

Business Development Process Exercises

Exercise One: Your Very Best Customers

Identify your three "very best" customers.	
Why is your product / service important to them?	
How difficult would you be to replace? Why?	
Where are you on the two dimensions in the graphic below?	

Where do you fit? Key Strategic Commodity Standard Low High

Exercise Two: How Do Your Very Best Customers Select Suppliers?

	Stage	Actions / Steps
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Exercise Three: Starting to Design a Business Development Process

Stage	Customer's Actions	Your Actions