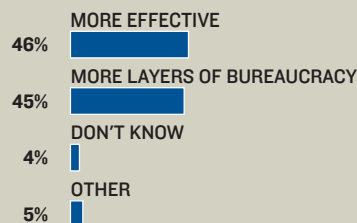


Top heavy?

Do you think additional IT management executive positions, such as deputy CIO and chief technology officer, make IT management at your agency more effective or do they simply add another layer of management bureaucracy?



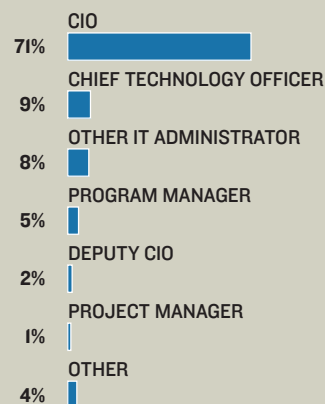
- ▶▶ Depends on how the position is implemented
- ▶▶ Depends on structure of the organization
- ▶▶ Depends on the person in the job.

“The biggest challenge is funding.”

—An Agriculture Department IT specialist in Beltsville, Md.

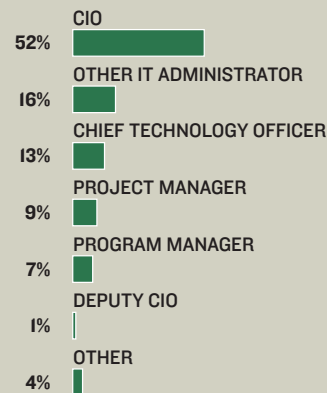
CIOs in charge

Who has primary oversight responsibility over IT operations at your agency?



CIOs most effective

Who provides the most effective IT leadership at your agency?



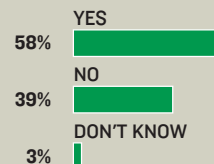
Total percentage exceeds 100 percent due to multiple responses.

“Security is always an issue.”

—A Government Accountability Office program manager in Washington

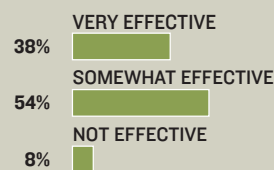
Certified managers

Do you think that it is feasible for every major IT project in government to have a full-time, certified project manager?



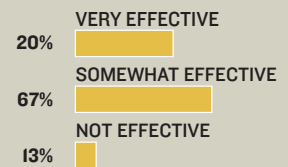
Able IT managers

How effective is the current IT management at your agency at getting things done?



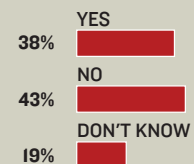
OMB leadership so-so

How effective is the Office of Management and Budget's leadership on technology issues and mandates?



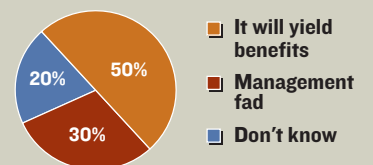
More encumbrances

Does your agency find it increasingly burdensome to meet statutory and regulatory requirements such as building Exhibit 300 business cases and developing enterprise architectures?



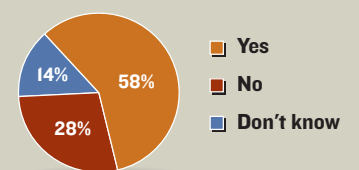
EA benefits...

Do you think the federal enterprise architecture work will yield the expected benefits or that it is another management fad?



...and burdens

Do you think that developing enterprise architectures is proving more burdensome and complex than expected?



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