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# **Spend** Matters | **Solution** Map

**AP Automation/Invoice-to-Pay** 

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## Keep Up with Today's Procurement Technology Solutions

Use SolutionMap to:



Track market developments & disruptors



Assess provider capabilities based on your needs



Identify your best-fit provider shortlist

You need to stay on top of technology advancements and understand how they can work to streamline your function. Unfortunately, many traditional analyst frameworks to compare solution provider capabilities and create provider shortlists are static and take a 'one-fits-all' approach.

Access deep, tailored and current assessments of provider capabilities using SolutionMap - a new kind of solution provider ranking.

#### Each SolutionMap...

- » Ranks a technology within the procurement and supply chain spectrum
- » Comprises equal parts customer and analyst input
- » Reflects different organizational needs through 'market personas'
- » Gets updated semiannually to show market developments

Use SolutionMap on an ongoing basis to keep up with today's procurement and supply chain technology buying climate. Go to <a href="SpendMatters.com/SolutionMap">SpendMatters.com/SolutionMap</a> and:



#### AP Automation/Invoice-to-Pay

# Current SolutionMap Categories:

- » AP Automation/Invoice-to-Pay
- » Contract Lifecycle Management (CLM)
- » E-Procurement
- » Procure-to-Pay (P2P)
- » Source-to-Contract (Sourcing, Analytics, CLM, SRM)
- » Source-to-Pay (S2P)
- » Sourcing
- » Spend and Procurement Analytics
- » Supplier Relationship Management and Risk (SRM)
- » VMS (including SOW)

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## SolutionMap Market Personas

Not all procurement organizations are equal. SolutionMap market personas reflect different organizational needs tied to the unique value propositions served by a provider.

Identify the market persona that most accurately reflects your organization below. SolutionMap provider rankings vary based on weighted requirements by persona. Keep the persona you've chosen in mind, and look for it among the persona-based SolutionMap ranking charts further below.

Before you review the SolutionMaps below, take a moment to decide what persona(s) best represent your procurement organization:



#### **SME** Persona

Solutions for SMEs (revenues < \$100M/year) and/or "point" solutions Typically lower cost & functionality, quick deployment and single region



#### **MID Persona**

Solutions for upper mid-market (revenues \$100M-\$1B/year)
Typically highly configurable functionality, enabled with content (i.e. templates, intelligence) and capability to support multiple regions



#### **LARGE** Persona

Solutions for large/MNC enterprises (revenues >\$1B/yr)
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#### Fall 2022 SolutionMap Scoring by Market Persona:

#### HOW PROVIDERS STACK UP

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Value Leaders

AvidXchange, **Medius**, SoftCo, Taulia, Tipalti

Coupa, GEP, Ivalua, Jaggaer ONE (Standard), **Medius**, Taulia, Tipalti

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Solution Leaders Basware, Kissflow, Tradeshift, Vroozi Basware, Oracle, SAP Ariba, Tradeshift, Vroozi Basware, Oracle, SAP Ariba, Tradeshift

Customer Leaders Airbase, Corcentric Payables (COR360), Onventis, Yooz

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**Emergent Contenders** 

Corcentric Platform, OpusCapita, SourceDay

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AP Automation/Invoice-to-Pay (AP/I2P)

#### READING THE RANKING CHART

- » The color of the provider 'bubble' indicates the number of submitted customer references with dark purple being best.
- » Provider 'bubble' size represents solution-specific scalability based on customer count, global customer reach, full-time employees and revenue per customer.

# # of Customer References = Maximum = Average Solution Scalability

Solution Value Leader

Emergent Contender Leader

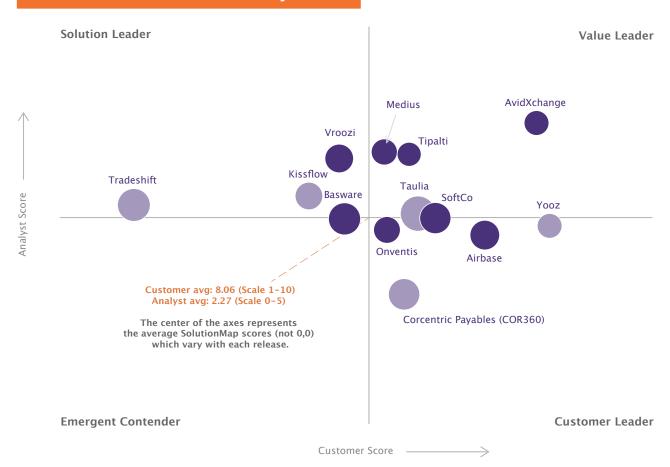
Contender Leader

- Customer Score +

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Providers with an asterisk (\*) next to their company name not yet evaluated against Fall 2021 RFI requirements, but rather, normalized based on scoring from Spring 2021 publication.

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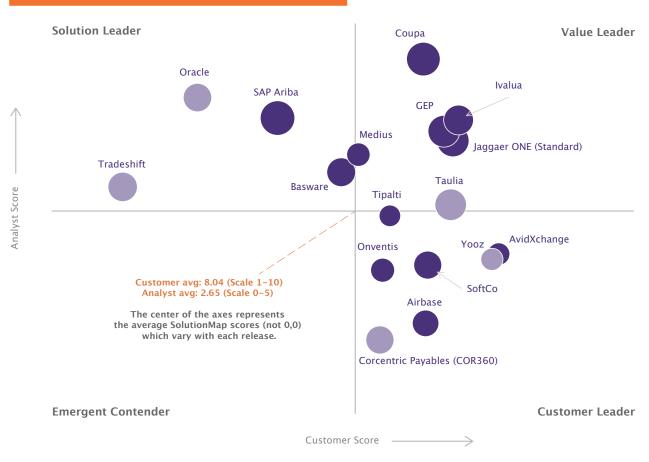
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# **Medius**

#### **COMPANY BACKGROUND**

**HQ** (and support locations): HQ: Stockholm, Sweden; Support Locations: North America, Eastern Europe, Western & Southern Europe, Northern Europe, UK & Ireland and Australia

**Total annual revenue:** Not disclosed **Customers:** 4420; not disclosed

Regions Served: North America, South America, Western & Southern Europe,

Northern Europe, UK & Ireland, Eastern Europe, Russia, MENA, Central/South Asia, East/Southeast Asia, China and Australia

Available Modules: Sourcing, SXM, CLM, Analytics, eProcurement and AP/I2P Latest Release Version: R106

#### AP AUTOMATION/INVOICE-TO-PAY SUMMARY SOLUTION SCORING: Fall 2022

Key	Bottom	Middle	Top
	Tier	Tier	Tier

#### ANALYST SOLUTION SCORING

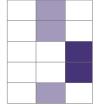
#### CORE AP AUTOMATION/INVOICE-TO-PAY FUNCTIONALITY

Supplier Onboarding & Information Management		
Invoicing Creation/Capturing/Submission		
Invoice Compliance		
Invoice Validation/Approvals/Collaboration		
Financial Accounting, Services & Contract Invoicing		
Early Pay/Dynamic Discounting		
Supply Chain Financing		
Payments Processing		
Payment Cards		
Invoicing/Payments/Financing Analytics		

#### **UNDERLYING PLATFORM TECHNOLOGY**

Data Management, Metrics & Reporting
Configurability
Supplier Portal & Information Management
Architecture, Security & Integration

User Experience & Automation



#### **SERVICES**

General Solution Implementation & Support P2P Services



#### **CUSTOMER SURVEY OVERALL**

Recommend this provider

Level of value perceived

Meet the expectations

Quick deployment

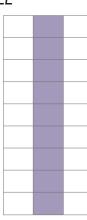
ROI

TCO

Business value

Innovation

Customer's Survey Average



### **\*** CONSIDERATIONS

- See grid on page 5 for this provider's ranking position in each Market Persona.
- Medius' customer sweet spot is midmarket and upper mid-market organizations in its core territories who want to automate their procurement and finance functions and demand rapid time to value
- Medius has strong integration capabilities through its fully developed Cloudbased integration gateway, Medius Connect, that has "any to any" connections with numerous finance and ERP systems and 3rd party data providers.
- Medius can handle complex matching scenarios with its waterflow matching model. In this model, multiple matching techniques are applied in sequence according to priority defined on a supplier level before involving a human. This technique is useful for complex environments where data quality is poor.
- Medius continues to invest in its AP Automation capabilities, adding ML capabilities to increase process accuracy and confidence.
- Medius Pay integrates with multiple payment providers to deliver complete control of the payments process for both domestic and cross-border suppliers globally.
- Medius' roadmap is focused on: increased automation, scan and process invoice lines for improved AI/ML-based coding suggestions & spend categorization, changes in inbox; Increased automation for both PO and non-PO invoices using the latest ML algorithms to minimize the manual keying; Process e-invoices in the same easy way as if it was a PDF. Extract data from PO invoices with complex line level structures; Executing payments in daily batches to optimize cash position; Enhanced AI/ML to further highlight potential risk factors in payments before they are executed.

#### **AP Automation/Invoice-to-Pay**

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