

eBook

# Top 5 Reasons Why Customers Choose Hitachi Vantara for SAP Modernization







# Businesses Depend on SAP HANA

Businesses depend on SAP HANA to power large-scale data applications, ensuring a sustainable competitive advantage. Next-generation SAP technologies provide the agility, flexibility and scalability needed to support transactional applications and empower developers to drive innovation, including generative AI. Despite the demand for rapid and adaptable application deployment, IT organizations face significant challenges in maintaining existing IT infrastructure. The concept of data resiliency now encompasses disaster recovery, business continuity, protection against security threats and the need for data portability to optimize execution venues based on business needs.

*Agility*

*Flexibility*

*Scalability*

Moreover, as businesses gear up to meet SAP's 2027 deadline to migrate workloads to SAP HANA and SAP S/4HANA, they expect enterprise-grade IT infrastructure to power SAP HANA. Hitachi Vantara offers a comprehensive suite of SAP infrastructure and services, essential for integrating business processes and delivering substantial value through the SAP ERP application and SAP HANA portfolio.



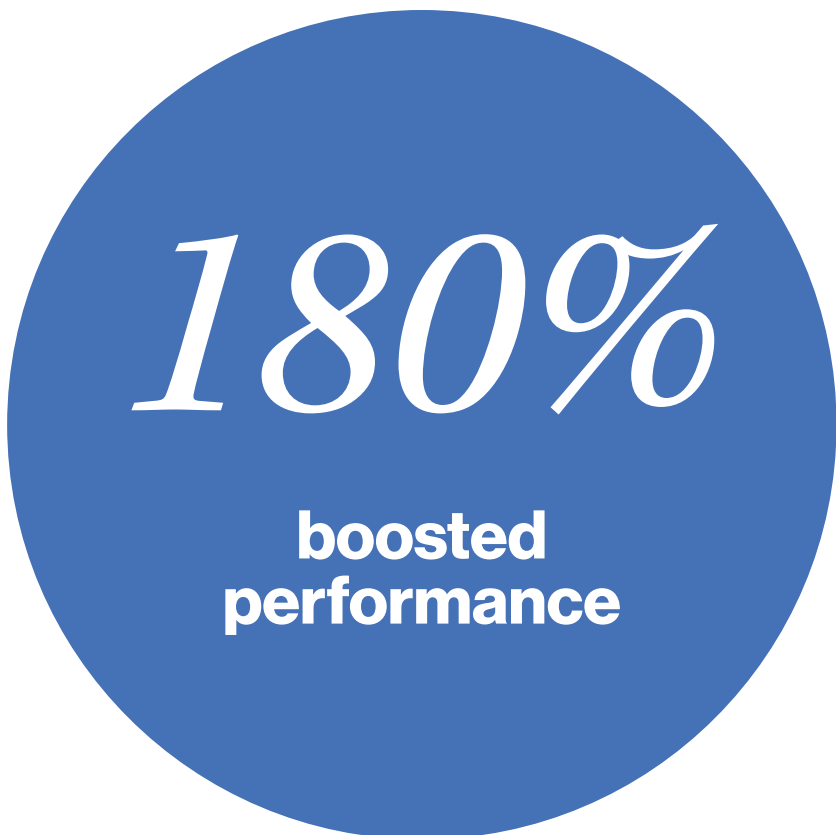


# Why Hitachi Vantara Could Be the Right Partner for Your Journey Toward SAP Modernization

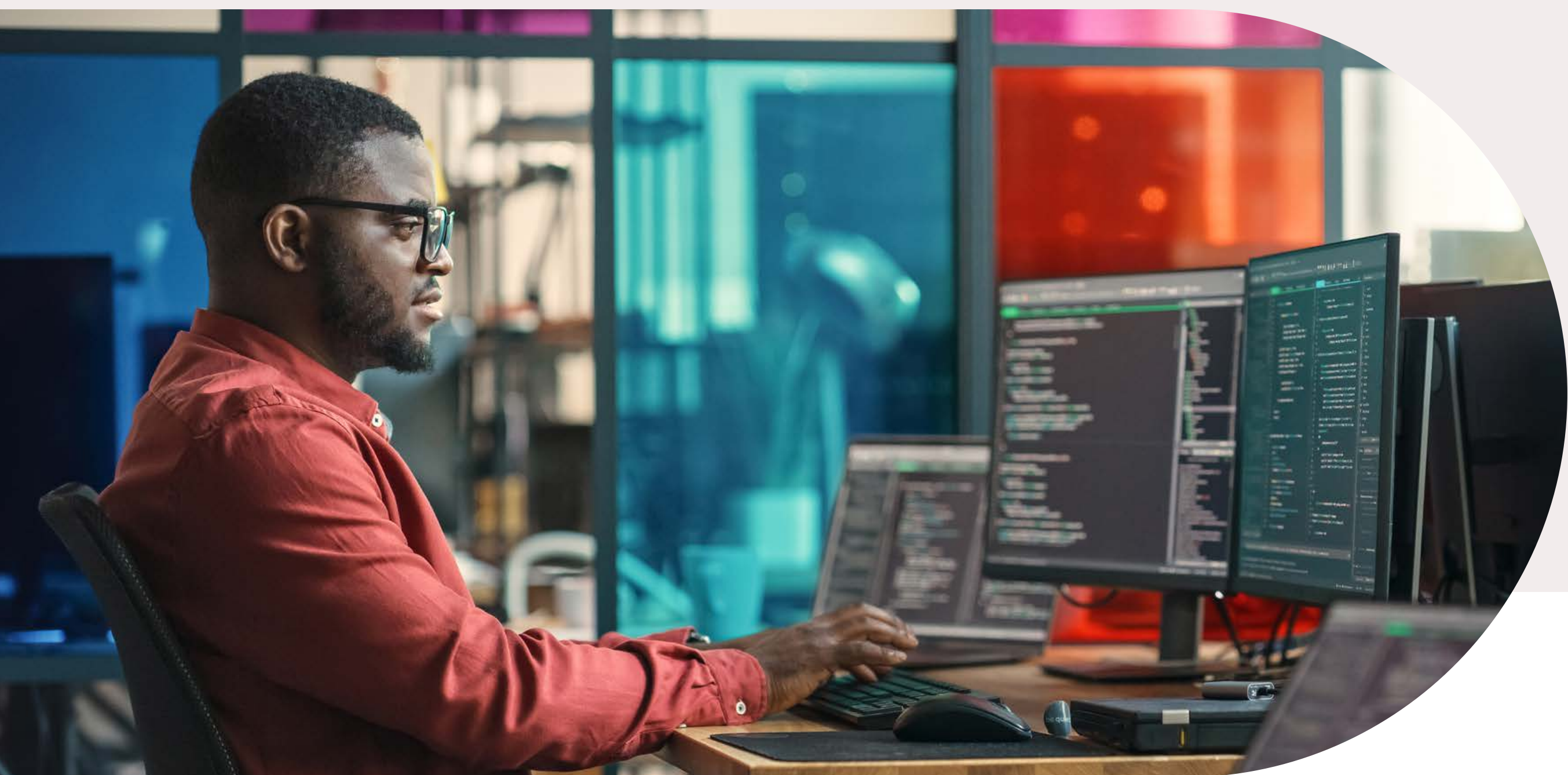
Leading companies are determined to fully leverage the SAP ERP application and SAP HANA portfolio, utilizing advanced ERP modernization expertise and comprehensive as-a-service offerings. Visionary enterprises are decisively selecting Hitachi Vantara to modernize their SAP ERP and database infrastructure with world-class storage and integrated solutions.

The Hitachi Integrated Systems for SAP solution is fully appliance and TDI certified for SAP HANA. It offers certified infrastructure and modernization services, and ensures performance and reliability on various Hitachi Vantara Virtual Storage Platform (VSP) models with solid state drives and storage virtualization.

Read on to see why Hitachi Vantara, a proven leader in achieving measurable outcomes, is the right partner on your journey toward SAP modernization.







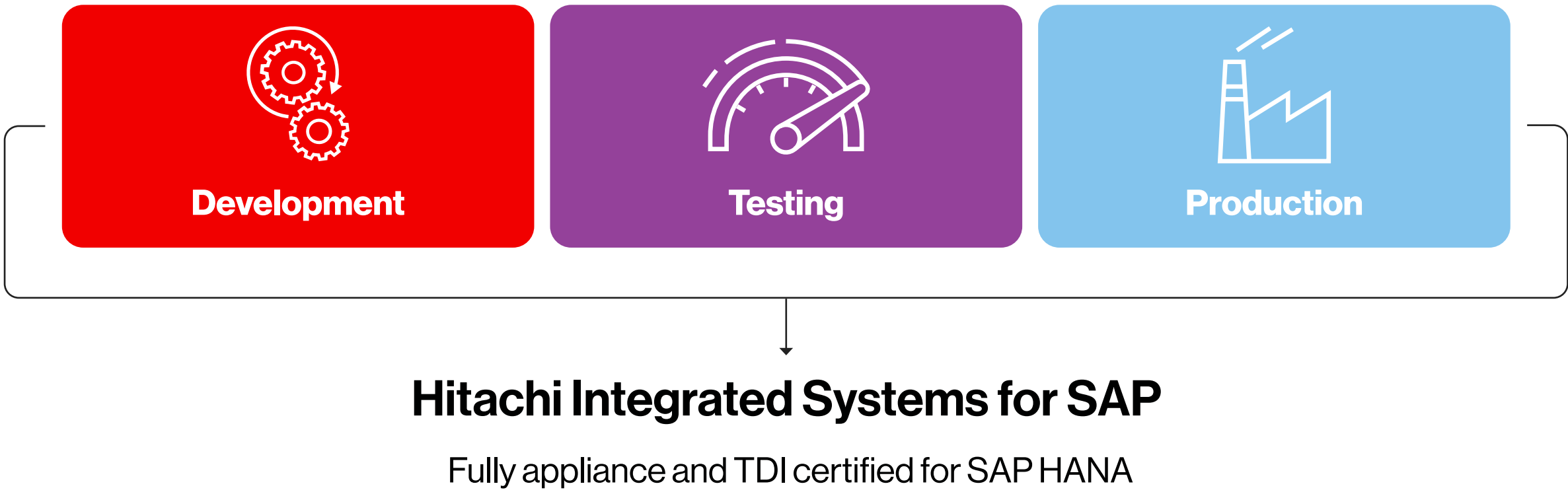
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## 1. High Performance

The Hitachi Integrated Systems for SAP solution, acclaimed as the fastest SAP HANA offering globally, boosts performance by up to 180%. It accommodates up to 222 HANA instances, facilitating extensive application consolidation and supporting data growth up to 69PB<sup>1</sup>. Flexible configurations offer right-sized infrastructure, combining development, testing and production. It supports multiple SAP HANA servers with configurable partitioning and versatile deployment options.

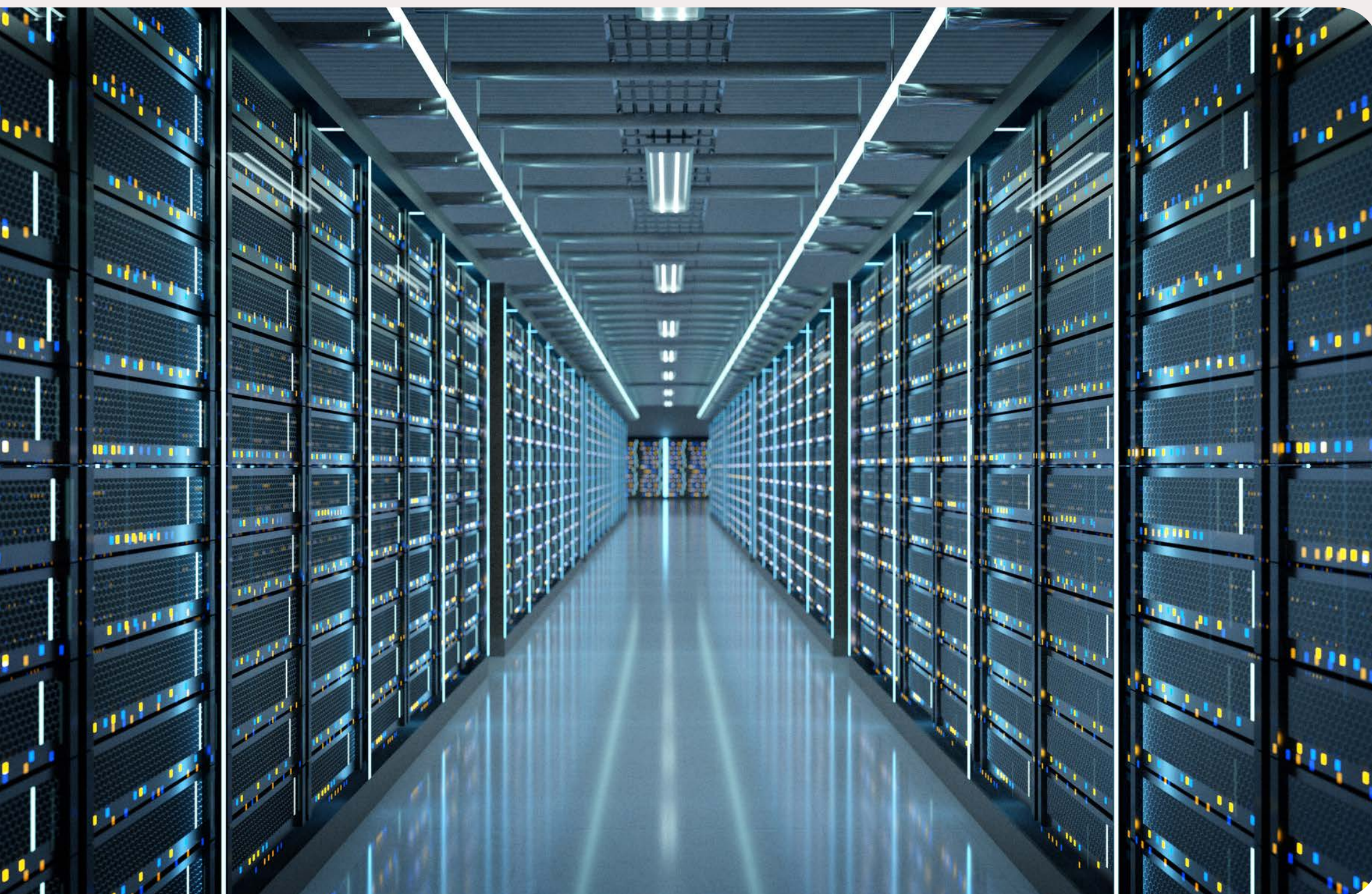
## 2. Flexible Rightsizing

Flexible configurations offer right-sized infrastructure, consolidating development, testing and production into one system. It supports multiple SAP HANA scalable servers from 2 sockets to 16 sockets in 2-socket increments and versatile deployment options, including appliance-based and tailored data center integration.



1 SAP Standard Application Benchmarks





### 3. Operation Resource Manageability

View and analyze end-to-end topology from virtual machines and server to shared storage for interdependencies, root-cause analysis and faster remediation. Use predictive analytics for future resource and capacity requirements. Identify anomalies and ensure service-level objectives for performance and capacity.

### 4. Reduce Costs and Simplify SAP Environment

Disjointed processes and complex, multivendor solutions can impede innovation. Simplify and consolidate your SAP HANA infrastructure by integrating multiple product categories and regions into a scalable powerful compute and storage infrastructure. Streamline server and storage management to significantly lower costs of SAP operations. Modularly scale to flexibly grow at the pace of business.

## View & Analyze

View & analyze end-to-end topology from



Virtual machines



Servers



Shared storage

Analyze to identify & predict

Interdependencies

Root-cause analysis

Faster remediation

Resource & capacity requirements

Anomalies





## 5. Redefine Resiliency

Trusted by customers globally with their SAP applications and data, Hitachi Integrated Systems for SAP enable nonstop innovation everywhere. The only CFP-certified storage, VSP One is the industry benchmark for lower carbon footprint. Hitachi Vantara offers a comprehensive range of workload recovery solutions for critical SAP applications, ensuring minimal downtime for SAP HANA storage systems with our 100% Data Availability Guarantee.

## Customer Transformation Stories

### Infosys

Infosys supercharges application performance with Hitachi storage and integrated systems.

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*The Hitachi VSP 5600 is running our applications at least 10 times faster than our SLA requires, and 70% to 90% faster than our previous-generation storage. That means our microservices can communicate almost instantaneously, so we can provide a seamless user experience for our employees.”*



**Vadiraj Adiga**  
Associate Vice President  
Enterprise Platform Management, InfoSys





### SFS Group

SFS Group realizes faster time to market with Hitachi enabled proactive monitoring and reporting. They achieve a high-touch customer experience on their journey to SAP S/4HANA.



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*Our single-vendor data center strategy with Hitachi Vantara has helped our IT team become an internal innovation partner for our business departments. Thanks to fast and efficient Hitachi Vantara solutions, we can deliver next-generation IT applications and facilitate business transformation.”*

**Urs Lüchinger**

Head of IT Infrastructure Backend, SFS Group





**Suva**

Suva innovates with its SAP services 24/7 using a worry-free, SAP-certified IT infrastructure from Hitachi that allows both on-premises and public cloud hosting.

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*Hitachi Vantara has become a trusted partner, delivering outstanding quality, stability, services as well as performance throughout our 30-year relationship. They continue to invest in innovations, products, and usability, and we truly appreciate all the improvements we see in the latest Hitachi Virtual Storage Platform 5500.”*

**Christian Arn**  
Head of IT Infrastructure, Suva







**Atos IT Solutions and Services, s.r.o.**

Atos IT Solutions and Services enhances the value of their SAP HANA investment with Hitachi, ensuring instant data access for quicker decision-making.

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*While an update of budgetary data used to take 2-3 hours, with Hitachi Integrated Systems (formerly UCP) for SAP it now takes 3-4 seconds. Processing a 400,000 line bank account statement used to take 30-40 minutes; today, it takes just 10% of this time.”*

**Vítezslav Duspiva**

Client Manager, Atos IT Solutions and Services, s.r.o.





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intelligence Nordic works with Hitachi solutions to realize intelligent, adaptable SAP HANA storage that scales effortlessly and cost-effectively. Hitachi solutions address dynamic data requirements and support any SAP application seamlessly.



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*Thanks to the flexibility of the Hitachi Integrated Systems (formerly UCP) for SAP solution, we can deliver exactly what our clients want, increase satisfaction and keep ahead of the competition.”*

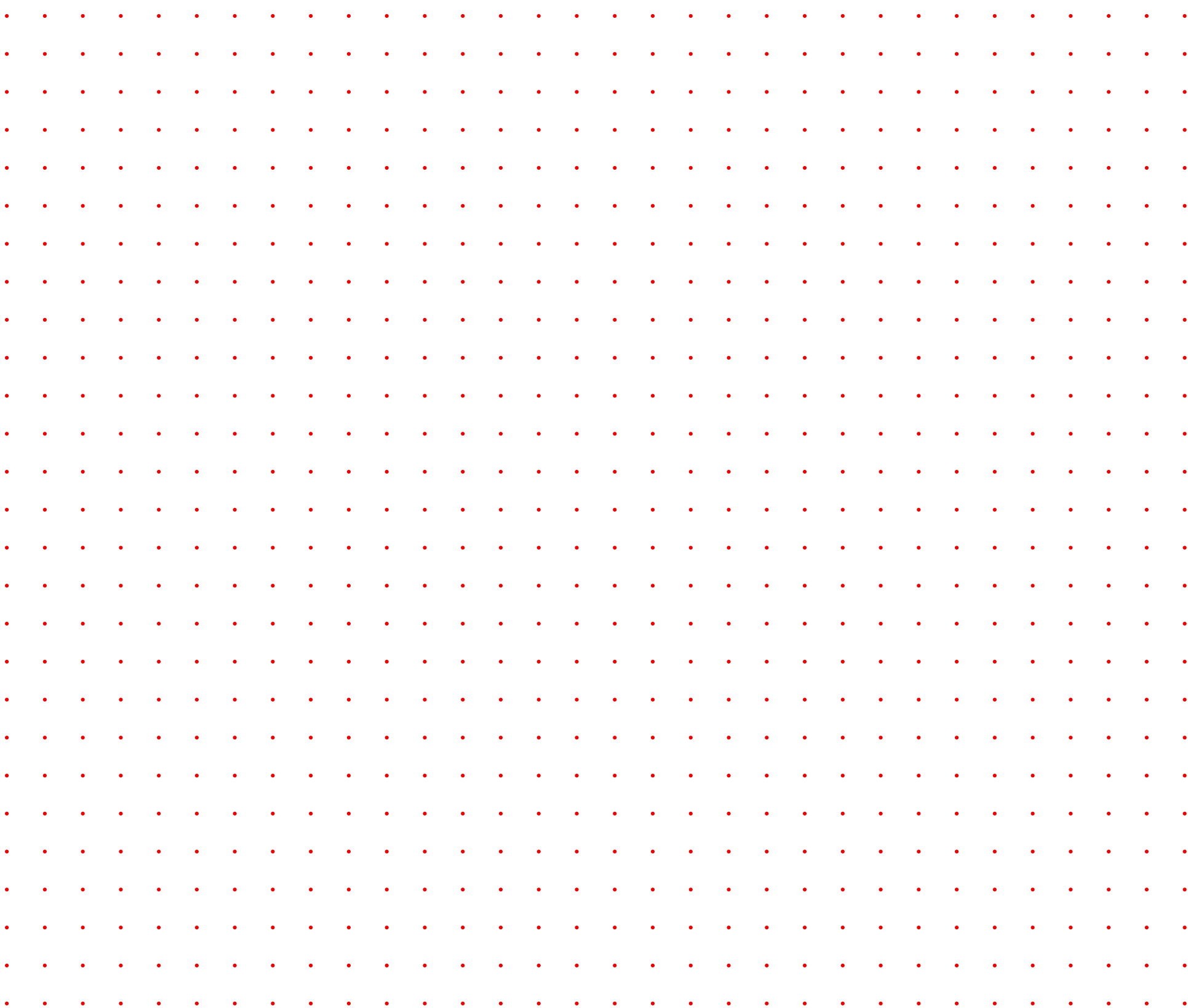
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# Conclusion

Maximize your return on SAP HANA with a modern IT infrastructure. Deliver rapid insights, reduce costs and redefine resilience to drive innovation and stay competitive. Transform your SAP landscape seamlessly with Hitachi Vantara comprehensive SAP HANA TDI certified solutions combined with global support and services. Simplify SAP HANA integration and elevate productivity with Hitachi streamlined server and storage management across multiple product categories and regions.





# Maximize Your Return on SAP HANA Today

To learn more, read the [Hitachi Vantara solution profile](#) or visit our [website](#)

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## Hitachi Vantara

### *About Hitachi Vantara*

Hitachi Vantara is transforming the way data fuels innovation. A wholly owned subsidiary of Hitachi Ltd., we're the data foundation the world's leading innovators rely on. Through data storage, infrastructure systems, cloud management and digital expertise, we build the foundation for sustainable business growth.

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