

On Display at Sibos: TCS Expertise in CAPITAL MARKETS

Demonstrating excellence in innovation, settlement, digital trading, asset servicing and end-user reporting



Firms are increasing IT budgets and allocating spend to innovation. One example of innovation being pursued by TCS is the integration of online trading with social media, which will yield benefits in usability, personalization, decision support, rich content and peer-to-peer networking.

● Capital Markets: "Default is Digital: Future innovation in Capital Markets," delivered by Nick Scott, Vice President

The benefits of moving to the T+2 settlement cycle far outweigh the perceived drawbacks.

However, there will be impacts to consider in terms of failed trades, reduced timeframes for securities lending transactions, required modifications to liquidity and collateral management, changes to multi-listed securities, and increased complexity of cross-border transactions.

We may expect an even shorter settlement cycle in the future, and moving to T+2 would be the first step. However, T+0 or T+1 poses high risk and challenges to market participants due to the lack of key enablers, technology limitations and increased investments required for implementation.

● Custody: "Shortening The Settlement Cycle - The Way Forward," delivered by Kamal Khurana, Principal Consultant

The "online social" world requires organizations to move from a perspective focused on the single customer view to a broader picture of the universal social experience. That's why online trading firms will have to offer not only anywhere, anytime capabilities, but also a user experience fully integrated with social channels across trading, research and analytics. Just as investing occurs in a borderless world, so do conversations and interactions surrounding investment decisions.

The supporting technologies have to deliver access to multiple devices and multiple platforms. That's why the "Hybrid App" approach, as used by TCS BaNCS Digital Trading, offers cross-platform services that tap into native APIs for peak performance.

● Securities Trading: "Trade Digital - Omni-channel Experience," delivered by Bharat Shah, Principal Consultant



The traditional asset servicing model

faces cost, risk and revenue pressures, along with market and regulatory compliance challenges, high market volatility, and increased complexity of asset classes. To improve the model requires a high degree of automation, self-repair and customer self-service.

One example is enabling customers to access information and issue instructions on corporate actions through their mobile devices. Clients should be able to generate reports and resolve queries "on the go," with operations managers capable of taking action anytime, from anywhere.

● Corporate Actions: "Trends in Asset Servicing," delivered by Devesh Gupta, Principal Consultant

An effective solution for end-user reporting has to capture data from multiple applications and make it available to a powerful big-data ecosystem. Then, the resulting data has to be made accessible via flexible reporting tools through a wide variety of channels and form factors.

TCS BaNCS Objects, the reporting tool of TCS BaNCS, allows users to write reports in minutes, fully incorporating the latest information from Corporate Actions and Securities Processing databases. This approach reduces time to market for new reports, generating fast benefits at reduced risk.

● Capital Markets: "Can End-user Reporting become a strategic tool?" delivered by Kamal Khurana