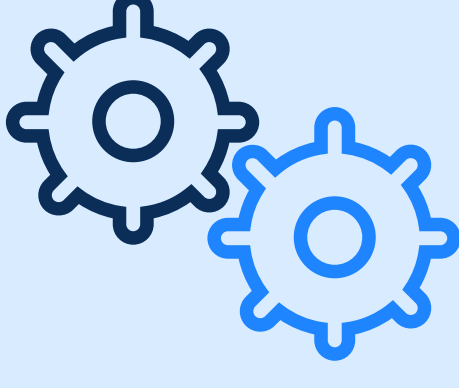


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The AP Career Divide in 2025

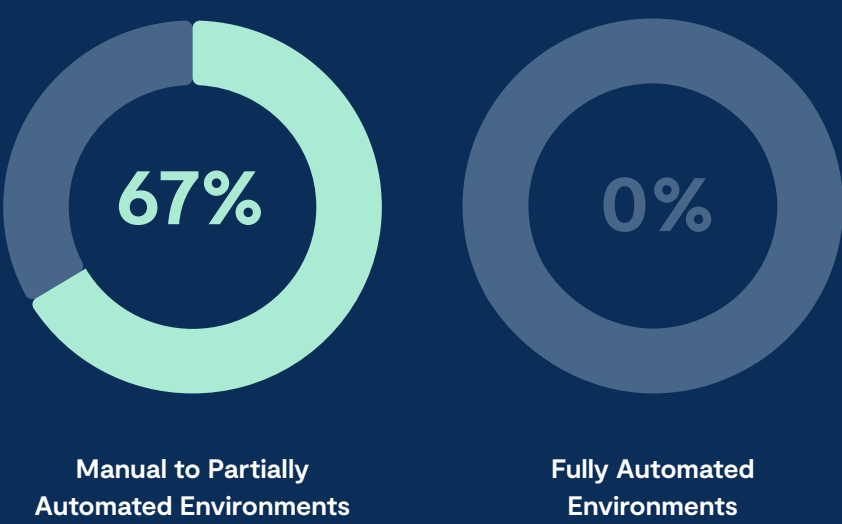
Manual Grind vs. Automated Growth



The Institute of Finance & Management (IOFM) [2025 Accounts Payable Career Satisfaction Report](#) reveals a striking divide between accounts payable (AP) professionals in automated environments and those still working with manual, paper-based processes. Here’s how automation—or the lack of it—shapes job satisfaction, growth opportunities, and day-to-day work in AP.

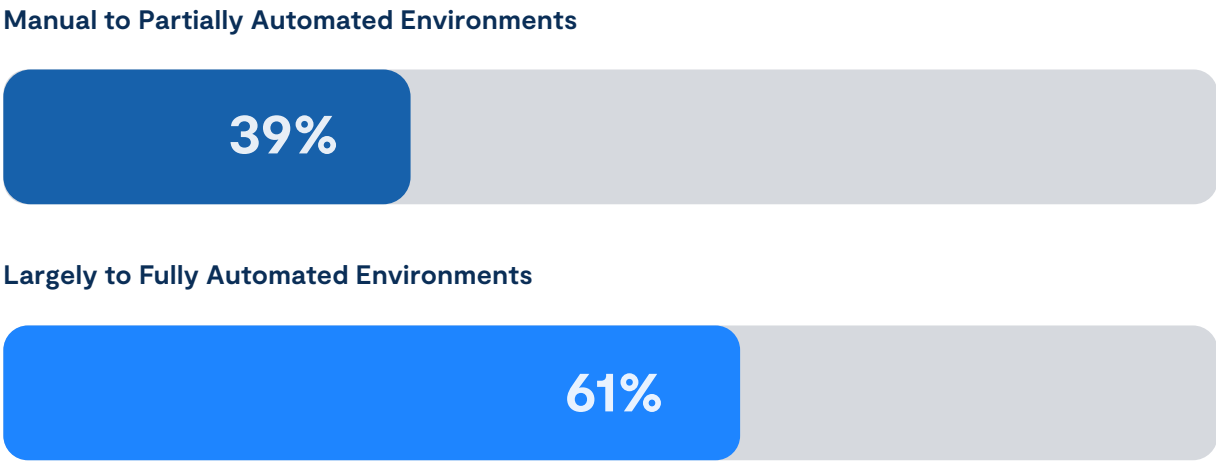
Job Satisfaction: Automation Lifts Morale

Of the AP professionals who said they are “**not at all satisfied**” in their role:



Recognition: Automation Helps AP Get Noticed

Of those who “**strongly agree**” their AP department is valued:



Strategic Work: Automation Opens the Door



Of those who said they “**never**” work on strategic initiatives:

70% Manual to Partially Automated Environments

29% Largely to Fully Automated Environments

Career Advancement: Automation Creates Opportunities



Of those who “**strongly agree**” there are career advancement opportunities at their current organization:

73% Largely to Fully Automated Environments

28% Partially Automated Environments

0% Manual environments

Professional Development: Tools Fuel Growth



Across all environments, **74%** believe access to tools and technology helps with professional development and career advancement.

AP automation doesn’t just change processes—it transforms careers. Learn more in the full report from [IOFM: 2025 Accounts Payable Career Satisfaction Report](#).

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