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### Will Automation Change the Financial Industry?

Automation technologies are changing the way finance professionals do their jobs. SoftwareTrends surveyed 1,000 finance leaders to learn exactly how automation technologies will share some of the once-very-manual finance work in the coming years.



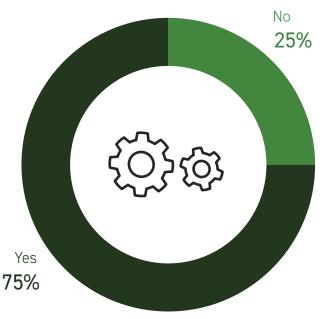
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## Does your organization rely on manual efforts to perform finance closing processes?



#### Does your finance organization use finance operations management software?





Are there enough tech-savvy finance professionals?

68%

What tools and technologies are used to help manage finance processes and operations?\* 

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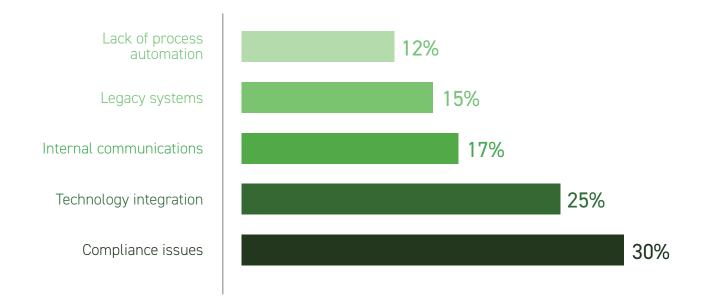
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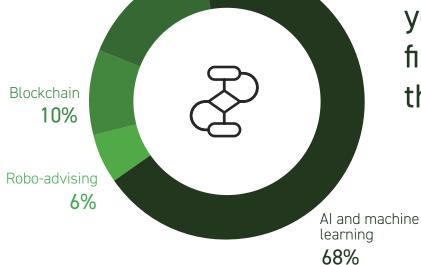
\*Multiple responses allowed

What are the biggest challenges facing finance professionals?





### Which technology do



you expect will affect financial processes the most?

# What finance-related technology investements are being considered for 2020?



Source: Results from the SoftwareTrends survey of 1,000 financial leaders conducted between October and December 2019.