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## Business Development Plan

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### **Executive Overview**

- Prospecting processes and philosophy fluctuate between markets
- Prospecting activity was less than 10% of total activity last year
- Prospecting in non-named accounts yielded 2.5% of total sales last year
- The average annual sales for a prospect converted to a named account in last year was less than \$8,000 (which is less than our cost to acquire)
- Identifying 2,000 prospects is a good first step this year
- Within the 2,000 prospects we now need to identify decision makers, painpoints, event triggers and additional information needed to mature a lead into an actionable sales opportunity



Determine the best strategy and tactics to ensure high potential prospect opportunities are actively worked by sales

### Visibility is limited in the prior year prospect pipeline

- No/limited market visibility
- Unstructured process
- Little/no control of leads entering the sales pipeline

**Unknown total # of Prospects** 

**Prospecting Activities** 

4,301 average per month

## Prospects Converted to Named Accounts

Corporate Identified 203 Field Identified 858



### **Implications**

- ✓ No analytics-based target marketing
- No market visibility at top of pipeline
- ✓ Non optimal matching of resources with sales pipeline activities
- Limited specification of lead quality, depth, relevancy
- ✓ Non-systematic opportunity provisioning



No predictability in management of the prospect pipeline

## Some structure has been added to the our current prospect pipeline and this is huge progress

- Limited market visibility
- Some Degree of Structure
- Limited control of leads entering the sales pipeline

#### 2,000 Prospects are known

#### **Prospecting Activities**

5,022 average per month (new run rate)

#### **Identified Prospect Opportunities**

118 valued at \$22.4MM

## Prospects Converted to Named Accounts

Corporate Identified 2000 Field Identified 200

Goal: \$45MM

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Limited predictability in management of the sales pipeline

## Optimal prospect pipeline management would require further refinement and process

### **Optimized Prospect Pipeline Universal Prospect Database Build Market Visibility Engage Decision Makers Nurture & Mature Qualified Sales Opportunities Targeted and Qualified Named Accounts Actionable Sales Opportunities**

#### Results

- Analytics-based target marketing
- √ Market visibility at top of funnel
- ✓ Optimal matching of resources with sales pipeline activities
- ✓ Full specification of lead quality, depth, relevancy
- ✓ Systematic opportunity provisioning
- Ability to "throttle up and down" based on sales objective

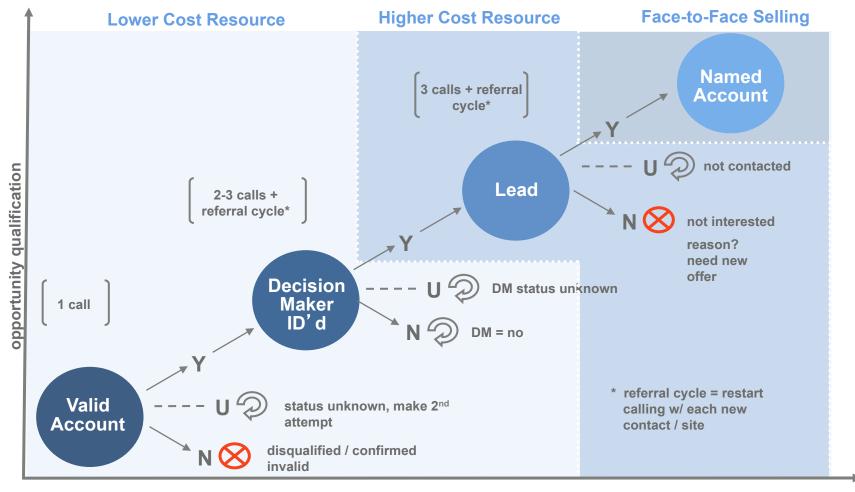


Predictability in management of the prospect pipeline

## Due to the poor conversion rates in the current Tech Solutions pipe, we could test other prospecting ideas

Sales Stage	# of Opportunities	Value of Opportunities	Average Value
Identify Opportunity	656	\$246.2MM	\$375K
Solution Proposed and Presented	179	\$66.4MM	\$371K
Pending Sale	21	\$9.0MM	\$429K
Closed Win	9	\$6.7MM	\$744K
Implement and fulfill	163	\$32.6MM	\$200K
Total	1,028	\$360.9MM	\$351K

## Lower cost resources can efficiently support prospecting and increase conversion



effort allocated

### Let's stop and discuss what we have learned...

- Are we happy with the direction of prospecting?
- What further data do we need?
- Identify and prioritize our pain points
- Set next steps

## We must identify a cross-functional team to further define our Business Development Strategy

### **Field**

Go Get' m - Field Lead

TBD – Exec Sponsor

TBD - Sales Director

TBD – Sales Manager

TBD – Account Executive

TBD – Operations Manager

TBD – Sales Manager

### **Home Office**

Mo Mentum – Corporate Lead

TBD - Exec Sponsor

TBD - CRM Team

TBD - Training

TBD – Marketing

TBD – Sales Support

# The team should be divided into sub-groups to facilitate strong pre-work discussions

Sub-Group	Current Tools and Process	Optimal	Field Team	Home Office Team
Identify Potential New Named Account	<ul><li>Corporate Leads</li><li>Rep Identified</li><li>Prospecting CD</li><li>One Source</li></ul>	TBD	TBD	TBD
Research and Qualify	<ul><li>Internet</li><li>Marketing</li><li>Selling Basics</li></ul>	TBD	TBD	TBD
Sales Process	<ul><li>Siebel Processes</li><li>Sales Training</li></ul>	TBD	TBD	TBD

# We must be ready to launch a measurable pilot program by the end of Q1

Tasks	period	January		February	March	
Project Launch	1 day					
Sub-Group 1 Research	21 days					
Sub-Group 2 Research	21 days					
Sub-Group 3 Research	21 days					
Progress Update	1 day		•			
activity 6	TBD					
activity 7	TBD					
activity 8	TBD					
activity 9	TBD					
Pilot Launch	TBD					
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