

ISM Supplier Diversity & Certified Professional in Supplier Diversity (CPSD)

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- professional association for supply chain professionals
- to develop a supply chain certification
- innovator of the *Report On Business*®
- to create a thought leadership award for individual lifetime achievement (J. Shipman Gold Medal Award)
- to create and take a position with the Principles of Sustainability
- to create and take a position on Ethics and CSR
- to develop a supplier diversity certification
- supply chain organization to develop a "Diversity Pledge" for both talent and suppliers

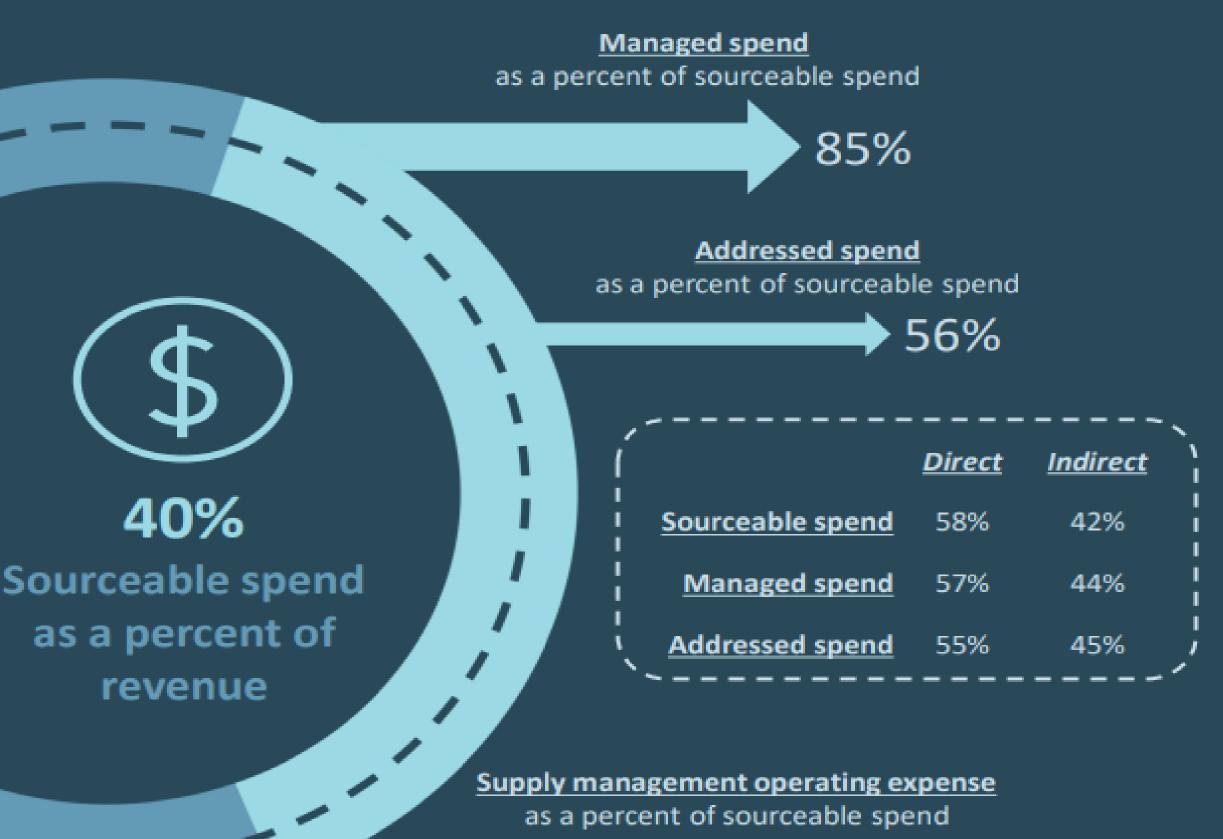






Measuring Spend and Performance Types of Spend

85% of sourceable spend is formally managed while 56% was addressed over the preceding 12 months. Indirect spend is addressed at a higher rate (45%) than indirect sourceable spend (42%), likely due to the indirect category mix and complexity.

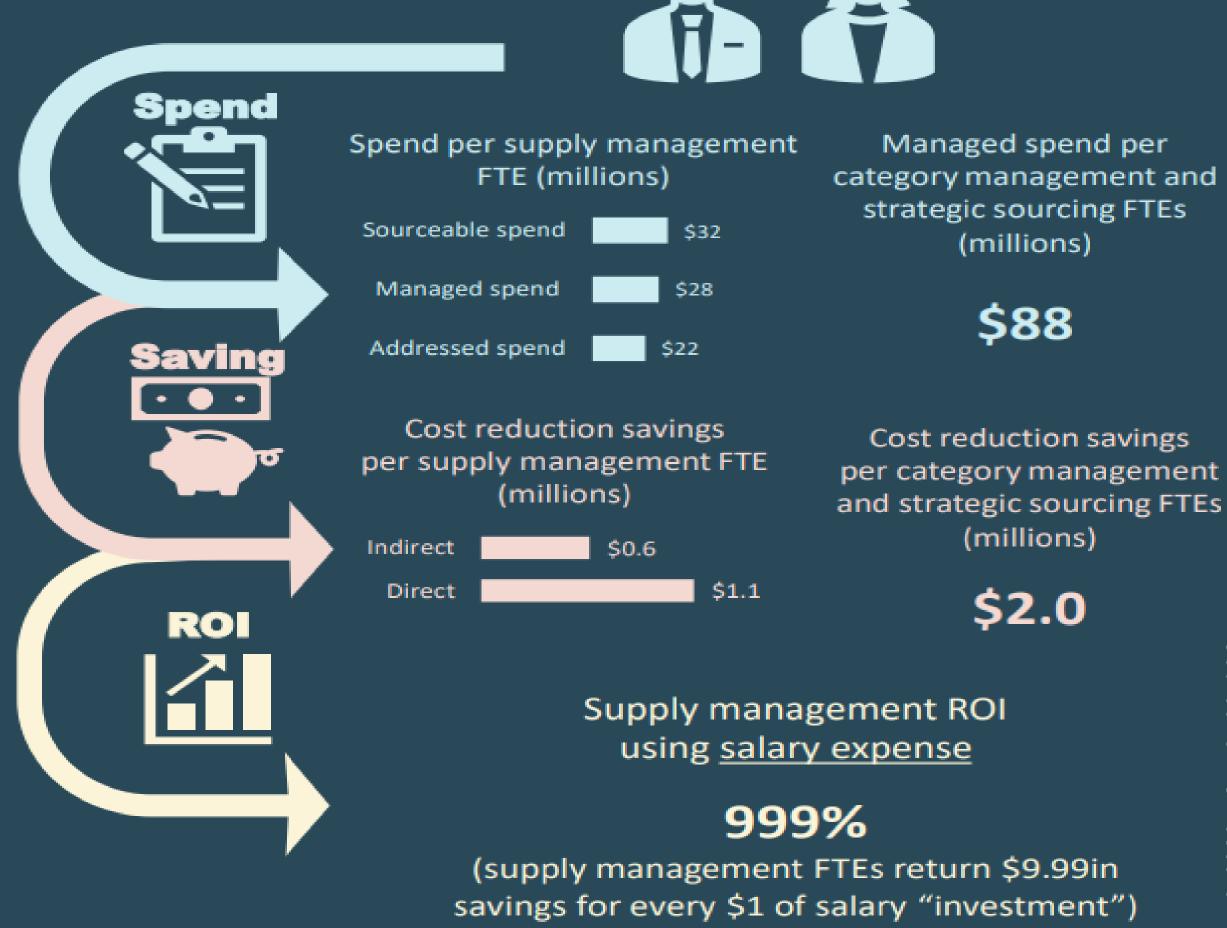


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Measuring Spend and Performance ROI of Strategic Supply Roles

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What impact do the strategic roles of category management F and strategic sourcing FTEs have? Given their role in selecting suppliers, consolidating spend, and negotiating prices, these F return 999% of their base salary cost to the organization.



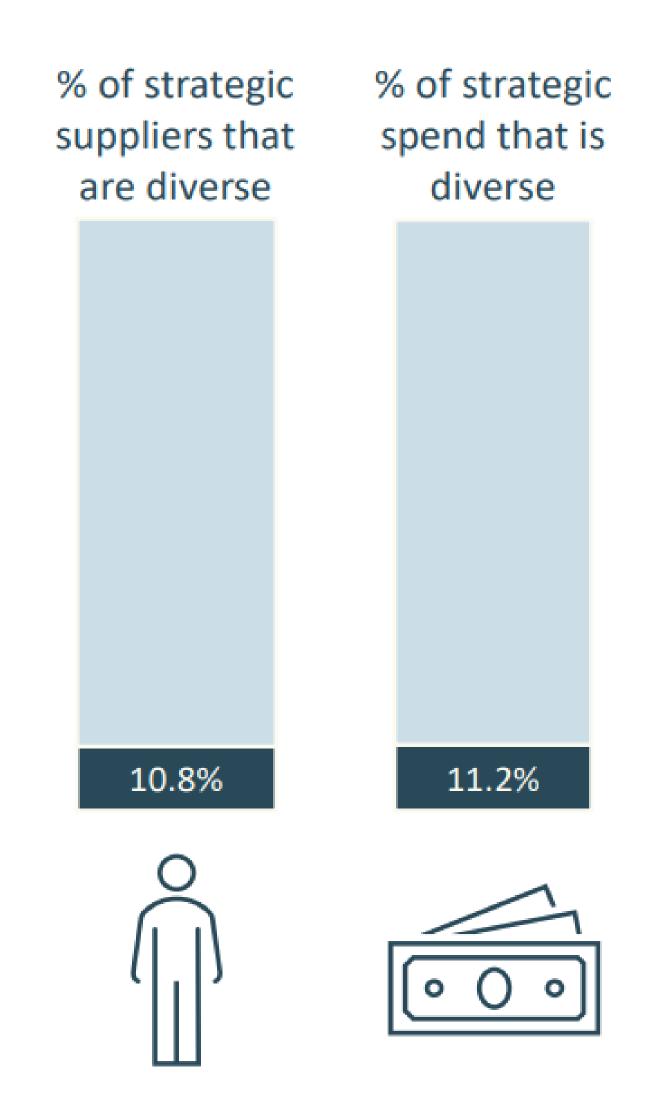


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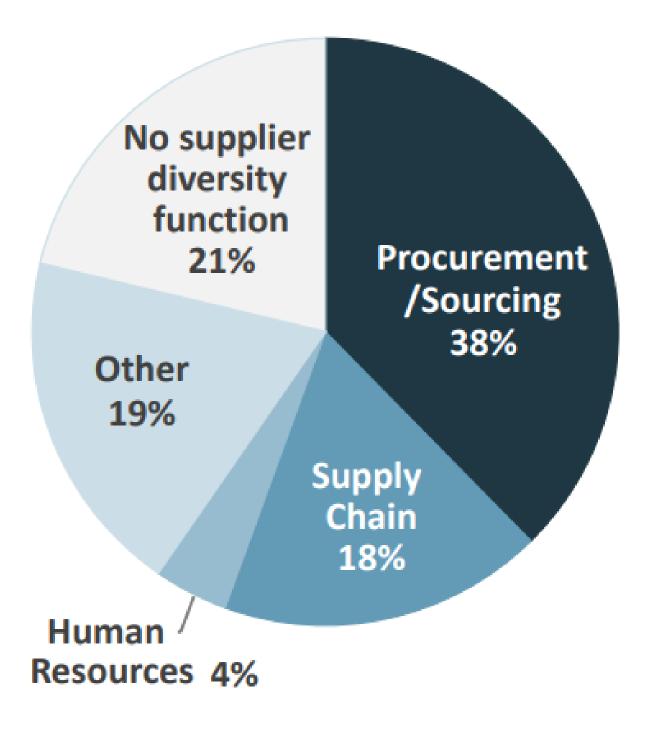


Supplier Diversity Statistics



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Where does the formal supplier diversity program/function reside within your organization?



Source: CAPS Research

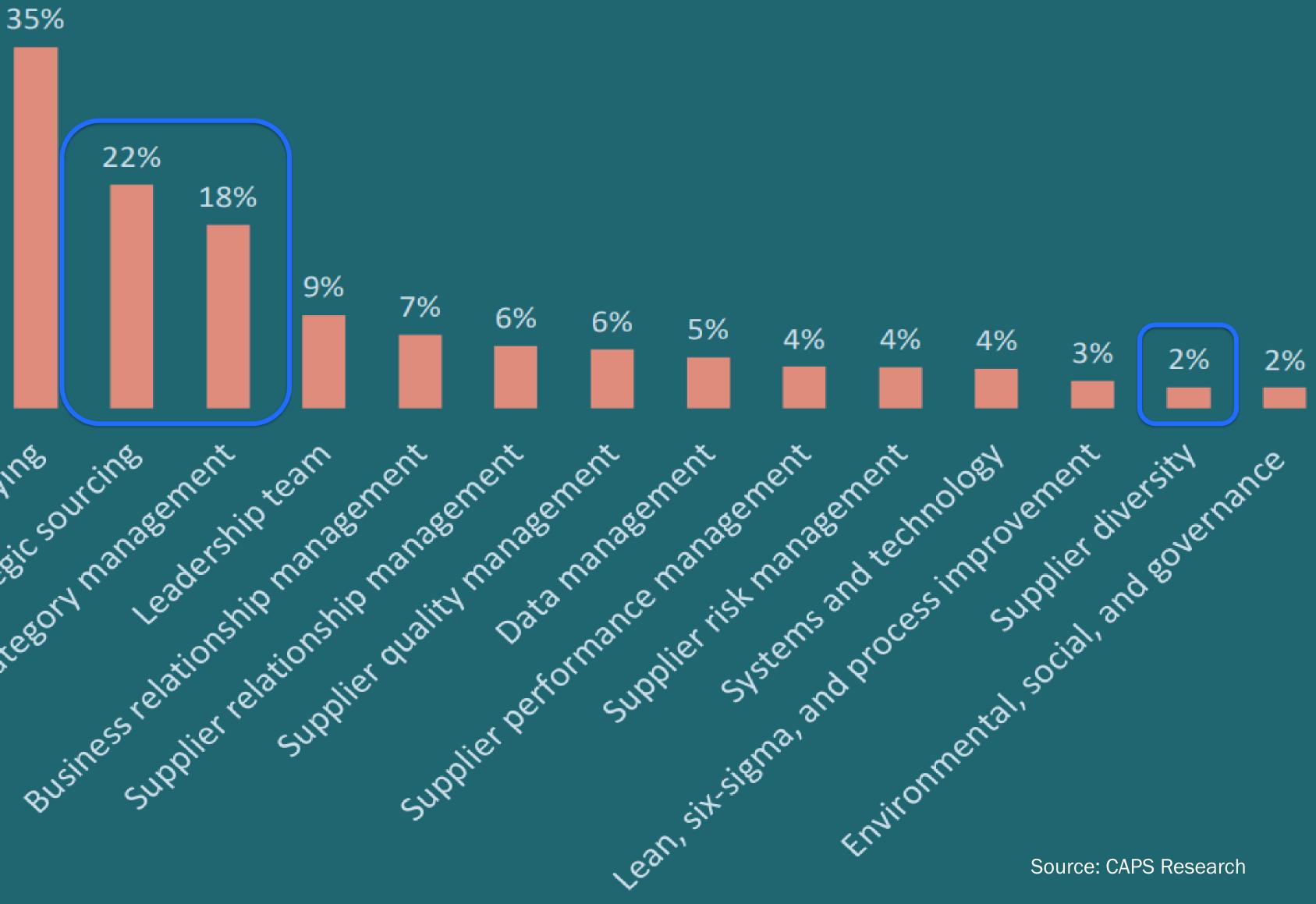


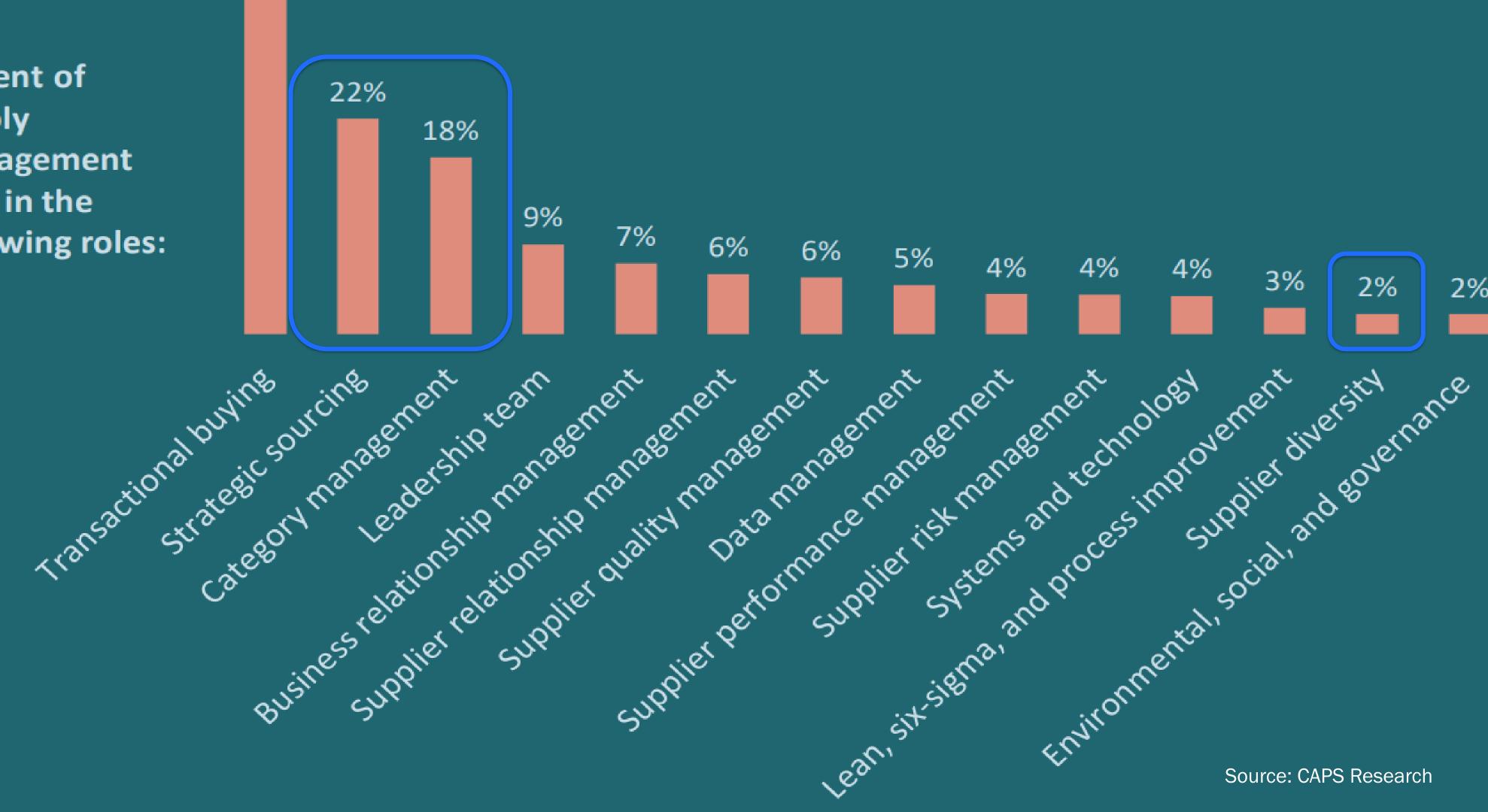


Supplier Management Organizations

Ongoing Shift from Transactional to Strategic Roles

Percent of supply management FTEs in the following roles:









Talent Trends in Supply Management



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Influence & Collaboration Skills

Only 27%

of supply chain leaders agree that their function has all the talent needed to meet current supply chain performance requirements

Source: Gartner



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Obtaining the CPSD certification provides supply management professionals immediate credibility and provides employers reassurance of quality supply management talent.



CPSD[®] Exam Details

SUPPLY MANAGEMENT CORE

Sourcing

- Category Management
- Negotiation
- Legal & Contractual
- Supplier Relationship Management
- Cost & Price Management
- Financial Analysis

ESSENTIALS IN SUPPLIER DIVERSITY

- Profession

180 Questions 3 hours

165 Questions 2 hours 45 minutes

 Developing Business Case/Obtaining Executive Support • Developing a Supplier Diversity Program • Project Management for Supplier Diversity Professionals • Influencing and Partnering with Internal Stakeholders • Establishing Diverse Supplier Certification Process • Establishing Diverse Supplier Qualification Process • Developing Diverse Suppliers Managing Relationships with Diverse Suppliers • Financing and Budgeting • Establishing Metrics and Reporting • Performing Advocacy and Market Outreach Sustainability • Social Responsibility and Ethics for the Supplier Diversity



The Certification Handbook provides the Blueprint for each exam.



Certification Process







Eligibility



Three years of full-time, professional supply management experience (non-clerical and nonsupport) with a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution or international equivalent;

Or



Five years of full-time, professional supply management experience (non-clerical and nonsupport) without a qualified bachelor's degree.



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