

eMPF Forum for Employers

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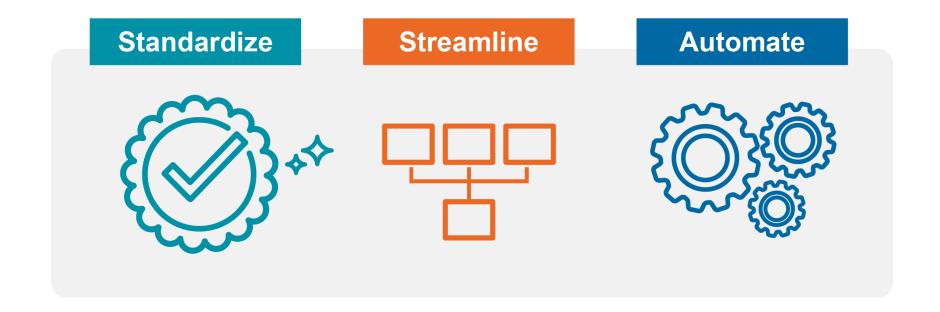
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Objectives of eMPF Platform

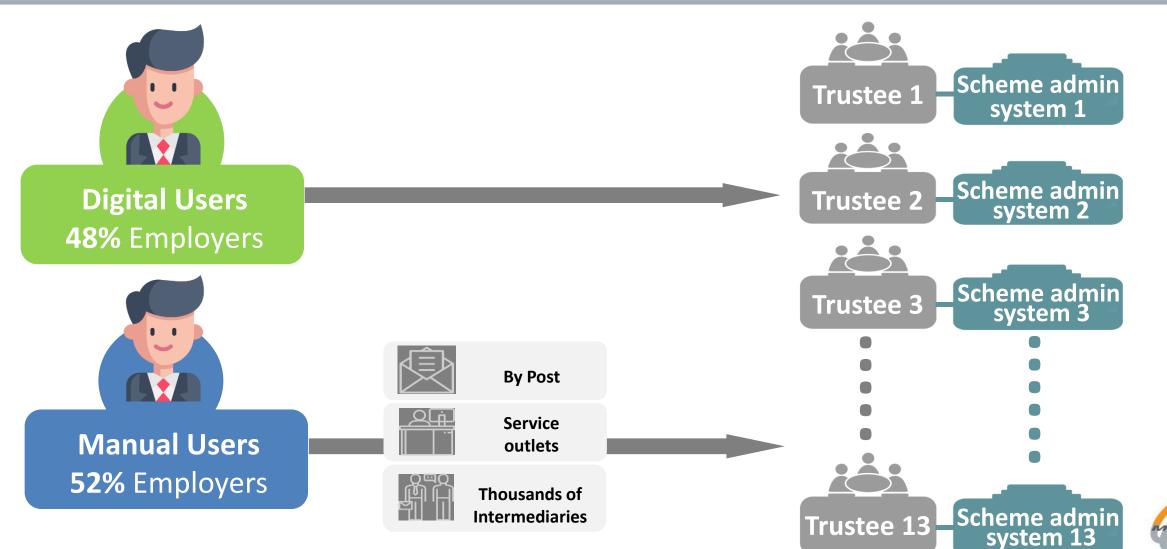


MPF scheme administration



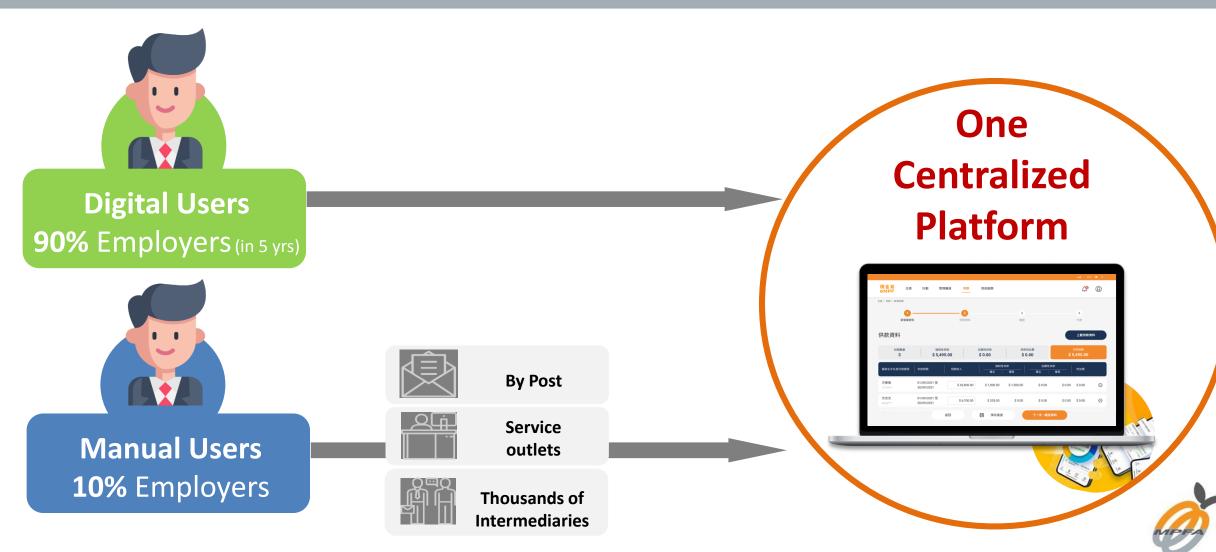


Current State of MPF Scheme Administration





MPF Scheme Administration after the launch of the eMPF Platform





Key Elements of MPF

Investment management

Fund services/
Asset custody



Trustees services



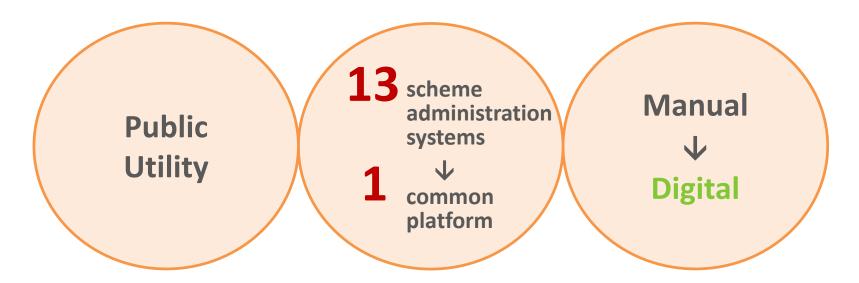
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What is eMPF Platform

Most significant reform of the MPF System to-date



- Not for profit public utility increases cost efficiency
- One-stop common platform to standardize, streamline and automate
- Digitalize scheme administration for 4.6m scheme members (>10m accounts), 340 000 employers
- Driver for fees reduction, higher efficiency and better user experience



MPF Scheme Administration on eMPF



Handle contributions

- Mandatory contributions
- Voluntary contributions
- Recover default contributions



Manage MPF accounts

- Fund switching
- Scheme transfer



Benefit withdrawal

- Withdraw benefits
- Long Service Payment (LSP) / Severance
 Payment (SP) made by employers
- Handle Unclaimed Benefits



Account activation and enrolment

- Register on eMPF Platform
- Enrol MPF scheme



Process Payments

eMPF Platform covers MPF Scheme administrative procedures



Generates notices, documents and reports

- Issue notices and documents
- Data maintenance and information management system



Communication channels and connectivity

- Online Platform
- Service centre

General administration and compliance

- Complaints & enquiries
- Fee payment methods
- Report to MPFA
- Continuous interface for historical data migration to eMPF platform



Key Benefits



Employers and **SEPs**

- ✓ One-stop enrolment and contribution
- ✓ Reduce paper work and human error
- ✓ Reminder of contribution due date
- ✓ Enhance efficiency and user experience



Employees

- ✓ One-stop management of all accounts
- ✓ Operate anytime, anywhere
- ✓ Create room for fee reduction
- ✓ Enhance user experience



Trustees

- ✓ Standardize, streamline and automate scheme administration
- ✓ Reduce

 administrative
 burden and
 associated
 compliance
 burden and cost



- ✓ Improve reliability and accuracy of the MPF System and facilitate enforcement actions
- ✓ Pave way for future reform initiatives





Key Challenges

(2) High degree of user diversity

(3) IT security and data Protection

(1) Current user behaviour (52% ER & 65% transactions still manual-based)

Challenges

(4) Complexity

more than an IT

project but a change

process

(6) Publicity and communication (phased onboarding complexity)

(5) Tight Schedule and Timeline





Support on system compatibility

Briefing on HR System and payroll software











Request for Technical Specifications for HR System & Payroll Software Solution to Integrate with the eMPF Platform



Support on IT technical problems and change of workflow



Service centres and outlets



Call centre / hotlines

Technical support services



Online toolkits / self-help materials



Outreach teams



Communication with Trustees



Communication pack



Briefings



A wide range of support to HR/SMEs/Micro-businesses

Training programmes for HR practitioners

Marketing campaign/ down to earth promotions



Collaboration

Collaboration with stakeholders



Seminars offered by Trustees



Outreach

Teams





Online support services







Preparation for Employers / HR practitioners (1)



Go digital from now on / explore e-payment options



Communication with trustees



Help employees get information and become digitalized



Review internal process and system



Upgrade HR/payroll system



Preparation for Employers / HR practitioners (2)



Take note of MPFA's announcements





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Awareness and Marketing Campaigns

2023

Awareness Campaign

TV and Radio APIs, print & online ads, media placement, press briefings, etc.







Platform Uptake (Marketing) Campaign

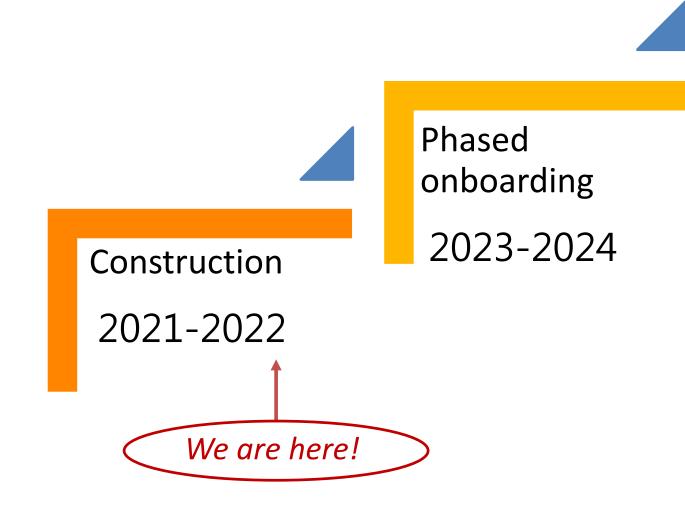
TV commercials, online videos, out-ofhome ads, online ads, collaborations with stakeholders from different sectors







Timeline (Tentative)



Fully operational 2025



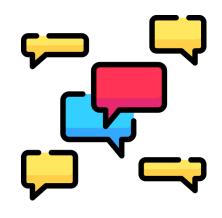
Onboarding sequence and points to note

MPF trustees and their schemes will get onboarded in ascending order of their asset-undermanagement





Please take note of MPFA's announcements and keep communicating with trustees





Thanks & get prepared!