

Quick Reference for Platform Leaders: 10 Must-Have VENDOR MANAGEMENT Features



	FEATURE	WHAT IT IS	WHY IT MATTERS FOR PLATFORM LEADERS
1	Ease of Onboarding	Simple setup, intuitive UX, and strong support resources.	Accelerates adoption across diverse portcos with minimal lift.
2	Seamless Communication	Centralized messaging, file sharing, and real-time collaboration.	Keeps teams and vendors aligned, avoids silos, and reduces missed deadlines or miscommunication.
3	Intuitive UI/UX	Clean, accessible, and responsive design with customization options.	Ensures portfolio-wide usability—regardless of team size or tech maturity.
4	Analytics & Tracking	Performance metrics, engagement insights, and vendor usage data.	Enables smarter vendor selection and drives accountability across the portfolio.
5	Search & Filter	Advanced vendor discovery by category, location, client type, etc.	Saves time and sharpens vendor matching for each portco's unique needs.
6	Custom Dashboards & Reports	Personalized visuals and detailed reports based on selected KPIs.	Gives platform teams strategic oversight and actionable insights.
7	Contract Management	End-to-end lifecycle support: templates, collaboration, reminders, repository.	Reduces legal risk, improves compliance, and keeps renewals and obligations on track.
8	Seamless Integration	Syncs with ERP, CRM, finance, and procurement tools.	Consolidates data into a single source of truth—no double entry, no data drift.
9	Scalability & Flexibility	Grows with your portfolio; supports multilingual, multi-location needs.	Future-proofs your vendor management as you expand or shift strategies.
10	Internal Social Proof	Visibility into which vendors other portcos use successfully.	Builds trust, shortens vendor evaluation cycles, and encourages cross-portfolio collaboration.

At Proven, we've built a vendor management platform designed specifically for the unique challenges of portfolio companies. Whether you're helping early-stage startups make smarter vendor choices or driving standardization across a global portfolio, our platform gives you the visibility, control, and collaboration tools you need to deliver measurable value.

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