Transforming Finance for Digital Business

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What is Digitalization?

Digitalization is the use of digital technologies to **change a business model** and provide **new revenue** and value-producing opportunities*.





The world's largest ride hail company owns no vehicles



Alibaba

The world's most valuable retailer has no inventory

interesting is happening."



The world's most popular media owner creates no content.

* "The Battle is For The Customer Interface:". TechCrunch 2015

Airbnb

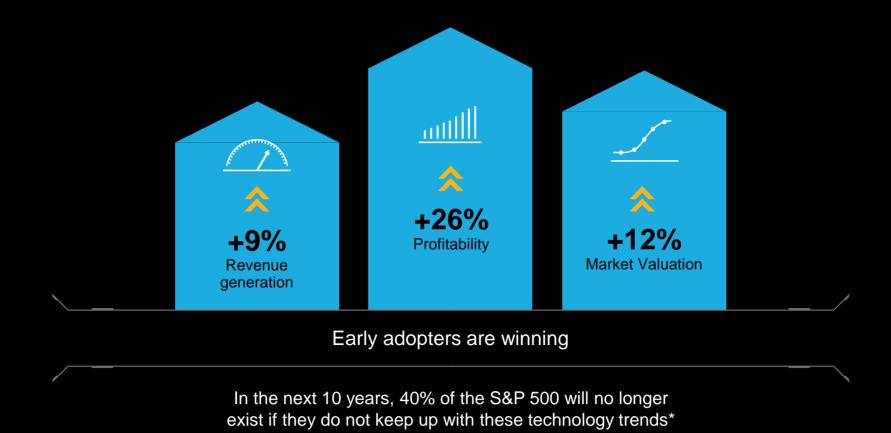
The world's largest accommodation provider owns no real estate

"The digital economy is simply becoming the economy."

Günther Oettinger, EU Commissioner for the Digital Economy & Society



Providing opportunities to first movers



^{* &}quot;The Digital Advantage: How Digital Leaders Outperform Their Peers in Every Industry:" CapGemini and MIT Sloan. 2012

What does this mean for finance?



competitors



Need for instant
insight to
action and radical
automation





Finance is key to the success of a digital business





Reimagining new business models

Flexible modeling, deep analysis, and rapid implementation of new business models







Bringing insight to the business

Ability to act in the moment, anytime and anywhere, enabled by a single source of truth





Streamlining finance processes and managing risk

Automated and networked processes, event-driven, and inherently compliant

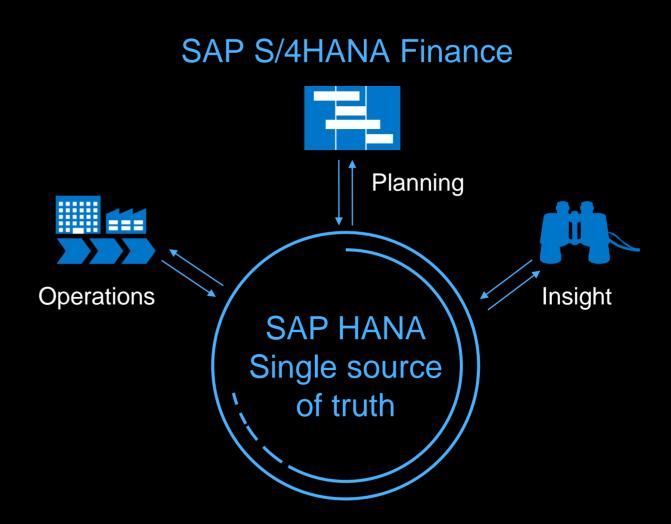
And technology is the foundation

"Renovating the core" such as ERP was highlighted as a key foundation for digital business.

- 2015 Gartner FEI Study

The future is here

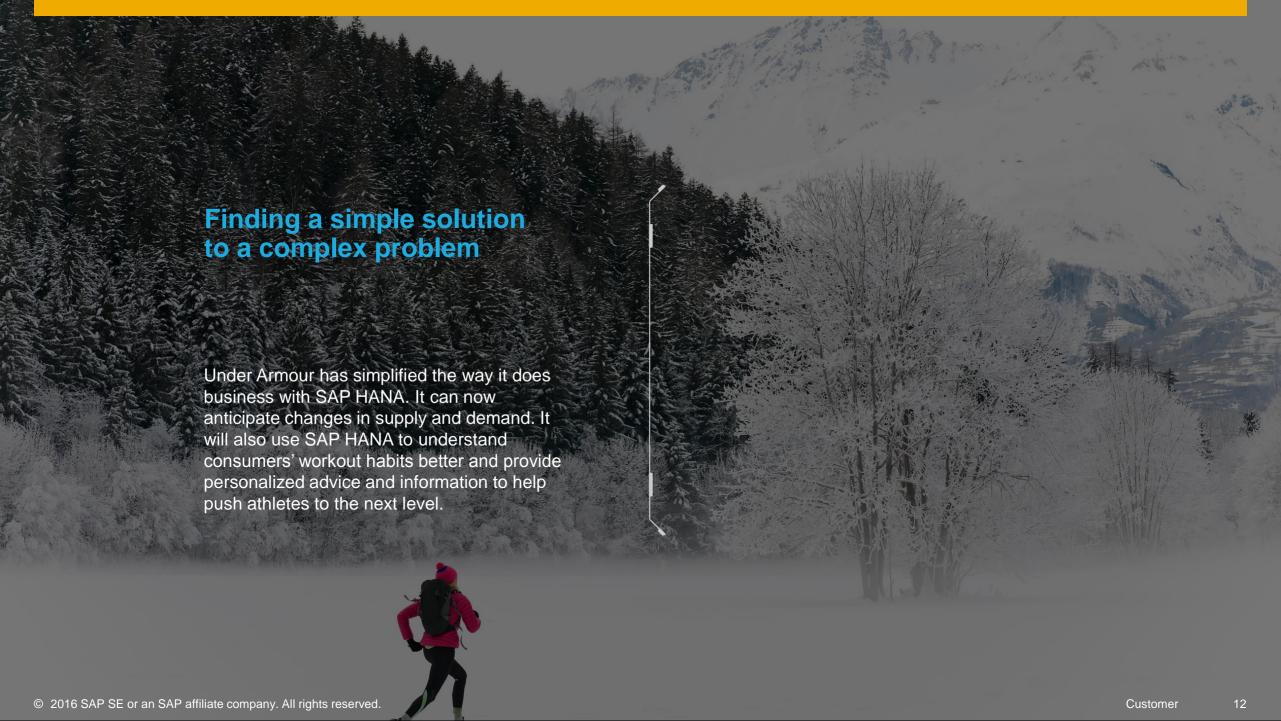
- Single platform for transactions, planning, and analytics with realtime updates
- One common view of finance data for enterprise-wide consistency – no reconciliations, replications, or aggregations
- Prediction, simulation, and analysis to evaluate financial implications of strategic business options

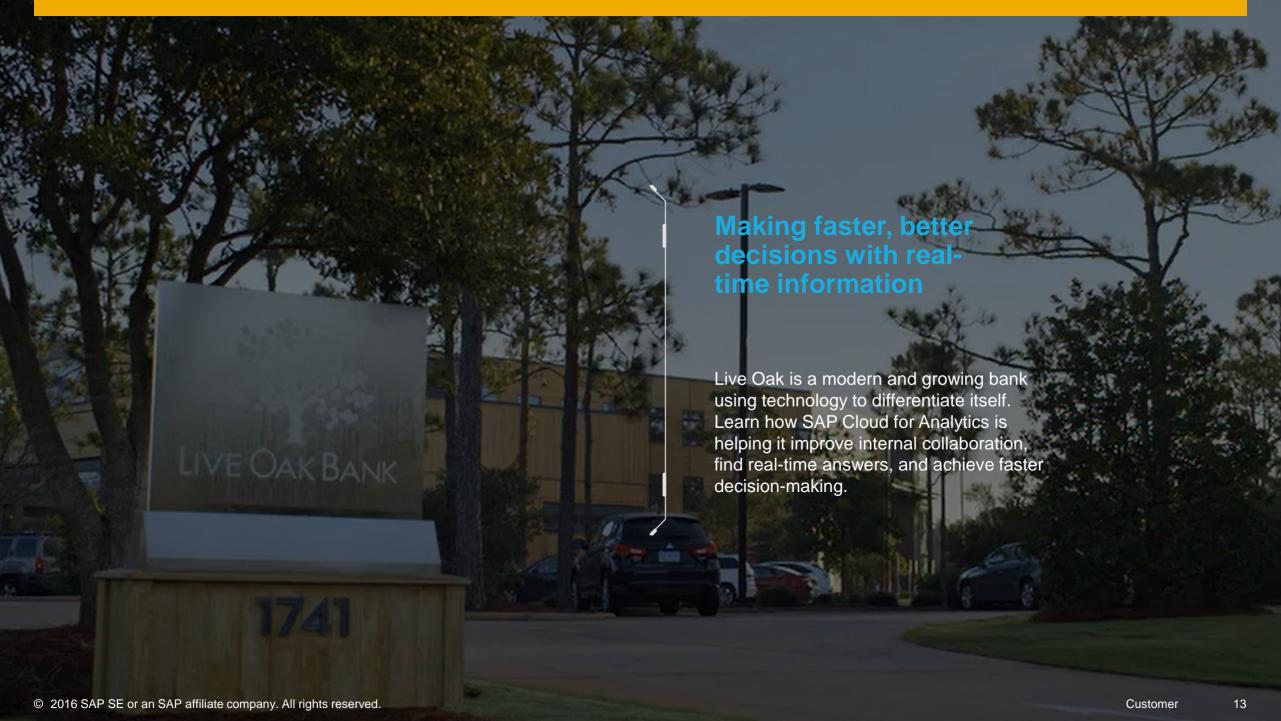


Customer momentum across the globe



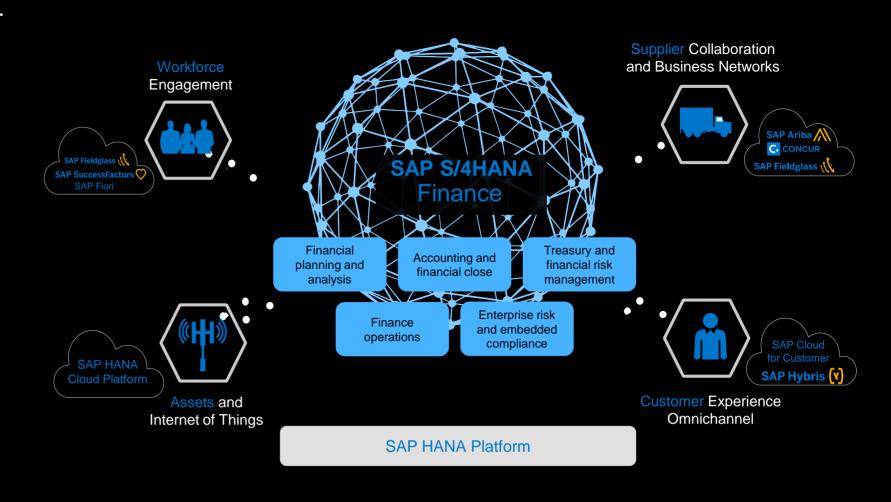






Go digital with SAP S/4HANA Finance

- Shape new business models for growth
- Collaborate and connect the "live" business
- Be the engine of insight
- Manage risks and ensure compliance
- Optimize and automate processes for maximum efficiency



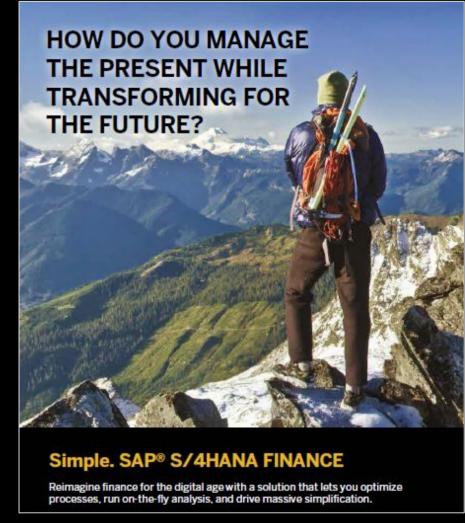
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