## Employee experience (EX) a top priority for 9 in 10 employers

## A great EX awakening occurred

 over the past year91\%
of employers
say enhancing EX will be a top priority over next 3 years

Why? Because the pandemic created an EX stress test
68\%
of employees use remote or hybrid working models, up from only $12 \%$ three years ago
46\% of employers cut people or hours 44\% eatructued
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Organizations were not equipped to deal with this challenge


37\%
have only a basic approach to EX and no overall strategy

Yet the majority view EX as a value driver in key areas:
$740 / 0$
engagement

Organizations recognize specific EX challenges, but few are ready to deliver change

When will employers reach their "new reality"?



Only 1 in 10 employers have integrated EX and business strategies, and use technology to transform EX

These transformative EX organizations more likely to report:
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2.7x
significantly higher productivity

90\%
more likely to report
lower annual turnover

+40\%
net positive impact on EX

## EX breakthrough moments are needed to thrive

## Key actions to consider

Recharge strategies, programs and policies to address
emerging needs of flexible work
Rebalance EX programs, focusing on the importance of
designing and delivering Total Rewards, wellbeing, and
inclusion and diversity programs
Equip leaders and managers to lead through change
Reconnect with employees by listening, communicating and
focusing on engagement
Build an EX strategy that is integrated with your business
呈 strategy and fueled by technology

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[^0]:    Source: Willis Towers Watson 2021 Employee Experience Survey
    About the survey: Global research findings are based on responses from 1,550 employers representing 9.45 million employees across a range of industries. Conducted March 29 to April 30, 2021.

