### Transformation. All in one.



softwareone.com

### **Beyond ordinary**

SoftwareOne goes beyond the ordinary, maximising the value of technology so people and organisations can attain their (im)possible.

Organisations are driven to deliver on their missions. But they only have finite resources to innovate and succeed.

That's where SoftwareOne comes in. We systematically optimise IT environments, producing savings to fund the technology you need to transform. And keep on transforming.

We're a global IT reseller, solutions and services company that:

- Optimises ROI from IT spend
- Simplifies access and support
- Enhances workplace productivity
- Accelerates SaaS, cloud, data and Al adoption



#### SoftwareOne by the numbers

65k+

clients worldwide

7.5k

software vendor relationships

~ 9,300 FTEs

incl. cloud experts with 5,000+ certifications<sup>(2)</sup>

60+ countries

across 5 regions at scale

2030

net zero ambition<sup>(1)</sup>

460+

SoftwareOne Academy students<sup>(3)</sup> 85% transition rate Based on FY 2023

**CHF 21.7bn** 

Group billings

CHF 1bn

Revenue

**CHF 245m** 

Adj. EBITDA, 24.3% margin



Scope 1&2

<sup>(2)</sup> Microsoft, AWS and Google

<sup>(3)</sup> Since foundation in 2021

We reduced demand forecasting errors by 5% for a major pharmaceutical company by harnessing the analytical power of Microsoft Azure.







We support Vocento to spin the news faster with Google Workspace, improving collaboration across 100+ businesses.

vocento





We helped SLCA, a company that delivers fuel to over 300,000 flights a year, secure contracts at four new airports after unifying data on a business intelligence solution on Google Cloud.







We helped Workrate maintain a 99.97% reliability of environment on AWS, keeping their cloud infrastructure protected across Europe.

WORKRATE





We reduced Bene Assicurazioni's operating costs by 12% and elevated their digital insurance services with a modern and secure cloud environment on AWS.







We delivered significant savings on licence expenses for Portaal through a full range of IT managed services.

PORTANL





We shortened Panasonic's service delivery times from 6-8 weeks to 1-2 weeks by migrating to Azure.

**Panasonic** 





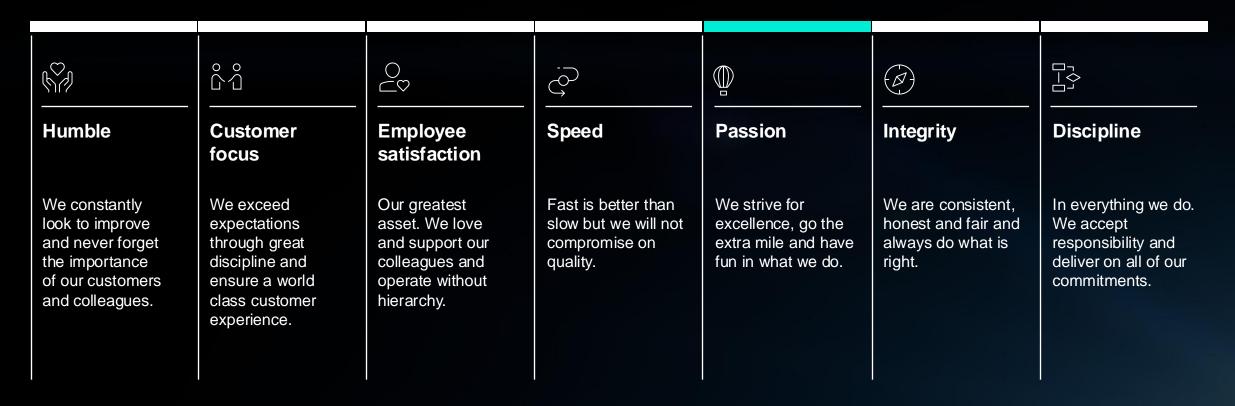
We serve 12.5m active users of Microsoft 365.





Our purpose. Our values.

## SoftwareOne opens up a world of extraordinary opportunities, fuelled by technology.





# Does this sound familiar?

**72**%

of CIOs say their digital transformations were delayed due to technical debt<sup>1</sup>

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1 "2023 CIO Pulse," SoftwareOne, 2023

2 Cisco, 2023

3 "State of ITAM Report," Flexera, 2023



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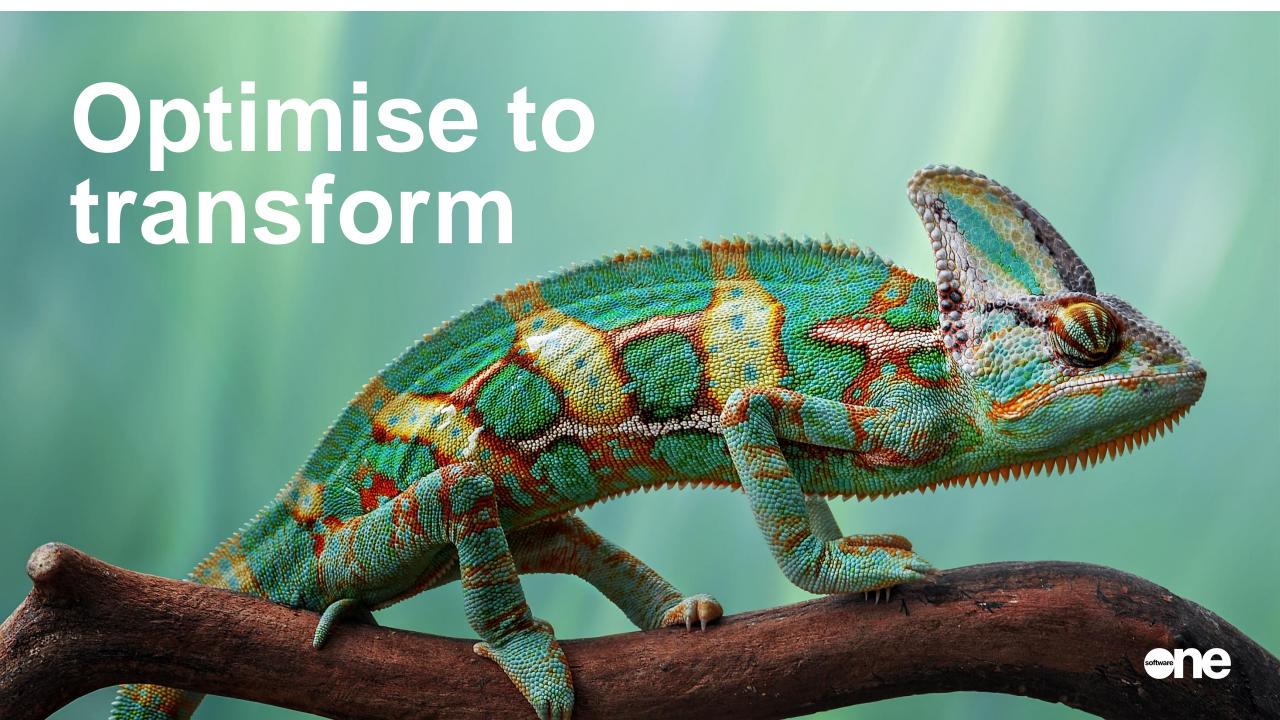
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SoftwareOne believes there is a **better way**.





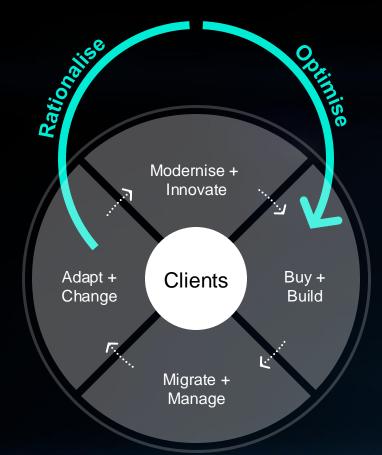


#### Optimise to transform using the SoftwareOne Flywheel.

Maximise ROI of software and cloud spend

Fast-track data and Al adoption

**Accelerate** the cloud journey

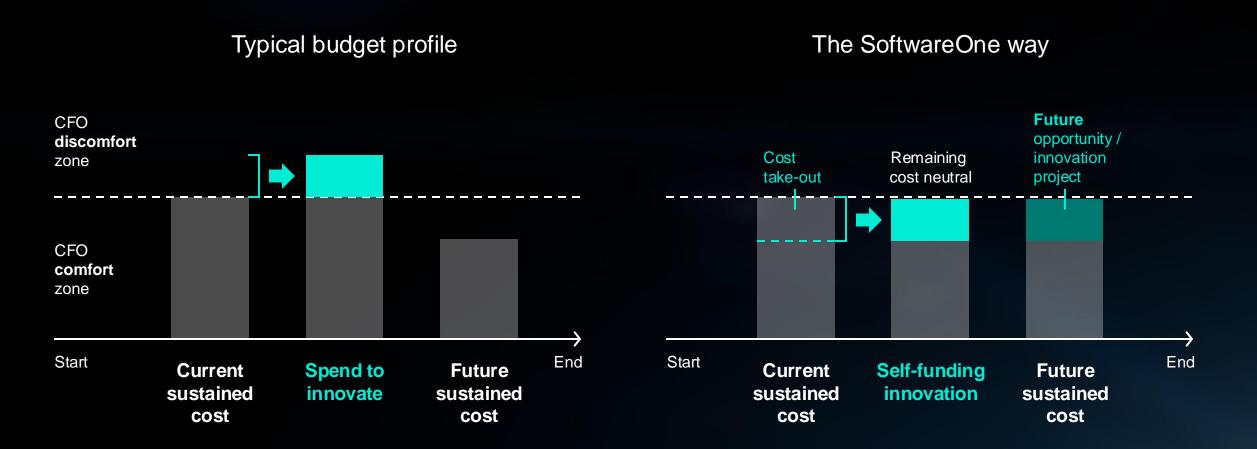


Simplify cloud access and support

**Enhance** workforce productivity



#### Take cost out first to help fund the next wave of innovation.





#### All in One. Solutions empowering your business.

#### **Cloud Services**

#### **Digital Workplace**

Workplace Al Workplace Security Workplace Productivity

**Cloud Migration Cloud Operations** Cloud Security **FinOps** 

#### **Business Applications**

SAP Services Customer Experience IT Service Management



#### **IT Portfolio Management**

Application Portfolio Management Publisher Advisory IT Asset Management Sourcing and Demand Management



**Advisory Services** Professional Services

Managed Services

Licensing and Support



#### **Application Services**

Application Modernisation Application Development **Application Security** DevOps



#### Data and Al

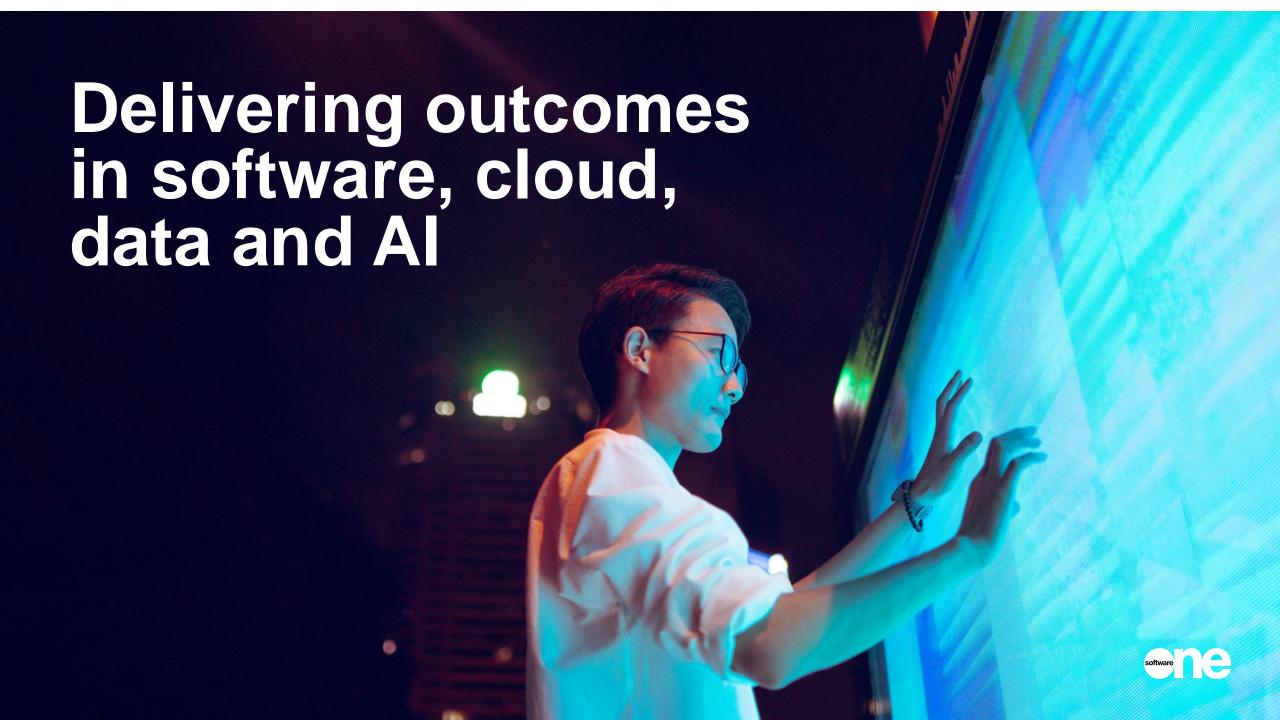
Intelligence Fabric Data Foundations Analytics and Al

#### Marketplace

Cloud providers Software vendors SoftwareOne Client Portal





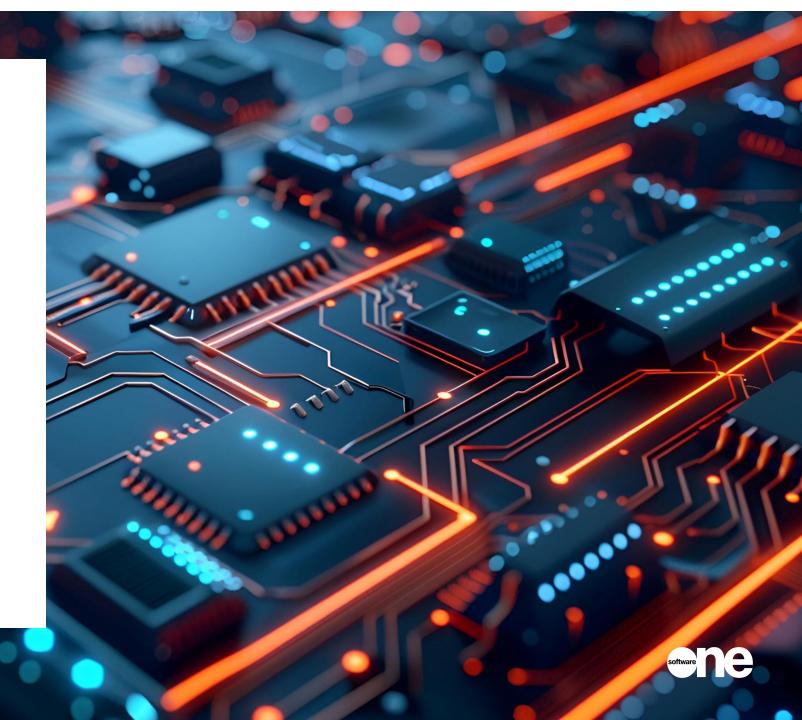


#### Pioneering Workplace Al for tomorrow's high-performance workplace

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- Successfully deployed Copilot for Microsoft 365.
- Driving change in work practices, to improve knowledge and security.



Microsoft Copilot Advisory





## Clearing the way for green energy with Azure

- State-of-the-art software architecture providing high levels of scalability, flexibility and security.
- 100 terabytes of cable data collected from up to 2,000 sensors per month to be processed and analysed in real time.
- Enabling HIGHVOLT's rapid responses, through AI-based location of cable faults.



Application Services, Data and Al Services





#### Helping ACCO see the future with data analysis on AWS

- Standardised and consolidated ACCO's data lake to ensure outstanding client service.
- Established clear ownership of data governance.
- Predictive data analysis supports ACCO's sales and marketing activities; predictive maintenance raising client service quality even more.



Cloud Services, Data and AI Services



## Accelerating mining companies' performance and sustainability

- Modernised cloud infrastructure on AWS for Brainiall's Al-driven IoT SaaS solution for mining companies, allowing faster deployment of client environments, ultimately making mining more efficient.
- 20% less cloud consumption costs; 50% lower TCO for projects compared to its previous cloud provider.
- Accelerated go-to-market through co-selling with SoftwareOne and the AWS Marketplace.

**DUALUATE** 

Data and AI Services, Cloud Migration Services, NextGen ISV Modernisation Programme

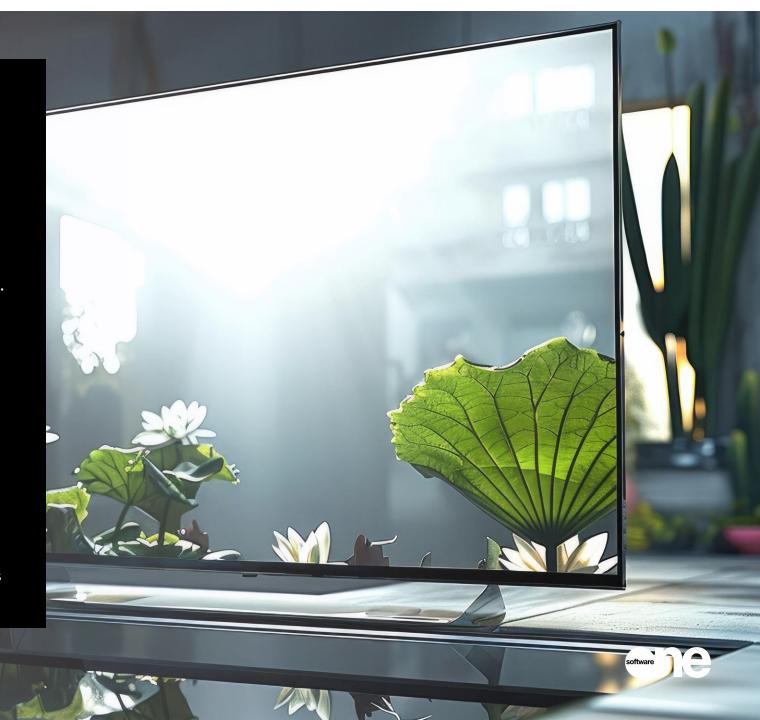


## **Embracing Azure for future-proof innovation**

- 50% infrastructure cost savings and 4x faster provisioning of servers.
- Migrated on-premises data centres of 11 sites (incl. 170 servers and 50 other services) across Europe into a consistent Azure cloud infrastructure.
- Delivering continuous managed cloud computing services and advisory support.

**Panasonic** 

Cloud Migration Services, Cloud Managed Services



## Stepping up fashion footwear with advanced data analytics

- Helped Camper develop a customised data management solution in the Google Cloud.
- Improved insights into retail strategies, customer behaviour, sales/marketing performance and e-commerce experience.
- Unified data repository replaced localised, manual data entry and data analysis processes.

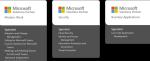


Digital Workplace Services: Adoption and Change Management for Google Workspace; Data and Al Services: Data Consolidation and Migration; Google BigQuery; Google Cloud Storage; Looker Studio



#### Our deep Microsoft, AWS, Google and ServiceNow expertise.

#### **All 6 Solutions Partner Designations and Azure Expert MSP**











#### **AWS Premier Tier Services Partner**





#### **Google Cloud Premier Partner**





#### ServiceNow Elite **Partner**



















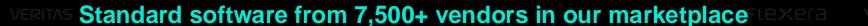


















Microsoft Partner

Azure Expert MSP

Microsoft



















#### Access, expertise and reach through SoftwareOne

<b>9,300+</b> professionals providing vendor-neutral commercial and technology advice	Major Player in the IDC Global Cloud Professional Services 2024	Certified Information Security Management System according to <b>ISO 27001 and ISO27017</b> SOC 2 Type 1	SUD
4 years as a Leader in the Gartner <sup>®</sup> Magic Quadrant <sup>™</sup> for SAM Managed Services	~2,500 software procurement experts 900+ Dedicated ITAM & FinOps consultants	FinOps Foundation Certified Service Provider 200+ FinOps certified practitioners	FINOPS CERTIFIED Service Provider Platform
30+ years of software licensing expertise	65,000 global buying entities	7.5k+ global software vendors	
1,200+ architects, designers and developers 400+ Data and AI experts	<b>800+</b> distinct skills across all major technologies (AWS, Microsoft Azure, and Google Cloud)	<b>30+</b> partnerships with leading data and AI solution providers	
Microsoft Solution Partner with all 6 designations and 15 advanced specialisations	Azure Expert Managed Service Provider	3,000+ Microsoft certifications 730+ Microsoft-certified individuals	Microsoft Partner Azure Expert MSP Microsoft
AWS Premier Tier Services Partner	AWS Managed Services Provider	<ul><li>1,250+ AWS certifications</li><li>21 AWS competencies and partner programmes</li></ul>	PARTNER Pomier for Strift(1)  Partner Provider
Google Cloud Platform Premier Partner	Google Workspace Premier Partner	4 Google Cloud specialisations	Fremier Partner Google Cloud  G SILL JERVICE Premier Partner Google Cloud  G G SILL JERVICE Premier Partner Coogle Workspace

Transformation is hard and clients need protecting at times. It's a bit like the peloton in the Tour de France. The team surrounds the elite riders on the uphill sections to shield them from the wind, to make sure the main rider conserves energy for the end of the race.

We are shielding and protecting our clients and when the time is right the peloton opens up and the client accelerates ahead.



**Brian Duffy** CEO, SoftwareOne



## Digital Ideation Map out what's next for your tech estate

#### Your opportunity



Improve IT asset tracking and risk mitigation



Modernise, rationalise and align your application portfolio



Harness scalability and cost-efficiency of cloud platforms



Make informed, datadriven decisions



Reduce IT costs and improve resource utilisation



Streamline core business processes

Data and Al

**Application Services** 

**Business Applications** 

**Cloud Services** 

Digital Workplace

IT Portfolio Management



## Get in touch.

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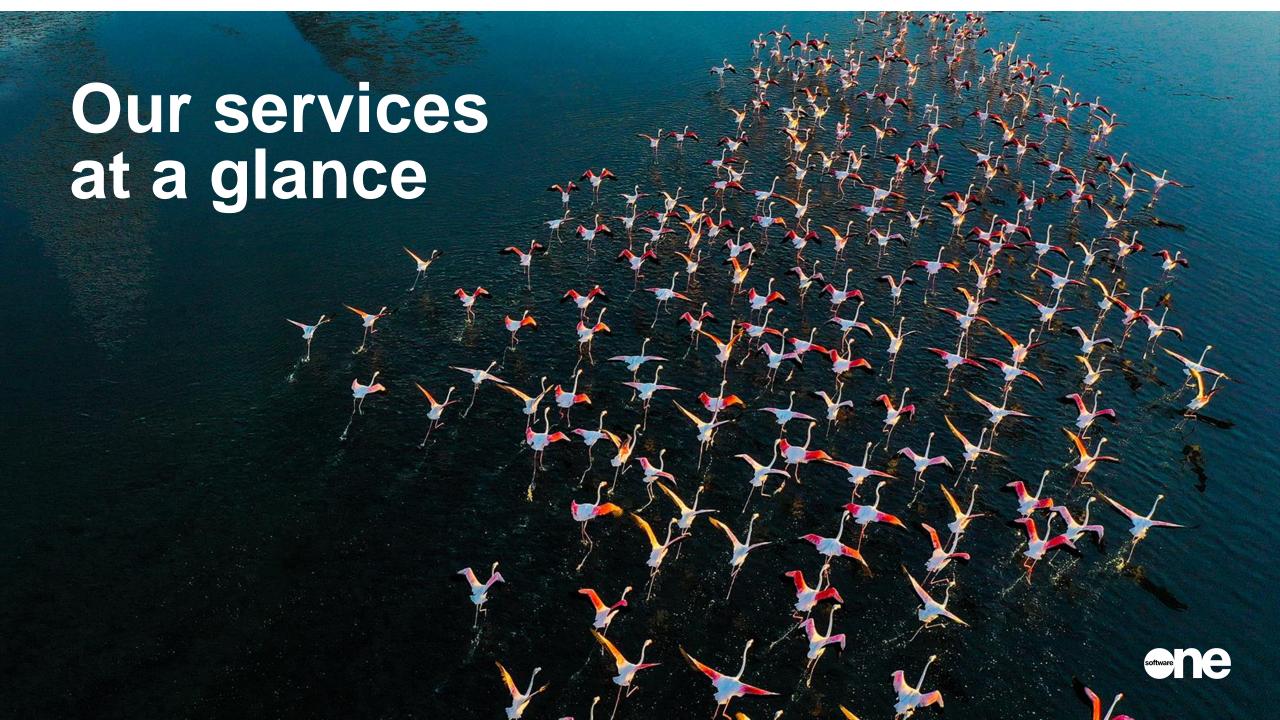
#### SoftwareOne Italia

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#### Transformation. All in one.







#### **SoftwareOne Marketplace**



#### Discover, buy and manage software and cloud solutions

#### **Marketplace Platform**

Streamline and simplify your software procurement through our easy-to-use self-service Marketplace Platform.

Our Marketplace Platform serves as a central hub for all digital software transactions, empowering organisations to make informed, data-driven purchasing decisions with ease.

If you require more tailored help, our advisory and managed services can support your software licensing and procurement needs.

#### **Managed Services**

Software Sourcing

**Publisher Advisory** 

AWS Marketplace with SoftwareOne insights

Marketplace Express

Marketplace Elite

Marketplace Digital Supply Chain

#### Client challenges we address

- Single transaction touchpoint for easy vendor management
- Simplified procurement processes
- Purchasing guardrails
- Licences and renewal management

#### Vendor challenges we address

- Increased global reach
- Faster route to market
- Simplified management of product offerings and updates
- Enhanced value chain

#### **Developer challenges we address**

Ability to build integrations on both sides of the ecosystem

30+

years of software licensing expertise

65,000

buying groups served 10k+

global software vendors





#### **IT Portfolio Management**

#### Maximise ROI of software and cloud spend



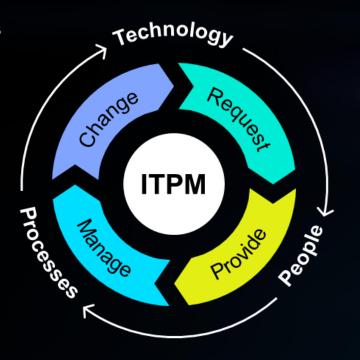
With our IT Portfolio Management services, clients can build modern, flexible and sustainable IT environments.

#### **Managed and Professional Services**

**Application** Portfolio Management Software Sourcing and Demand Management

IT Asset Management **Publisher** Advisory

**FinOps** 



#### Challenges we address

- Cost and complexity reduction •
- Contract rationalisation
- Application sprawl

- Vendor management
- IT sustainability
- Risk mitigation

#### 4 years

as Leader in Gartner Magic Quadrant for SAM Managed Services ~2,500

software procurement experts

900+

dedicated ITAM and FinOps consultants

#### **Strategic ITAM tooling partners**









#### Digital Workplace



#### Work from anywhere, collaborate with anyone

#### **Professional Services**

#### **Managed Services**

Workplace AI

Copilot for Microsoft 365
Gemini for Google Workspace

Workplace Security Microsoft 365 or Google Workspace security strategy, roadmap and implementation

Backup and Recovery for Microsoft 365

Managed Security for Microsoft 365

Managed Detection and Response for
Microsoft Sentinel

Workplace Productivity Unified Communications
Contact Centre Services

Unified Communications Managed Services Managed Voice

Contact Centre as a Service

Workplace Adoption

Training, communications and strategic adoption support for workplace solutions

**Managed Adoption** 

#### Licensing and support

Workplace Essentials

Microsoft CSP

Integrated Support Services

#### Proven expertise

#### **Microsoft**

Microsoft Solution Partner with 15 advanced specialisations and all 6 Modern Work competencies

Microsoft Azure Expert MSP

730+ Microsoft-certified practitioners

Microsoft Intelligent Security Association member

Microsoft-verified managed XDR partner

#### Google

Google Premier Partner

Work Transformation specialisation





Specialist
Identity and Access
Management
Threat Protection









### **Cloud Services**



#### Optimise what you have, build what you don't

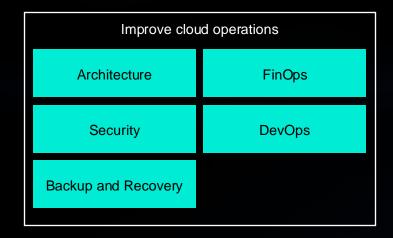
#### **Professional Services**

Move to cloud

Cloud Advisory

Landing Zone

**Cloud Migration** 



#### Managed Services

Cloud Managed Services

Managed FinOps

#### Licensing and support

Cloud Essentials

Microsoft CSP

AWS Marketplace

#### **Proven expertise**

Microsoft Partner
Azure Expert MSP



Microsoft Solution Partner with all 6 designations

Azure Expert Managed Service Provider

15 specialisations

#1 Azure licence sales partner

3000+ certifications





AWS Premier Tier Services Partner and Managed Services Provider

aws

**PARTNER** 

21 competencies and partner programmes

1000+ certifications



Google Premier Partner

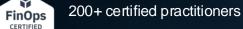
4 specialisations

200+ certifications



FinOps Foundation board member

FinOps Foundation Certified Service Provider, Training Provider and Platform





ISO/IEC 27001:2013, 27017:2015 AICPA SOC2, SOC3



## **Business Applications – SAP services**



Modernise your SAP platform and become innovation-ready

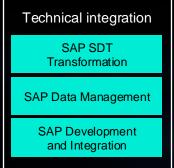
#### **Advisory and Professional Services**

Move to cloud

SAP Cloud Migration Advisory

**SAP Cloud Migration** 





#### **Managed Services**

SAP Technical Managed Services SAP Application Managed Services

**RISE Managed Services** 

#### **Products**

PowerConnect for Splunk

PowerConnect for Dynatrace

#### Challenges we address

- Business case and roadmap to SAP S/4HANA
- Innovation platform using SAP and cloud providers
- Data and AI, integrations and business performance

400+

SAP specialists with an average of 15+ years of industry experience

900+

SAP and cloud certifications

86%

consultants with at least one certification

600+

SAP client projects

7+ years

of experience in delivering SAP on cloud

#### Competencies













## **Application Services**

## $\leftarrow$

#### Advance business with digital solutions

#### **Professional Services**

Modern applications

Application Modernisation

Application Development

Embedded Talent

Modern operations

Platform Engineering (DevOps)

Application Security

User experience
Application design
Software development lifecycle
Architectures

Design thinking

Event storming, domain-driven design, attribute-driven design

DevEx, DevOps, CI/CD, IaC, Kanban, Scrum, SAFe

Cloud-native, event-driven, Kubernetes

#### **Proven expertise**

- 1200+ architects, designers and developers
- 400+ data and AI experts
- 800+ distinct skills across all major technologies
- Development support for AWS, Microsoft Azure, and Google Cloud



Analytics













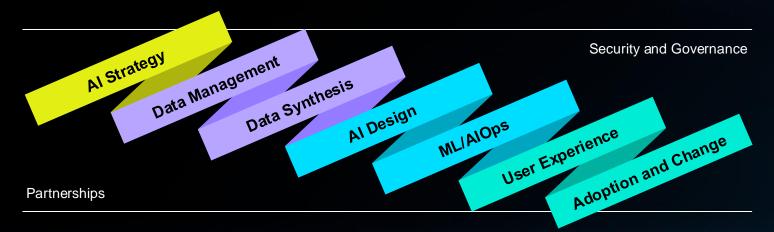




#### **Professional Services**

	Advisory Services	Platform Services	Solution Services	
Data Foundations	Envision a data-driven and Al-powered future	Establish a strong technology and	Gain a competitive edge with tailor-made data and AI solutions	
Analytics and Al	and align business outcomes	governance foundation		

#### **SoftwareOne Intelligence Fabric**



#### **Breadth of capabilities**

From GenAl employee productivity software to data modernisation to custom Al-powered applications

#### Proven data and Al expertise

400+ data and AI experts

Specialised knowledge of leading data sources and platforms

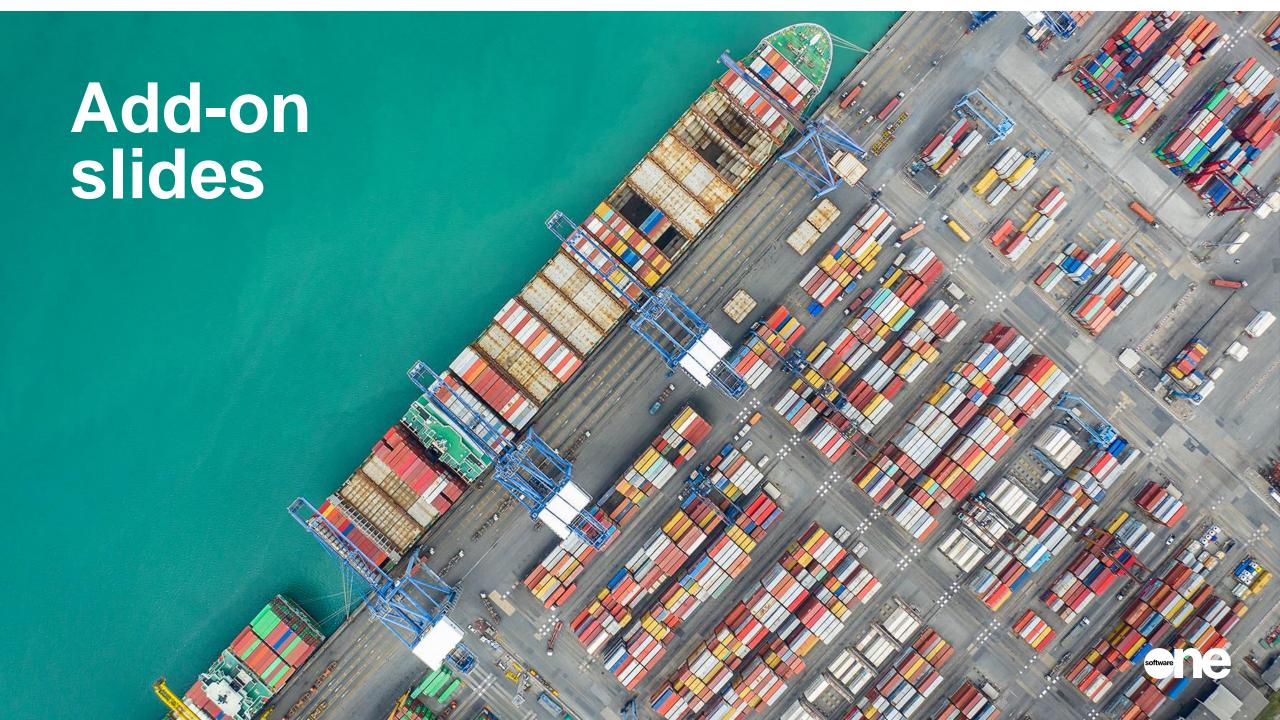
#### **Ecosystem synergy**

Partnerships with 30+ of the leading data and AI solution providers

#### Commercial excellence

Enterprise-grade digital transformation for businesses of all sizes





## SoftwareOne is a global Microsoft Solutions Partner

## Microsoft Partner Azure Expert MSP

Microsoft



Microsoft

Infrastructure

Specialist

Azure VMware Solution



Microsoft

Build and Modernize AI Apps with Microsoft Azure

Digital & App Innovation



Microsoft
Solutions Partne
Business Applications



**30+ years of partnership** with Microsoft



All 6 Solutions Partner designations and numerous specialisations in the Microsoft Al Cloud Partner Programme

Contributing member of the Microsoft Intelligent Security Association



Azure Expert MSP since 2017



Specialist for Microsoft data, Al and GenAl solutions



2,900+ Microsoft cloud technical certifications worldwide



Optimised M365 and Azure spending for **35,000 clients** 

More than **12.5 million active users** of M365 and O365

## SoftwareOne is a global AWS Premier Tier Partner























21 competencies and AWS partner programme certifications including specialised verticals (SMB, Financial, Nonprofit, Public Sector, ISV/SaaS)



**8 AWS Service Delivery** Validations and 500+ AWS client launches



Specialist for data and Al, application modernisation and workload migration to AWS, including Microsoft, SAP, Oracle, VMware



Deep end user computing and customer **experience** expertise, including Al-powered contact centre solutions with Amazon Connect



350+ AWS solution architects and engineers with **1,250+ AWS** certifications to deliver success on AWS cloud



Supporting 450 ISV and SaaS providers on AWS **Marketplace** with procurement and FinOps services

## SoftwareOne is a global Google Premier Partner















Premier Partner on all Google Cloud business lines with 4 specialisations

Infrastructure

**Data Analytics** 

**Location Services** 

**Work Transformation** 



+200 Google Cloud
Professional certifications
Google Cloud Iberia Sales
Partner of the Year 2023



Expert in:

Cloud Services for Google Cloud, including advisory, migration, and managed services

Digital Workplace Services for Google Workspace and Gemini for Google Workspace

Application Modernisation and Data and Al Services

Geolocation Services with Google Maps



Information Security
Management System certified
ISO/IEC 27001:2013



Global support team including

12 Support Centres worldwide



Serving 750+ Google clients

## SoftwareOne is a global ServiceNow Elite Partner

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servicenow. **SOFTWARE ASSET MANAGEMENT** 

**Certified Implementation** 

servicenow **IT OPERATIONS** 

servicenow. **ADVANCED PLATFORM** 

Build

servicenow. HARDWARE ASSET **MANAGEMENT** 

**Certified Implementation** Specialist

servicenow. IT SERVICE **MANAGEMENT** 

Certified Implementation Specialist

**Built with ServiceNow** Offering

servicenow.



World leader in ServiceNow and ITAM, with product line achievements in SAM and ITOM



One of three practices reviewed and validated by ServiceNow



**51 SAM** and **21 HAM** accreditations





## We're one: Delivery Centres

Services and Marketplace

17

Services
Delivery Centres (xDCs)

3

Marketplace Delivery Centres

13

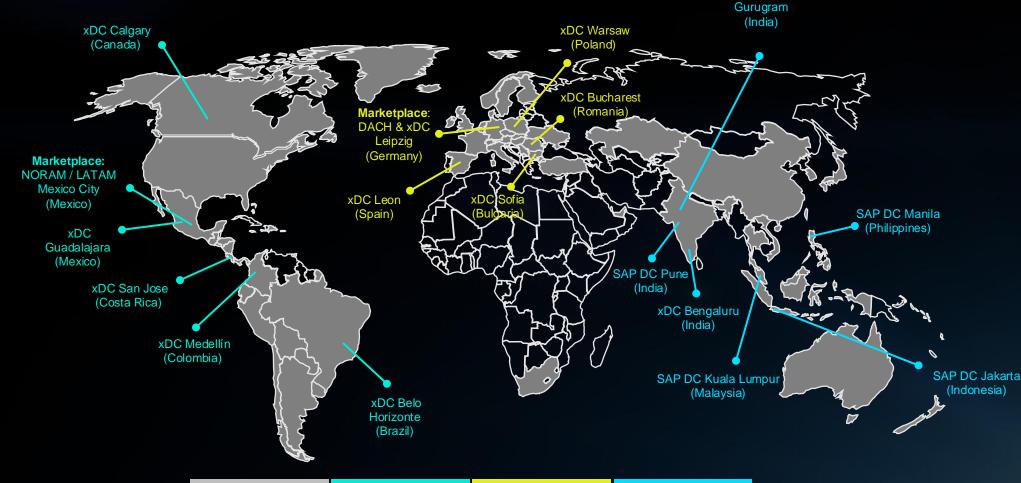
24/7 support in 13 languages

60

Local presence in 60+ countries

**150** 

Able to transact in >150 countries



**Delivery Centres** 

**EMEA/AFRICA** 

**Delivery Centres** 

APAC

**Delivery Centres** 

**AMERICAS** 

SoftwareOne local entities

Marketplace: Global & xDC





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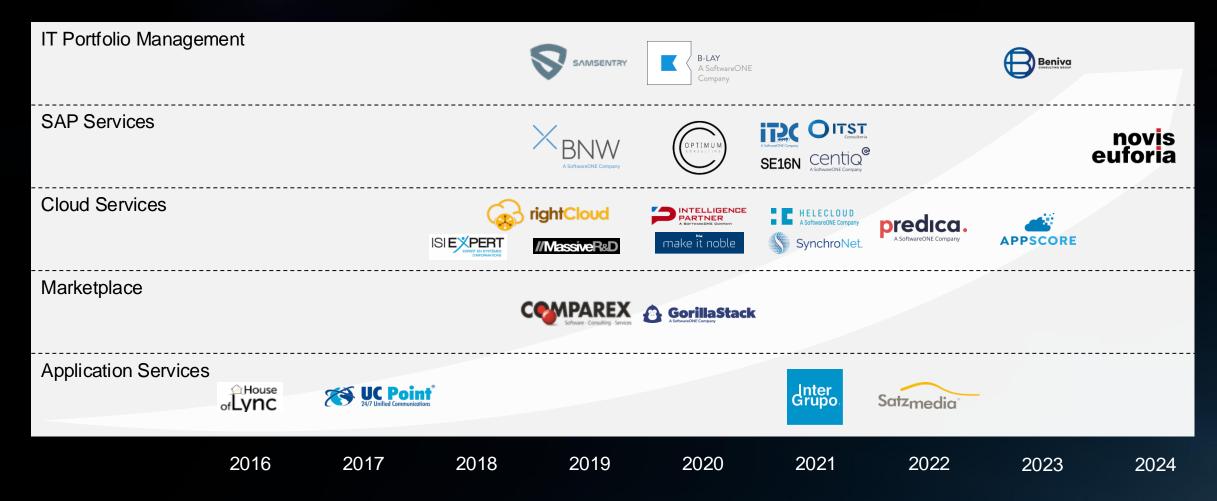


## Recognised as a leader in multiple categories

Microsoft	Winner	Microsoft Partner of the Year	Hong Kong, Puerto Rico, Bolivia	2024	AWS  ANTHE OF THE YEAR  2023	Winner	AWS Government Partner of the Year	LATAM	2023
Microsoft	Winner	Microsoft Partner of the Year – Data and Al	LATAM	2024	aws	Finalist	AWS Managed Services Partner of the Year	Global	2023
Microsoft		Microsoft Partner of the Year – Infrastructure and App Innovation	LATAM	2024	AWS PROPERTY 2023	Finalist	AWS SI Partner of the Year	EMEA	2023
SOPHOS MDR Partner of the Year 2024	Winner	Sophos MDR Partner of the Year	Germany, Austria, Switzerland	2024	← Google Cloud	Winner	Google Sales Partner of the Year	Spain	2023
Quest	Winner	Quest Partner of the Year	Germany, Austria, Switzerland	2024	<b>m</b> ware*	Winner	VMware Industry Partner of the Year	Spain	2023
A Adobe	Winner	Adobe Valued and Innovative Partner	EMEA	2024	A Adobe	Winner	Top Reseller of the Year – Adobe Document Cloud	Hong Kong	2023
ENDOMY  ###################################		Broadcom Cybersecurity Partner of the Year – Endpoint	EMEA	2023	Microsoft	Winner	Microsoft Asia Copilot for M365 Partner Excellence Sales Skills Competition Winner	China	2024
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## Proven track record of scaling up capabilities via M&A





# Pioneering Workplace Al for tomorrow's high-performance workplace

AAMI wanted to modernise its digital office for the future of an AI-powered high-performance workplace. It partnered with SoftwareOne and successfully deployed Copilot for Microsoft 365 to drive change in work practices, improve knowledge and improve security.



#### Client

Advanced Assembly Materials International Ltd. (AAMI)

#### Country

Hong Kong, China

#### Industry

Manufacturing

#### SoftwareOne Services

SoftwareOne Copilot Advisory Service

The successful integration of Copilot for Microsoft 365 is a big step forward in AAMI's ongoing efforts to be the best and most flexible in the fast-paced semiconductor industry. SoftwareOne's role in this journey was pivotal, with their recommendations enhancing the value of AAMI's Microsoft 365 environment.

SC Ho, CEO, AAMI



#### Challenge

- The announcement of Copilot for Microsoft 365 opened up new opportunities for companies. AMMI, a global manufacturer in the semiconductor industry, saw greater opportunities to use GenAl technology to transform AAMI's digital practices into high-performance workplaces, perfectly equipped for the new eras of cloud and AI.
- Eager not only to be an early adopter but also to stay ahead of changing customer demands, AAMI's approach was clear: to thrive, innovation was essential. The company wanted to implement Copilot for Microsoft 365 to boost productivity and free up staff for more value-added tasks, crucial for maintaining AAMI's leadership in the semiconductor industry.



#### Solution

- Having previously worked with SoftwareOne to successfully set up Microsoft 365 in their organisation, AAMI used SoftwareOne's Copilot Advisory Service to implement Copilot for Microsoft 365 for its first group of users.
- The programme taught participants the ins and outs of Copilot for Microsoft 365, a digital practice management tool, and how to optimised its functionality for AAMI's specific needs.
- It helped to improve the adoption and change management by setting up the necessary processes to help AAMI make the right decisions, enabling staff to quickly adopt Copilot for Microsoft 365 and use its full benefits.
- SoftwareOne is helping AAMI staff change practices that were impacting its security posture, increasing compliance risks and reducing the benefits of Copilot for Microsoft 365, such as storing files on local drives rather than in OneDrive.



- Successful implementation of Copilot for Microsoft 365 lays the groundwork for a new way of working and sharing information and knowledge more efficiently across the organisation.
- One journey: taking the next step in cloud adoption and add value to its Microsoft 365 deployment.
- 100% cloud provides staff with more value from Copilot for Microsoft 365 with OneDrive and helps AAMI to harness knowledge and improve security.
- Pioneering Workplace AI: enabling AAMI to better innovate and thrive its business at the forefront of a fast-paced industry. As one of the first companies in Asia to use Copilot for Microsoft 365, its journey serves as a beacon for other organisations aspiring to embrace change and drive innovation.



## Clearing the way for green energy with Azure

HIGHVOLT's HiMON® monitoring system locates faults in underground cables faster and more accurately than ever before to ensure that green electricity flows without interruption. It uses SoftwareOne's expertise and Microsoft Azure to analyse large amounts of cable data in real time.



Client Country

HIGHVOLT Prüftechnik Dresden Germany

Industry

Platform

Manufacturing, Energy

Azure Cloud

SoftwareOne Services

Application Services, Data and Al Services

"We are very pleased with our collaboration with SoftwareOne. We quickly realised that SoftwareOne has outstanding expertise in developing applications based on Azure cloud technology and brings experience from other projects to our partnership. This helped us a lot."

Thomas Steiner, Executive Director Technology, HIGHVOLT Prüftechnik Dresden



#### Challenge

- To ensure a sustainable, secure energy supply from the north of Germany to all regions, the successful remote transmission of renewable energy via underground extra-high voltage cables up to 700 km in length is essential.
- HIGHVOLT, one of the world's leading suppliers of measuring, testing and monitoring systems for power grids, recognised early on that maintaining underground cables of this length was a challenge because of the difficulty of locating faults with precision. This can lead to high downtime and maintenance costs.
- It developed HiMON®, an innovative cable monitoring system that continuously analyses large amounts of cable data in real time, but the company needed help in developing a solid software architecture.



#### Solution

- To digitise, store and process data in the range of up to 100 terabytes per month, SoftwareOne developed a solution architecture for HiMON® in the Azure cloud that takes into account the high security and availability requirements. It also allows for the future integration of AI algorithms for predictive maintenance.
- Various Azure services used such as: Azure IoT, Azure Kubernetes Service, Azure Blob Storage, Azure SQL Database, Azure Key Vault, Azure Monitoring, Azure Entra ID and Azure Sentinel.
- SoftwareOne conducted two Proof of Concepts to test subsystems of the software architecture and developed a
  MVP of HiMON®, providing HIGHVOLT with an initial demo version to test the system with early adopters and gain
  valuable feedback. Work is already underway on GA Release 2. Future releases will include the use of AI to
  predict cable faults, and the system architecture is already prepared for this.



- State-of-the-art software architecture developed with various Azure cloud-native services to provide HIGHVOLT with a solution that offers a high levels of scalability, flexibility and security.
- 100 terabytes of cable data collected from up to 2,000 sensors per month can be processed and analysed in real time, allowing cable faults to be pinpointed not only much faster, but also more accurately.
- Predictive maintenance with AI: Data analysis for rapid cable fault location is carried out using machine learning (ML) and will in future be controlled by AI. This will make it possible to predict failures before they occur.
- A greener future: Innovative cable monitoring will increase the availability of power lines and drastically reduce downtime and maintenance costs. The transmission of green energy will become more reliable.



## ACCO drives data analysis with AWS and SoftwareOne

Transforming its data management capabilities by partnering with AWS and SoftwareOne, ACCO Engineered Systems is now far better able to analyse sales, marketing, and customer service success.



Client

ACCO Engineered Systems

United States

Industry

Manufacturing

**Platform** 

Country

**AWS Cloud** 

#### SoftwareOne Services

Cloud Services: Application Migration, Migration Acceleration Programme (MAP), Advisory, Well Architected Review, Data and AI Services: Data Consolidation, AWS Data Lake, Amazon QuickSight, AWS Glue

"With Amazon Web Services and the help of SoftwareOne, we can continue growing, confident that our clients will receive the quality air and service they deserve."

Gabe Cortina,
Director of Data and Field Services,
ACCO Engineered Systems



#### Challenge

- ACCO Engineered Systems (ACCO), entrusted with air quality and comfort since 1930, has a long-proven history
  of using data comprehensively to provide its customers with reliable and cost-effective HVAC solutions.
- However, the company had grown threefold in the last seven years alone, but data within the organisation was still highly decentralised.
- ACCO wanted to consolidate and secure its data to better analyse and use its data to deliver advanced services to its customers. To increase operational efficiency between sales, marketing, and operations, they needed data analysis that could work with multiple systems, legacy systems, and unstructured data at any scale.



#### Solution

- AWS and SoftwareOne offered the platform, tools, and expertise to build a data lake or centralised repository to address ACCO's needs. AWS provided a highly integrated platform to connect Acco's diverse apps and data stores between different departments.
- SoftwareOne leveraged its **Migration Acceleration Programme (MAP)** expertise, following a three-step process of assess, mobilise and migrate to establish the AWS data lake.
- Amazon QuickSight, a cloud-scale business intelligence (BI) service, would allow data to be tagged, shared, and analysed on the same platform.
- With AWS Glue, a serverless data integration service for predictive data analysis, ACCO could use the data proactively to address customer HVAC system concerns before they happen.



- Advanced customer services: By working with AWS and SoftwareOne ACCO standardised and consolidated its data to ensure the highest quality service is provided as quickly and efficiently as possible.
- Centralised data: Structured and unstructured data alike is centralised and available to query without the traditional limitations of data tables, and clear ownership of data governance has been established.
- Data-driven sales and marketing activities: ACCO leverages the data lake built on Amazon S3 to support sales and marketing, accessing data to bid and win projects more competitively.
- Predictive data analysis: ACCO plans to use the data lake for predictive maintenance, taking advantage of new technology in the industry to raise the customer service bar even higher.



# Brainiall uses Al and AWS to help mining companies improve performance and sustainability

Brainiall, an ISV, uses AI to help mining companies improve productivity, leading to increased sustainability and revenue. It chose SoftwareOne to migrate its AI automation SaaS services to an AWS environment built from the ground up to position the company for growth.

#### **PLYINIYLL**

Client Country

Brainiall Brazil

Industry
Information technology,
AWS Cloud

Manufacturing

SoftwareOne Services

Data and AI Services, Cloud Migration Services, SoftwareOne NextGen ISV Modernisation Programme

Our partnership with SoftwareOne and AWS has been nothing short of transformative. In just under a year, we've achieved remarkable results by harnessing the power of AI, real-time technology, and other cutting-edge solutions. This collaboration has propelled us to the forefront of innovation, allowing us to rapidly empower businesses across industries to revolutionise their operations, more quickly than ever before

Fabio Suizu, CEO, Brainiall



#### Challenge

- Brainiall's cloud-hosted Al automation service uses data from mining customers' loT devices to increase
  mineral extraction process throughput by 5–10%. This can increase revenues by millions of dollars and cut energy
  use by about 3%, saving costs and reducing environmental effects.
- The company wanted to accelerate its SaaS transformation, migrate to AWS and reduce cloud costs. It also
  wanted to reach new global markets while improving the efficiency and scalability of its AI software.
- Brainiall turned to SoftwareOne to help it improve its use of cloud services, with a focus on performance, flexibility, reliability, lean architecture and maturity in applying Al and machine learning.



#### Solution

- SoftwareOne ran Brainiall through its NextGen ISV Modernisation Programme with AWS to help implement a new go-to-market strategy to extend its AI-SaaS offerings to new customers through the AWS Marketplace.
- SoftwareOne also helped Brainiall modernise its cloud solution by moving to AWS. It used the AWS Well-Architected Framework to design and develop a leaner infrastructure for Brainiall's IoT SaaS solution using AWS IoT Core, Amazon Kinesis Firehose, AWS Glue, Amazon Managed Grafana, Amazon SageMaker and Terraform.
- Migrating all production data to AWS is the next phase, with the goal of ingesting over 100 IoT mining variables
  into AWS and processing, parsing and delivering to multiple services to provide the near real-time dashboard with
  a programmatic ML algorithm in Amazon SageMaker to automate the entire process.



- Accelerated go-to-market strategy: Brainiall can reach new markets through co-selling with SoftwareOne and the AWS Marketplace. The company is now well positioned to meet the growing demand for AI-driven services.
- Modernised cloud infrastructure: The new architecture on AWS allows Brainiall to optimise its IoT SaaS solution for its mining clients. It provides near real-time processing and visualisation of more than 100 mining variables.
- Improved performance: Brainiall can deploy and customise client environments faster. Machine learning helps to optimise and automate processes. This helps make mining more efficient with less waste and energy consumption.
- Brainiall has reduced cloud consumption costs by 20% by modernising its cloud environment with AWS.
   It estimates its TCO for projects is up to 50% lower than with its previous cloud provider.



# Panasonic embraces Azure cloud for future-proof innovation

When Panasonic Information Systems Company Europe (PISCEU) decided to migrate to the cloud, it knew it would need support. SoftwareOne helped the organisation migrate its data centre as well as 11 business locations, resulting in IT cost savings, and improved agility and operational efficiency.

## **Panasonic**

#### Client

Panasonic Information Systems Company Europe (PISCEU)

#### Industry

Information technology, Consumer goods

#### **Platform**

Azure Cloud

#### SoftwareOne Services

Cloud Migration Services, Cloud Managed Services

At the moment, we cover about 50% of the Panasonic Europe scope with our migrated services and our target is to cover about 90% within the next two to three years. With the support and flexibility from SoftwareOne, we are quite confident that we can achieve this target as well.

Anton Staller, Senior Manager, Infrastructure Service Management, Panasonic



#### Challenge

- Panasonic is one of the world's largest players in the development of electronic technologies and solutions in consumer electronics, automotive, avionic and industrial technologies. PISCEU manages the IT infrastructure for Panasonic Europe, which is represented in 35 countries with more than 11,000 employees.
- PISCEU needed to modernise its on-premises data centre infrastructure and local services across 11 sites. It wanted greater agility and scalability and the ability to respond more quickly to customer demands.
- Implementation of IT changes often took weeks due to highly standardised processes and long delivery times.
- PISCEU needed more strategic support to help it manage its IT systems more proactively and help cut costs.



#### Solution

- The migration project was essentially split into two parts: (1) SoftwareOne teams in different CEE countries migrated the on-premises computing power of 11 sites across Europe. Although each site had different requirements, all sites were streamlined to the same configuration in Azure without any business impact.
- The data centre migration included a lift-and-shift of 170 servers and 50 other services to the Azure cloud.
- SoftwareOne also began supporting PISCEU with its Cloud Managed Services. SoftwareOne's team in Poland
  works as part of the PISCEU team, assisting with the maintenance of the Azure environment, first-line ticketing
  support and incident and change management requests.
- SoftwareOne's global support team provides managed cloud computing services and advisory support with monthly meetings. This support also includes recommendations for ongoing Azure optimisation.



- 50% savings: Since migrating, infrastructure costs are half of what they were for the previous on-premises systems. And Azure pricing and better FinOps mean more predictable spending.
- Faster provisioning: New servers or other computing capacity can now be provisioned in 1-2 weeks, instead of 6-8 weeks, and this can be accelerated further if required.
- Stability and reliability: By outsourcing to SoftwareOne's Cloud Managed Services, the quality of operations has improved significantly and PISCEU is now much more agile in its operations. Its current Azure infrastructure has an SLA performance of 99.9%, compared to the previous on-premises SLA of 99%.



# Driving fashion footwear through advanced data analytics

Camper, a leading Spanish footwear brand redefines success with digital transformation powered by Google Cloud and SoftwareOne. Unleashing collaboration and data analytics, Camper has revolutionised its business performance and customer experiences.



Client

Camper

Industry

Retail, Manufacturing

Country

Spain

**Platform** 

Google Cloud

#### SoftwareOne Services

Data and AI Services: Data Consolidation and Migration; Google BigQuery; Google Cloud Storage; Looker Studio; Digital Workplace Services: Google Workspace adoption

With SoftwareOne's guidance and the use of BigQuery, we removed obstacles that prevented our in-store and corporate teams from sharing information effectively. This has been a big success. We're now even better at setting sales goals and increasing in-store sales.

Cristina Frontera Rossello, Business Technology Project Manager, Camper



#### Challenge

- Camper, a Spain's leading footwear brand with a global presence in over 40 countries recognised the need to
  enhance collaboration and communication to further enhance its operations. It took a focused approach to rolling
  out Google Workspace. To ensure successful rollouts, the company turned to SoftwareOne for support.
- By leveraging the power of Google Workspace, Camper witnessed an immediate boost in productivity. It wanted to become more data-driven by revamping its methods of obtaining and analysing performance data.
- However, the local database server, which served as the data warehouse, was limited in terms of scalability, accessibility and integration of different data sources and did not provide a comprehensive overview of the information needed for informed decision-making.



#### Solution

- SoftwareOne helped Camper develop a customised solution in the Google Cloud. The key approach was to democratise all data and create a scalable structure that would provide centralised and consolidated access to all relevant information, while creating the basis for developing predictive models to anticipate the market.
- Data from disparate systems such as ERP, analytics, CRM, marketing automation, eCommerce, logistics and email marketing tools was migrated and stored in BigQuery and Google Cloud Storage. Workflows were created to upload and replicate data into BigQuery in a timely manner to ensure system accuracy across systems.
- Using Looker Studio for visualisation, loyalty data captured in one store can now be shared via dashboards with
  other stores around the world to provide insights into customer behaviour and retail performance.



- By consolidating and analysing data with BigQuery, Camper gained valuable insights into retail strategies, customer behaviour, and sales performance across all Camper stores.
- This newfound visibility enabled Camper to optimise costs, personalise marketing campaigns and improve the e-commerce experience, resulting in a better customer experience and improved business performance.
- Using BigQuery as a unified data repository replaced localised, manual data entry and data analysis processes and significantly reduced the large amount of manual work required.
- Camper can obtain and analyse performance data much faster to understand which initiatives or projects are working well and make data-driven decisions across different aspects of the business.

