

# Why UK CFOs are rethinking how they pay

Survey of 300 UK CFOs with £20m+ turnover\*

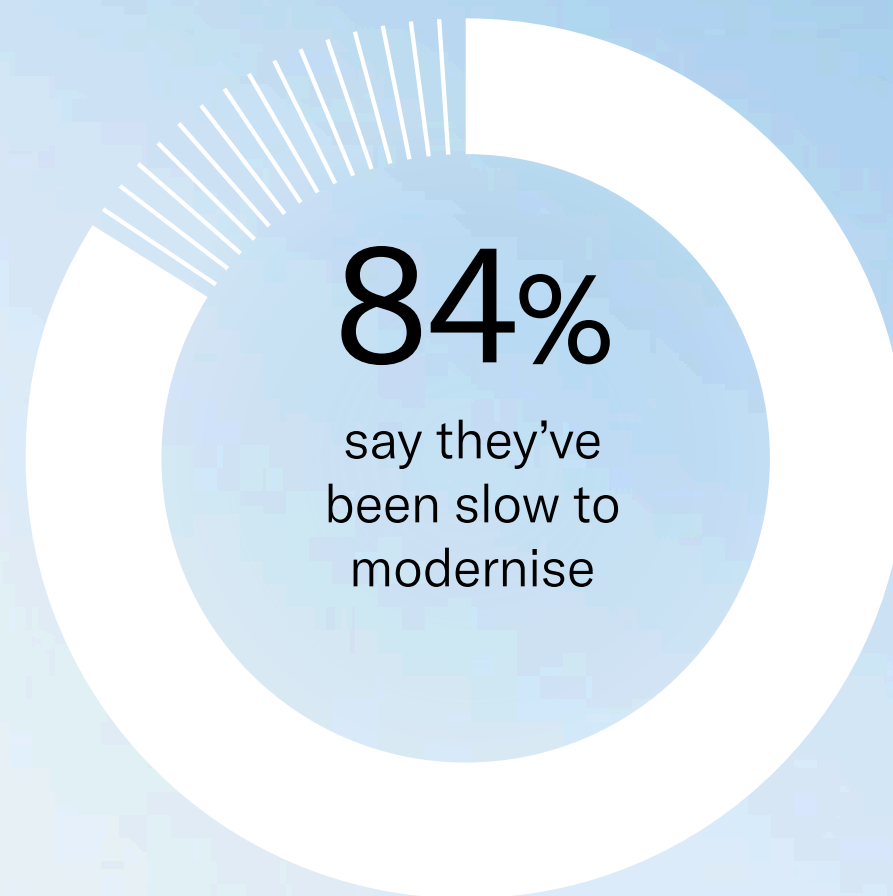
## Time is being lost to administration



**83%** agree spend management is more manual than it should be

**21%** describe their approach as mostly manual and reactive

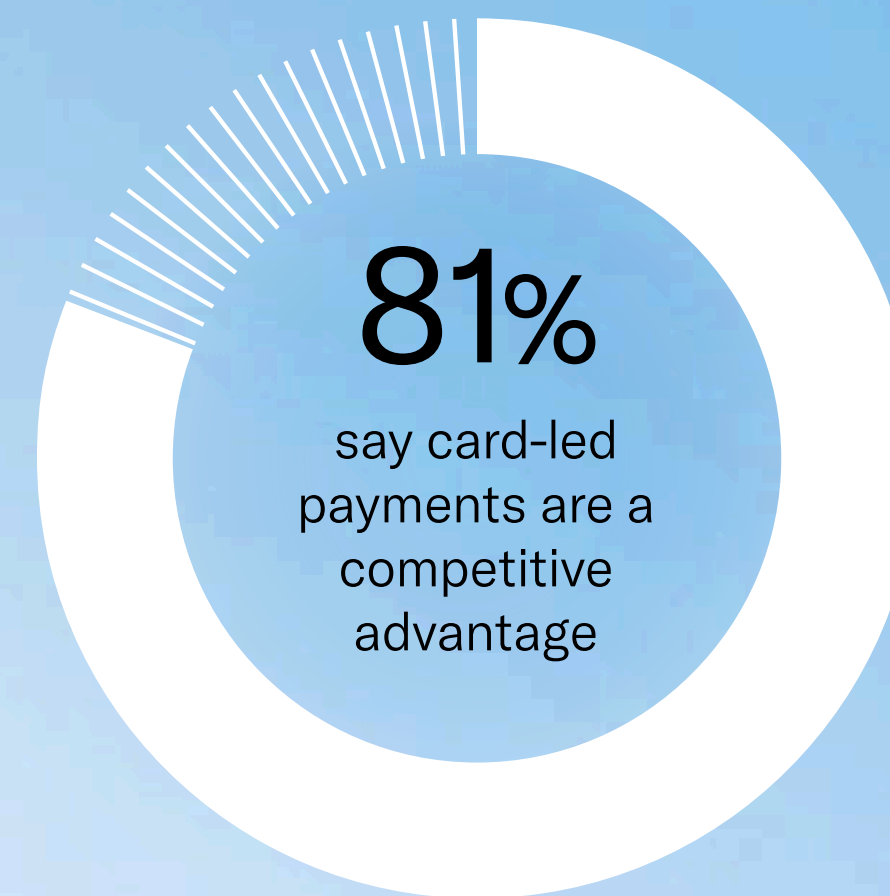
## The pressure to modernise is real



**85%** say current processes increase risk and fraud

**91%** are concerned competitors are ahead

## The shift to card first



**All CFOs** say that some spend could move to cards and **67%** expect to move **21%+** of spend

**82%** say that working capital flexibility would be very valuable for their business

## What would time back unlock?



If admin fell by **25-50%** the top three things finance would focus on are:

**Business partnering**

**Cash flow forecasting**

**Strategic planning**

## How does your organisation compare?

Build a practical roadmap to modernise spend and strengthen control. [Get in touch to explore.](#)

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That's time well spent

\*Censuswide survey (Feb 2026) of 300 UK CFOs with £20m+ turnover