How to Build your Successful S/4HANA Transformation Roadmap?

Business Challenge

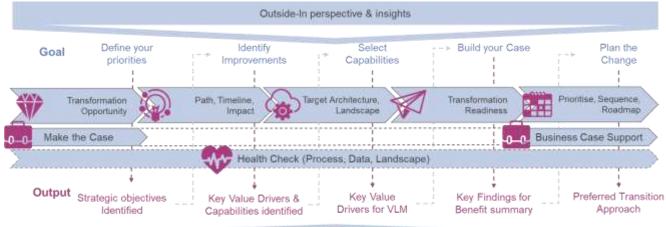
Existing SAP ERP systems will have reached the end of their life-cycles by 2027, meaning SAP will no longer support their maintenance and they will not benefit from further innovations. The longer you wait the higher the risk and cost to your organisation will be, as the best resources become more scarce as the deadline approaches, Even if your company decides not to adopt S/4HANA immediately, you still need to consider the changes imminent with S/4HANA and create your plan.

Businesses are considering these points and their SAP landscapes and coming forward with a lot of questions. Questions such as:-

• Why should I move? Addressing points like what value will it bring? Will it solve some or all of my pain points?

- How should I move? What are the best suited transition paths? What impact will it have on our current processes?
 - Where should I move to? On premise, data centre or hyperscaler? What's the impact on the wider landscape & architecture? How will it affect business continuity?

NTT DATA Business Solutions aim to help answer these question by offering a full but selectable set of assessment services drawn from our real-world experiences in more than 390 S/4HANA projects and over 150 S/4 HANA golives. We offer choice in the scope of the assessment ranging from a short high-level feasibility and path assessment through to a personalised, prioritised and sequenced living SAP roadmap for your organisation. Your fixed price, fixed scope assessment brings together our method, process, insight and powerful tools, delivering clear, structured rationale and recommendations allowing you to map your path to S/4HANA, intelligent technologies and beyond.



Inside-In perspective

- Why move now? Is there a big innovation gap to bridge with ECC? Will I gain early mover advantage? Can I minimise technical debt?
- When is the right time to move? What sequence and priorities are right for us? What does RISE with SAP bring to the table?







Solution

Our recommendation is to assess and join together an outsidein point of view with your very own inside view to gather insights and formulate your best path forward towards an intelligent enterprise. We assess your current landscape, strategic objectives and business priorities to help identify the roadmap, the opportunities and utimately the business case to proceed on your terms and at your pace.

Key Capabilities at a Glance

During the Transformation Assessment services we aim to identify your opportunities to transform; bring innovation insight and explore the value of SAP S/4HANA and intelligent technologies. More specifically, the following seven pillars of services will bring clarity to many of your questions:



Make the Case

We provide support in evaluating the potential value/benefit which can be realised, helping provide the justification and rationale for undertaking your transformation journey.

Transformation Opportunity

Identifies the transformation opportunity and answers the key question "Why digitally transform?" Identifies the transformation opportunities, value drivers and solution enablers e.g. Process optimisation, new UX adoption, or new technology capability.

Health Check - Process, Data and Landscape

Process – Reviews the existing processes and identifies process improvement opportunities and the suitability of the process for S/4HANA.

Data – Reviews data and data management practices in the context of the overall transformation and move to S/4HAHA. Identifies data preparation tasks for S/4HANA and related risks and remediation options.

Landscape – reviews the current ECC system for suitability to move to S/4HANA.

Path, Timeline, Impact

A structured evaluation to determine the appropriate transition path based on your objectives and clear documented rationale and decision criteria. The outputs are

personalised timelines & costed plans, and a report on the impact and your readiness for migration.

Target Architecture Landscape

The objective of this service is to discover the infrastructure requirements, recommend the design options of the target landscape and understand the impact on current integrations by the implementation of S/4HANA.

Transformational Readiness

An assessment of capability and maturity of your business to maximise the transformational benefits from SAP Technologies. We recommend strategies to improve change management, organisation, communication and enablement of your business.

The Living Roadmap

Collaboratively prioritises and sequences an agreed list of transformation opportunities onto a timeline, alongside current in-flight or planned initiatives. The roadmap clearly identifies critical path items, and interdependencies.

Organisations cannot afford to simply ride out digitalisation; they have to play an active part in it. We can help you do this by developing smart processes that leverage the Internet of Things and Big Data.

Klaus-Christoph Müller, Director Global Business Solutions, NTT DATA Business Solutions

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The landsacpe and process analysis, resulting recommendations and summarized financial benefit provide you with all the important information you need to:

- ✓ Starts with the Why?
- Gain the outside-in perspective to stay wellinformed
- ✓ Reduces your time to get answers
- ✓ Cuts down the workload from your side
- ✓ Reduces the risk of unforeseen challenges

This is all aimed to get your Transformation questions answered whilst generating measurable value, giving you a tangible and actionable reason for the move – or

When we implemented SAP, we were essentially a clinical R&D company focused on bringing a regulated DNA screening test to market. After FDA approval, we needed to adapt SAP to support our commercial and operational needs. NTT DATA Business Solutions had the combined technical expertise and thought leadership to advise and guide us through the transition.

Erik Jensen, BASIS Administrator, Exact Sciences



Get in touch today and register your interest in our excellent suite of Transformation Asssessment Advisory Services to take you confidently and successfully to your desired Intelligent Enterprise.