



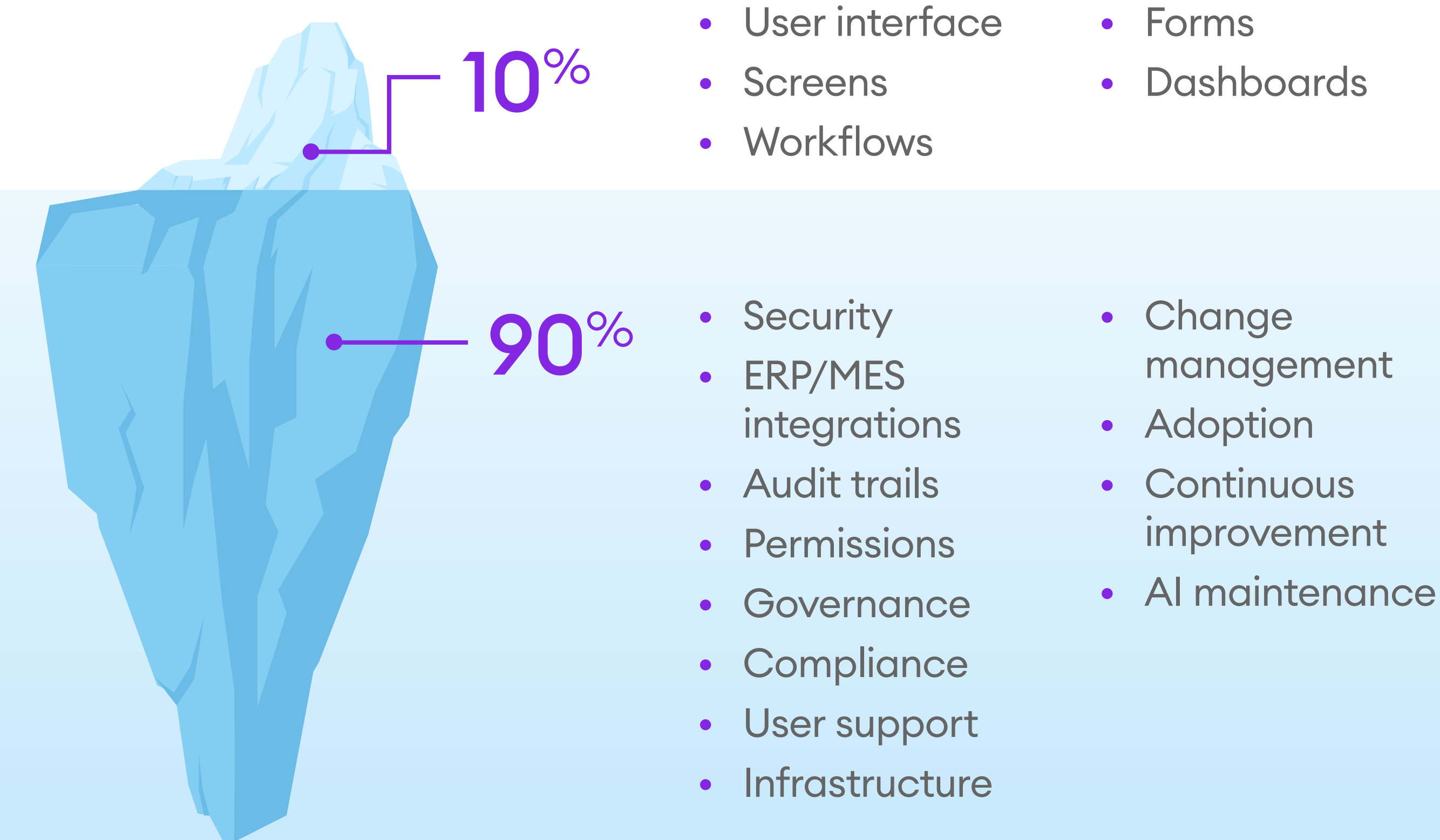
Build vs. Buy in the Age of AI

Extend your IFS Cloud investment from the system of record, to the system of execution with **IFS Connected Worker**.



AI made building easy, but it didn't make production easy. You might be able to build a work instruction application in an afternoon, but building the application is just the beginning. Should you be running the risk of starting from scratch?

The Tip of the Iceberg vs. Below the Surface



AI can generate your application, but it can't replicate years of operational maturity and frontline knowledge.

The average large IT project runs 45% over budget	Most deliver 56% less value than expected
More than 35% of large custom software builds are abandoned	AI-generated code ships 2.74^x more vulnerabilities

McKinsey; Standish CHAOS (2024)

The Three Costs Most Teams Underestimate

Knowledge Cost	Ownership Cost	Governance Cost
AI can't create: - Skills matrices - Training history - SOP governance - Best practices - Operational learning	After launch, you still face: - Security updates - Integrations - Infrastructure - Support - Feature requests - Model updates	Auditors require: - Traceability - Version history - Role controls - Electronic signatures - Audit logs

Build	VS.	Buy
- Starts with code - Internal best practices - Team maintains software - Governance must be built - Value starts at launch		- Starts with years of learning - Industry best practices - Vendor maintains platform - Governance already proven - Value compounds over time

Leaders Don't Build Connected Work Platforms. They Buy.

11% Increase in OEE with new hires L'ORÉAL	8% Productivity gains BOSCH	57% Reduction in new hire onboarding time COTY
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The question isn't: "Can we build it?"



The question is: "Does building it create competitive advantage?"

Taking shortcuts could cost your business in the long term. Extend your IFS Cloud Investment, and empower your organization from day one.

Watch the webinar