

Tough Questions CEO's are asking their C-Suite Executives

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CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICERS

- Do we have the appropriate metrics and KPI's in place to track and manage performance?
- How do we increase profit margins and EBITDA?
- What are we doing to enable growth in a stalled economy without taking on increased levels of risk?
- What management accounting systems should we use for our size company?
- Are we using all practical measures to protect the Company's assets?
- Are we telling a compelling story to the investment community?
- How do we get access and introductions to a network of strategic partners, banks, VC & PE firms?
- Do we need to update or fine tune our investor pitch deck?
- Do we need to have a "Waterfall Model" in place that shows how proceeds are distributed among shareholders in the event of a sale?
- At what point do we need to have an exit strategy in place for our company?

CHIEF MARKETING AND SALES OFFICER

- Where do we stand relative to our competitors?
- Do we have a 2-3 year product roadmap?
- What is the sales cycle between our initial contact and close? What are we doing to accelerate it?
- How effective is our sales leadership in making the sales function a repeatable process and not a collection of individual relationship managers?
- When we win, why do we win?
- When we lose, why do we lose and to whom?



Questions CEO's should be asking if your company is focused on accelerating growth, improving margins and obtaining capital

CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICERS

- Are our data and information systems truly secure?
- Are we missing opportunities to integrate our systems?
- Are we doing everything we can to use technology to enhance the customer experience?
- Are we focusing on deploying IT resources efficiently?
- How can we harness IT to help grow the business?
- Where are we vulnerable from a technology point of view?

CHIEF PEOPLE OFFICER

- What are we doing to ensure that we have the right talent as our strategy and business objectives evolve?
- What are we doing to ensure that our talent management practices drive desired business outcomes?
- Do we really know what drives the high performance organizations?
- How can we become a more socially responsible company?
- What are we doing to manage diversity in a global and demographically diverse workforce?
- What are we doing to develop and increase the talents of our employees?

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