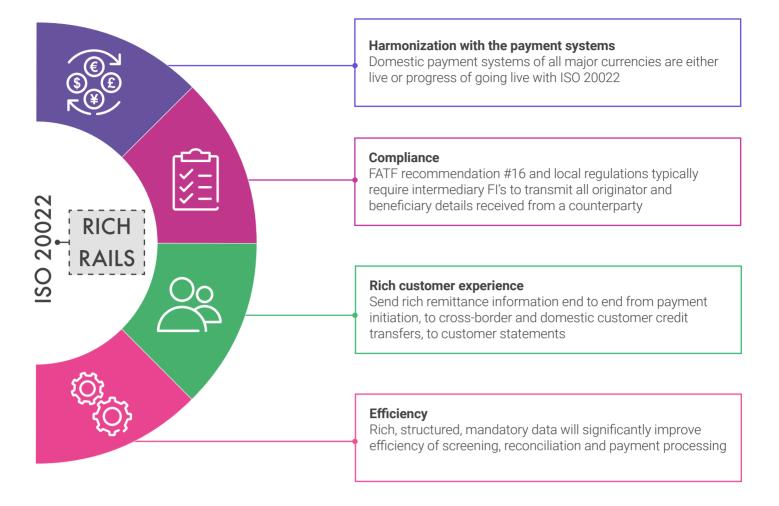


Understanding ISO 20022

ISO 20022 migration allows transport of richer data sets, gives users the ability to harmonize formats that did not previously allow for cross-operation and increases the scope for inter-operability between different market infrastructures. But what are the steps banks need to take to be ready for this migration?

ISO 20022 – What to expect?



ISO 20022 Migration approaches

Deciding which approach to take is only the beginning. Banks must also ensure their payments operations strategy is aligned with their chosen model.



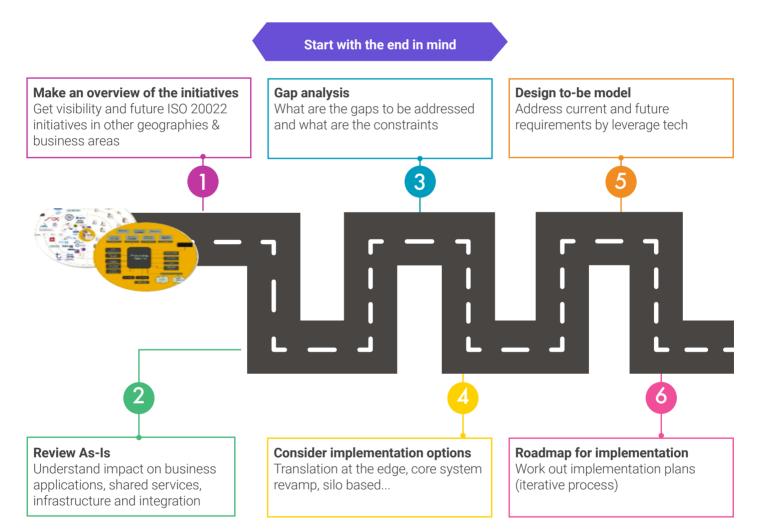
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2) Phase approach

Phased introduction of new format with several migration windows and Go-Live Date for all participants

Phased approach	Current	Co-Existence phase	Fully fledged MX format
	 Participants use MT messaging format 	 Participants are able to send and receive both MT and MX messaging format No additional data elements above the current messaging fields 	 Only able to send and receive MX messaging format Additional data elements above the current messaging fields

Checklist for ISO 20022 migration



Key lesson learnt



Start early enough considering local, regional and global Milestones and Go-Live dates (For SWIFT, planning had to be started or should start now).



3

Consider all requirements and go for strategic approach (fully fledged as Target State).



Plan all changes beyond mere compliance towards business benefits beyond.



Build environment to cope with regular standard updates in the future.

Care for resources, budget and time to build knowledge in all units impacted.

Consider state-of-the art implementation and testing methods.

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