

Reifenhäuser implements clear governance for Microsoft Teams and thus achieves more automation and less uncontrolled growth.



With its highly specialized business units, the Reifenhäuser Group is the leading supplier of innovative technologies and components for plastic extrusion. Founded in 1911, the family-owned company supplies high-tech solutions worldwide. With its technologies and the know-how of its 1,750 employees, the Reifenhäuser Group forms the world's largest competence network in its field. CEO of the group is Bernd Reifenhäuser.



Powell Teams improves teamwork in Microsoft Teams to make it a collaboration experience that's effortless, easy to manage and govern.

Goals

- 1 A complex corporate structure requires harmony between individual freedom and standardization
- 2 Formulate uniform governance guidelines for Microsoft Teams
- 3 Structure the use of Microsoft Teams before a global roll-out
- 4 Avoiding uncontrolled growth and waste of storage space
- 5 Automation of governance to relieve the burden on users and administrators
- 6 A high degree of automation, ease of use, and cloud solution desired
- 7 Take away future users' fear of contact and reduce hurdles
- 8 Encourage the development of potential

The project

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Analysis of the situation

Microsoft Teams had already shown itself to be the optimal solution. In spring 2021, Reifenhäuser also planned to introduce Microsoft Teams with its full range of functions.

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Definition of the operational need

Reifenhäuser needed additional governance to avoid proliferation and security gaps.

3

Architecture and IT needs

By automating governance, users and administrators should be supported.

4

Management and administration

Ease of use for IT and the end user through Powell Teams.

RESULTS

**10.000€
savings**

through Powell Teams Use in
the first year.

581 Teams

in the first 11 months - of
which 70 have already been
automatically deleted again.

high user acceptance

The users accept the offer very positively. They can intuitively set up the teams quickly and independently with just a few clicks. The appropriate templates ensure that data rubbish is avoided and that sensitive company data, for example, is protected from external access.

WHAT HAS REIFENHÄUSER ACHIEVED?

FOR DEPARTMENTS

1. More opportunities for easy digital collaboration
2. Better networking of the subsidiaries
3. More autonomy and agility for employees
4. Ready-made widgets like Flex Desk create immediate benefits

FOR IT

1. Establishment and automation of uniform governance standards throughout the company
2. Relieving the IT department of routine tasks creates free space for value-adding activities
3. Protection of sensitive data from external parties



Prevent Teams sprawl, security breaches, and bad habits from forming. Manage Microsoft Teams life cycle from creation to end-of-life.



Cut harmful teams in half



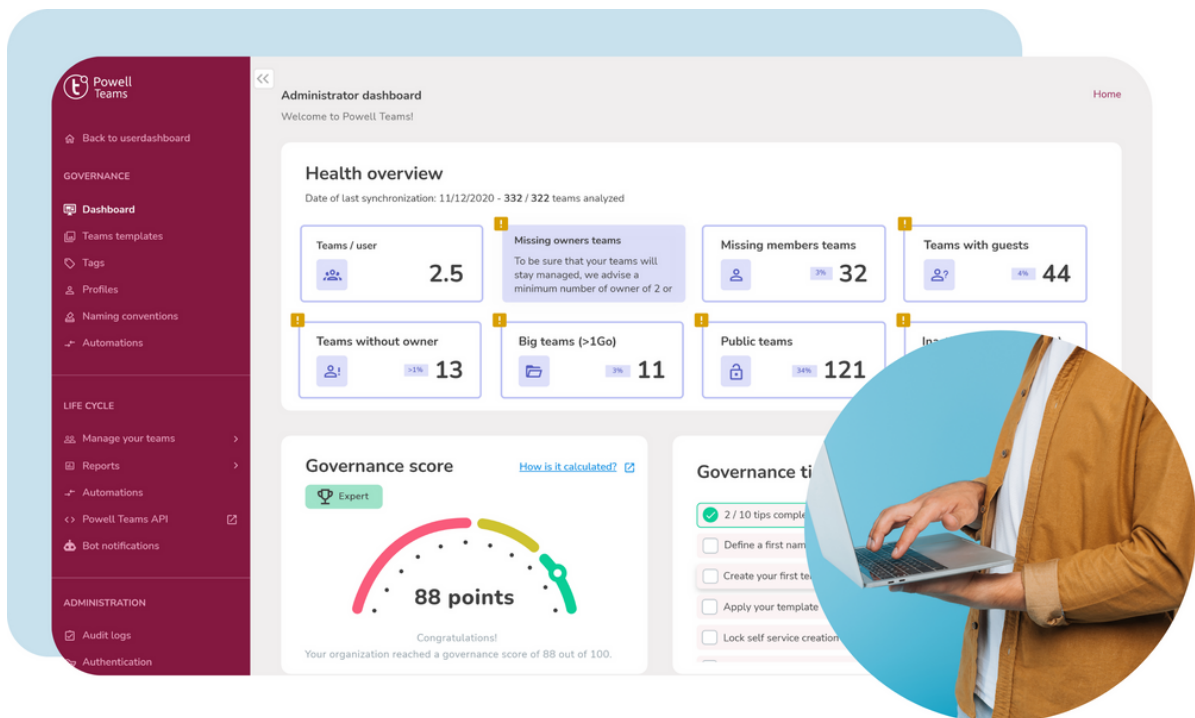
Divide the number of teams created per employee **by 3**



Shrink lifecycle management time **by 80%**



Find teams in just **3** clicks



About Powell Software

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