

Copilot for Microsoft 365

Adoption and Change Management

Digital Workplace

Agenda



Introduction: why Adoption and Change management is crucial



Design



Build



Execute



4-month adoption plan



Although Copilot is intuitive to use, it's also **revolutionary** and asks for a new way of interaction. Guiding people will be crucial to overcome possible **resistance**, **fear** and make sure people know how to interact with Copilot and how it can be beneficial to them.

Our Adoption and Change management plan focusses on the whole journey the project team needs to go through. From designing the adoption approach, building the plan, to execute the plan. The 5 steps of ADKAR will be integrated in the final adoption plan. This plan will be **tailor made** with each customer depending on their own culture, their habits in the way of communicating, preferences in training people and last but not least the pace they want to go at. This journey aims to create an Adoption approach that leads towards a **sustainable and mature** Al accompanied workforce

Adoption and Change management crucial to make Copilot a success



Copilot for M365 end-user adoption approach



Awareness

Why are we doing this?
What's in it for me?

Desire

Tailor a plan based on your company's culture

Knowledge

Get pilot users, champions & ambassadors on board

Ability

Get end-users
on board using
the way of
working

Reinforcement

Reinforce change and keep it stick

5-step approach that supports solution adoption in the workplace

Project services

Run services





Coaching & Support

- Follow-up Change Champions program
- Follow-up Change Ambassadors program
- Functional coaching post project
- Additional skilling & Growth sessions

Run services



Purpose & Culture

- Change Readiness & impact assessment
- Engage with or define the Change Ambassadors & Champions
- Define KPI's, success criteria & reporting
- Surveys to gather insights on the current way of working



- Training (virtual/classroom)
- Webinars
- **Learning** platform
- Quick reference guides
- Quick reference videos
- Ask the Expert sessions aka Digi-café
- One-on-one sessions

Project services

Step by step approach to reach a sustainable & mature Al accompanied workforce

Introduction - kick off

Set up the project members and roles, incl communication and HR Identify the executive sponsor of the program & Key influencers



Design the adoption plan

Our experts will create a tailor made ADKAR plan according to the needs of the relevant persona's and scenarios in your company

Key influencers

Key influencers will give **insights** in *what's in it for me* and which use cases will be important for their colleagues.



Launch Pilot

50 users get started and receive support from our expert team according to the 5 step ADKAR approach



Ambassadors play a crucial role in **evangelizing** for Copilot and leading by example. Our team will make sure the necessary ambassadors are activated.



Roll out approach for "all staff"

The ultimate goal is to have a clear view how Copilot can be beneficial for the end users and who can use it under which conditions.

Design phase

Approach

Engage the right people to gain the necessary support in the long run

- The design phase is not to be underestimated. In this phase it will be crucial to invest in **stakeholder management** to make sure key players support the roll out and understand the journey we take on.
- A crucial stakeholder to get onboard in this phase is your executive sponsor. (S)He will help to create awareness and desire among employees.
- In this phase we also assess the **change maturity** and readiness of the company (do they have an **ambassador** community, how active are they, have there been a lot of changes recently or upcoming,....) Based on the outcome we can built the necessary change plans.
- We organize a **workshop** to define the *goals* and the *desired outcome* of the project and determine the roll out plan. We identify the possible resistance and fear to overcome during the roll out.
- We start with a **pilot** wave, where it's crucial to define who should be part of it and what we want to achieve at the end of the pilot phase.
- We advise to start with a small pilot with different personas to learn as much as possible about the use cases, scenario's and grasp the end users feedback in the early stage of the program.

Build phase

Approach

Plan ahead, but be flexible to embrace opportunities

- We believe that the **communication plan** needs to be built in an agile way and adapted based on progressing insights, changes that happen and opportunities that occur. Nevertheless, it's important to have a communication calendar ready for the next months to keep the conversation going.
- If the ambassadors community is not active or absent it's important to reactivate/create it in an early stage of the program.

 Ambassadors will be your eyes and ears for the divisional specific input and will be **key influencers** to support your content plan and spread the awareness. The "war for attention" and information overload many end users experience, can be overcome if a person you trust and you connect with tells you and shows you how you can benefit from Copilot.



Executional phase

Approach

Better do, than don't

- The execution of the Adoption plan needs:
 - Dedication from the change manager and/or community manager
 - Commitment from the communication team
 - Persistence to keep going when resistance and fear shows up, reinforce where necessary and go back to basics if needed
 - Start with the info available and keep on building progressively
 - Flexibility to adapt (the roll out can go slower or faster. Depending on the feedback, the type of communications and sessions can be adjusted based on new needs)



Practical approach







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Kick off Adoption team

Identify the executive sponsor of the program & Key influencers

Workshop Change maturity & adoption approach

- -Define the change maturity
- -Define the adoption approach
- -Plan the 5 ADKAR steps

Pilot Persona's & scenario's

Define possible persona's and scenario's with your champions

KPI definition

Get acquainted with the adoption score in Viva Insights

Awareness

Video & blog from the CIO to announce Copilot

Training & Knowledge

Training program:

- -Beginner
- -Intermediate
- -Advanced

Centre of Excellence

- -Quick guides
- -FAQ
- -Training Video

Feedback

Round Table with Pilot users

Ability & Support

Q&A and Copilot café

Training - Prompting

Focus on the ability of prompting

Reinforcement

-Tip of month -10-day Copilot Boost

Survey

End users feedback on lessons learned and persona's – scenario's

Testimonial

Video testimonial with ambassadors and sponsor

Persona's-scenario finalization

Based on the feedback finetune Persona's -scenarios

Define the roll out strategy

- -Who needs to work with Copilot?
- -Who can request a license at what condition?

Adoption approach

- -Finetune the Adoption approach
- -Scalable for full roll out
- -Review Adoption team Roles and Responsibilities

Touch & Go

Depending on the company's decision to roll out Copilot, we offer the necessary handover or continuation of the program in run mode.

Month 1 Month 2 Month 3 Month 4