

# Accelerated Supply Chain Diagnostics Workshop

Identify problems and create a tech-focused action plan to become more flexible, responsive, and fast

## What we strive for:



### Customer Centricity

The foremost priority in supply chain transformation



### Agility + Resiliency

Nimble, repeatable processes will improve planning & execution capabilities



### Visibility + Action

Don't just display your data, analyze and execute to unlock real value

## What is holding us back:



### Misalignment on Pain Points

Agreement on prioritization of which problems to solve, and how to solve them



### Transformation too slow

Adopting the spirit of experimentation and speed proves difficult



### Data/Integration

Current capabilities are dated, and our approach is too slow

## Common, localized supply chain pain points:

Solving Demand/  
Capacity Spikes

Reducing Promise Time

Collaboration with Suppliers/Ext.  
MFG/3PL

Improving Shipping Utilization

Inbound Optimization

Dynamic Routing in Fulfillment



How do we start this journey?



How to chart the course to an Agile Supply Chain?

## How Slalom Can Help:

Create a clear logical narrative that identifies high-priority supply chain initiatives causing roadblocks in helping customers and realizing value



### Our Accelerated Diagnostics Workshop...

Helps executive teams narrow down and prioritize high impact supply chain problems where technology can unlock immediate value, directly influencing Revenue, Cost, and Working Capital improvements.

### Who Should Attend? (10-15 Participants)

- Supply Chain Executive Team
- Relevant Business Unit and Regional Leaders
- Functional Owners (Planning, Manufacturing, Logistics, Procurement etc.)
- Commercial Leaders (Sales, Marketing, etc.)
- Finance Leaders

### What To Expect?



#### Art Of The Possible

Discuss technologies that deliver business value to the supply chain



#### Go Broad

List as many root causes as possible



#### Narrow Down

Identify high-priority initiatives/themes. Backed up using estimates (cost impact, cashflow etc.)

## Workshop Agenda

Timing	Item	Description
Day 1	<b>Visioning</b>	Align on the future vision that becomes the North Star.
Day 1	<b>Art of the Possible</b>	Discuss the 'ideal' state, talk about leading process & technology in Supply Chain Planning & Execution.
Day 1	<b>Pain Points Ideation</b>	Groups of 3-5 create a list of supply chain problems with high-level scoring related to opportunity for process and/or technology improvements.
Day 2	<b>Prioritization</b>	Short-list pain points that have opportunity for technology-enabled improvement. Discuss estimates for value unlock.
Day 2	<b>Align on Viability</b>	Experts from Slalom & MSFT comment on feasibility of the prioritized problems and suggested next steps

## Deliverables

- Conducted & Recorded session on the 'Art of the Possible'
- Consolidated pain points across business units and functional areas
- Suggested approach/next steps to address prioritized pain points