

Largest Oil & Gas Company Monitors & Improves Accounts Payable KPIs through Process Mining & Automation

01 About Customer

The client, an oil and gas company, is one of the largest in terms of revenues and profits. Headquartered in London, UK, the company has a presence globally. The company explores, refines, markets, and supplies oil and natural gas.

2 Business Challenges

The client wanted to improve the Accounts Payable process by:

- Monitoring key performance indicators (KPIs)
- Identifying the areas of inefficiencies and errors contributing to the cost
- Using data effectively to produce better reporting on KPIs
- Weeding out errors and optimizing the process

Therefore, it opted to closely monitor KPIs that indicate what the business owes to its suppliers, vendors, and creditors by automating its Accounts Payable process.

03 Solution Provided

AG Technologies provided the solution using Celonis, the process mining tool. The solution helped to

- Analyse, monitor, improve and optimize the accounts payable process
- Recognize the areas of inefficiencies
- Identify processes where automation can deliver value
- Build various operational and financial matrix dashboards or the client to track the Accounts Payable process in real-time
- Make quick decisions

The analysis built included:

- Paid-on-Time Percentage
- PO Coverage
- Invoice Cycle Time
- Digital invoice penetration
- Daily Payment Outstanding
- Manual Payment counts
- Vendor with Debit balance
- Blocked Invoices
- Duplicate payment prevented and Duplicate payment done

04 Benefits

The process automation solution delivered significant benefits to the client. The key benefits include:

- Dashboard for real-time tracking of AP process that enabled fast decision making
- Substantial increase in the throughput capacity/FTE to 13K invoices Cost benefits worth \$380K
- Significant improvement in efficiency

05 Technology & Partners





START 1,77,795 **1,167,795 Vendor Creates Invoice** 1,176,438 918,712 Record Goods Receipt 1,177,795 918,697 Record Goods Receipt 1,168,736 656,113 Post Invoice 1,168,702 984,141 Clear Invoice 1,168,818 **1,102,208 Due Date Passed** 1,169,544 **1,089,290** END 1,77,795

KPI Overview

Throughout Capacity/FTE

13K invoices

Potential Benefits

#Invoices

Invoice Value

\$380K

120K

\$2.9B









