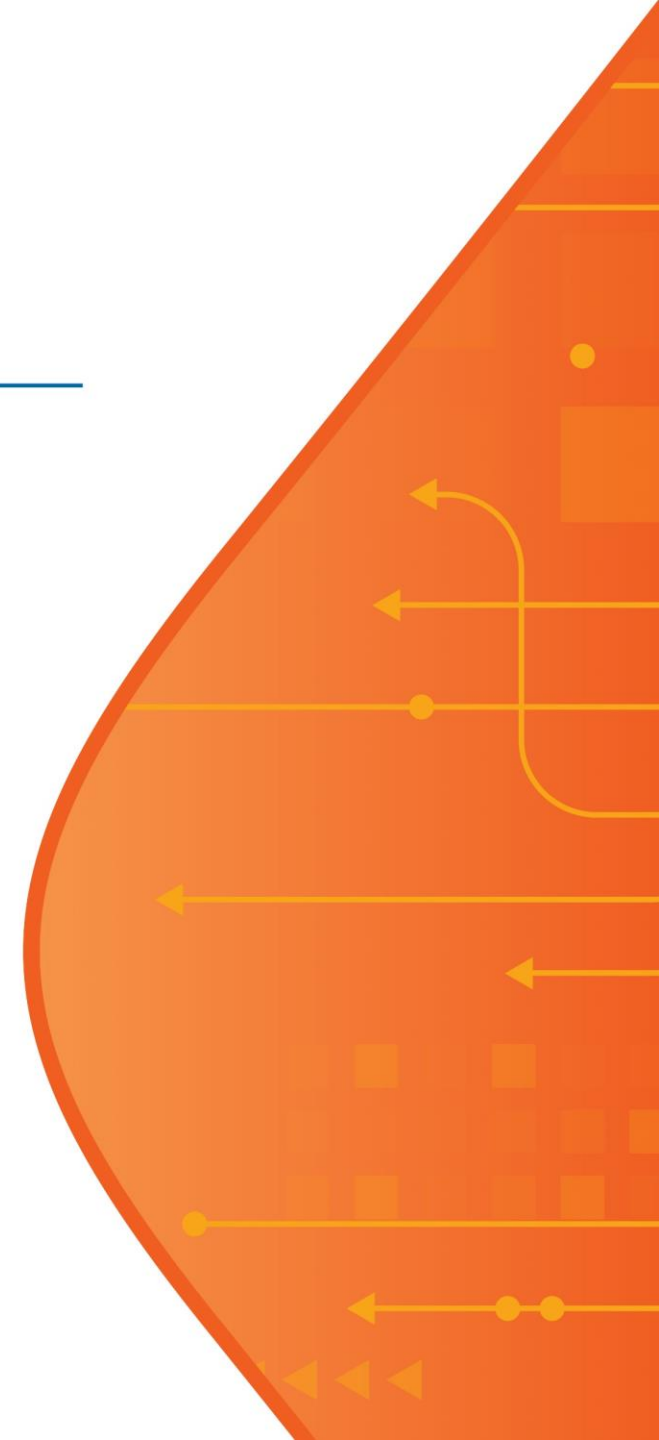
### 03 Insights

Automation drastically reduced errors, while real-time tracking and weekly summaries empowered proactive financial management, saving 8 hours per week.

### 02 Methodology

Developed a user-friendly web application specifically designed for vendor payments. Key features included:

- **Automated Processing:** Eliminating manual data entry and reducing human error.
- **Payment Summaries:** Generating essential overviews of vendor payments by date and week.
- **Dynamic Charts:** Visualizing payment data for easy comparison across vendors and time periods.



## Impact

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### Outcome

The automated solution dramatically improved **efficiency**, eliminating duplicate invoices, reducing payment processing time **by 40%**, and saving **1,200** person-hours per year.

### Long Term Benefit

The company now has a scalable and efficient **vendor payment** system in place, ensuring accurate, timely payments and driving continuous **operational improvement** within the telecom industry.

