

Risk co-sourced services

You have more important things to focus on—from short-term objectives to long-term plans. We become an extension of your team.



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Why you should consider co-sourcing Risk functional activities

A co-sourced approach can give you the best of everything – immediate access to the skills you need, support to help develop your staff's potential, and help to enhance corporate governance. Co-sourcing can provide you with the opportunity to tap into specific skill sets, industry knowledge and global resources on an 'as needed' basis. At KPMG, we can provide you with the specific skills you need on demand — achieving a level of flexibility which can be critical in effectively dealing with a range of operational issues. You keep control while we help you deliver.



Capacity Support

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Access to Subject Matter Experts (SMEs)

Small Risk functions often lack breadth of technical expertise across all risk areas (e.g. financial, technology, security, operational, regulatory and sustainability risks). It can be difficult to attract and retain specialist resources. KPMG can bring the necessary SME knowledge and skills into your Risk function.

Bringing insight, foresight and benchmarking

Our experts - from across a breadth of technical disciplines and risk areas, provide insight on current market trends and good / best practices. Our specialist team members are also able to bring foresight on emerging risks and regulatory expectations and wider trend analysis, thereby enabling your Risk function to remain forward-thinking and proactively manage future risks.

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KPMG's Approach



Our approach is tailored to your specific needs – in terms of the topics and frequency of our activities, skilled and bespoke resourcing aligned to each need and delivery within a structured approach to ongoing engagement management and delivery.



Service Inventory Review

We have developed a schedule of areas where we consider co-sourced support could bring value to a Risk function, which we use to identify areas where we can provide support. Our Service Inventory sets out illustrations to facilitate a broad discussion of where we can support your team to optimize Risk functional activities.

O Determine Scale, Approach and Timing

Once we have identified what we can help you with, we work with you to develop how we can best support you, when the support is needed and who can best support execution of the support, to ensure that the right skills from our team are engaged to support you.

Service delivery

For each activity you would like us to support, we will agree timing, the right resources and budget, to agree these with you, before formalising in a Statement of Work. Our recommendation is that these services sit within a Risk Master Services Agreement, to enable us to respond swiftly, contractually, to any changes you may desire going forwards.

We will define what good looks like from our service, and track performance against these standards, to ensure we delivery what we promise and through a culture that looks to continually improve our service delivery.



Risk Framework Facilitation & Oversight

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| What we do | What we give you | How often |
| Facilitate an 'emerging risk' review | Emerging risk dashboard | Bi-annually |
| Facilitate the review and update to assessments within the risk register to assess: (i) whether all significant risks are identified; (ii) appropriateness of inherent/ residual risk scoring; and (iii) appropriateness/ adequacy of controls/ risk mitigants | Updated risk register | Quarterly |
| Perform testing of design adequacy/ effectiveness of key controls within the risk register | Bespoke report | As required |
| Prepare Risk Update papers for the Board, including: (i) regulatory consultations/ pronouncements; and (ii) market themes and trends | Regulatory update paper | Quarterly |
| Writing / refresh of risk policies/ procedures | Updated risk policies | As required |
| Support the risk incident/ event management process, including: (i) preparing an ongoing log of any risk events, issues or 'near misses', (ii) facilitating the development of remediating action plan; (iii) facilitating 'lessons learned' and 'read across' sessions to mitigate the risk of repetition | Incident, event, near misses log | As required |
| Support the development of an appropriate approach to ESG and sustainability/ climate change risk management, and support the integration of ESG considerations into the Enterprise Risk Management ('ERM') framework | Either bespoke ESG/ sustainability/ climate change risk papers or integration into existing ERM framework documentation | As required |
| Facilitate a periodic assessment of the ERM framework | ERM framework facilitated review | Annually |
| Support the preparation of Board Risk Committee papers | Board Risk Committee papers | Quarterly |



Strategic Risk and Capital Management

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| What we do | What we give you | How often |
| Undertake a desktop review of the annual strategy/ financial plan (including sensitivity analysis) | Strategy – key risk considerations paper for Board/ executive management, setting out key considerations | Annually |
| Support stress tests/ scenario analysis ('ST/SA') | Bespoke report | Quarterly |
| Support the preparation of the CISSA report (or undertake a desktop independent review of the CISSA report) | CISSA report/ bespoke report setting out considerations (for management) based on a desktop review of the CISSA report | Annually |
| Support a review of the BSCR calculation, as a desktop review, to assess reasonableness of classifications and methodology adopted | Bespoke report | Annually |





Underwriting Risk

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| What we do | What we give you | How often |
| Support deep dives on specific product/ business lines to assess price adequacy/ underlying profitability and/ or wider underlying trends in performance | Bespoke report | As required |
| Support exposure modelling reviews (either as primary review or as part of second-line of defence monitoring) | | |
| Trend or thematic analysis on underwriting performance and/ or claims trends | | |
| Support the development and performance of reviews relating to sustainability/ climate change risk assessment | | |
| Support the data collation and calculation/ assessment of adherence to underwriting risk | Risk tolerance/ key risk indicator report | Quarterly |

Reserving Risk

tolerances/ key risk indicators

| What we do | What we give you | How often |
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| Risk function 'peer review' on reserving adequacy | Bespoke report | As required |
| Support Risk functional review on reserve reporting to the Board/ Risk Committee | | |
| Trend or thematic analysis on underwriting performance and/ or claims reserving trends | | |
| Support the data collation and calculation/ assessment of adherence to reserving risk tolerances/ key risk indicators | Risk tolerance/ key risk indicator report | Quarterly |



Credit, Liquidity and Market Risk

| What we do | What we give you | How often | |
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| Support the data collation and calculation/ assessment of adherence to credit/ liquidity/ market risk tolerances/ key risk indicators | Risk tolerance/ key risk indicator report | Quarterly | |
| Perform a desktop review of liquidity modelling and projections undertaken by management for reasonability | Bespoke report | As required | |

Operational Risk

| What we do | What we give you | How often |
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| Support the data collation and calculation/ assessment of adherence operational risk tolerances/ key risk indicators | Risk tolerance/ key risk indicator report | Quarterly |
| Review and assess information technology, security and data privacy reporting, to provide Risk function oversight and challenge to technology/ security and privacy risks | Summary paper on key considerations relating to operational risk management | As required |
| Review and assess information relating to people risks | | |
| Review of outsourcing governance for specific outsourcing relationships | | |



Your team

Experience, knowledge and expertise.

Your core team is ready to deliver with consistency, quality and at speed.



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Your team

We embed experienced professionals, tailored to your specific requirements. Our client-centric focus seeks to deliver a collaborative, integrated and multi-disciplinary approach backed by the functional, technical and industry expertise of KPMG professionals.

An extensive team is available across a wide range of specialisms and can deliver scalable services – all designed to help you better predict or reduce costs, access expert talent, and achieve seamless change.

We become an extension of your team.



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- Governance
- Prudential regulation
- Conduct regulation
- Financial crime
- Taxation
- Enterprise risk management



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Financial Risk Management

- Pricing
- Reserving
- · Risk based capital
- Data management
- Predictive learning, Al and robotics



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Your team



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- Security
- Privacy
- Outsourcing
- Operational resilience
- Data warehousing
- · Change management



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- · Financial controls
- Corporate finance
- Fraud management
- Strategy and financial planning



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