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Sales pitch deck assessment tool

What it is

A framework for assessing the format and content for your current sales pitch deck to craft a more compelling sales narrative

Who it's for

Sales teams, sales leaders, and any function such as marketing involved in designing, structuring, or delivering a company sales presentation or 'pitch deck'

Why it's important

A formal sales presentation or pitch deck is often the first and most lasting memory of a company's value and differentiation. First impressions can mean "go or no go". Unfortunately most sales presentations fail to engage buyers or help them make better decisions. Instead many organizations/sellers create and deliver presentations that:

- Focus too early and in too much depth on their product or service
- Lack a clear connection to the buyer's specific business, problems, or opportunities
- Fail to tell a relatable story and provide a clear call to action

Further, few regularly evaluate their sales presentations using an objective process

Guiding principles of world class sales presentations



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Lead with the problem

Name the big shift taking place or the problem in the market that leads to your solution vs. vs. your company, logos and solution



Sell a point-of-view or approach

Focus on a point-of-view and approaches to solving the problem before getting into your solution

Buyer-centric

Start with what the buyer cares about — their goals, challenges and opportunities, not your company and products

Share stories

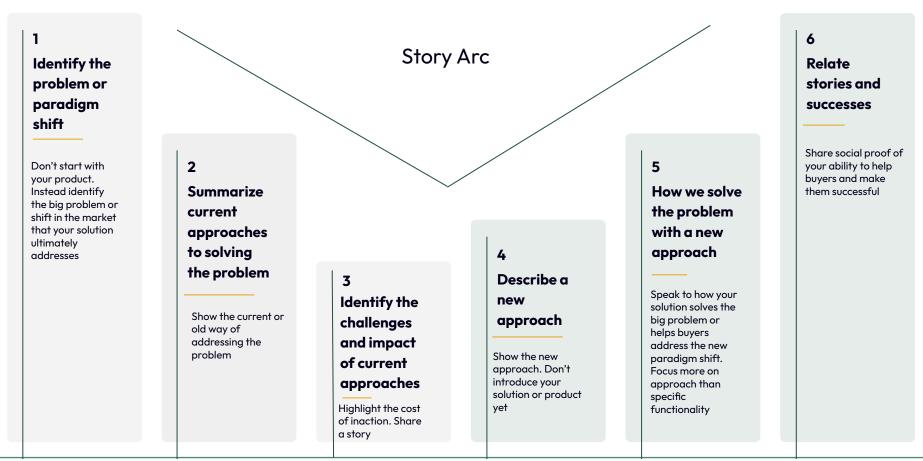
Rely upon stories, analogies and examples vs. claims and facts to increase buy-in, believability and emotional connection



Focus on the Cost of Inaction

Show both the ideal state that can be achieved as well as the cost of doing nothing

Scale GTM Roadmap for effective pitch decks



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Call to action: Assess and optimize your sales pitch deck

Leverage a Scale GTM advisor



The Scale GTM team can conduct a quick assessment of your sales pitch deck and advise you on sales presentation development, delivery, and/or training.

Do it yourself



Use this framework and the example decks provided to evaluate, revise and improve your sales pitch deck on your own.

Examples

Zuora (<u>link</u>)





















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Pocus (link)



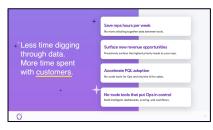






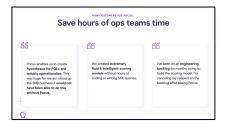














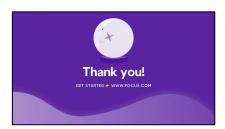


Chart Mogul (<u>link</u>)



Problem Accurately calculating SaaS metrics is hard. Harnessing subscription data to inform decisions that lead to

faster growth is even harder.



















