

#### **Glossary**

- BPO Business Process Outsourcing
- BPaaS Business Process as a Service

- to entail подразумевать
- to leverage использовать
- buffer capital fund резервный фонд
- to wash the hands off избавиться от выполнения чего-либо
- mitigate risk снизить риск
- outcome-based pricing models модели ценообразования, ориентированные на конечные результаты
- to gain traction in the robotic process automation набирать обороты в автоматизации технологических процессов с помощью роботов
- back office служебные помещения
- branched out разветвленная
- to corner the market монополизировать рынок
- to skirt some tax laws обойти некоторые налоговые законы
- the confines of tax laws границы налогового законодательства
- the midmarket средний бизнес
- the mobile-app-for-business мобильные приложения для бизнеса
- ♦ a makeover перестройка



The term became popular in the US near the turn of the 21st century.

# Duthourcing is the contracting out of a business process to a third-party to avoid certain costs.

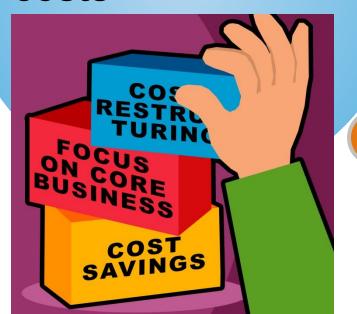
When outsourcing transgresses national boundaries and is managed by companies located in other countries, it takes the form of offshoring.

The opposite of outsourcing is called *insourcing*, which entails bringing processes handled by third-party firms in-house.



### Reasons for outsourcing

Companies primarily outsource to avoid specific types of costs



"non-core" business expenses

high taxes

high energy costs

excessive government regulation/mandates

production and/or labor costs



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- Lower operational and labor costs are among the primary reasons why companies choose to outsource.
- 2. Companies also choose to outsource so that they may continue focusing on their core business processes.
- It enables companies to tap into and leverage a global knowledge base.
- 4. Freeing up internal resources.

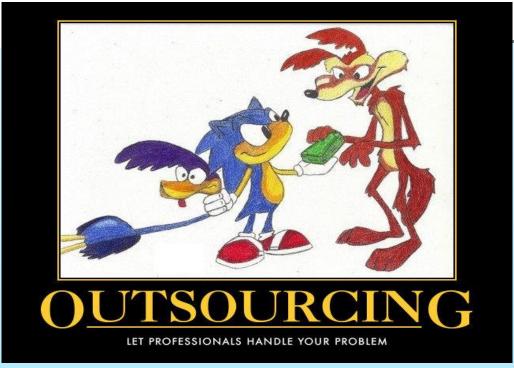
5. Enterprises outsource to gain access to resources not available

internally.





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- 6. Outsourcing is undertaken to provide a buffer capital fund to companies.
- 7. Companies can wash their hands off functions that are difficult to manage.
- 8. Outsourcing helps companies **mitigate risk**.
- 9. Outsourcing also enables companies to realize the benefits of re-engineering.
- 10. Some companies also outsource to help them **expand and gain access to new market areas**.



### Top 10 Business Process Outsourcing Trends to Watch for in 2014

**DATAMARK, Inc.**, a leading provider of global business services released a new white paper naming its **Top 10 Business Process Outsourcing Trends for 2014**.

Trends expected to shape the BPO industry in 2014 and beyond include **robotic process automation technologies**, a focus on **the midmarket for business opportunities**, and a surge in the "**mobile-app-for-business**" **revolution**.

Pioneers and new entrants gain traction in the robotic process automation.

Mature client-outsourcer relationships will lead to a gradual shift to outcome-based pricing models.

Customer contact center services reach higher levels of sophistication.

We'll see more BPO movement onshore and nearshore.



Top 10 Business Process Outsourcing Process Outsourcing 4102 in 2014

Healthcare revenue cycle management gets

BPOs enlarge the midmarket for opportunities.

The mobile-app-for-bus iness revolution is about to begin.

reinvented.

With another big player providing public services, look for BPaaS to boom.

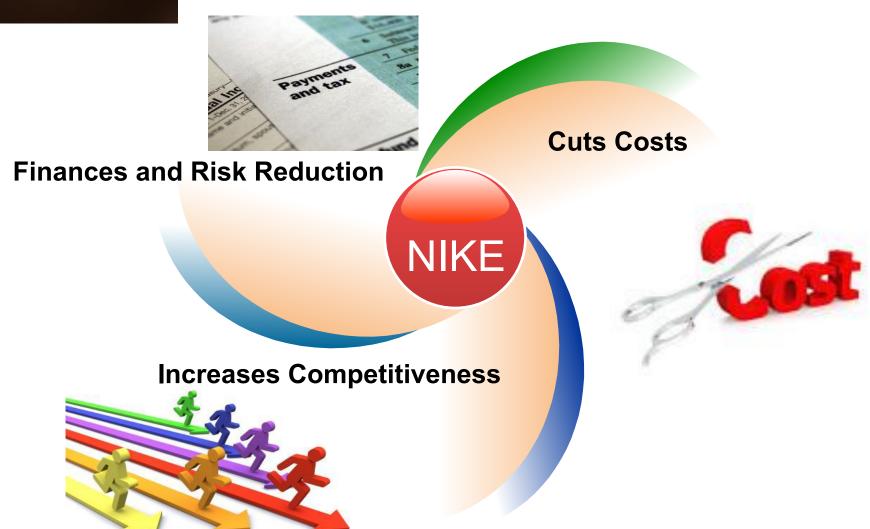
The Request for Proposal (RFP) gets a makeover.

Business continuity and disaster recovery plans are closely reviewed.





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- What means outsourcing?
- Which specific types of costs company usually tries to avoid?
- What are the reasons for businesses to outsource?
- You think outsourcing is the way to increase company's profit, don't you?
- Do you remember some future trends in Business Process Outsourcing?