

Everest Group Lending Services Operations PEAK Matrix® Assessment 2024

Focus on TCS

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Introduction

The lending operations market has experienced significant turmoil in recent years due to high interest rates and other macroeconomic factors, leading to reduced consumer activity. As a result, service providers are continuously innovating to meet local requirements and maintain a competitive edge. High-growth lines of business, such as mortgage, retail, and auto lending, have emerged as focal points.

Consumer demand is shifting toward younger, digitally savvy borrowers who prioritize experience and convenience over cost. To serve this evolving demographic, service providers are differentiating themselves by leveraging their partnership ecosystems and recent acquisitions to enhance their capabilities and accelerate time-to-market for new offerings. Investments in digital lending solutions and tools are helping to streamline the end-to-end lending life cycle and significantly improve the overall customer experience.

Geographically, North America continues to dominate the lending market with a substantial share of new deals and investments. However, emerging markets in Asia Pacific,

the UK, and Continental Europe are rapidly gaining traction as lenders seek to tap into growing opportunities in these regions.

The market is also seeing increased interest from non-traditional providers, such as technology firms and real estate companies, further diversifying the competitive landscape.

The full report includes the profiles of the following 30 leading lending services providers featured on the Lending Services Operations PEAK Matrix® Assessment 2024:

- Leaders: Accenture, Cognizant, Firstsource, HCLTech, Infosys, Sutherland, TCS, Wipro, and WNS
- Major Contenders: Coforge, Computershare Loan Services, Conduent, Datamatics, DXC Technology, EXL, Genpact, Indecomm, MOZAIQ, Mphasis, Newrez Servicing, Tech Mahindra, Teleperformance, Unisys, Visionet, and Writer Business Services
- Aspirants: Capgemini, Equiniti, Evalueserve, Exela Technologies, and PrivoCorp

Scope of this report

Geography: Global

Industry: Accenture, Capgemini, Coforge, Cognizant, Computershare Loan Services, Conduent, Datamatics, DXC Technology, Equiniti, Evalueserve, Exela Technologies, EXL, Firstsource, Genpact, HCLTech, Indecomm, Infosys, MOZAIQ, Mphasis, Newrez Servicing, PrivoCorp, Sutherland, TCS, Tech Mahindra, Teleperformance, Unisys, Visionet, Wipro, WNS, and Writer Business Services

Services: Lending services

Lending Services Operations PEAK Matrix® characteristics

Leaders

Accenture, Cognizant, Firstsource, HCLTech, Infosys, Sutherland, TCS, Wipro, and WNS

- Leaders possess a broad set of capabilities across the lending value chain originations, servicing, and collections - a less explored area in lending. They cover processes in lending spanning commercial, retail, mortgage, and auto lending operations. These companies have expanded their presence across major geographies such as North America and the UK, and are making significant strides in emerging regions such as APAC and Continental Europe
- The Leaders serve a diverse clientele mix, including small, midsize, and large buyers, with technology offerings using automation and analytics that set the current market standards in lending. Additionally, they maintain a balanced mix of onshore, nearshore, and offshore delivery locations, providing cost arbitrage and flexibility to their clients

Major Contenders

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- Major contenders are strategically investing in organic growth and acquisitions to boost their capabilities and market presence. They are enhancing expertise to serve diverse geographies and lines of business while specializing in specific regions and segments. Additionally, they are striving for a balanced delivery footprint with a mix of onshore, nearshore, and offshore locations
- In tandem with the Leaders' approach of providing end-toend platform solutions, quite a few Major Contenders are also investing heavily to build in-house proprietary platform solutions, or are partnering with FinTechs to leverage their technological capabilities to enhance their lending operations

Aspirants

Capgemini, Equiniti, Evalueserve, Exela Technologies, and PrivoCorp

- The majority of Aspirants are trying to achieve a decent presence in the lending market as their scale and penetration remain limited, leading to a lower market adoption
- Expansion of capabilities for their scope of services remains the primary area of focus for Aspirants

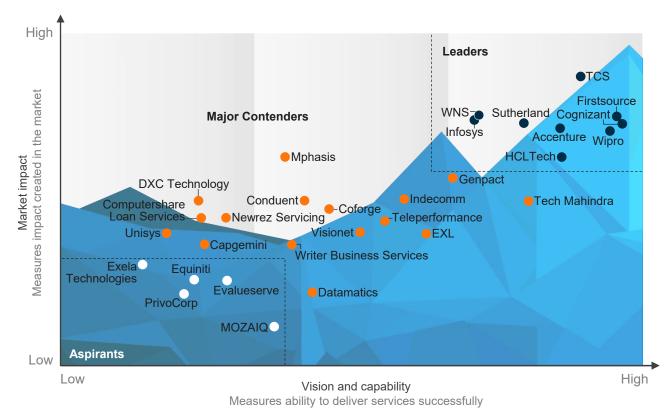


Everest Group PEAK Matrix®

Lending Services Operations PEAK Matrix® Assessment 2024 | TCS is positioned as a Leader

Everest Group Lending Services Operations PEAK Matrix® Assessment 2024¹

- Leaders
- Major Contenders
- Aspirants



¹ Assessments for Accenture, Capgemini, Conduent, Computershare Loan Services, DXC Technology, Equiniti, Exela Technologies, EXL, Genpact, Newrez Servicing, Tech Mahindra, and Unisys excludes provider inputs and are based on Everest Group's proprietary Transaction Intelligence (TI) database, provider public disclosures, and Everest Group's interactions with insurance buyers. Teleperformance has partially participated in this PEAK Matrix Source: Everest Group (2024)



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Overview

Company overview

TCS is an IT services, consulting, and business solutions provider offering consulting-led, cognitivepowered, integrated portfolio of IT, business, technology services, and engineering solutions. Its TCS BaNCS for corporate loan origination simplifies the lending process and improves operational efficiency, while supporting the information security and confidentiality requirements of financial institutions.

Headquarters: Mumbai, India Website: www.tcs.com

Key leaders

- K. Krithivasan, Chief Executive Officer
- Murali Chellappa, Global Head, BFS Cognitive Vinay Hansaria, Global Head, Insurance and **Business Operations (CBO)**
- Meenu Mittal, Global Head BFSI BPS
 - Mortgage Operations

Suite of services

- Loan origination
- Mortgage lending
- · Commercial loan servicing

- Mortgage servicing
- Mortgage origination
- Commercial credit

Lending services BPS ¹	2021	2022	2023	
Revenue (US\$ million)	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Number of FTEs	11,000 – 13,000	11,000 – 13,000	13,000 – 15,000	
Number of clients	Not disclosed	Not disclosed	Not disclosed	

Recent acquisitions and partnerships

- 2024: partnered with a leading Midwest regional bank, which leveraged its TCS BaNCS™ to update its core technology infrastructure, drive innovation, and strengthen customer relationships. Its partnership with TCS aimed to create frictionless and flexible customer onboarding processes, enabling continued growth for the bank
- 2023: Finastra: alliance with Finastra for LoanIQ module training
- 2020: nCINO: implement and support commercial loan origination for various banks globally

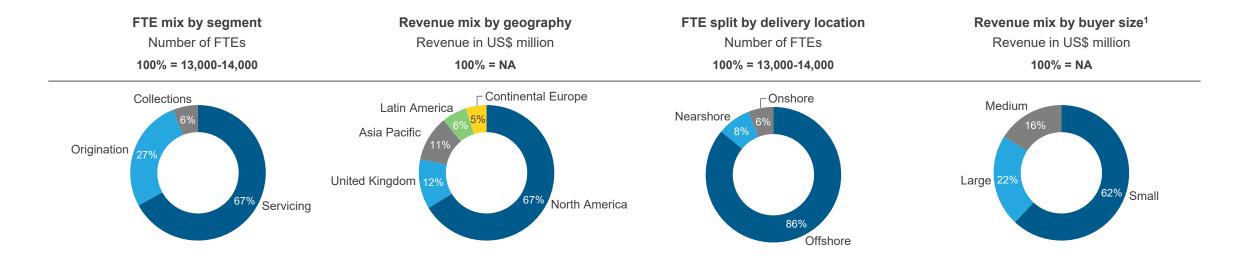
Recent developments

- 2024: launched a new delivery center in Warsaw, Poland, to expand its operations in the country. The new facility aimed to double the workforce to over 1,200 within a year, supporting further growth in the region
- 2024: TCS digital mortgage suite leverages next-generation technology to simplify and standardize mortgage origination, underwriting, quality check, and customer service processes. This allows lenders to enhance customer experience; reduce origination, servicing, and compliance costs; increase topline growth; and improve operational efficiencies
- 2024: Silver Award for Digital Home Lending Solution in Stevie International Business Awards for 2024 under the category - Achievement in International Expansion
- 2023: TCS signs strategic deal to digitally transform Mansfield Building Society's services in the UK
- 2022: launched iLens in collaboration with ICICI Bank, a digital lending solution powered by the TCS lending platform. This innovative platform digitized the entire lending process, from application to disbursement, making it accessible to all customers including those new to the bank. It provided unparalleled convenience with faster loan application turnaround times, greater transparency regarding loan status, and a better customer experience

^{1 12} months ending December 31 of any particular year, i.e., from January 1, YYYY to December 31, YYYY

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Overview



Key lending operations engagements

Client name	LoB (origination, servicing, and collections)	Region	Client since
A leading retail and commercial bank in Europe	Servicing	Europe	N/A
A Fortune 500 mortgage insurer	Servicing	North America	N/A
A large Canada-based financial services provider	Origination and servicing	North America	N/A
A global Fortune 100 banking and financial services provider	Origination and servicing	United Kingdom	N/A

¹ Buyer size is defined as large (>US\$10 billion in revenue), medium (US\$5-10 billion in revenue), and small (<US\$5 billion in revenue)

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Technology solutions/tools

Applications	LoB	Year launched	Description	No. of clients
Automated Document Classification and Extraction	Originations, default, and servicing	2020	It is a cognitive document digitization tool for mortgage document classification and data extraction across mortgage value chain, helping lenders, servicers, and mortgage institutions to minimize the manual effort.	Not disclosed
Digital Home Lending Solution	Originations, default, and servicing	2021	TCS Digital Mortgage Suite leverages next-generation technology to simplify and standardize mortgage origination, underwriting, quality check, and customer service processes. This allows lenders to enhance customer experience; reduce origination, servicing, and compliance costs; increase topline growth; and improve operational efficiencies. The mortgage suit includes an E2E origination platform named TCS Digital Home Lending Solution.	Not disclosed
Digital Underwriting	Origination	2018	Cognitive rule-based solution for underwriters to make mortgage credit decisions by digitizing data, document, and decision.	Not disclosed
Mobility-as-a-Service	Servicing	2021	It is a platform for banks to offer multiple mobility solution to customers. These services include asset loans, lease, subscription, short-term rentals, and long-distance travel mode bundles through the banks and offered by bank's partners.	Not disclosed
Financial Spreading-as-a-Service	Origination and servicing	2019	It is an Al-based solution to analyze financial statements and calculate the key financial ratios required to assess businesses during credit underwriting. Financial Spreading involves automated extraction, arrangement, and analysis of financial information from the Annual Reports, Financial Statements or Regulatory filings of borrowers / counterparties; to be used for investments , treasury , lending decisions.	Not disclosed
TCS Digital Mortgage Suite	Origination and servicing	-	TCS Digital Mortgage Offering entails digital originator consumer omnichannel self-service solution for customers to submit and track loan applications.	Not disclosed
TCS Commercial Lending Service	Origination and servicing	_	It covers commercial lending life cycle from origination to servicing across working capital term loans syndication loans corporate commercial loans equipment finance leasing commercial real estate fleet finance.	

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Key delivery locations



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Everest Group assessment – Leader

Measure of capability: Low





Market impact

Market adoption	Portfolio mix	Value delivered	Overall	Vision and strategy	Scope of services offered	Innovation and investments	Delivery footprint	Overall
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

Strengths

- TCS demonstrates a strong grasp across the entire lending services value chain, which is underscored by its steady revenue growth, even during economic downturns
- TCS is expanding into emerging geographies such as Continental Europe and LATAM, with a focus on providing a more balanced delivery footprint
- TCS has invested in developing future frameworks for ESG performance, established geo-specific CoEs and co-innovation labs such as Pace Port™ bolstering its growth in lending services and fostering collaborations with its diverse cliental base of building societies, neo banks, credit unions, and others
- TCS is moving from an offshore-centric model to a nearshore/onshore one. Around 15-20% of their FTEs are now based in nearshore centers. It has also expanded its licensing in the US and Australia to serve the increasing demand
- It has further enhanced its suite of digital solutions with Gen Al offerings such as Policy Quest, Underwriting Co-pilot, and DigiHome, streamlining the originations process, creating reusable frameworks that offer seamless integration, leading to cost optimization for its clients

Limitations

 Clients seek TCS to have an upward momentum in technological advances by continuously innovating and staying ahead in adoption of new technologies in the evolving lending market

Vision and capability

• With a strong focus on capability building, TCS is yet to build partnerships that would foster its expertise and capabilities in lending-specific processes

Appendix

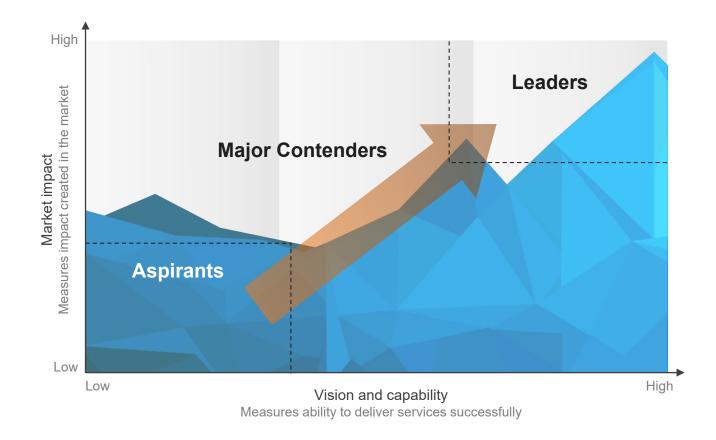
PEAK Matrix® framework

FAQs



Everest Group PEAK Matrix® is a proprietary framework for assessment of market impact and vision and capability

Everest Group PEAK Matrix





Services PEAK Matrix® evaluation dimensions

Measures impact created in the market captured through three subdimensions

Market adoption

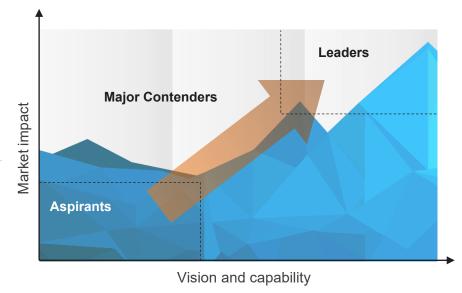
Number of clients, revenue base, YoY growth, and deal value/volume

Portfolio mix

Diversity of client/revenue base across geographies and type of engagements

Value delivered

Value delivered to the client based on customer feedback and transformational impact



Measures ability to deliver services successfully. This is captured through four subdimensions

Vision and strategy

Vision for the client and itself: future roadmap and strategy

Scope of services offered

Depth and breadth of services portfolio across service subsegments/processes

Innovation and investments

Innovation and investment in the enabling areas, e.g., technology IP, industry/domain knowledge, innovative commercial constructs, alliances, M&A, etc.

Delivery footprint

Delivery footprint and global sourcing mix



FAQs

Q: Does the PEAK Matrix® assessment incorporate any subjective criteria?

A: Everest Group's PEAK Matrix assessment takes an unbiased and fact-based approach that leverages provider / technology vendor RFIs and Everest Group's proprietary databases containing providers' deals and operational capability information. In addition, we validate/fine-tune these results based on our market experience, buyer interaction, and provider/vendor briefings.

Q: Is being a Major Contender or Aspirant on the PEAK Matrix, an unfavorable outcome?

A: No. The PEAK Matrix highlights and positions only the best-in-class providers / technology vendors in a particular space. There are a number of providers from the broader universe that are assessed and do not make it to the PEAK Matrix at all. Therefore, being represented on the PEAK Matrix is itself a favorable recognition.

Q: What other aspects of the PEAK Matrix assessment are relevant to buyers and providers other than the PEAK Matrix positioning?

A: A PEAK Matrix positioning is only one aspect of Everest Group's overall assessment. In addition to assigning a Leader, Major Contender, or Aspirant label, Everest Group highlights the distinctive capabilities and unique attributes of all the providers assessed on the PEAK Matrix. The detailed metric-level assessment and associated commentary are helpful for buyers in selecting providers/vendors for their specific requirements. They also help providers/vendors demonstrate their strengths in specific areas.

Q: What are the incentives for buyers and providers to participate/provide input to PEAK Matrix research?

A: Enterprise participants receive summary of key findings from the PEAK Matrix assessment For providers

- The RFI process is a vital way to help us keep current on capabilities; it forms the basis for our database - without participation, it is difficult to effectively match capabilities to buyer inquiries
- In addition, it helps the provider/vendor organization gain brand visibility through being in included in our research reports

Q: What is the process for a provider / technology vendor to leverage its PEAK Matrix positioning?

- A: Providers/vendors can use their PEAK Matrix positioning or Star Performer rating in multiple ways including:
 - Issue a press release declaring positioning; see our citation policies
 - Purchase a customized PEAK Matrix profile for circulation with clients, prospects, etc. The package includes the profile as well as quotes from Everest Group analysts, which can be used in PR
 - · Use PEAK Matrix badges for branding across communications (e-mail signatures, marketing brochures, credential packs, client presentations, etc.)

The provider must obtain the requisite licensing and distribution rights for the above activities through an agreement with Everest Group; please contact your CD or contact us

Q: Does the PEAK Matrix evaluation criteria change over a period of time?

A: PEAK Matrix assessments are designed to serve enterprises' current and future needs. Given the dynamic nature of the global services market and rampant disruption, the assessment criteria are realigned as and when needed to reflect the current market reality and to serve enterprises' future expectations.

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