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# GCC Banks - Making Them Digitally Ready

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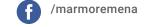
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With the emergence of technology, countries are moving from 4G to 5G connections and storage is moving from on premise to cloud, opening up newer possibilities and paving way for digitization of several services. This also paves way for banks to get digital savvy. Globally concept of open banking and NEO banks (fully digital banks) are getting popular and so is the trend catching up in the GCC markets. Fifty-three percent of bank CIOs assess that their business performance is ahead or far ahead of where it otherwise would have been had Covid-19 not become a global pandemic<sup>1</sup>. It's time that the GCC banks get completely Digital ready and embrace the new reality for bettering their customers' journey.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Gartner's annual publication 2021 CIO Agenda: A banking perspective



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