

Anticipate the Unpredictable

Flexibility, Adaptability, Resilience

Between the Covid-19 pandemic, ongoing geopolitical conflict, inflation, and shifts in consumer demand, the global semiconductor supply chain has taken a significant hit. What's the key to not just persevering but gaining a competitive foothold in the face of unprecedented supply chain disruptions? An adaptive and agile supply chain strategy.

According to IDC's 2022 Global Supply Chain Survey, finding ways to be more agile is a priority for 90% of the companies polled. Why? Because an agile supply chain strategy is built to handle unpredictability. It's focused on flexibility, allowing quick response to changes in demand and customer preference, and designed to combat market volatility, no matter the industry. This kind of strategy cannot rely on industry forecasting alone. Direct response to demand is what drives agility.



Five Building Blocks for Supply Chain Agility



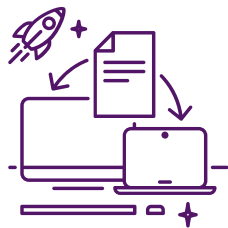
Increase Visibility Across Functions:

Analyze exactly what you've been spending and where with automated key product and spend category tracking.



Clear Communication and Proper Planning Systems:

Align your business goals and requirements with the suppliers who have what you need and build a sourcing strategy by collecting valuable supplier data.



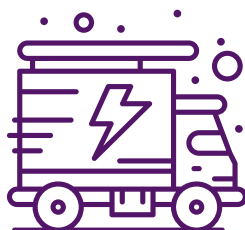
Speedy Response Times:

Access supplier data through a vast digital business network and allow them to compete for your business.



Collaboration on Market Intelligence:

Use automated tools to simplify the digital signature process, speed up workflows, set renewal alerts, and create an easily accessible digital contract archive.



Efficient Inventory Management:

Integrate suppliers into existing processes, onboard new suppliers, and get the best sourcing agreements possible with automated, digitized processes that build in feedback loops for ongoing optimization.