

# Interim CFO Improves Processes

## and Develops a Better Investor Reporting



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## **Customer Pocket Story**

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"Thanks to torq.partners, we were not only able to continue to successfully manage our daily finance duties after he departure of our CFO, but could also optimize our processes."

Founder & CEO

## **Project Scope**

Deployment of an Interim CFO/Head of Finance with a focus on investor reporting and business case modeling

## **Use Cases**

- Investor reporting
- Business modelling
- Cash forecasting
- Support of monthly closing process
- Process improvements

#### Industry

Entertainment providers



## Problem

The CFO left the company on short notice without a complete handover of processes and tool accesses.
The high level of integration between the backend and financial processes, such as revenue recognition, financial modeling, and investor reporting was not entirely comprehensible.

• Key financial processes were set up and carried out solely by the CFO without any backup solution or representation by other employees.

• Financial modeling figures and assumptions were not entirely clear to the CEO.



#### Solution

Adjustment and simplification of processes and integration related to the monthly closing, creation of investor reporting, and business modeling
Distribution of essential processes among several individuals (Head of Product, Accountant, etc.)
Adaptation of the business plan to ensure that the main assumptions are clearly understandable and easily adjustable

• Development of a clearer and more concise investor reporting, including the incorporation of the business plan

## Impact

• A high level of automation and integration between investor reporting, business plan and backend systems has been ensured, allowing the investor reporting to be generated within a day.

• The **processes have been considerably simplified** and distributed across several employees, reducing the risk of employees being absent at short notice.

• The CEO can now independently modify assumptions in the business model and make scenario analyses.