Accelerate your business
transformation with S/4HANA Cloud,
public edition
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# **Speaker introduction**



- ✓ 24 years of SAP experience in a career of 29 years in a variety of roles including SAP product development, delivery/advisory/consulting, pre-sales, & sales; currently work for the SAP S/4HANA Center of Excellence, North America
- ✓ Served nearly 100 clients globally & across multiple industry verticals including Public Sector, Utilities, Media, Manufacturing, Pharmaceuticals, Oil & Gas, & Hi-tech among others
- ✓ Areas of expertise include SAP Financials, Logistics/Supply Chain, Reporting & Analytics, Data Management & Governance, Cloud technologies, User Experience, & Project/Program Management
- ✓ Prolific thought leader: Published over 100 articles & white papers for SAP publications; written 5 SAP books; spoken at nearly 60 SAP conferences globally



# **Agenda**

- Overview & benefits of S/4HANA Cloud, Public Edition
- Capabilities & key features
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# S/4HANA Cloud, public edition – fast facts

- √ 100% Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) application
- √ (Annual) subscription-based license model
- ✓ Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) in the cloud
- ✓ Entirely organic & relatively new SAP application that's been in the market for nearly 7 years
- ✓ Runs on the HANA database and leverages HANA capabilities
- ✓ Solution needs to be 'deployed' or 'rolled-out' and not 'implemented'
- √ 100% mobility-enabled
- ✓ SAP Fiori is the only UI
- ✓ Also referred to as S/4HANA Public Cloud, Multi-tenant Edition (MTE), & Essentials Edition



# S/4HANA Cloud, public edition – benefits

### Agile

- Fast implementation
- Industry best practices built in
- Self service business configuration
- Localized in 51 countries and extensible to others
- Automated testing tools included

SAP S/4HANA Cloud, public edition

### **Flexible**

- Modular extensibility
- Easy in-app extensibility
- Side-by-side extensibility
- Out of the box integrations
- Open architecture





- Cloud first innovation
- Intuitive & simple UX, on any device
- Intelligence built in (Process Automation, ML) **Embedded Analytics (SAC and Datawarehouse Cloud)**
- Automatic and continuous upgrades

#### Resilient



- Best in class uptimes
- Mission critical response times, dynamic scalability
- Cloud security and compliance
- Backup and disaster coverage
- Data protection





# **Leader in Finance and Service-Centric Domains**

#### **Gartner**

SAP S/4HANA Cloud <u>is a Strong Leader</u> in the 2022 Gartner Magic Quadrant™ for Service-Centric Cloud ERP

#### **Gartner**

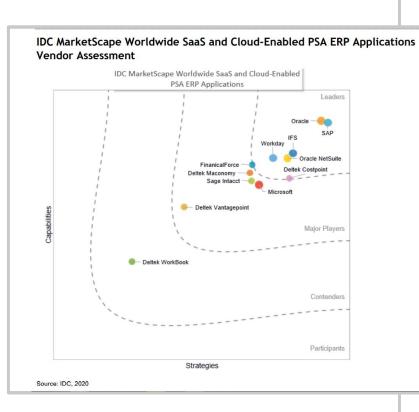
SAP S/4HANA Cloud is a Leader in the 2021 Gartner Magic Quadrant™ for Cloud Core Financial Management Suites for Midsize, Large and Global Enterprises



Strong Leader in the 2020 IDC MarketScape™ for Cloud-Enabled PSA ERF Applications Vendor Assessment



Strong Leader in the 2020 IDC Worldwide SaaS and Cloud-Enabled Enterprise Finance and Accounting Applications Vendor Assessment Gartner notes that SAP S/4HANA Cloud is a "100% managed SaaS cloud solution with a comprehensive breadth of features. Strengths included strong financial management product vision and breadth, including core management, treasury, analytics, and planning."



#### **Magic Quadrant**

Figure 1: Magic Quadrant for Cloud ERP for Service-Centric Enterprises



Source: Gartner (July 2022)



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# Packaged capabilities based on Best Practices



#### **Finance**

- Accounting and financial close
- Receivables and Payables mgmt.
- Cost mgmt. & profitability analysis
- Treasury & working capital mgmt.
- Governance Risk and Compliance



#### **Procurement**

- Direct material procurement
- Service procurement
- Supplier management
- Central procurement



#### **Sales**

- Sell Products, Projects and Contract-based Services separately or as a full solution
- Convergent & External Billing



#### Service

- After-sales service and support with contracts, service deliveries, and billing
- Combine sales & services as packaged solution offerings



#### **Service-Centric Industries**

- Professional services
- Public sector
- Higher education
- Media
- Financial services

#### SAP S/4HANA Cloud, public edition



#### Manufacturing

- Material requirements planning with demand driven and/or predictive MRP
- Make to stock and make to order
- Quality management
- Environment, Health and Safety



#### R&D

- Product compliance
- Enterprise portfolio and project management
- **Advanced Variant configuration**



#### **Asset management**

- Reactive and proactive maintenance
- Resource scheduling for maintenance planner
- Enhanced collaboration + review



#### Supply chain

- Warehouse Outbound & Inbound Processing
- Core Inventory Management
- (Advanced) ATP Processing
- Basic Transportation Mgmt.



#### **Product-Centric Industries**

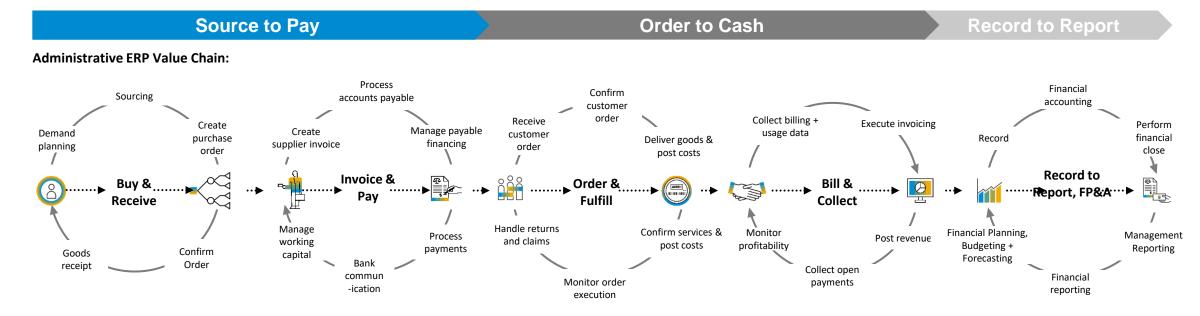
- Component manufacturing
- Hi-tech
- Automotive
- Mining services



# **Accelerate business growth**

## in All Industries with a finance-led, administrative (backoffice) ERP





# **Accelerate business growth**

## in <u>Service-Centric Industries</u> with end-to-end operational processes



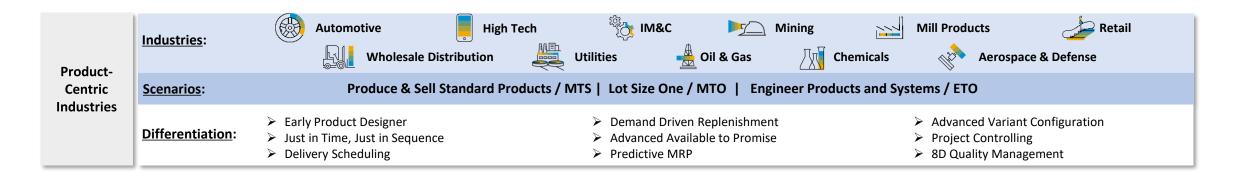
Sell & Plan **Setup & Staff Delivery & Recognize Bill & Manage Example – Customer Project Value Chain:** Accounts Time Receivable Recording Lead Opportunity Engagement Search for Qualified Services Travel & Engagement Credit + Management Management Setup Resources Procurement Expense Billing Collections Closing + Bid Utilization Assign Manage Revenue Engagement **Engagement Close** Recognition Contracts Creation Reporting Resources Margin **Analytics** Manage

WIP



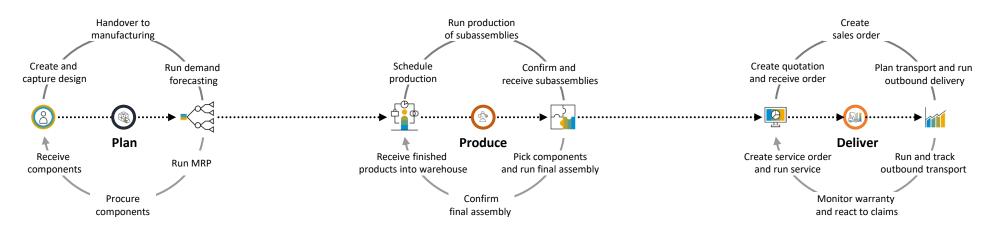
# **Accelerate business growth**

## in Product-Centric Industries with end-to-end operational processes



Idea to Market Source to Pay Plan to Fulfill Order to Cash

#### **Example - Make-to-Stock Scenario Value Chain:**





# **SAP S/4HANA Cloud Localization**

## **SAP Delivered Vs Customer Local Versions**

	SAP Delivered Local Versions		Customer Local Versions <sup>3</sup> Early Adoption Program
Countries/Regions Supported	<b>51</b> 8 more on roadmap <sup>1</sup>		<b>159</b> <sup>2</sup>
Languages	<b>32</b> 1 more on roadmap <sup>1</sup>		Use SAP delivered languages
Best Practice Preconfigured Content	Included Country-specific content Included Further adaptations via Self-Service Configuration UI (SSCUI)		Configuration Localization Tool
Country/Region-Specific Functions	Included <sup>4</sup> Meet a wide range of local financial reporting standards, legal frameworks, tax calculations, logistics scenarios(eWay Bill, stock transfer), customs forms, electronic document exchange and statutory reporting requirements as mandated by regulatory authorities	Localization as a self-service for SAP S/4HANA Cloud	
Provide Legal Changes	SAP	customer	Customer

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Refer to roadmap for specific timelines, subject to change

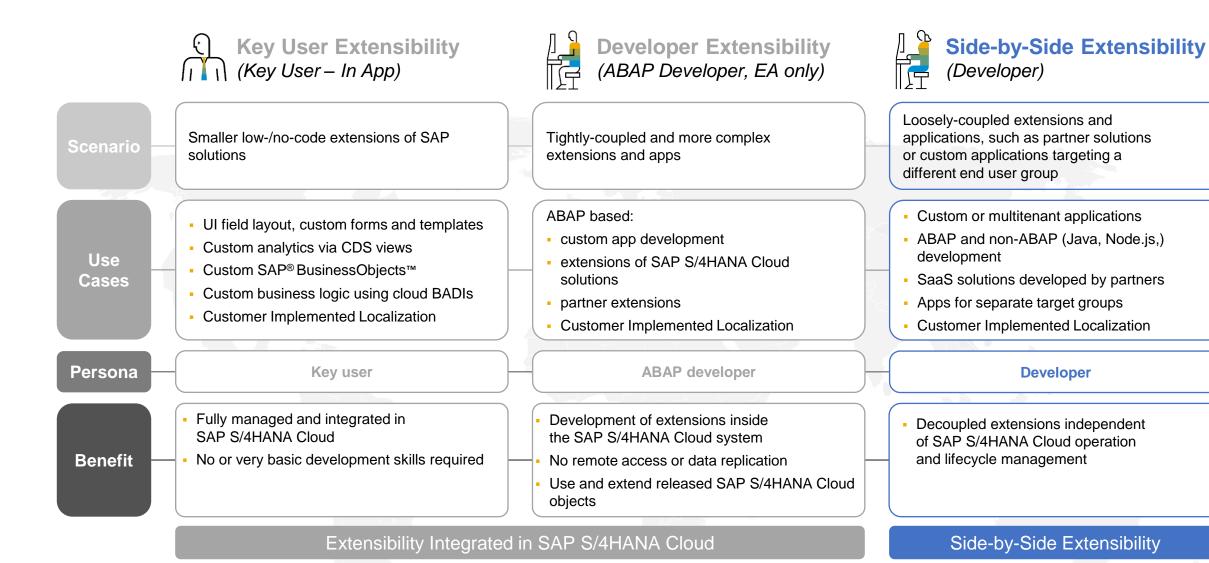


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Belarus, Venezuela, <u>embargo countries</u> and SAP delivered/planned local versions are excluded. .

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Currently in early adoption program for customers with 3-system landscape environment. Current customers using solution builder or CBC with 2-system landscape, first needed to be converted to 3-system landscape with CBC to utilize CLT(more specific timelines to be shared in due course; subject to change)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> May require additional subscriptions/licenses,

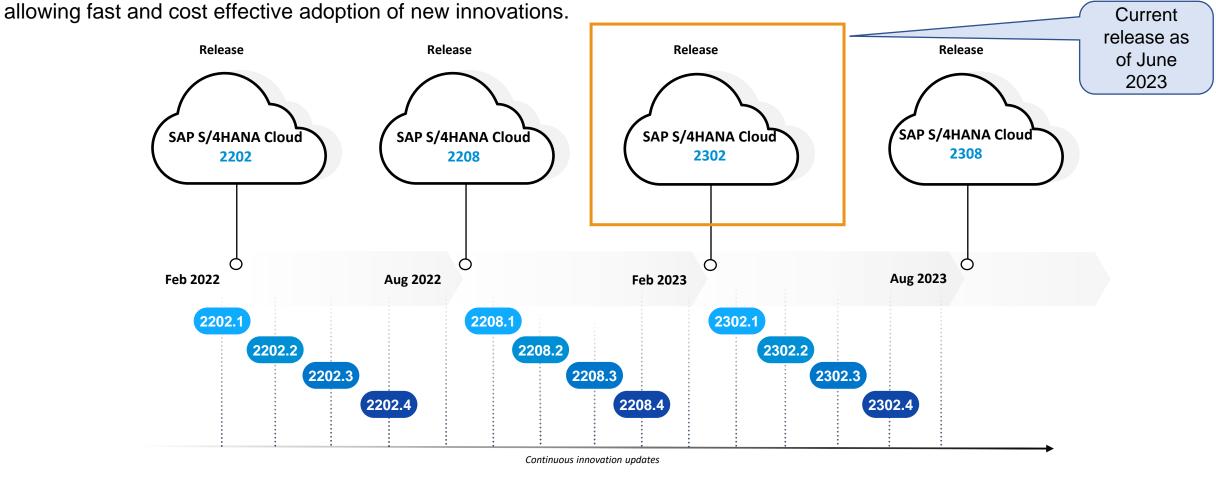
# Flexibility/extensibility





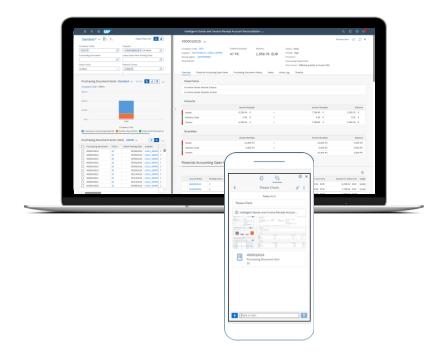
# Release and Update Cycle\*

Systems "continuously upgraded" and always on latest and greatest, eliminating major upgrade projects and

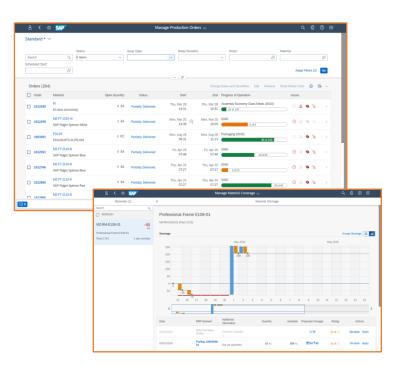


# World-class UX with SAP Fiori

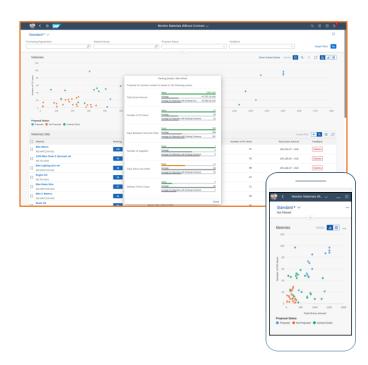
On any device, use role based cockpits with digital assistant



Embedded analytics for simulation, prediction & insight-to-action



Machine learning for automated processing & decision support

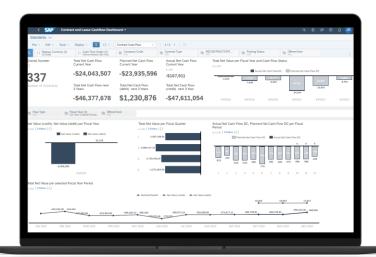




# Embedded intelligence helps unlock efficiencies

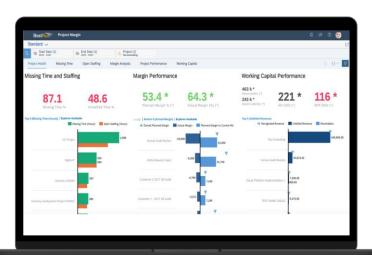
## **Discover embedded insights**

**Data-driven decisions** for measurable outcomes



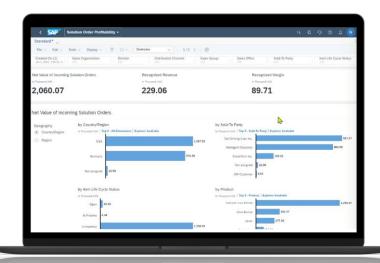
## **React with situation handling**

Exception-based notifications for insight to action



### **Automate SAP Process Automation**

Multiple bot workflows for execution (attended + unattended)



## 7 Times

increase in order processing capacity

#### **Streamlining Order-to-Cash**

processes increases capacity for seasonal sales peaks



42%

of sales orders automated **Integrating Solutions** 

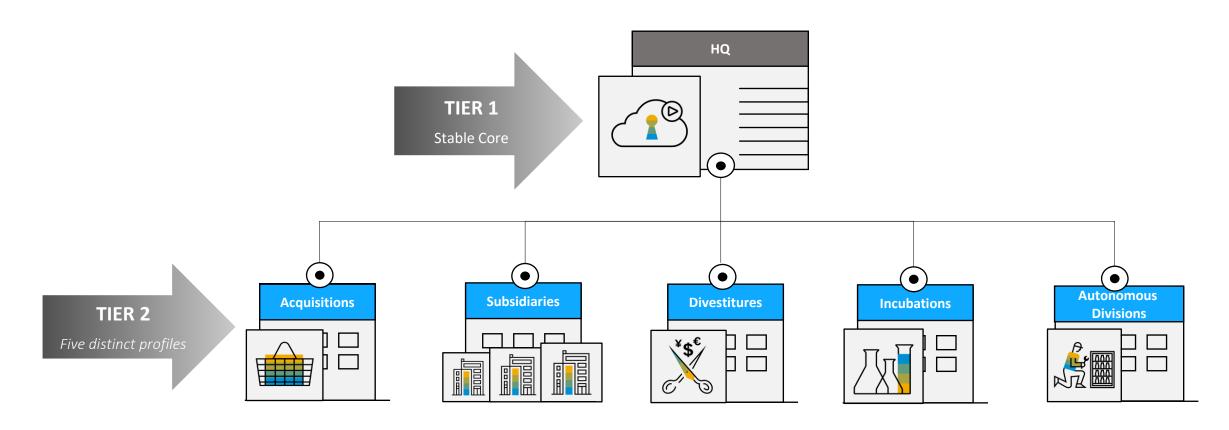
for a real-time overview of the entire go-to- market channel



# 2-tier ERP Overview – for large enterprises (on SAP ECC or S/4HANA)

## What is a two-tier scenario?

- A composable ERP strategy with different ERP systems at two different layers of the organization.
- One system serves a given function (e.g. HQ) as a stable backbone while the 2nd layer run on independent (often integrated) ERP system/s





## Benefits from a 2-tier ERP model



## **Agility**

- Faster Onboarding to reduce time to value
- Automated updates and patching
- Absorb Innovations at a faster rate



## **Flexibility**

- Innovate with new business processes/models utilizing modern cloud technologies
- Flexible commercial models without large upfront investment



## **Autonomy**

- Increased independence for the two-tier entity
- Evolve, change and adapt at own pace
- Lower risks and disruptions to global/HQ landscape



## Compliance

- ISO Certified Security
- Address local legal requirements and changes
- Independent legal structure supporting JVs
- Carve out independent installations for divestitures



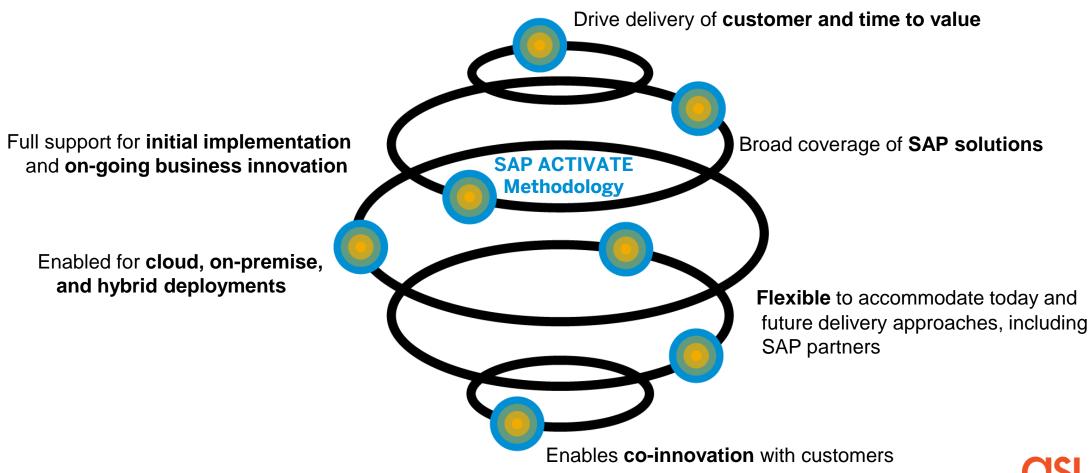
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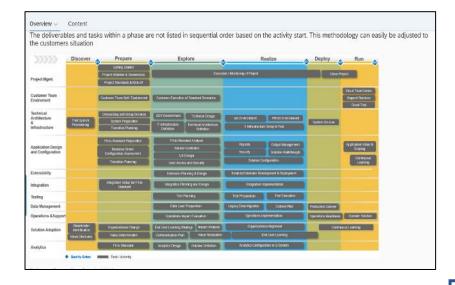


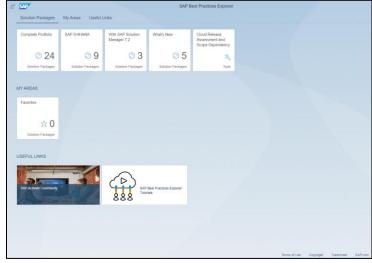
# **SAP Activate – Deployment methodology**

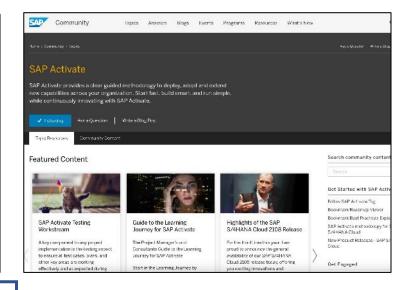
Customers achieve fast and cost efficient deployment of SAP innovations with ONE simple, modular and agile methodology



## **Enablers for SAP Activate**







## **SAP Roadmap Viewer & Activate**

- Access implementation guidance for your digital transformation
- View and download SAP Activate methodology assets and accelerators
- Provide feedback to the Activate team
- https://go.support.sap.com/roadmapviewer/

## **SAP Best Practices Explorer**

- Access and download SAP Best Practices content
  - Power your project with ready-to-run business processes

https://rapid.sap.com/bp/

To be replaced starting June 30, 2023 by "Process Navigator by SAP"

## **SAP Activate Community**

- Engage SAP Activate experts
- Ask questions and collaborate
- Stay up to date
- Follow the community at https://community.sap.com/topics/activate



# **SAP Activate Roadmap Viewer**

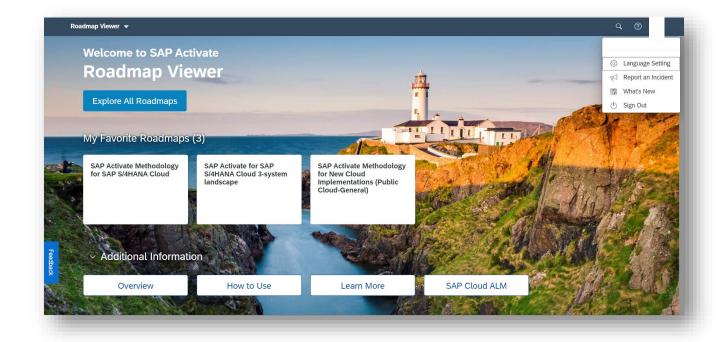
## **Benefits:**

- SAP Fiori application to help you to guide your SAP S/4HANA implementation project
- Contains time-phased instructions to help execute tasks throughout the implementation journey
- Offers you a large number of accelerators to help you run your project as efficient as possible
- Content continuously updated to provide current and accurate instruction
- Guides you through the whole SAP S/4HANA solution lifecycle

# SAP Activate Roadmap Viewer Access:

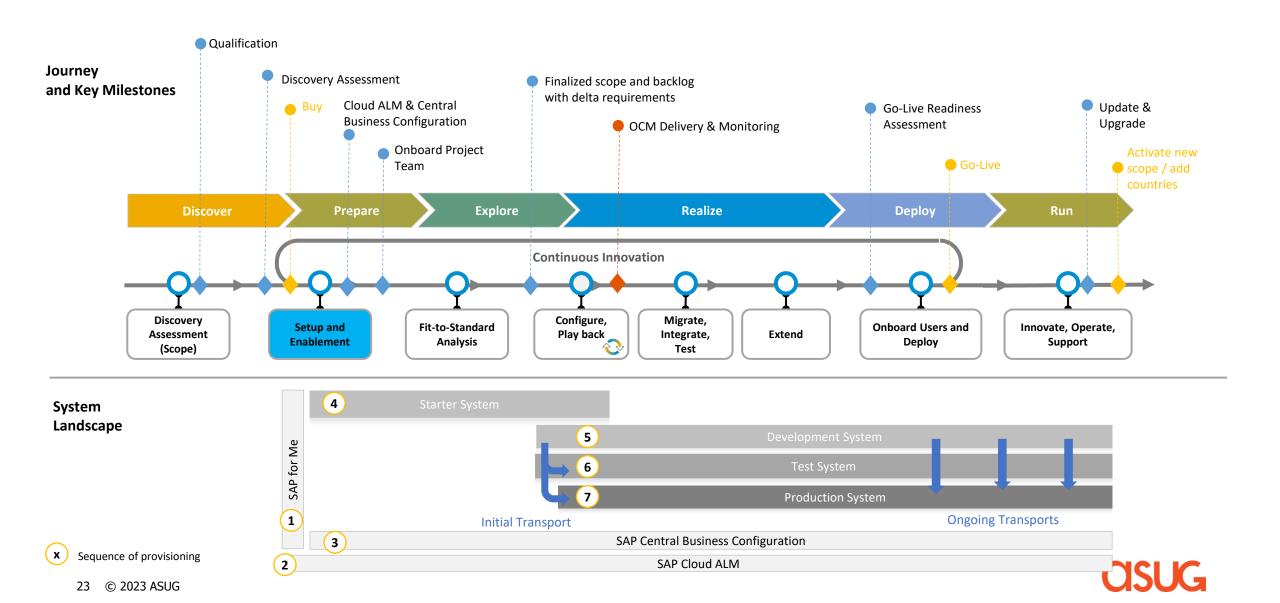
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# **SAP Activate phases**

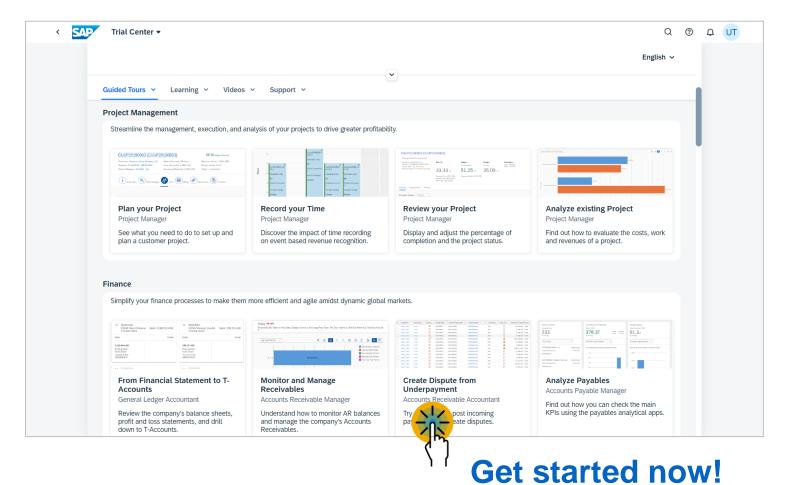


# **Cloud Mindset – key ingredient for success**

- A fundamental new way of thinking in the cloud era. It requires the ability to rapidly adopt standard best practices and leverage cloud technology to engage in continuous innovation
- The adoption of a cloud mindset enables an organization to achieve higher agility, flexibility and collaboration thereby optimize the use of business and technological innovations that the cloud offers.
- Customer committed to cloud mindset embrace:
  - Adopting standard processes
  - Running the solution in a SAP selected Data Center
  - Accepting innovation and update cycles



## Get started now with free trial version



### SAP S/4HANA Cloud, public edition Trial



#### **Free of Charge**

Test a real SAP S/4HANA Cloud system 14 days for free.



#### **Guided Tours**

Explore the solution highlights along expert-curated scenarios.



#### **Comprehensive Scope**

Run a broad range of processes across Finance and Logistics.



### **Complementary Content**

Consume complementary content linked in the trial.



# **Customer Flipping Book**

Ready-To-Run Customer Flipping
Book





# **Questions?**

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