



FIFTH THIRD BANK

# The Future of Marketing, Now (in a Heavily Regulated World)

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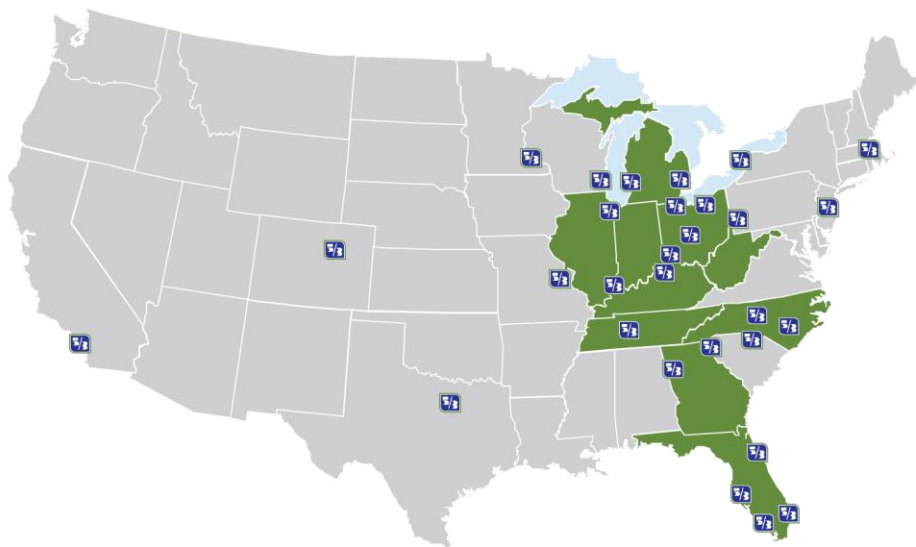
Limitless  
possibilities.  
Real results.

# Agenda

- Intro to Fifth Third Bank
- Technology
- People
- Process
- Next Steps

# Who is Fifth Third Bank?

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#2 – Most Trusted Companies for Retail Banking<sup>3</sup>

#3 – Retail Banking Customer Satisfaction Survey<sup>4</sup>

#3 – Banking Industry Customer Satisfaction Rating<sup>5</sup>

1 Oliver Wyman 2016 Survey of Consumers, 2 SNL Financial as of 2Q17 3 Ponemon Institute 12<sup>th</sup> annual Privacy Trust Study for Retail Banking, 4 University of Michigan American Customer Satisfaction (ACSI) Index as of 2016

## By the Numbers

**#9**  
U.S. Retail Bank<sup>1</sup>

**#10**  
U.S. Commercial & Industrial Lending<sup>2</sup>

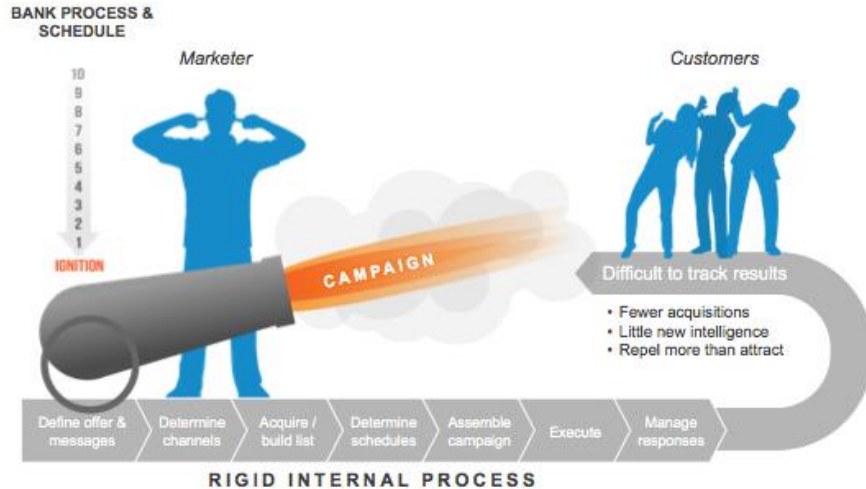
- **\$142B Total Assets**
- **\$92B Total Loans**
  - 62% Commercial
  - 38% Consumer
- **\$106B Deposits**
- **1,153 branches;**  
**2,459 ATMs**
- **Over 18,300 employees**

# Technology

*"Most brands and marketers only utilize 15% of technologies and capabilities they are already paying for, so the focus should not be in the number of technologies that need to adopted, but in "applying" them to solve business needs and changing consumer behaviors."*

— **Mayur Gupta**, SVP, Head of Digital Capabilities & OmniChannel Business, Healthgrades

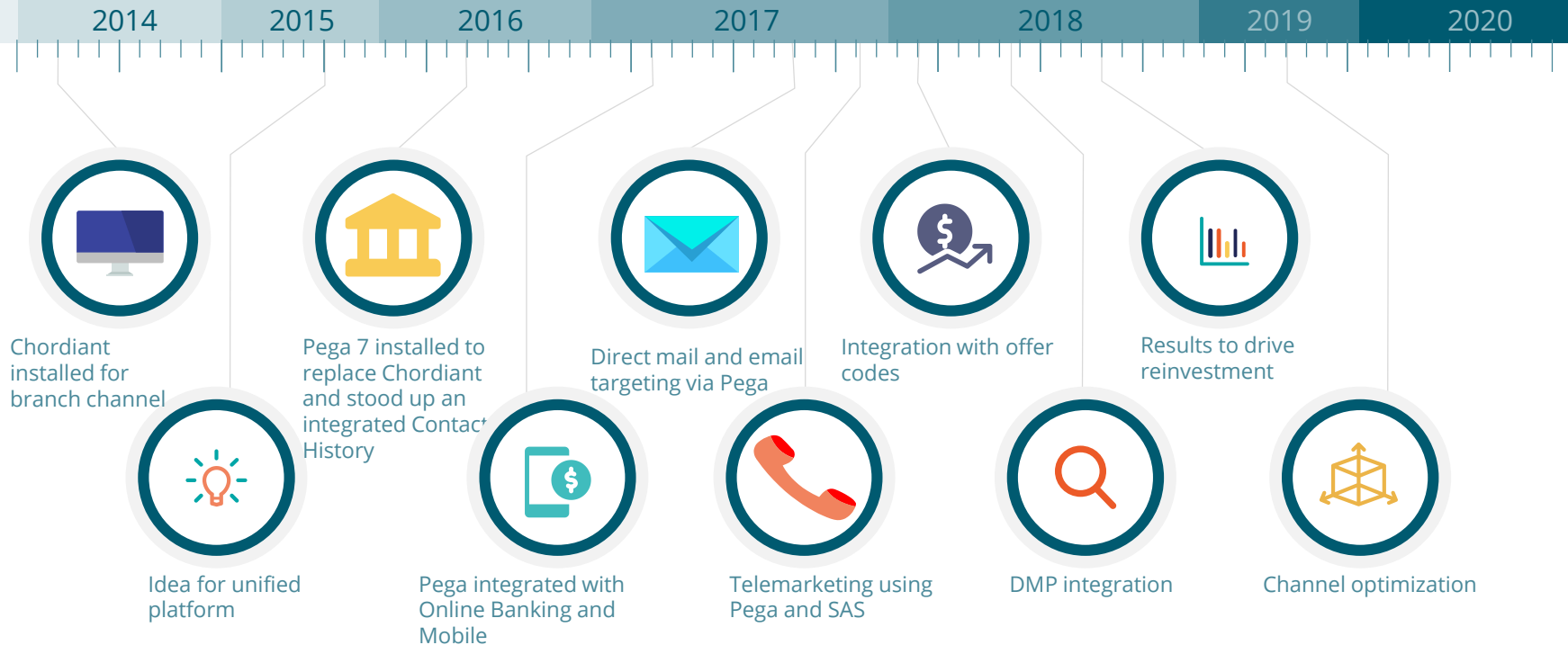
# Batch and Blast to Always On



# Road to a multi-channel, optimized, unified marketing platform...

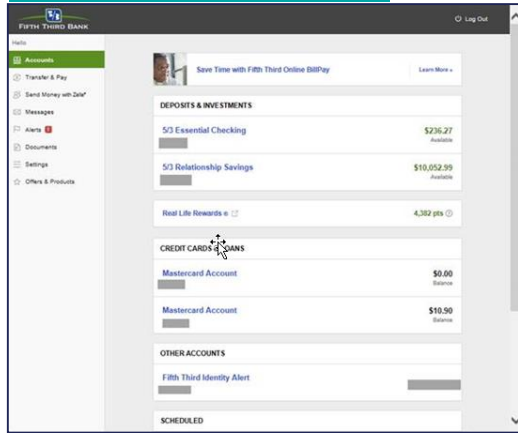
# Integrated

A vision that started with providing visibility to employees transformed into a multi-year effort to reach customers in 6 different channels for servicing and sales opportunities while focusing on the next best action in a customer centric world.

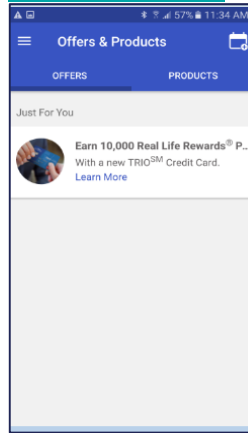


# Channels

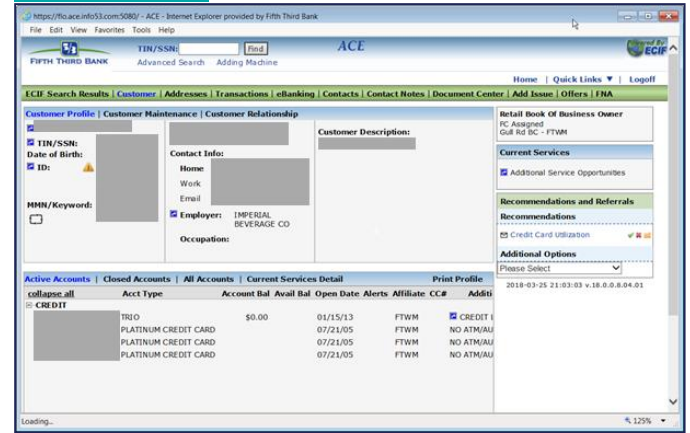
## Online Banking



## Mobile



## Branch



## Direct Mail

## Email

## Telemarketing



# Decisioning Data Pillars



## Customer Data

A consolidated location where we track all sales and servicing contacts with our customers across channels, as well as a history of the interactions we have had with them across all channels.

# People

*"Technology has completely changed what fast means. We are on an agility mission right now because speed is different than agility. What we're trying to build is the capability to go in new directions fast, not just go straight ahead fast, and that's a really different muscle for us to build."*

— **Jeff Jones**, CMO, Target

# Interdepartmental Partnership

- Significant amount of development work has been placed in the LOB to an agile, more responsive process
- IT policy and guidelines are upheld through Pega Revision Manager, access roles and a thorough Quality Assessment process
- Team structure mirrors traditional IT, but our lifecycle is a fraction of the time, we are a blend of Waterfall and Agile processes
- Everything is rigorously tested
- IT partners keep our infrastructure sound and work with us on upgrades and system maintenance

## Requirements

Our Business Analyst captures a hybrid of business, functional and technical requirements from the requestor and sends for sign-off

## Development

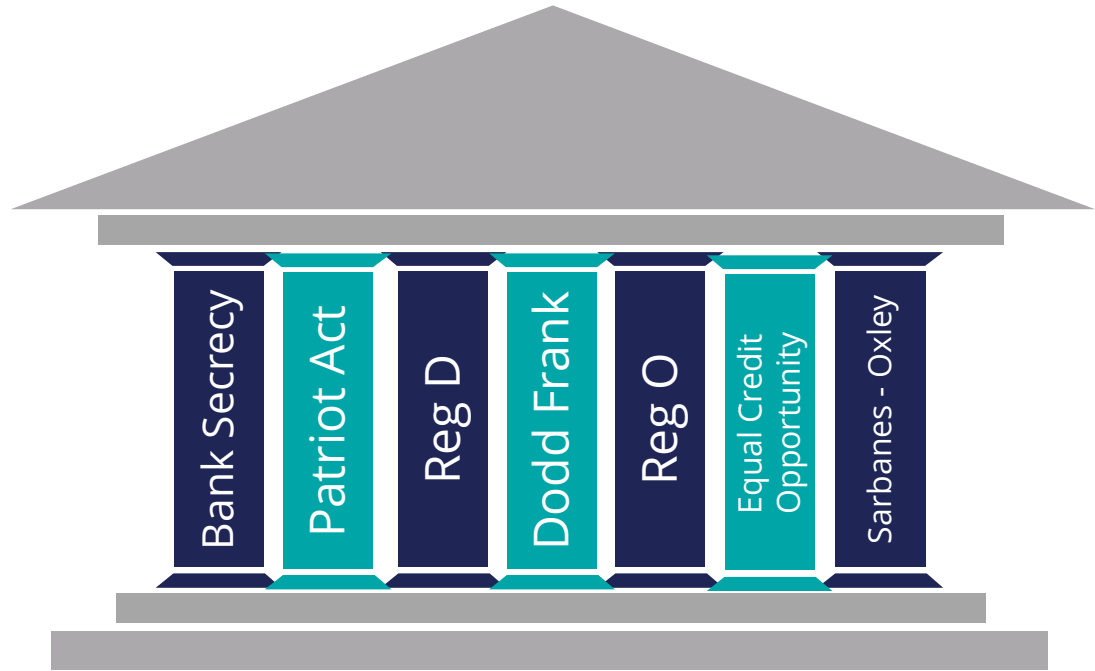
Campaigns and recommendations are built per the requirements

## Testing

All output is tested thoroughly prior to being passed to mail vendors and/or production servers

# Financial Services Regulations

- Recommendations and lists must factor numerous regulatory requirements on top of the standard marketing selection criteria
- Knowing your ideal customer and how to connect with them can be a challenge when select data elements are restricted from use



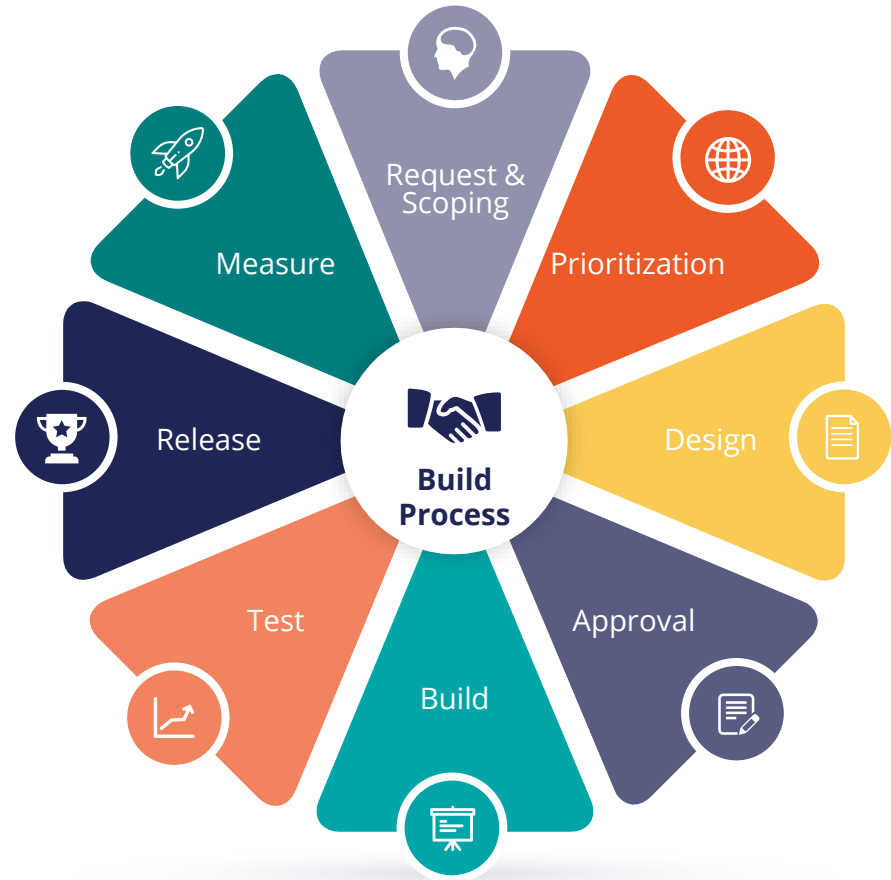
# Weighing Service Messaging Over Sales-centric Messaging

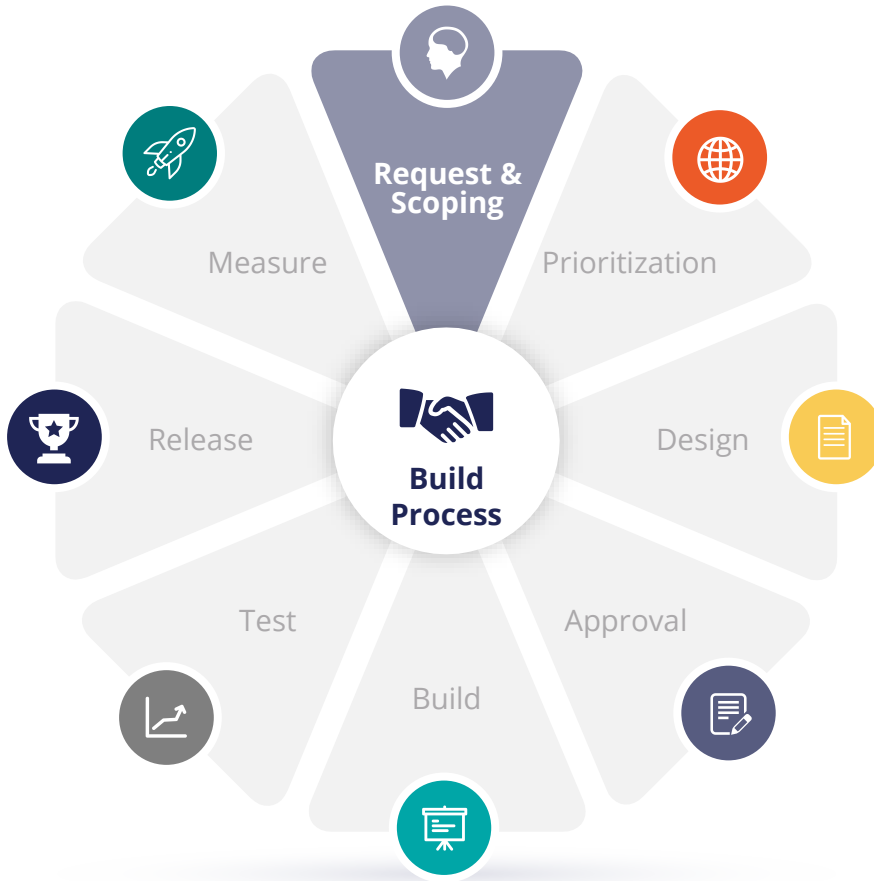
- Keeping the customer at the center, we're able to engage customer in a meaningful conversation that they want to have
- Messages are presented based on relevancy to the customer
- Recommendations with a service driven message resonate well with customers in person-to-person channels

# Process

# Campaign Process

- IT-ifying the business
- Uniformed process is used for all marketing lists for:
  - Direct Mail
  - Email
  - Telemarketing
  - Branch
  - Mobile App
  - Online Banking
- Over 90% of our releases can be done solely by the Marketing team without involving our IT partners

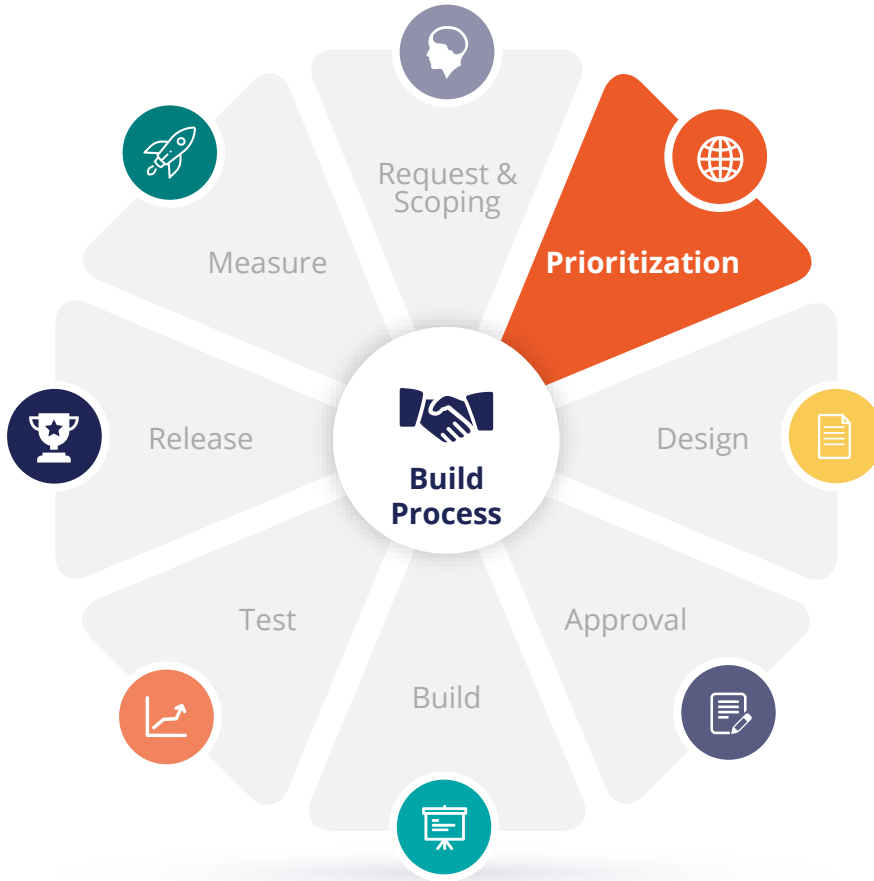




## Request and Scoping

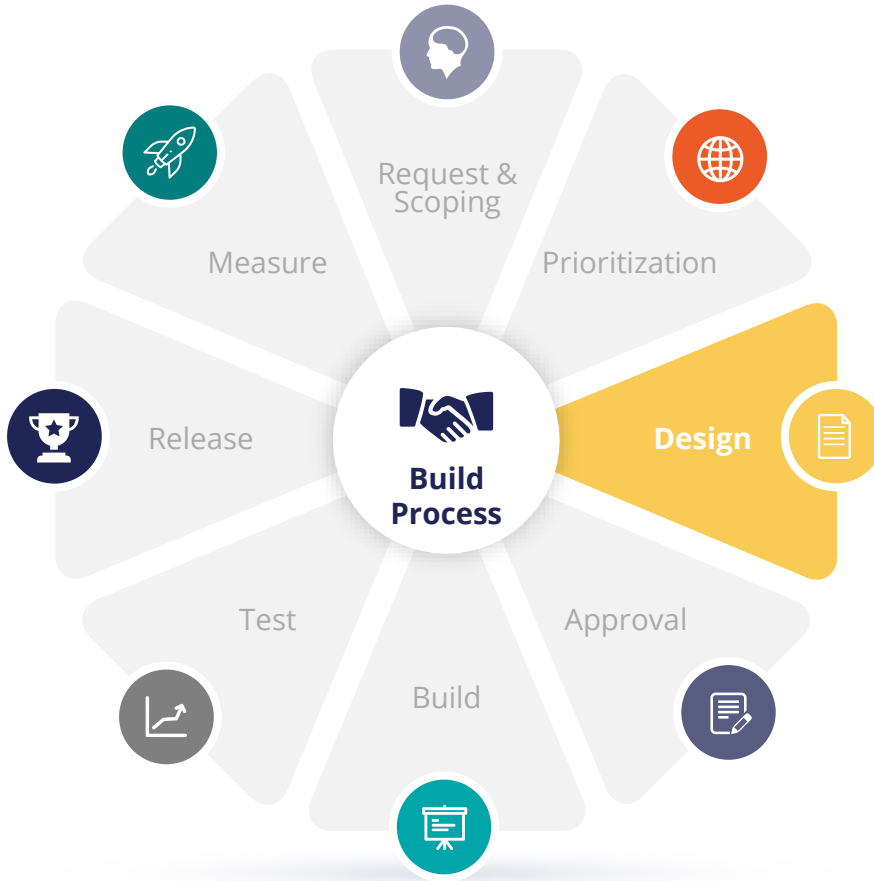
All requests are filtered through the LOB Marketing partners. Requests are added to a list and sized by the Project Manager and Business Analysts.





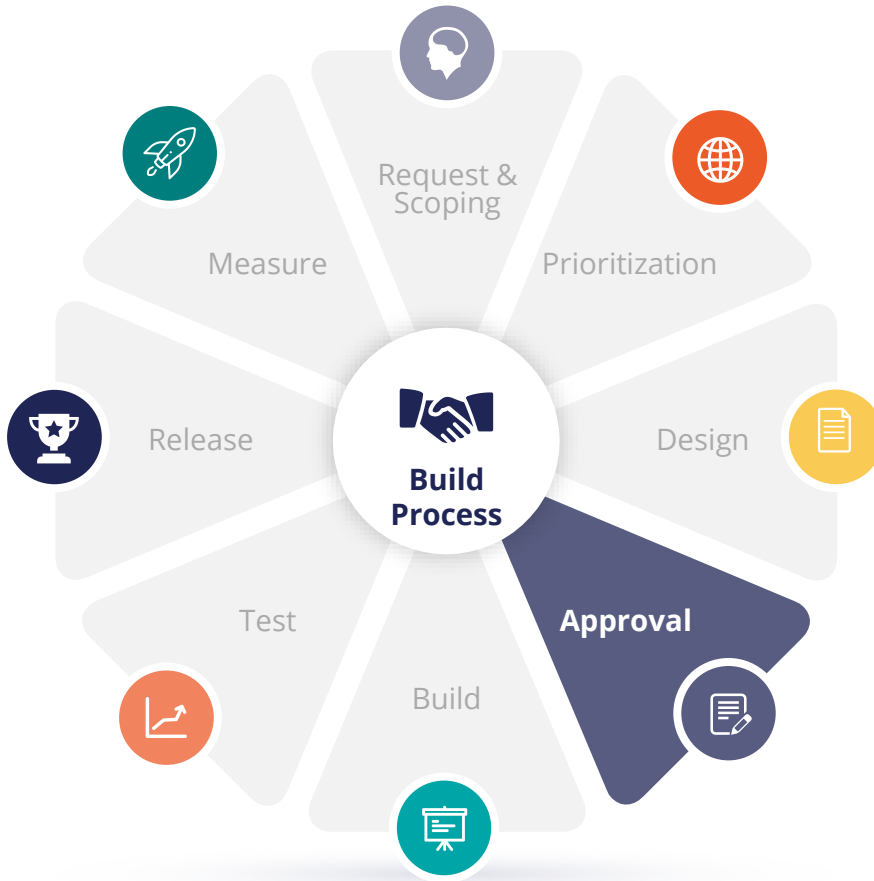
## Prioritization

Once initially sized, the sponsors meet to review all asks against available hours.



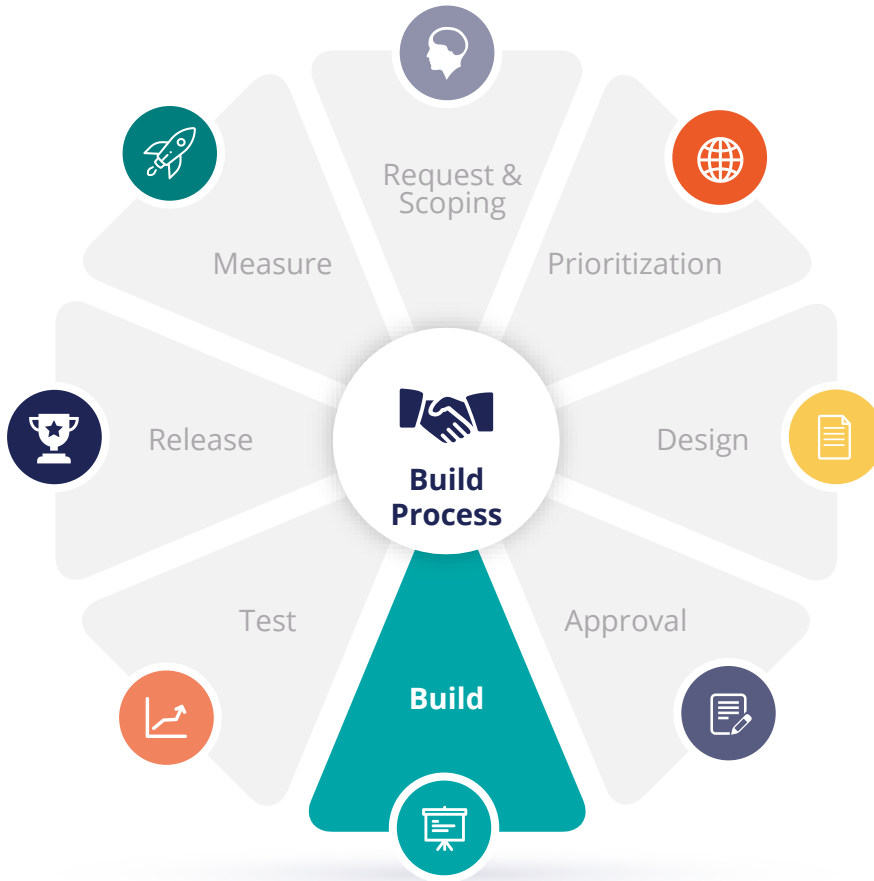
## Design

Business Analysts partner with LOB Marketing to document the requirements for who we want to target and ultimately how we will measure each request. A business/functional/technical spec document is completed.



## Approval

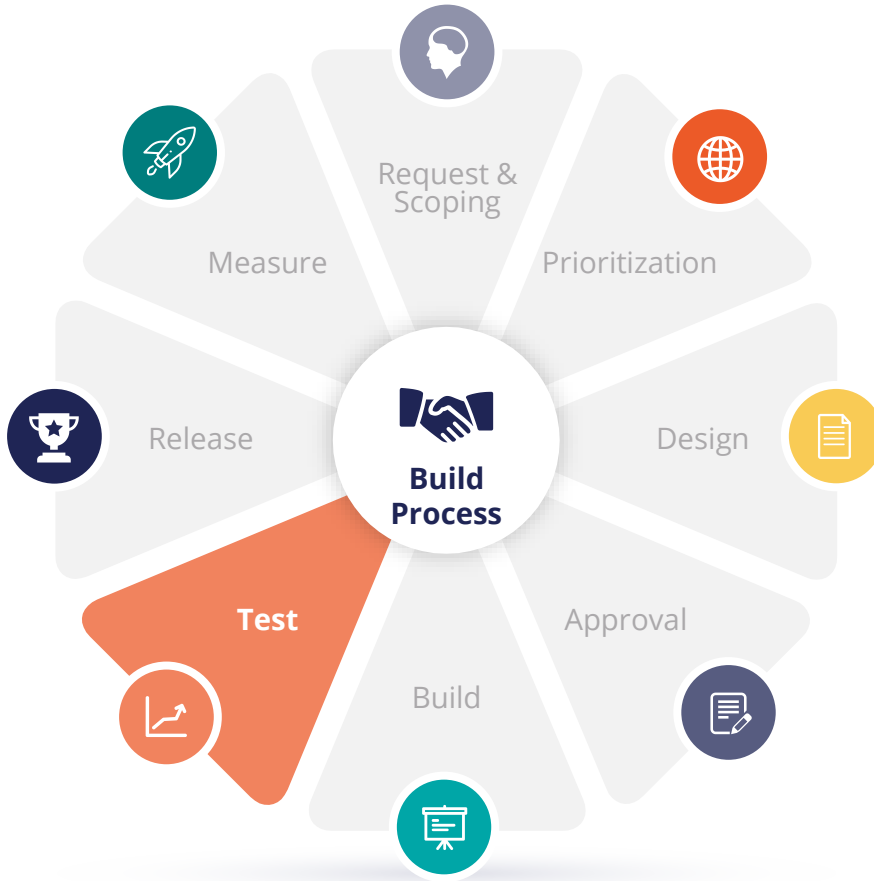
Requestors must approve the design to ensure what they have in mind is what we plan to build. Once approved, any change is an automated 2 week delay to the timeline.



## Build

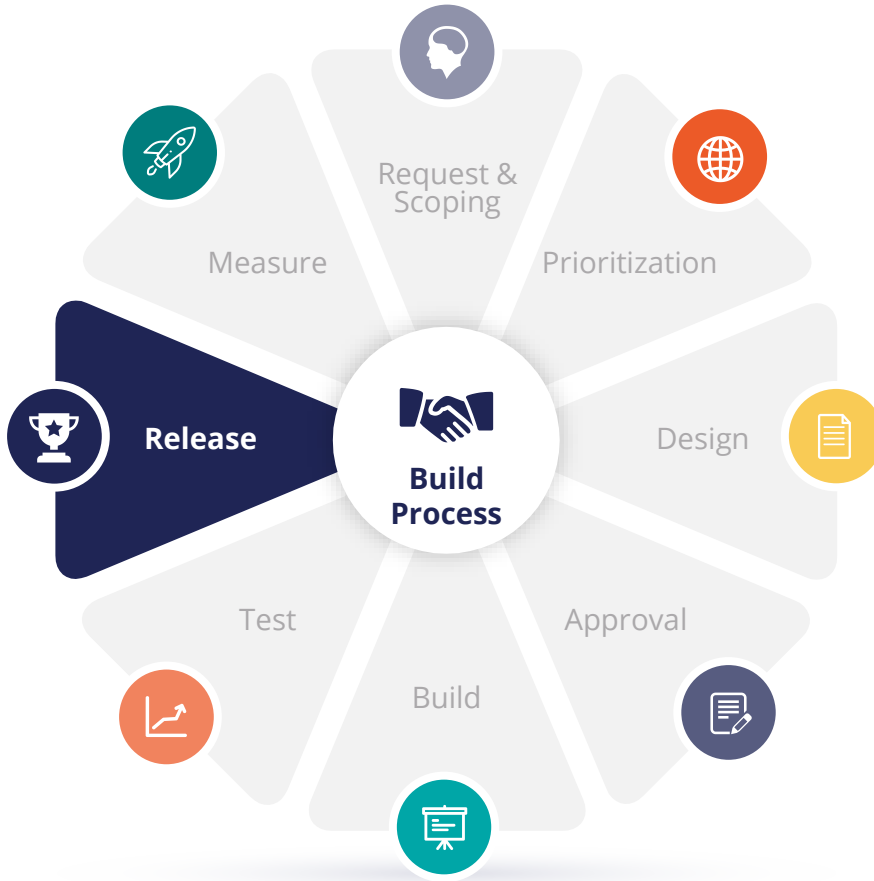
Rules, strategies,  
recommendations...

Developers are co-located to ensure open communication to ensure a consistent process from developer to developer.



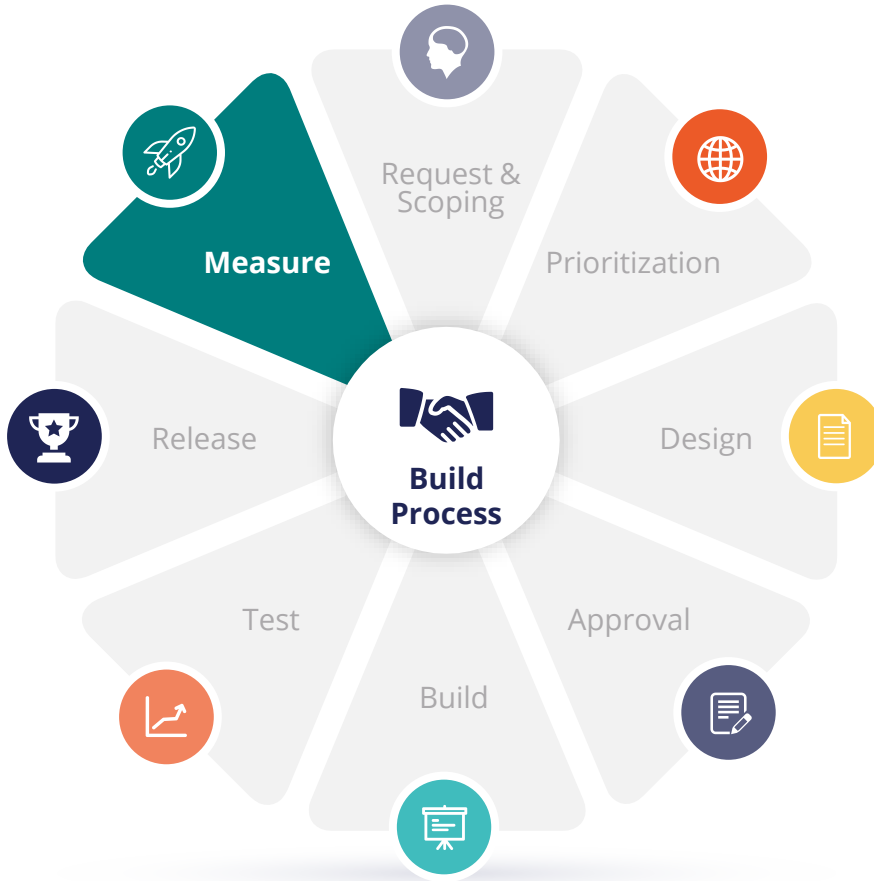
## Test

We take quality very seriously and have a rigorous process in place to ensure the customer never receives a communication that isn't relevant.



## Release

Within Pega, we are able to leverage role types and environments to ensure nothing is going to production until it has passed QA, and that only a handful a people can promote something to production.



## Measure

In order to prove what works and to learn what needs to be adjusted, campaigns, tactics and channels are measured to feed design for future campaigns.

# Where to Next?





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