

# Sharing Accenture's SAP S/4HANA® on Microsoft Azure journey



Moving to the cloud is a journey.

Which can be long and complex.

So we aren't here to say it's easy.

We are here to tell you that we know the way.

Because we've already taken that journey.

Migrating our single ERP instance...

...to become a global source of truth in the cloud.

But how did we get here?

There wasn't a roadmap, or a well-beaten path.

So first off, we chose the best travelling companions.

Collaborating with SAP and Microsoft, to move our S/4HANA ERP into the Azure Cloud.

Enabling us to thrive, even against a backdrop of global uncertainty.

When the pandemic dashed every expectation...

...and demanded greater agility from us all.

That's when our digital core in the cloud enabled speed and scalability in a secure environment.

Providing our leaders with key business and financial metrics.

Giving them a tangible view of what was going on, every single day.

By taking the road less travelled, we found the ability to leverage real-time information and analytics.

Supporting the decision-making insights we needed.

Pivoting from a 'cloud first' mentality to one that's 'platform first.'

Moving from simply managing systems, to building systems that enable data-driven decisions.

Reaching a place where we can take advantage of AI, automation and everything else the cloud has to offer.

Identifying a North Star to help us navigate every cloud migration journey in the future.

**For our journeys - and for yours - we know the way.**