

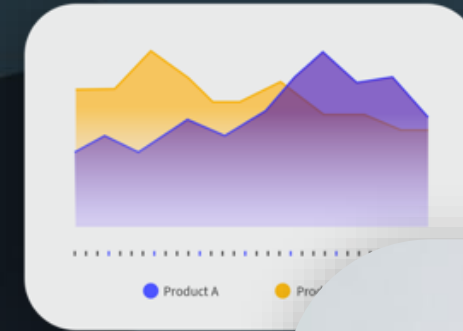


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# AI og ML-modeller i Infors Cloud Suites med kundeeksempel fra EA SMITH

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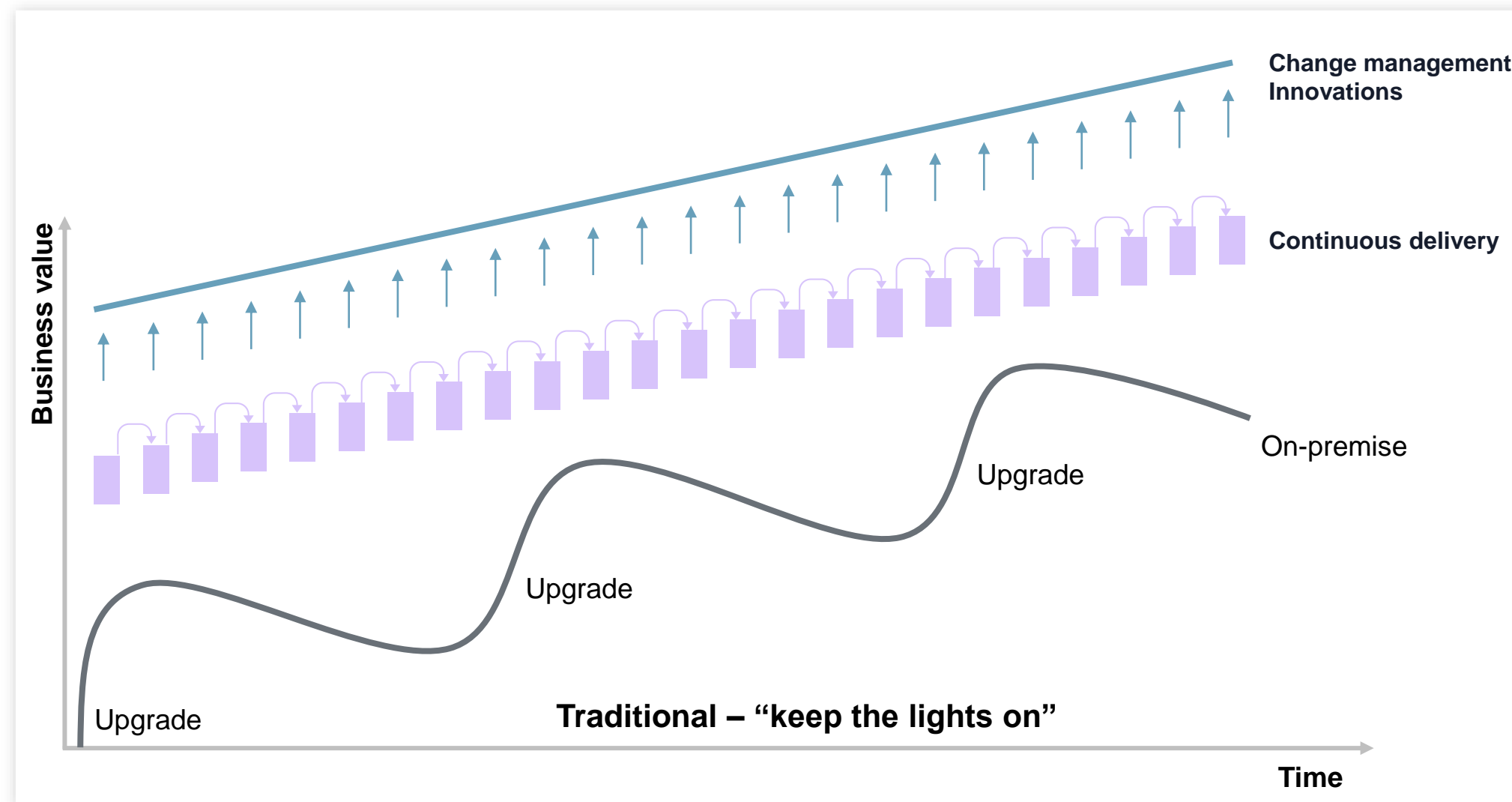
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**An ERP in the cloud**  
**The final destination on the journey**  
**or**  
**Just the starting point on an adventure**

# Drive continuous value by connecting the power of business and digitalization



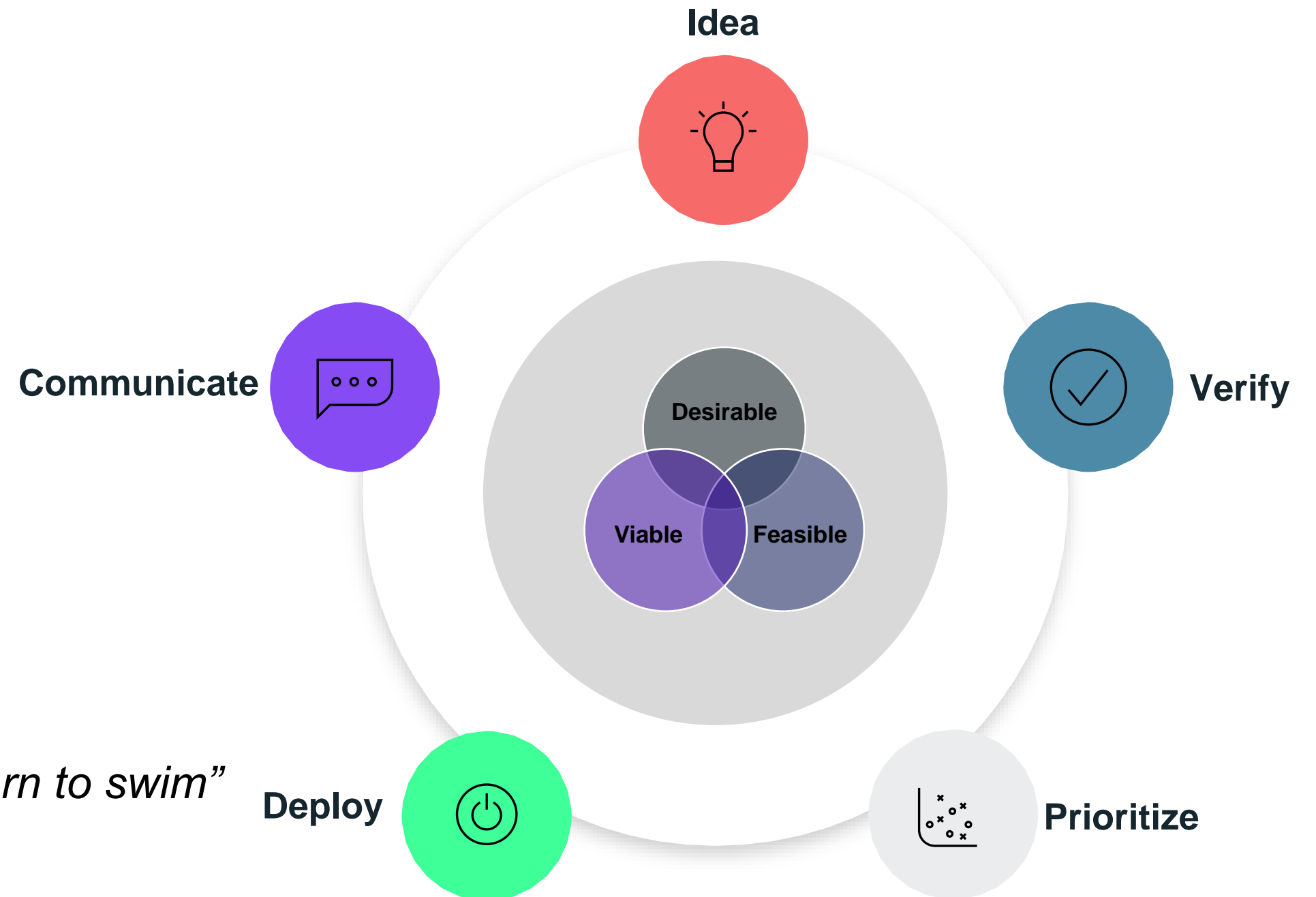


# Innovation

## Innovation – Hard work based on structured approach

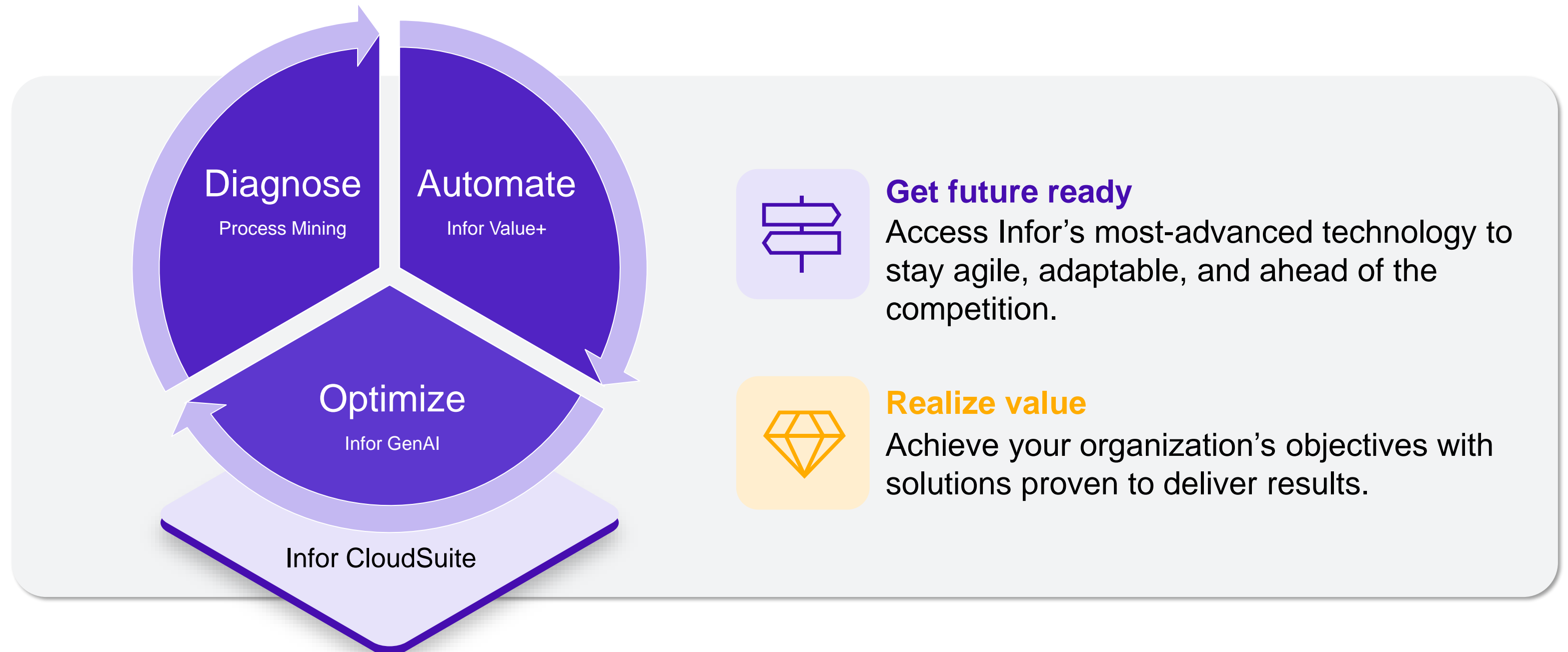
1. Identify opportunities and prioritize
2. Deploy and run
3. Lessons learned and value confirmation

*“Jump into the water is the only way to learn to swim”*



# Infor Velocity Suite

A package of solutions and services that makes process innovation easy and impactful



# Drive the business forward with Infor **Industry AI**

Infor Industry AI for every user, any industry

**Enhance decisions with AI insights & optimization**  
Predictive and prescriptive AI


**Accelerate hyperproductivity across workflows**  
Embedded GenAI workflows

**Automate end-to-end business processes**  
AI, Integration, Automation

Across all Infor CloudSuites



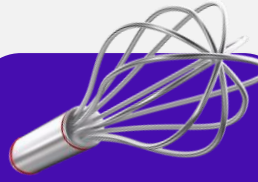
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# Infor Augmented Intelligence Service

AI-driven insights, built for the business. No data science team required.



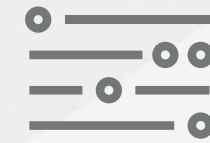
## Explore the potential of AI, together

From initial scope to continuous adoption, we partner with you to discover where AI can drive the business forward, in just 90 days.



## Unlock deeper insights without the overhead

Gain unparalleled accuracy in decision-making with our AI and data experts supporting your digital transformation.



## Optimize work with AI-driven automations

Enhance efficiency across Infor and non-Infor workflows seamlessly connected and automated, one use case at a time.

# Unlock deeper insights without the overhead

Know the highest impact use cases with our readiness assessment

## Improve customer experience

- Customer churn
- Product recommendations
- Order anomaly detection
- Duplicate orders
- Reorder point optimization
- Win loss prediction
- and more...

## Drive operational efficiency

- Inventory optimization
- Inventory rebalancing
- Spare parts management
- Vendor grading
- Service recommendations
- Smart work orders
- and more...

## Reduce asset costs

- Asset health predictions w/ IoT
- Outlier detection
- Scrap reduction
- Packaging optimization
- Yield optimization
- Recipe optimization
- and more...

## Predict future demand

- Financial forecasting
- Cash flow forecasting
- Sales forecasting
- Demand planning
- Budget planning
- and more...

## Optimize price

- Margin analysis
- Product cross-sell and upsell
- Strategic pricing analysis
- Contract recommendations
- and more...

## Manage labor efficiency

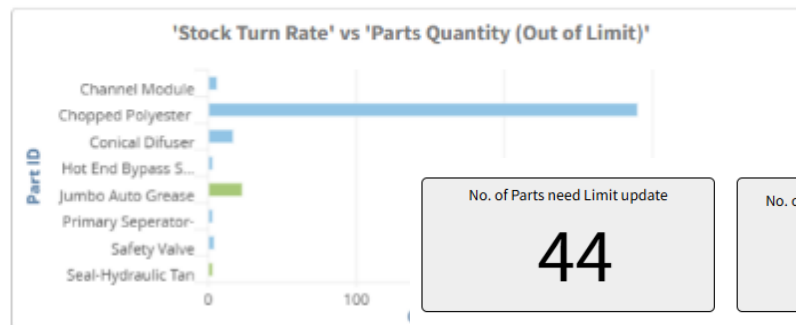
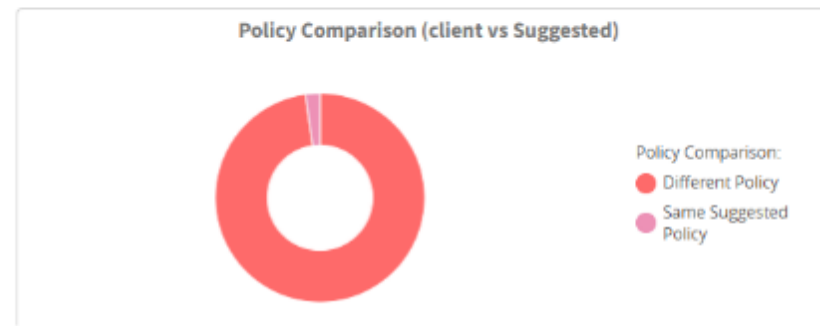
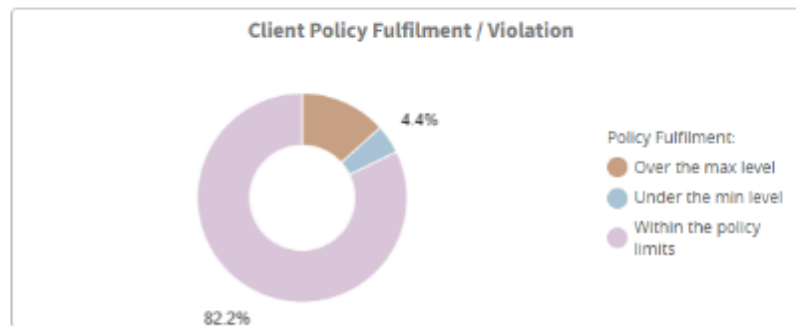
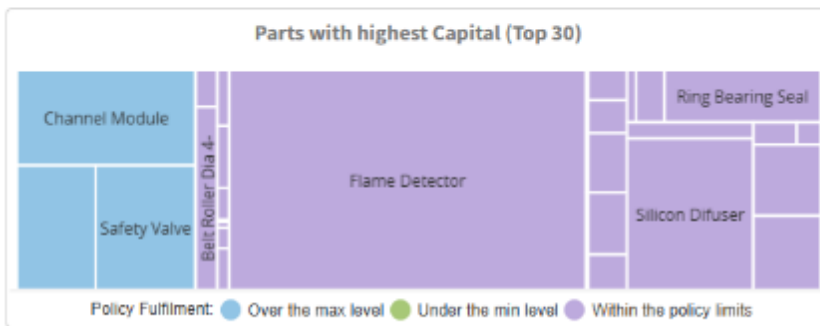
- Labor forecasting
- Employee churn
- Timesheet anomalies
- Employee retention
- and more...

# Enhanced insights to support decision making

Predictive insights considering inventory policies and demand

Prescriptive insights on recommendations to improve policies/cost

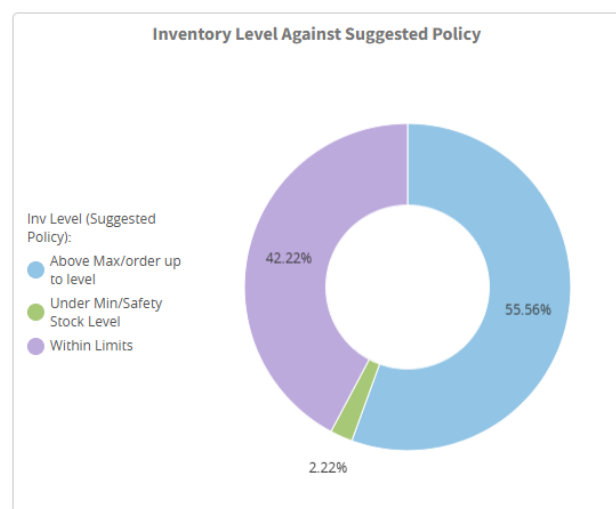
Total Inventory Value <b>165K</b>	Inventory Level in Units <b>837</b>	Inventory Stock Turn <b>0.58</b>	Distinct Parts Violating Policy <b>8</b>	Holding Cost Change <b>-46.2%</b>	Change in Avg Inventory <b>-36.3%</b>
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No. of Parts need Limit update <b>44</b>	No. of Parts needing Replenishment <b>1</b>
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Part ID	Old Min	Old Max	New Min	New Max	Holding Cost Change	System Service Level	Current Service Level
Ring Bearing Seal	1	2	2	3	51.0%	1	1
Flame Detector	10	25	2	3	-86.5%	0.96	1
Hot End Bypass Sea	1	2	2	2	3.1%	1	1
Safety Valve	1	2	0	1	-91.9%	0.65	1
Channel Module	2	3	0	1	-94.3%	0.70	1

Part ID	Current Inventory Level	Unit Price	Inventory Value	Part Status
Channel Module	6	2462.90	14777.4	Obsolete Part



Part ID	Price	Inventory Level	Inventory Value	Initial Policy Min	Initial Policy Max	New Policy Min	New Policy Max	Lead Time	Amount to Replenish:	Holding Cost Cha...
Chopped Polyester	\$0	290	0	10	50	7	16		0	-73.3%
Stainless Steel Tu	\$4	102	428.40	100	200	94	124		22	-34.6%
Secondary Fuel Fil	\$353	5	1,766.50	3	5	2	3		0	-45.7%
Thermocouple Boile	\$282	3	845.88	1	3	2	3		0	8.8%
Engine Oil Filter	\$36	9	319.92	4	12	7	18		9	103.5%

# Recommendation systems for products

### Cross-Sell Recommendations

- [21709 - Silverline Brick Jointer](#)  
Confidence: 39%  
Drivers: Promotion (P000003) & 26620, 20119
- [44632 - Red Bricks 10 x 5 x 3](#)  
Confidence: 56%  
Drivers: 26620, 20119
- [35221 - 10" Brick Trowel](#)  
Confidence: 43%  
Drivers: 26620, 20119

### Up-Sell Recommendation Test

- [41057 - Upsell Window2](#)  
Price: 0.00  
Confidence: 55%
- [12701 - Upsell Window3](#)  
Price: 0.00  
Confidence: 54%
- [12029 - Upsell Window5](#)  
Price: 0.00  
Confidence: 51%



Personalized Settings

### Settings

- Widget Title
- Business Rules
- Product Image
- Configure Display**
  - Price: Always
  - Margin: Never
  - Availability: Always
  - Confidence: Always
  - Drivers: Always

Cancel Save



1-Click addition Order

### Products (3)

- 41057 - Upsell Window2  
Line #: 1  
Quantity: 55.00  
Price: 0.00  
Unit: 1
- 26620 - Test Controllers 1  
Line #: 2  
Quantity: 1.00  
Price: 0.00  
Unit: bx
- 20119 - Test Controller 4  
Line #: 3  
Quantity: 1.00  
Price: 0.00  
Unit: bx

Net Amount 0.00

Edit Lines

Collect Payment

# AI-driven inventory optimization

Turning data into insights for operational efficiency





# Predict the future with confidence

Forecast intelligence



**Labor Allocation**

Predict future labor needs



**Financial Forecasting**

Build accurate budgets and financial plans



**Sales Forecasting**

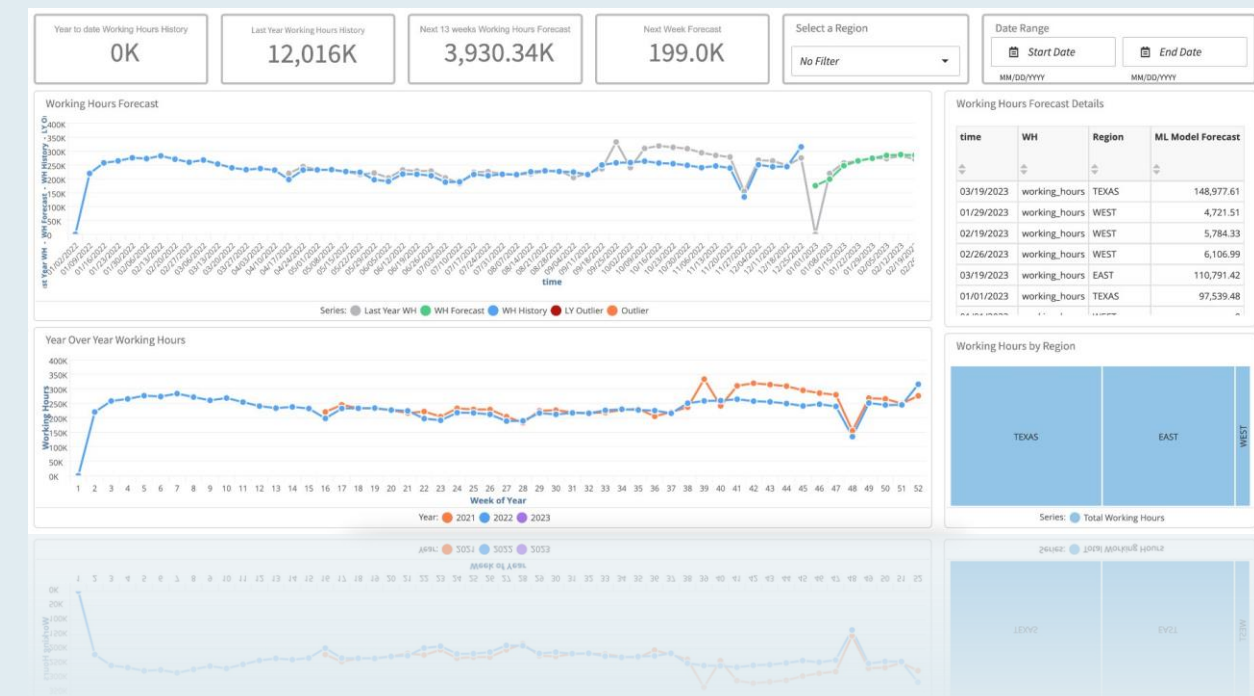
Reduce lost sales and excess inventory



**Demand Planning**

Forecast orders and reduce inventory holding costs

## Labor Allocation - Working hours forecast



# AI-driven demand forecasting

Turning data into insights for future demand



**Let's explore  
the potential  
of AI together**



# Infor approach to Science as a Service

## Data Review

Subscription



**Data is key to successful ML implementations**

- Understanding what is available and what is not in data
- Map interface to data and validate business rules
- Review solution functionality and perform gap analysis

## System Setup

Subscription



**Use Case implemented driven from data available**

- Setup solution in non-Prod and get user feedback
- Perform limited widget configuration as requested by user feedback
- Perform model tuning and enhancements as identified in gap analysis

## Maintenance and Expansion

Subscription



**Implement support and adoption while identifying next opportunities**

- Define approach / expectations for model maintenance / ongoing business value realization
- For multiple solution subscription continue process of value discovery and setup in 3-month iterations.

# How do we get started?

Investment in digitalization strategies is made difficult because of challenges in understanding what data is available and useful to support business priorities. Most companies struggle to justify the upfront and long-term costs without clear business case for the investment. In three to four weeks, Infor's **Data readiness package** helps take the guess work away from your investments.

## Opportunities

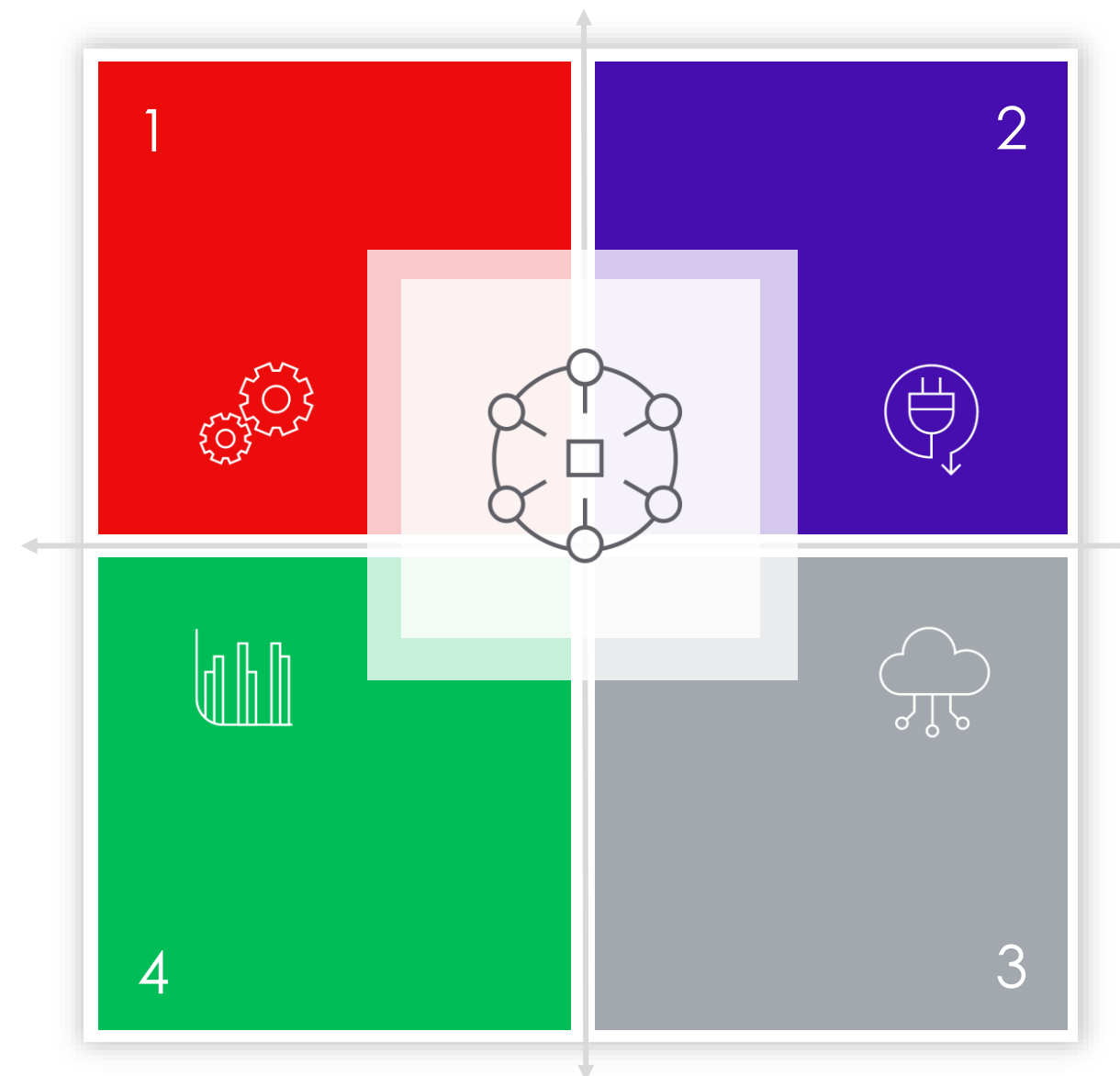
**Engage the Infor Team to work with stakeholders to capture strategic business problem statements.**

Requires a set of meetings to create a prioritized list of business problems to focus on.

## Improved decisioning

**Infor Team can collaborate to help quantify approximate potential benefits and impact.**

Data and ML/Optimization driven business decisioning can be transformative to your business.



## Data

**Do you have high quality data to support your business challenges?**

What are the gaps that need to be prioritized. Infor Team will provide insights on your business operations quickly.

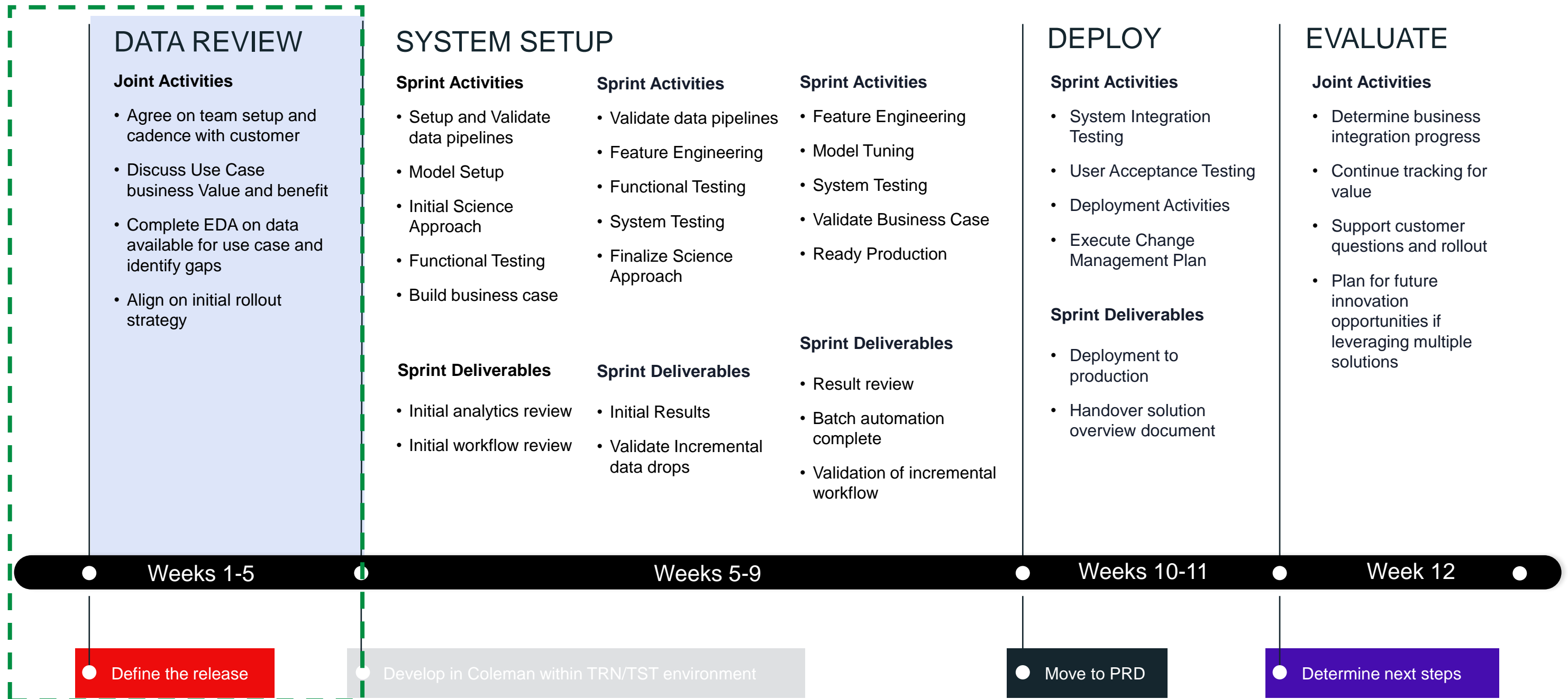
## Desired outcomes

**Determine what business problems can be addressed based on data available.**

Would you have better visibility to efficiency, cost savings or insight to your customer strategy?



# Typical Timeline



# Time investment from customer



## PROJECT SPONSOR

- Drives the project vision, ensures proper resources are assigned
- Typical FTE: As needed



## BUSINESS USERS

- Specify solution requirements & participate in design workshops
- Authority to make decisions related to the project execution
- Empowered to make process and policy decisions, including deliverable signoffs
- Business process & organization design
- Typical FTE: 1 hour / week



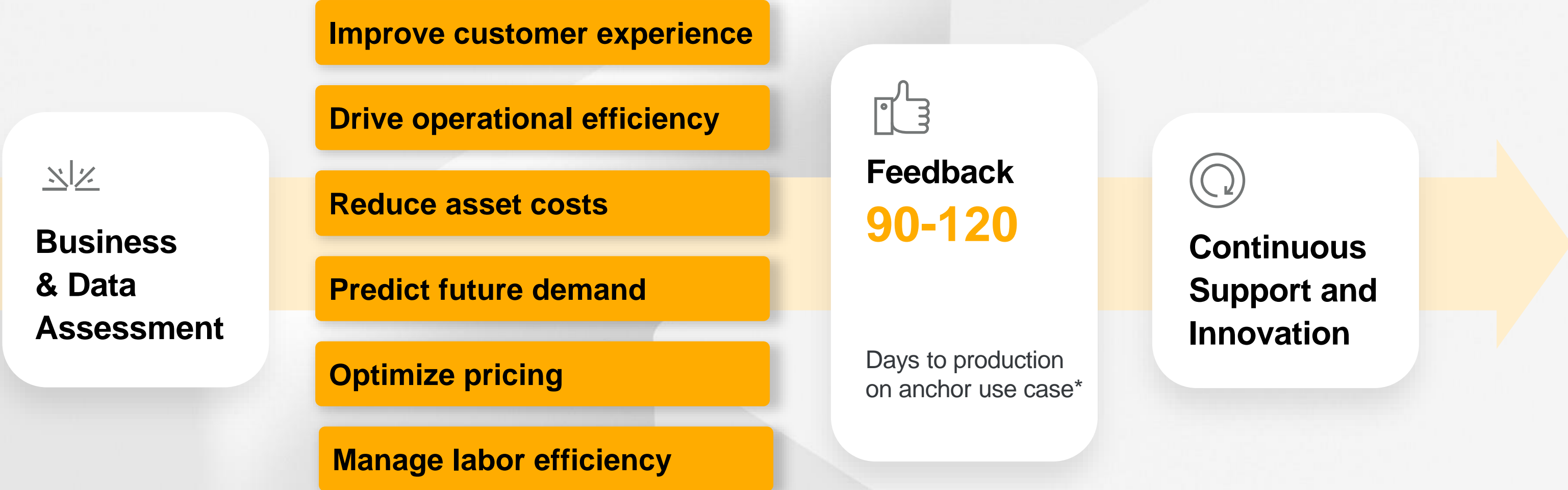
## TECHNOLOGY LEAD

- Works closely with the Business Manager to extract necessary data to solve business problem
- Qualified to work with data warehouses, manipulate data feeds
- Prepare data to deploy Coleman Quest by collaborating with System Integrator
- Typical FTE: 1 hour week plus time to address questions on data where needed

- 1-hour weekly meetings with business and IT to evaluate use case is our preferred cadence
- Additional effort/time may be required from customer if they have special requirements

# Explore the potential of AI, together

Accelerate time to value with our data science as a service approach



\* Assumes leveraging available solutions

# Expected roles included in subscription

We take care of the **insight generation**

So you can focus on **taking action**



### Program Chair

Identify the business need and opportunity



### Solution Architect

Create technical design of the implementation



### Solution Manager

Design solution to meet requirements



### Data Scientist

Performs data analysis, verification, model setup and tuning



### Data Engineer

Setup and test data flow for model execution

Improve customer experience

Drive operational efficiency

Reduce asset costs

Predict future demand

Optimize price

Manage labor efficiency

# Key take aways

Infor is no longer a pure ERP company – we're an innovative Industry Cloud company.

**AIS** helps you get started with advanced AI/ML models without having to hire the expertise to your company.

## How to get started?

Reach out to Advanced Services:

Hallgeir Øvrebust - [hallgeir.ovrebust@infor.com](mailto:hallgeir.ovrebust@infor.com)

Isaac Eriksson – Isaac.Eriksson@infor.com

Or talk to your local:

Client Partner or Sales Executive

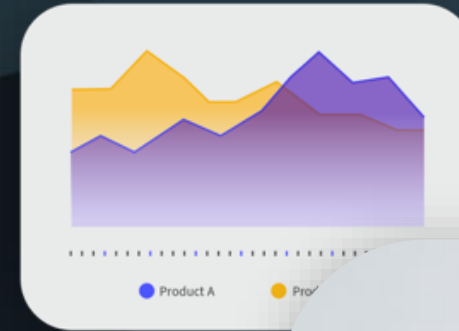
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# Solution Overview: Core Functionality



## Product and Customer Segmentation

We group products into clusters and then measure how customers have interacted with the clusters.



## Historical Analysis

Based on historical data the solution calculates recommended margin(upper & lower levels)



## Price Recommendation

Recommended margins in combination with real-time cost data from M3



# Behind the scenes

## Product Clustering:

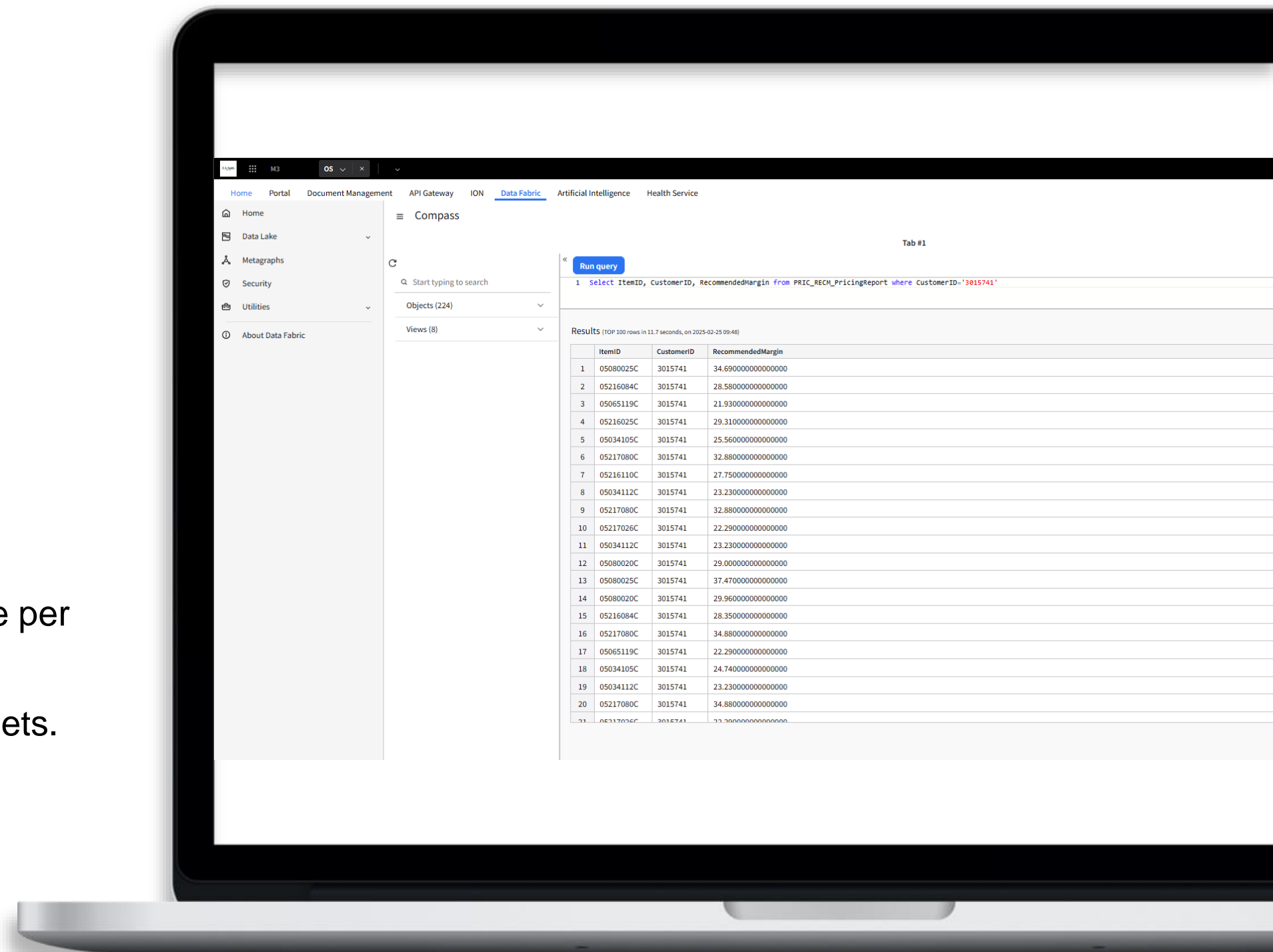
- Group products into clusters based on:
  - Total Cost, Total Margin & No Orders.

## Customer Interaction Metrics:

- Analyze customer behavior by calculating tot Revenue per product cluster.
- Transform these revenue values into features in datasets.

## ML Integration:

- Uses the clustered data in order to calculate Recommended Margin.
- Output: A pricing report that is utilized by the widget.

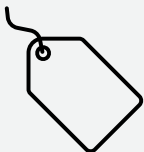


# Price Recommendation In context Widget



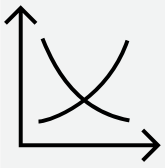
### Margin Bands

Visualized range based on historical data.



### Recommended Price

Price engines recommended margin + Cost from M3.



### Fastmarkets

Commodity price change from period to period.

The screenshot displays an Infor ERP interface for a customer order. The main window shows order details for 'OIS101 Customer Order. Open Line' with fields for Order line no (0090757227), Line status (05-Quotation), Warehouse (E1), Item number (05034112C), Customer (3015741), CO type (XTI), and Req delivery dt (30/10/23). Below this are sections for Quantities, Pricing Information (Sales price: 547,39, Net price: 547,39, Cost price: 429,11), and Discounts. A 'Pricing Widget' is open on the right, showing an 'AI Pricing' section with an 'AI Recommendation' of 15.5NOK, a price range from 14.99NOK to 16.04NOK, and a 'FastMarket' table showing a -4.47% change for '0010-Svart stål'. A 'Context Viewer' at the bottom right shows JSON data for the current screen and entities.



# EA SMITH - AI




The diagram shows a central green box labeled "Recommend Price" with two arrows pointing to it from the left. The top arrow originates from a box labeled "Choose customer" which contains an image of a hand selecting a product from a rack. The bottom arrow originates from a box labeled "Choose product" which contains an image of a smartphone. To the right of the "Recommend Price" box are three gold coins.

## The process

- ✦ Weekly check-ins with Infor's team (shoutout to our Tunisian data scientist Rayen!)
- 💡 Brainstorming, testing, and tweaking our price recommender
- 🎯 Focused on delivering real value for E.A. Smith

## The big finale

After months of hard work...



The top photo shows a group of people on a stage in front of a screen displaying the "Cogito X Infor" logo. The bottom photo shows a similar scene with a different group of people and a screen displaying a data table.

- 📺 We built a working pricerecommender!
- 🚀 And presented it for the whole of Cogito and our partners at Infor

## What I learned

- 💬 Collaboration across countries is next-level inspiring.
- 🌱 Got hands-on with clustering algorithms
- 🧠 Learned to develop efficiently with Pandas
- ✅ Leading a project = constant learning.



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