Helping You Build Your SAP Strategy in the Cloud

The cloud can enable intelligent enterprises to use their data to achieve goals faster and with less risk. However, deciding how best to achieve the benefits of the cloud is not always clear. Options abound and what works on-premises does not always work in the cloud. This is particularly true when considering mission-critical SAP applications. Fortunately, SUSE® has dedicated partnerships with SAP and cloud providers to offer you the best possible support for your SAP solutions, no matter where your cloud strategy takes you.

SUSE for SAP in the Cloud at a Glance:

- SUSE is SAP's in-house implementation platform
- Support for SAP HANA, S/4HANA and more
- Flexibility to choose the cloud model that is right for you

- Products:
+ SUSE Linux Enterprise Server
+ SUSE OpenStack Cloud
+ SUSE Manager
+ SUSE Enterprise Storage

An Unparalleled Partnership with SAP

We know you would not trust your SAP infrastructure to just anyone. At SUSE, we have worked with SAP for nearly 20 years and have a long-term partnership of co-innovation. We are the trusted and preferred provider of mission-critical, software-defined infrastructure (SDI) for SAP.

SAP has demonstrated its confidence in SUSE and the partnership by making us a component of its own cloud strategy. SUSE is the backbone of SAP Cloud Platform, where SAP leverages SUSE OpenStack Cloud and SUSE Enterprise Storage. SUSE has been a key supporter of the OpenStack community as we have built SUSE OpenStack Cloud. This product provides a heterogeneous cloud infrastructure for provisioning your SAP workloads and applications in a way that is easy to deploy and manage and is supportable, compliant and secure.

SAP HANA® Innovation Award Winner 2017

SAP also relies on SUSE as the foundation for SAP HANA Enterprise Cloud. SUSE is the Linux operating system that SAP itself uses for development of SAP HANA, as well as for internal operations of its own SAP HANA environment.

Because of the support SUSE provides SAP HANA, SUSE won an SAP HANA Innovation Award in 2017.[1] Twenty-eight of the other Innovation Award winners used SUSE as their open source SDI partner of choice.

1 *https://www.suse.com/communities/blog/ suse-receives-sap-hana-innovation-award- 2017-industry-disruptor/*

> "It gives me a lot of comfort that SUSE is one of the early adopters of the HANA platform and has a history of working with SAP HANA. Going with HANA on SUSE mitigates our risk and gives us the best and most optimal platform to run our SAP enterprise applications."

RANJIT PRITHVIRAJ
Managing Director
Fitch Ratings[2]

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SAP and SUSE support are seamlessly integrated. Whether you choose to use SAP applications in SAP's own cloud solutions or in on-premises, hybrid, public or multi-cloud environments, SUSE brings this history of collaboration and innovation with SAP to support your workloads.

Partnering with Microsoft Azure

SUSE and Microsoft have been working together for over a decade and share more than 1,000 customers. SUSE Linux Enterprise Server and Microsoft Azure are certified by SAP for SAP HANA.

SUSE also has unique insight into the latest developments in SAP HANA on Azure (Large Instance), due to its tight integration with Microsoft and the SAP engineering team.

Partnering with Amazon Web Services (AWS)

SUSE and AWS have worked together since 2011 to improve the scalability, performance and high availability of SAP HANA and S/4HANA environments on the platform. You can now deploy SAP infrastructure in minutes, using the SAP HANA Multi-AZ Quick Start for production-ready environments that are jointly engineered to include SUSE high availability solutions.

Partnering with Google Cloud Platform

SUSE is also working with Google to deliver industry-leading enterprise open source solutions. You can easily deploy SUSE Linux Enterprise Server for SAP Applications on Google Cloud Platform, which offers certified infrastructure for running your SAP solutions.

Ready to Support Your Cloud Journey

Regardless of where your cloud strategy takes you, SUSE has invested in the partnerships to support you. We offer our leading SAP-focused solutions across clouds to ensure that your SAP workloads get the support they need as you transition to the cloud.

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