

FINANCIAL SERVICES

MIDDLE MARKET INDICATOR

Year-End 2023



IN COLLABORATION WITH







Financial Services' Revenue Growth vs. National

FINANCIAL SERVICES'
MIDDLE MARKET

PAST 12 MO.

16.4%

FINANCIAL SERVICES'
MIDDLE MARKET

NEXT 12 MO.

10.4%

Financial Services' Employment Growth vs. National

FINANCIAL SERVICES'
MIDDLE MARKET

PAST 12 MO.

13.2%

FINANCIAL SERVICES'
MIDDLE MARKET

NEXT 12 MO.

11.8%

12.4% Past 12 Months National

8.1% Next 12 Months National 9.6% Past 12 Months National 8.7% Next 12 Months National





Financial Services' Top Internal Challenges Over The Next 12 Months



TALENT MANAGEMENT



TINANCIAL 17%



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Preparing For Growth Through Capital Investment

WILLINGNESS TO INVEST INCREASES AMONG MIDDLE MARKET FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPANIES SINCE 38% REPORTED IN 2Q'23.



VS. THE SAME INTERNAL CHALLENGES OF THE NATIONAL MIDDLE MARKET

TALENT MANAGEMENT

51%

FINANCIAL

22%

ECONOMY

14%

The Functions that Business Leaders Plan to Implement AI into their Business in the Next 12 Months

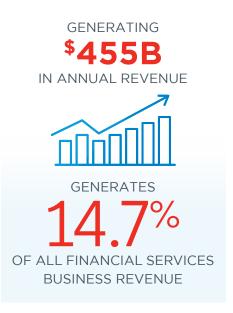
	ALL MIDDLE MARKET COMPANIES	BUSINESS SERVICES	MANUFACTURING	RETAIL TRADE	CONSTRUCTION	FINANCIAL SERVICES	HEALTHCARE	TECHNOLOGY*
CUSTOMER SERVICE	44%	44%	39%	41%	41%	38%	48%	47%
INNOVATION	34%	43%	39%	45%	27%	29%	24%	28%
ANALYZING DATA	43%	48%	48%	41%	32%	40%	61%	40%
SUPPLY CHAIN	29%	22%	38%	34%	36%	22%	19%	30%
IMPROVE EFFICIENCIES	47%	43%	49%	55%	47%	41%	53%	44%
COLLECTING OF DATA	43%	41%	37%	41%	40%	44%	49%	46%
OTHER	2%	3%	0%	2%	0%	2%	2%	2%

^{*}Includes companies also represented in other industries, e.g., computer manufacturers, IT services, healthtech, fintech.

Financial Services' Middle Market Defined







Source: 2014 D&B Data

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