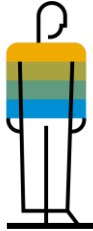




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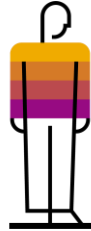


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# Agenda

Setting the stage – What is SAP Cloud Platform?

Shared responsibility model

Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform applications

Typical lifecycle phases for partner applications – built on SAP Cloud Platform

Outlook/road map

Summary

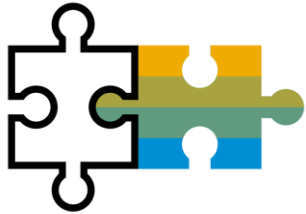
# Setting the stage





# SAP Cloud Platform

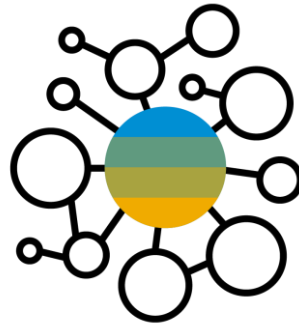
## Key use cases



### Extend

cloud & on-prem apps

Quickly add new functionality to your existing cloud and on-prem apps to optimize your existing investments



### Integrate

your apps and data

Connect your cloud and on-prem apps to eliminate data silos and make digital access simple, secure, and scalable



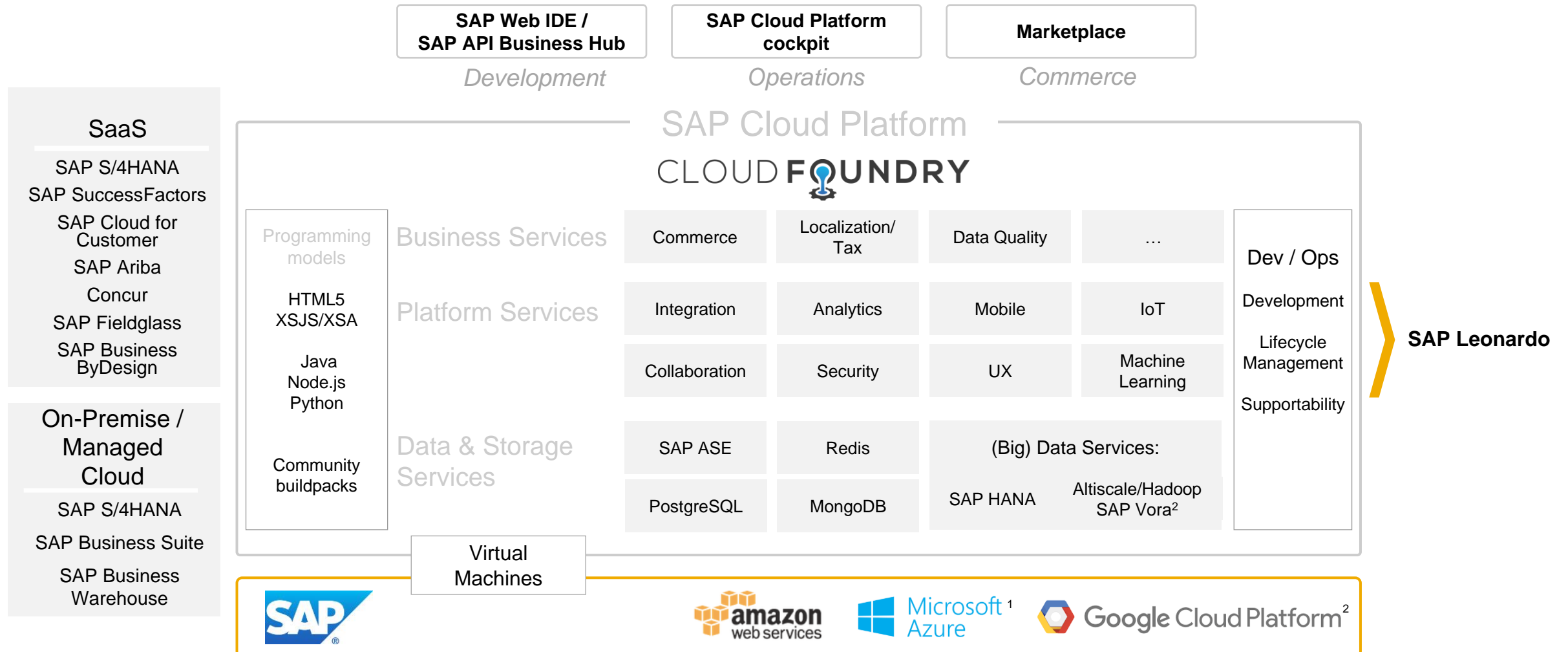
### Build

differentiating cloud apps

Rapidly build and run new cloud apps to solve new problems, engage new customers, and drive new revenue

# SAP Cloud Platform

## Architecture



1) BETA , 2) planned innovations / future direction

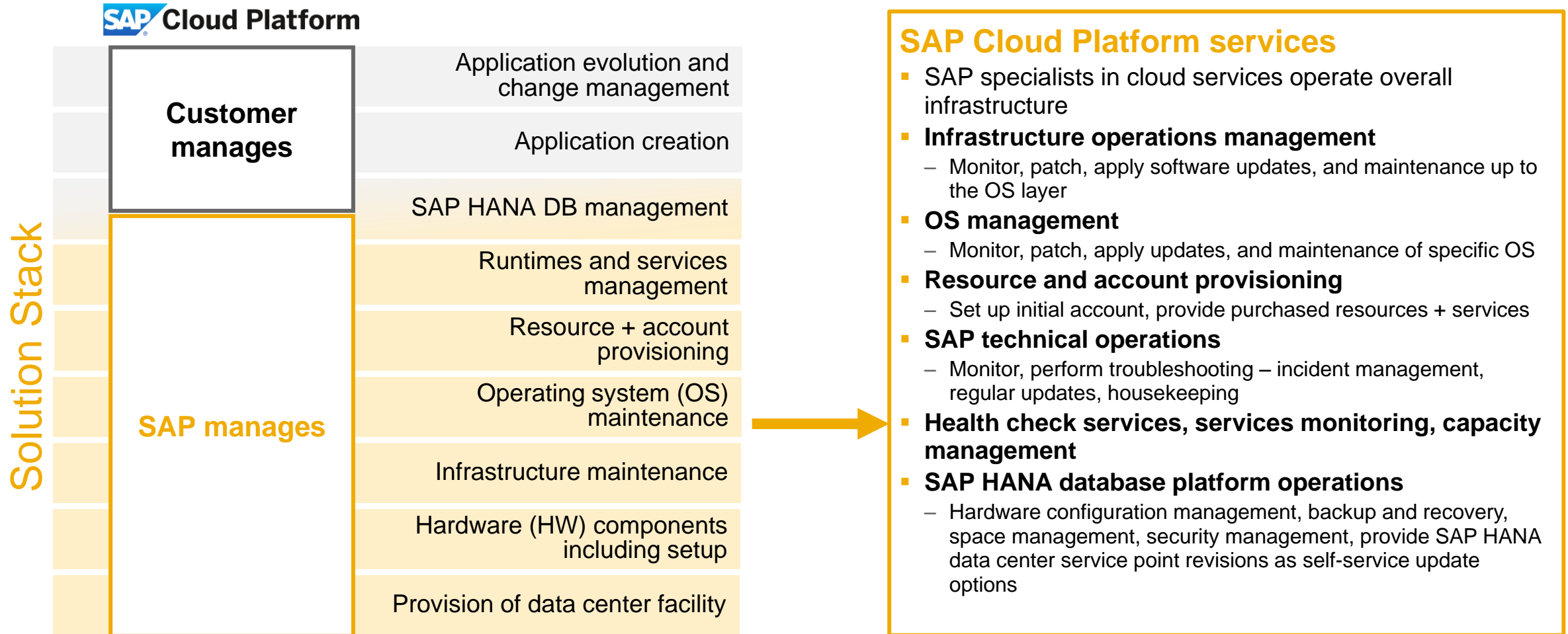
# Shared responsibility model





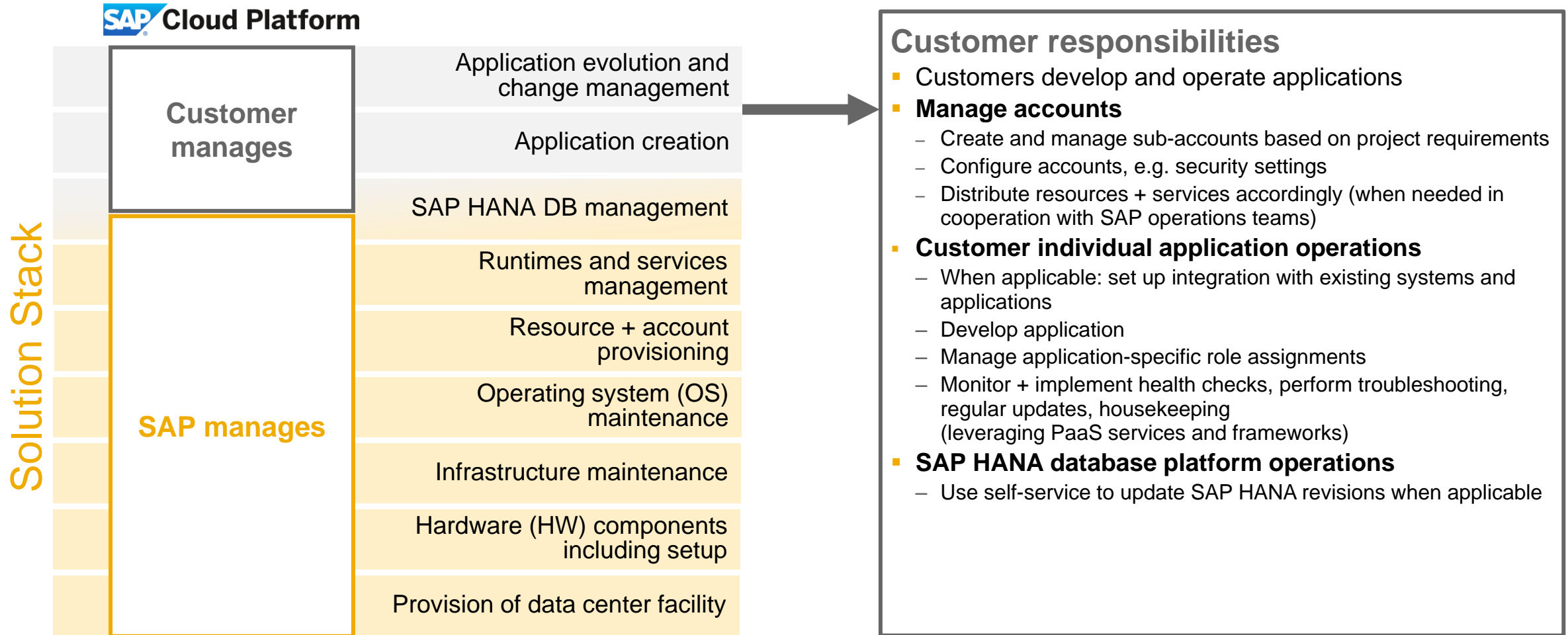
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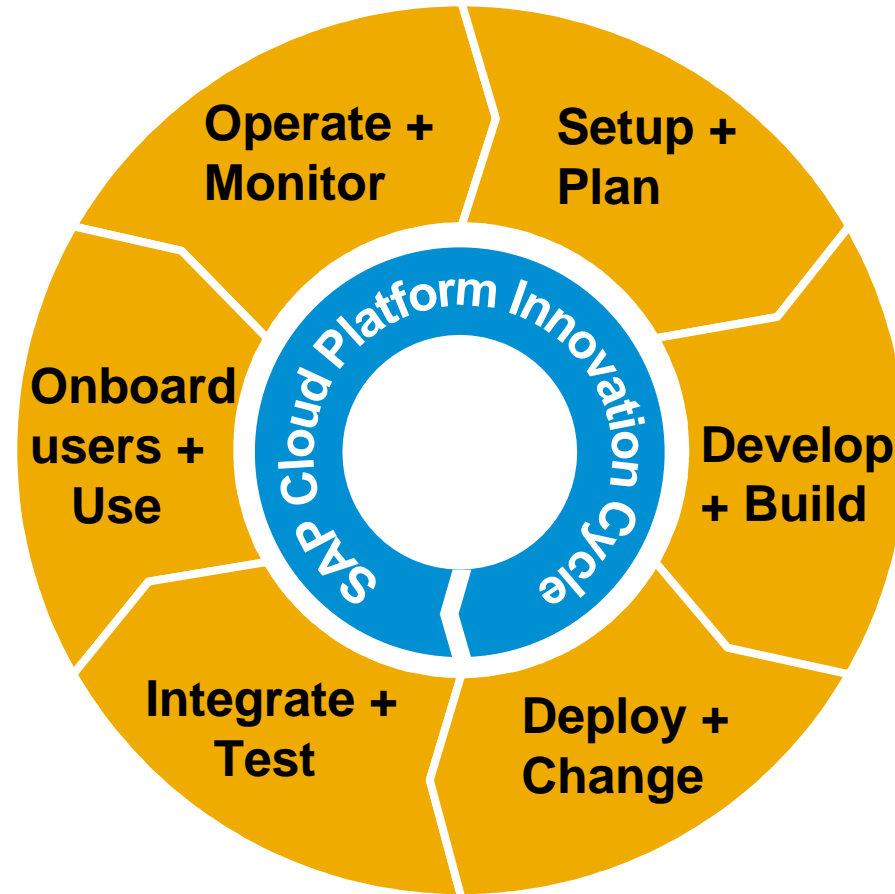


# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform applications



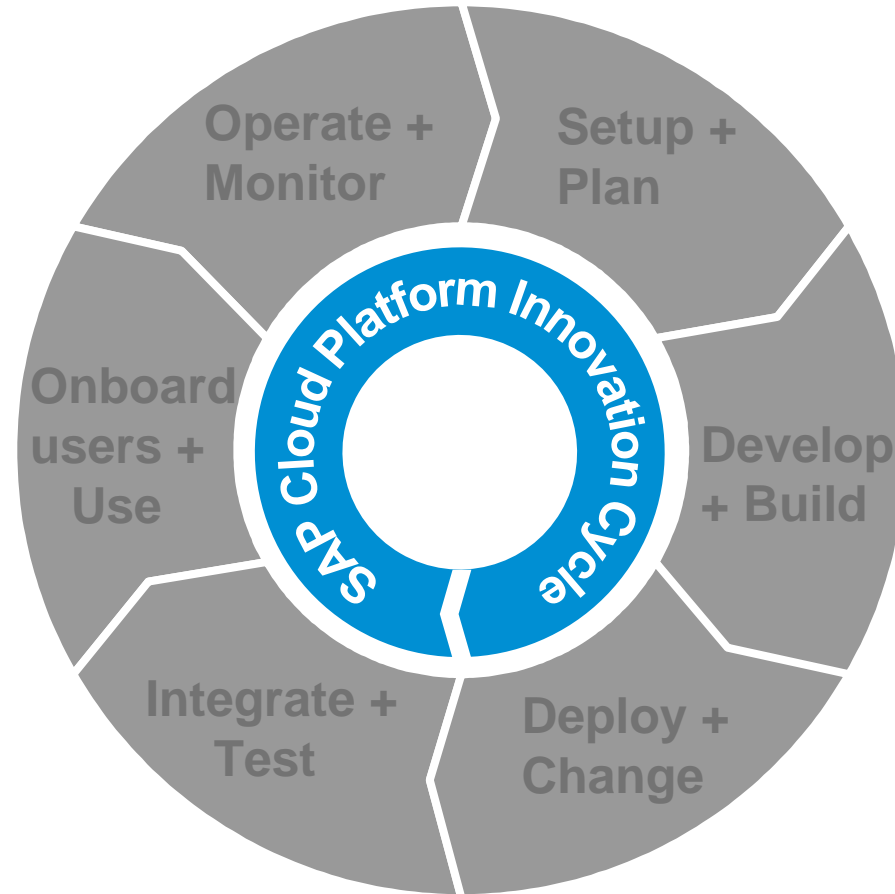
# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform applications

Customer develops application on SAP Cloud Platform



# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform applications

SAP Cloud Platform has its own innovation cycle





# Platform-as-a-Service

Innovation cycle – why at all?

Major value proposition of SAP Cloud Platform as Platform-as-a-Service offering:

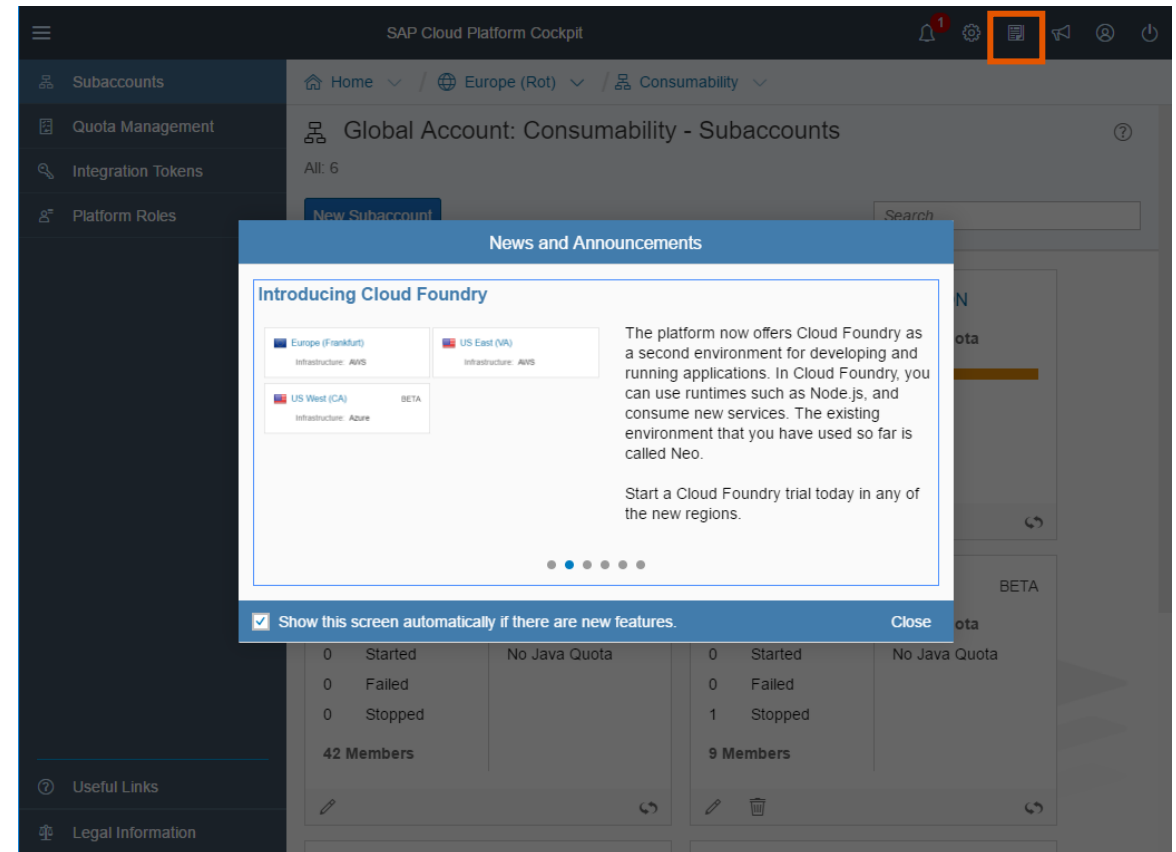
- SAP provides platform itself as service and takes care of operating, updating and enriching it accordingly
- Customers and partners – i.e. developers – can focus on creating applications

Regular and quick innovation cycles for SAP Cloud Platform runtimes + services:

- Currently bi-weekly release cycle
- See latest news in [release notes](#) + announcements when logging into SAP Cloud Platform cockpit

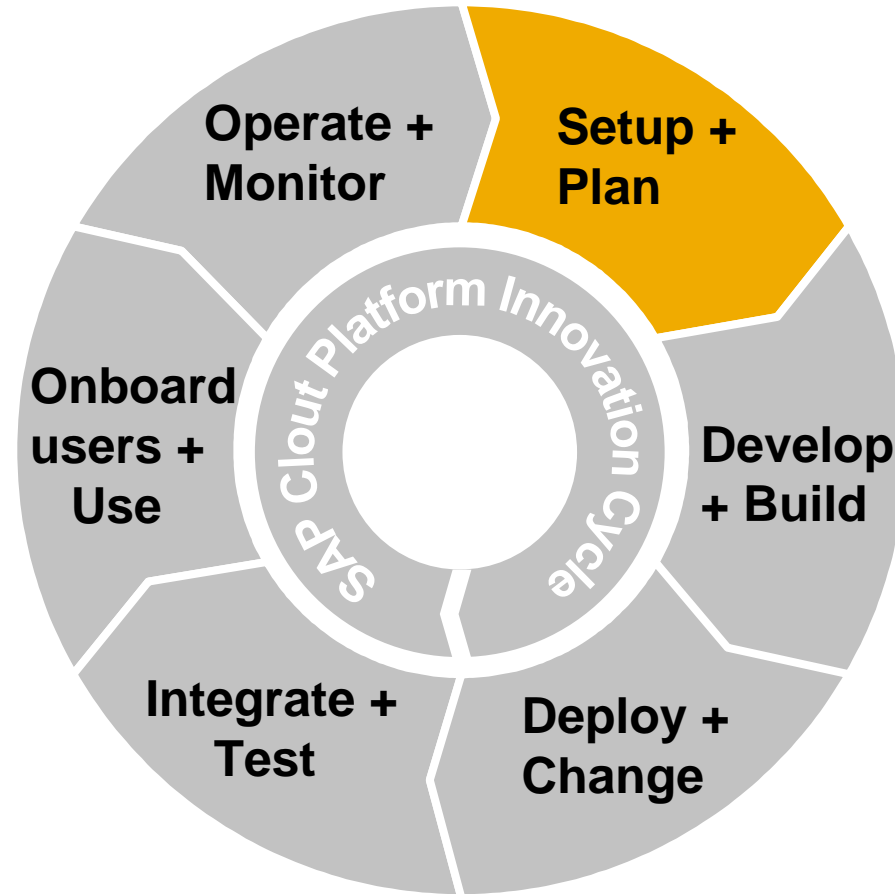
Access to multi-cloud environment:

- Neo environment in SAP datacenters
- Cloud Foundry environment on Amazon Web Services and Microsoft Azure (Beta)



# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform applications

Setup and plan

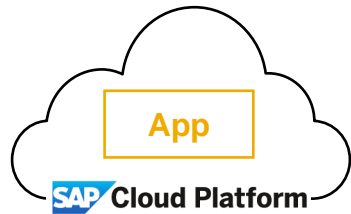


# Types of SAP Cloud Platform applications

What are you going to build?

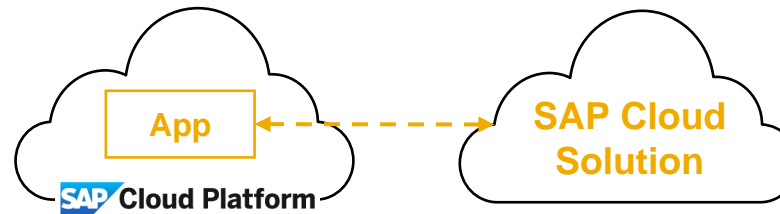


## ① Standalone



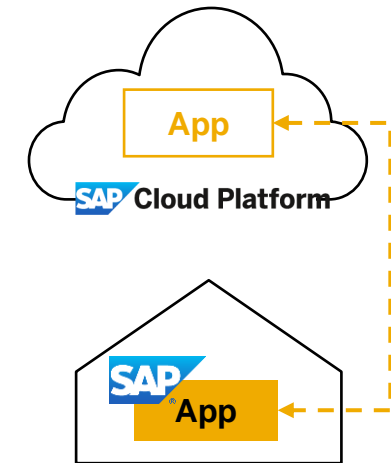
SAP Cloud Platform application only – no dependencies to manage

## ② Cloud extension



SAP Cloud Platform-based application + dependency to SAP Cloud solution

## ③ On-premise extension



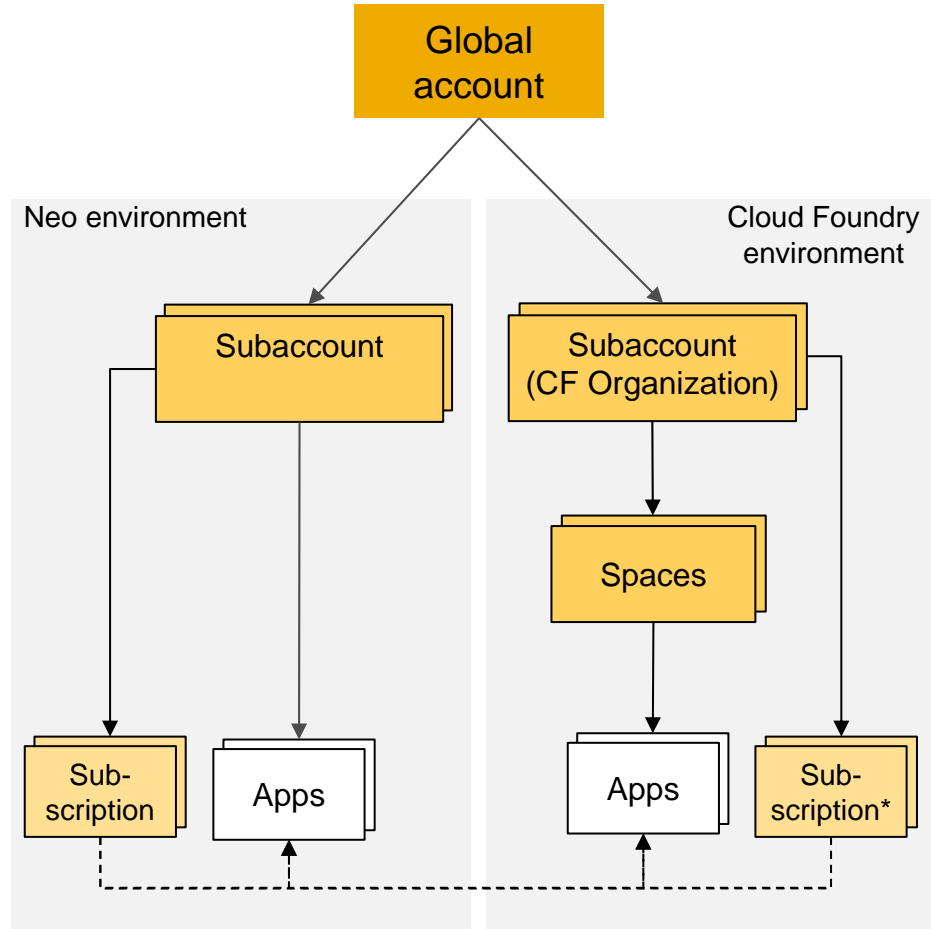
SAP Cloud Platform-based application + dependency to on-premise component or application



**Different target architectures/application archetypes lead to different requirements around lifecycle management and tooling**

# SAP Cloud Platform

## Accounts

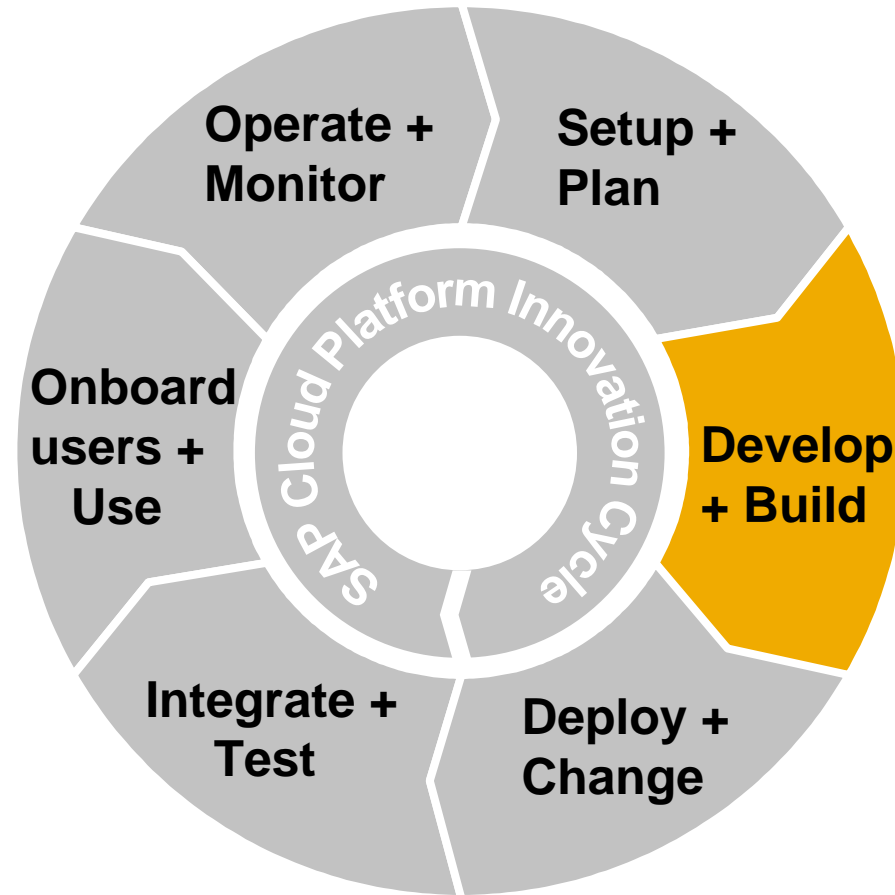


\* Future Plan

- Represents a SAP Cloud Platform customer and his/her available quota
  - Spans across (geographical) regions
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- Used by customer to structure development or application consumption (example: dev/test/prod or different subsidiaries)
  - Holds common configuration: e.g. business users, roles, connectivity, ...
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- Use Neo or Cloud Foundry environment to develop own applications (PaaS scenario)
  - Use subscriptions to consume provided SaaS applications (SaaS scenario)
  - Supported environments can grow over time (e.g. Kubernetes,...)\*

# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform apps

Develop and build



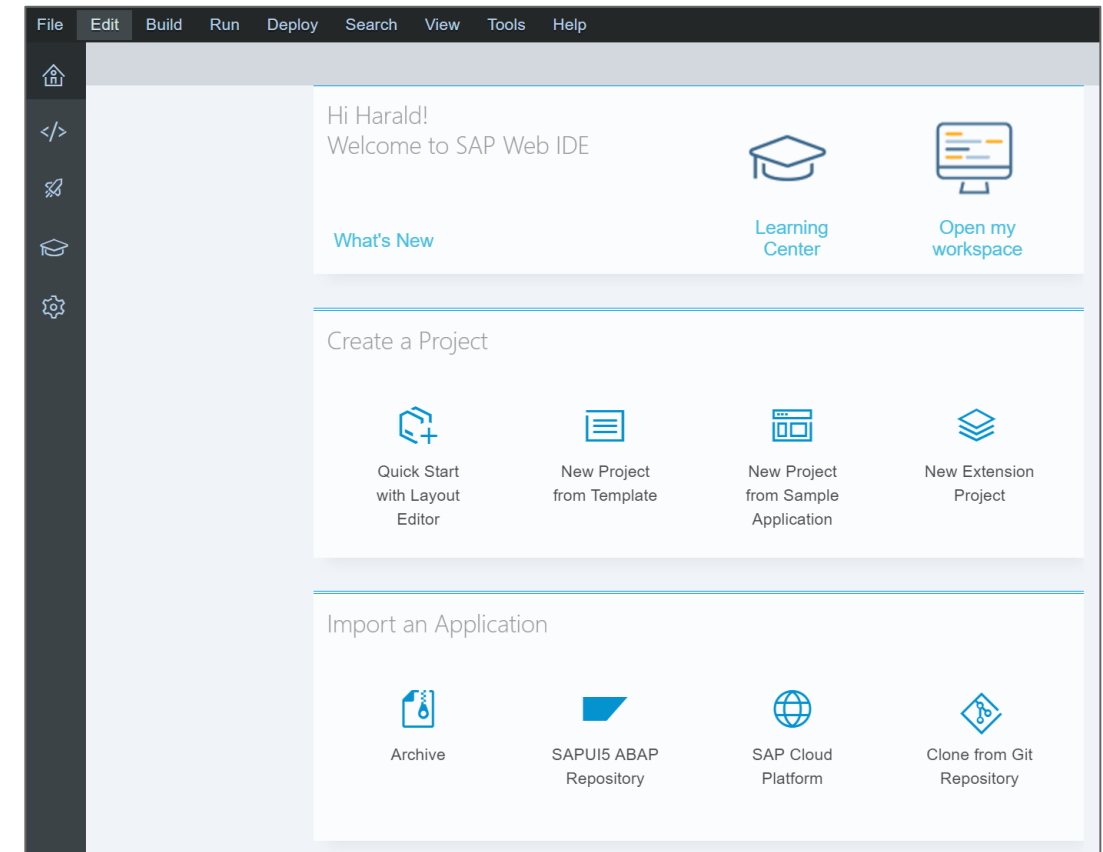
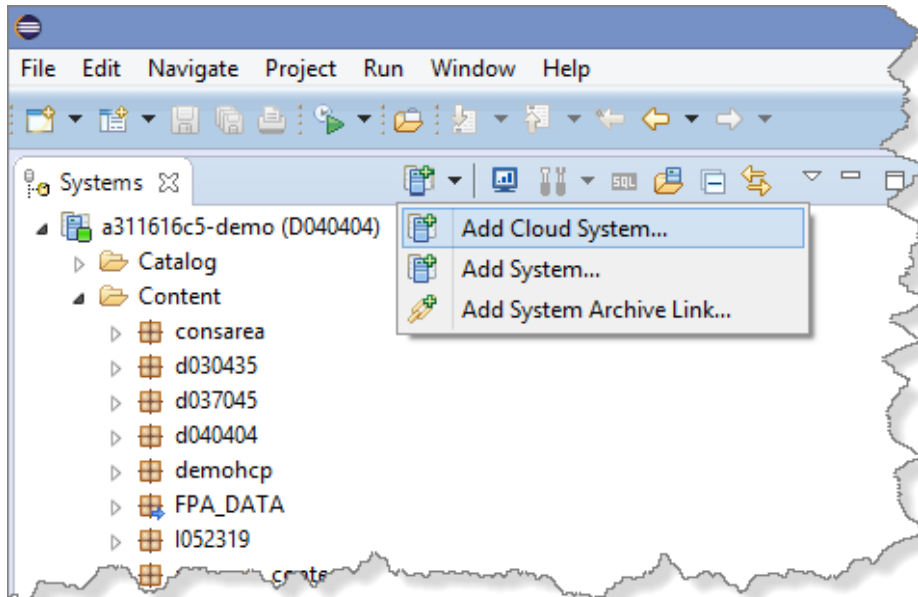


# Develop your applications

## Development environments

Create your application development environment:

- Cloud Foundry architecture allows use of buildpacks to use your favorite programming language
- SAP Web IDE (for SAPUI5, Fiori and SAP HANA)
- Eclipse plug-in to connect to SAP Cloud Platform



# Manage dependencies

Heterogeneity of cloud software ... and our approach to tackle it

Cloud applications often show a **high heterogeneity**

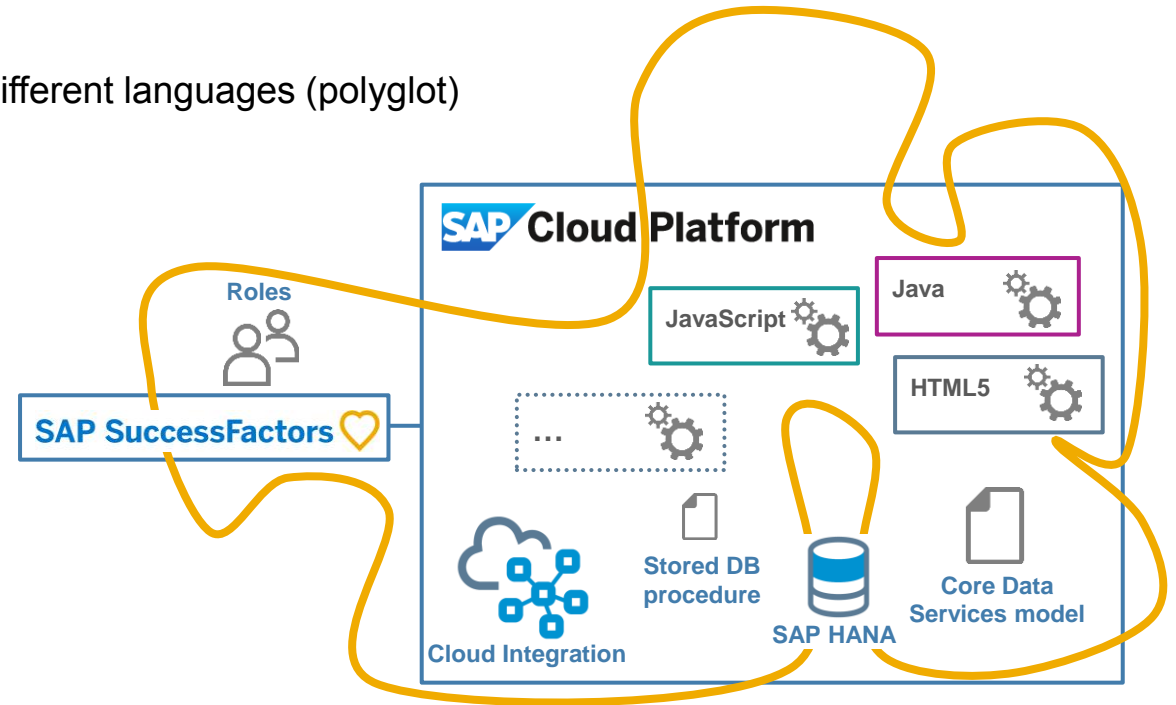
- Consisting of multiple interdependent software “modules”, written in different languages (polyglot)
- Using multiple programming paradigms and development tools
- Deployed to multiple target runtimes
- Involving different products

As modules provide single coherent application purpose, shared **single lifecycle** is desired

- To deploy all parts together, in the right order, automatically
- To manage configuration of complete solution

To ease handling of such a combined single lifecycle, SAP introduced **Multi-Target Applications (MTAs)**

- Hand-over artifact between development and operation + delivery construct for partners
- Can be delivered, transported, linked to SAP software components, and deployed
- Process can be automated in a *Continuous Integration* pipeline
- For more information about MTAs, see [SAP Help Portal](#)

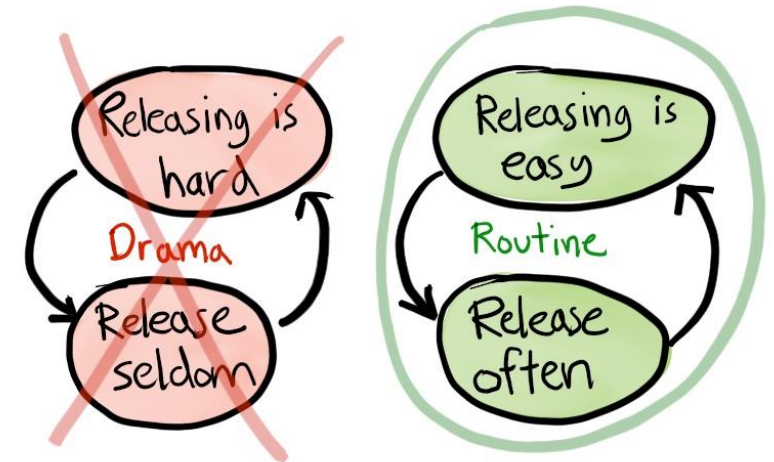


CPL221

# Continuous Integration – key practices

If you want to run in DevOps mode it's advisable to implement a highly automated agile development process – to ensure speed and quality

- Maintain a code repository
- Automate the build (scriptable MTA archive builder available)
- Make the build self-testing
- Every commit (to baseline) should be built
- Everyone can see the results of the latest build
- Automate the deployment



More details: **Continuous Integration (CI) Best Practices with SAP**

<http://www.sap.com/developer/tutorials/ci-best-practices-intro.html>



**CPL126**

Continuous Delivery: Introduction



**CPL216**

Best of Two Worlds: Continuous Integration and Change Management

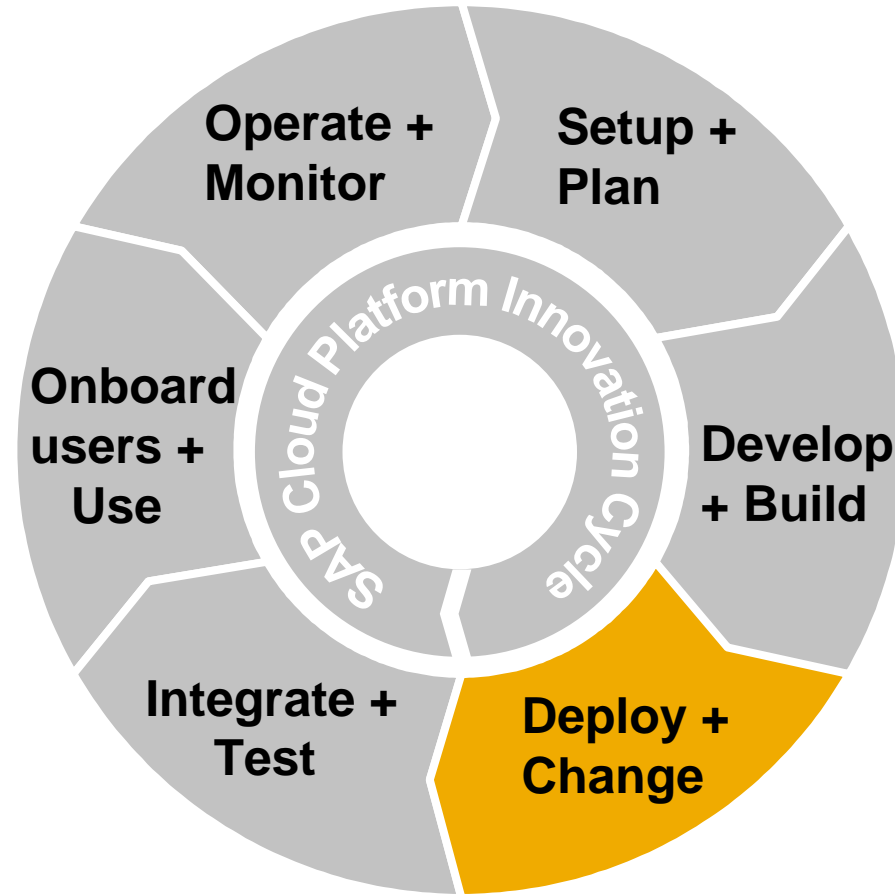


**CPL275**

Continuous Delivery of an SAP Fiori Application to SAP Cloud Platform

# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform apps

Deploy and change



# Deployment of simple applications

Leveraging suitable tools for different runtimes and services

- Use SAP Cloud Platform cockpit or console client to deploy a Java application
- Options to choose for your development suitable runtimes, JVM versions etc.
- For larger-scaled development setups, connect your own development infrastructure



- Deployment from within SAP Web IDE
- Export and import via SAP Cloud Platform cockpit (Neo environment)
- Deployment via console client (cf push, Cloud Foundry environment)



- Delivery Unit (DU) is a .tgz file containing all SAP HANA artefacts that are part of application
- Export and import via SAP HANA administration tools, can be opened via SAP Cloud Platform cockpit

SAP HANA  
XS classic



- Deployment from within SAP Web IDE
- Deployment via console client (cf push, Cloud Foundry environment)



- Deployment via SAP HANA Deployment Infrastructure (HDI) from within SAP Web IDE
- Deployment via console client (cf push)

SAP HANA  
XS advanced

- Bring your own language
- Rely on language-specific development and deployment infrastructure



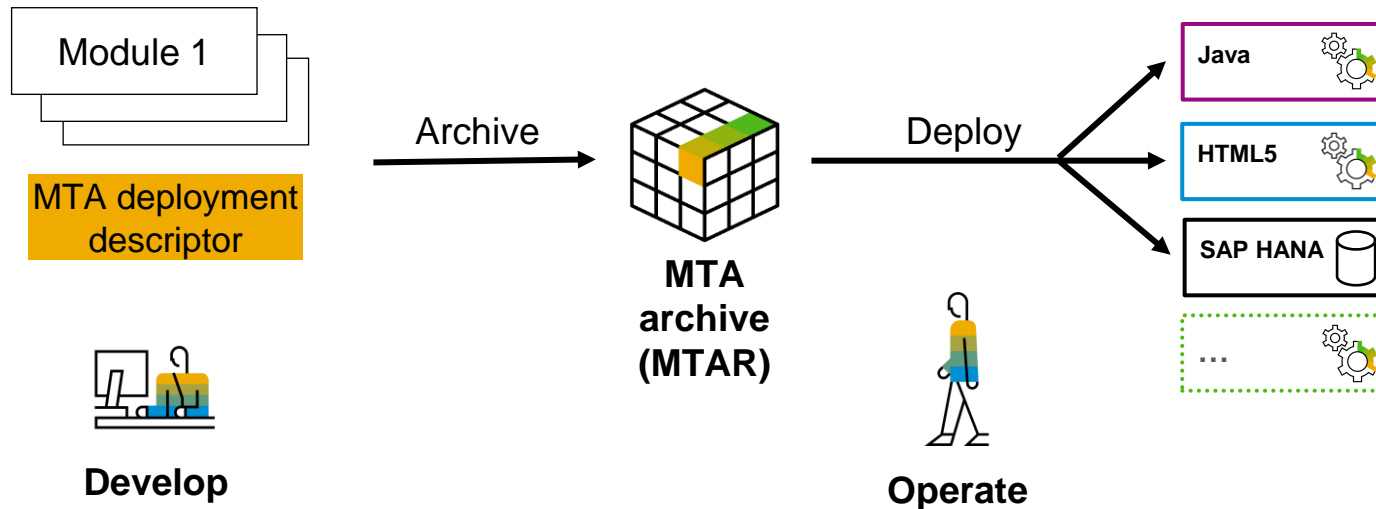


# Deployment of Multi-Target Application archives

Combining deployments of different artefacts

Solutions consisting of different artefacts can be modeled as an MTA and deployed together

Use console client or **solutions view** in the SAP Cloud Platform cockpit to deploy the MTA archive



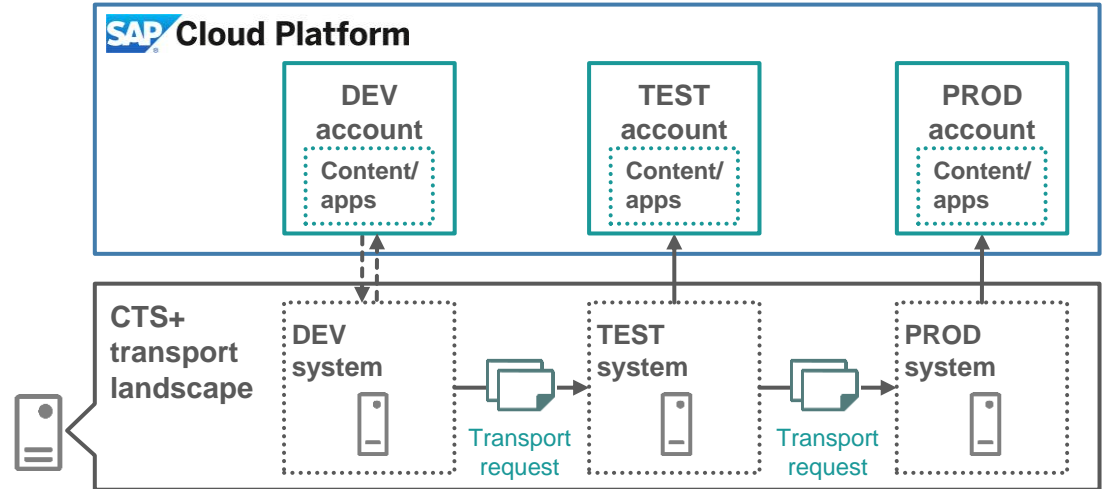
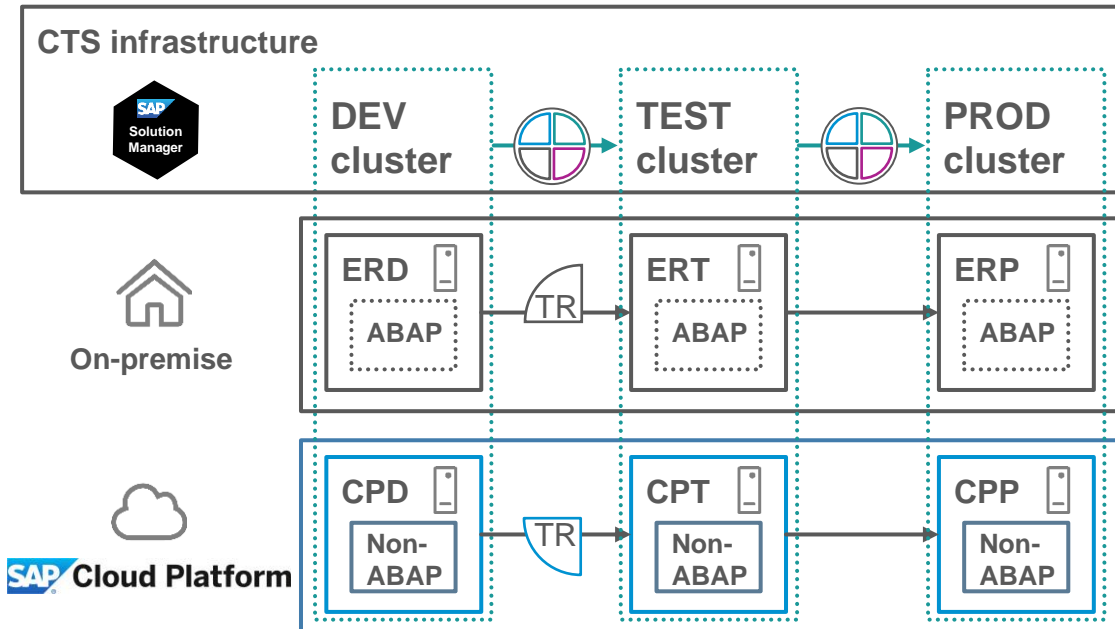
# Deployment of MTAs via Change Management process

Optional use of enhanced CTS (CTS+) and SAP Solution Manager

Use **enhanced CTS (CTS+)** as central (on-premise) tool to control content that gets deployed in different SAP Cloud Platform accounts

Model transport landscape and transport routes depending on your provisioning and maintenance strategy

For more information, see this [blog in SAP Community](#)



Can be run standalone or as part of *SAP Solution Manager*

Enables **synchronized transport in hybrid scenarios** (such as on-premise ABAP content together with SAP Cloud Platform content)

# DevOps meets release management

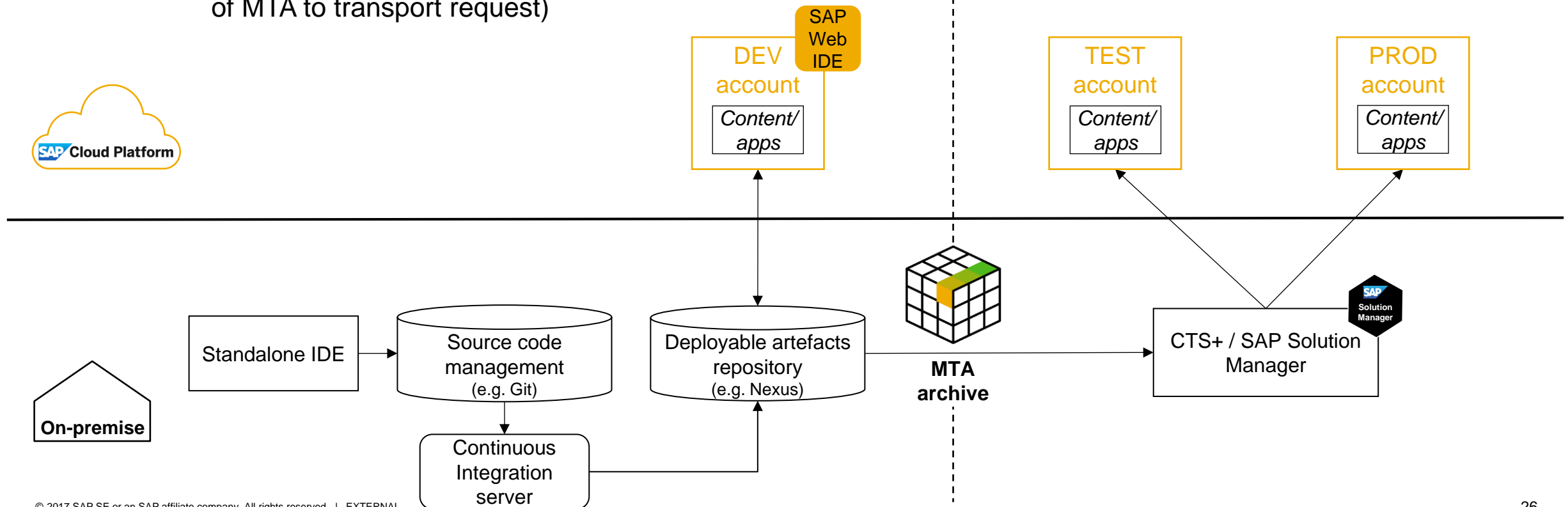
Combining Continuous Integration and Change Management best practices

## Development

- Based on *Continuous Integration* principles
- Verification of single developer change
- Typically fully automated (incl. attachment of MTA to transport request)

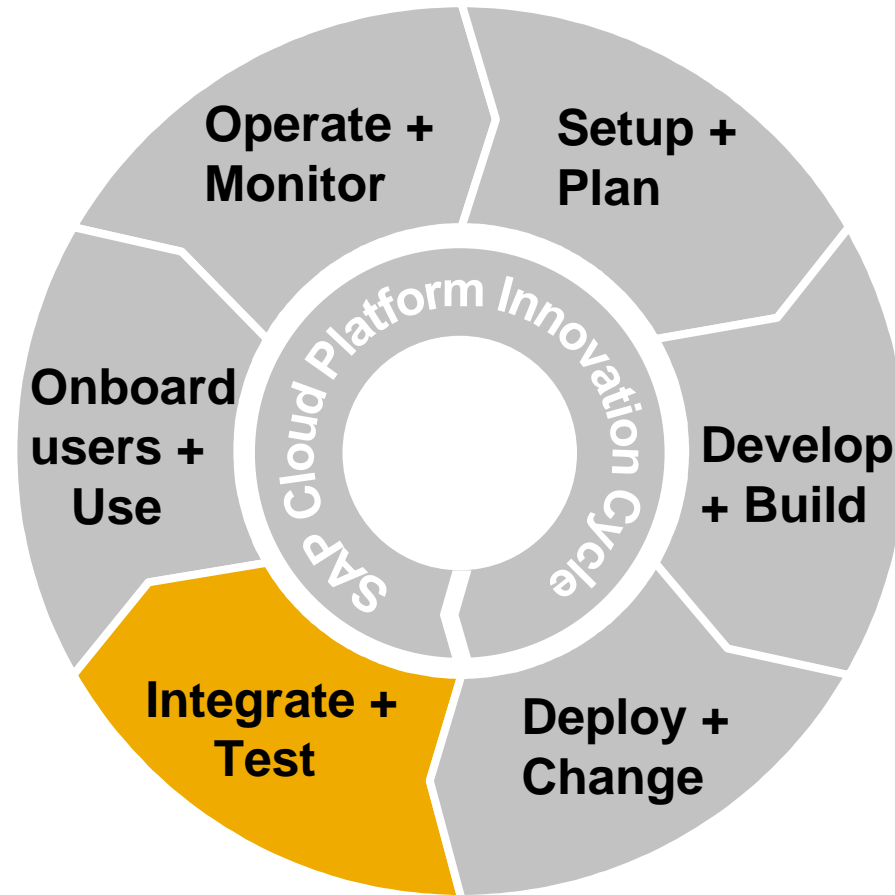
## Production deployment

- Based on strict *Change Management* rules
- Verification of release candidate version
- Typically done with manual confirmation



# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform apps

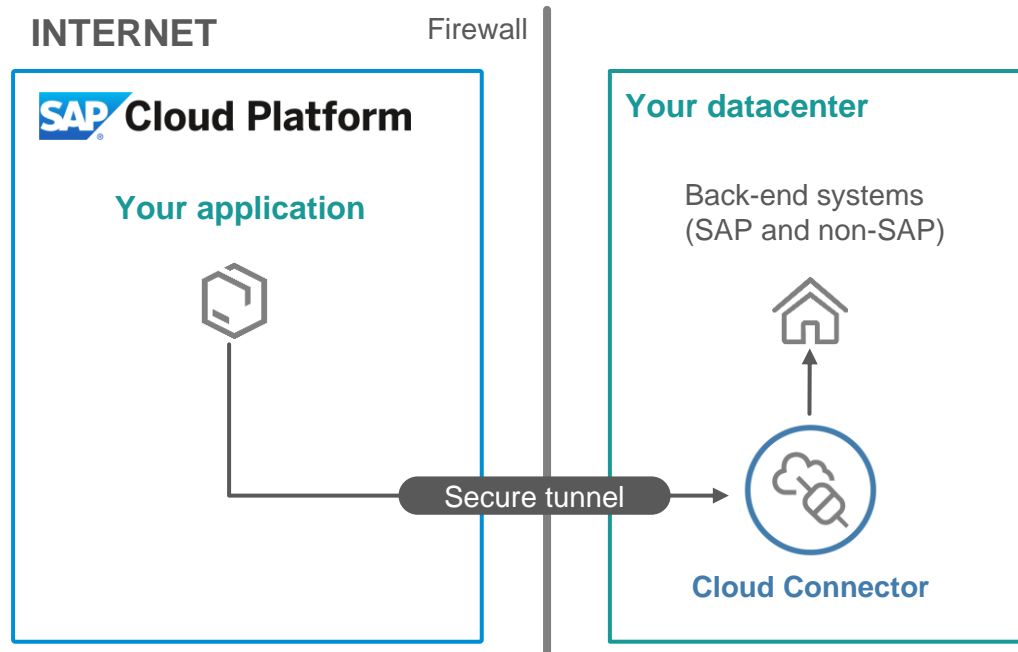
Integrate and test



# Integrate

## SAP Cloud Platform Cloud Connector and SAP Cloud Platform Integration

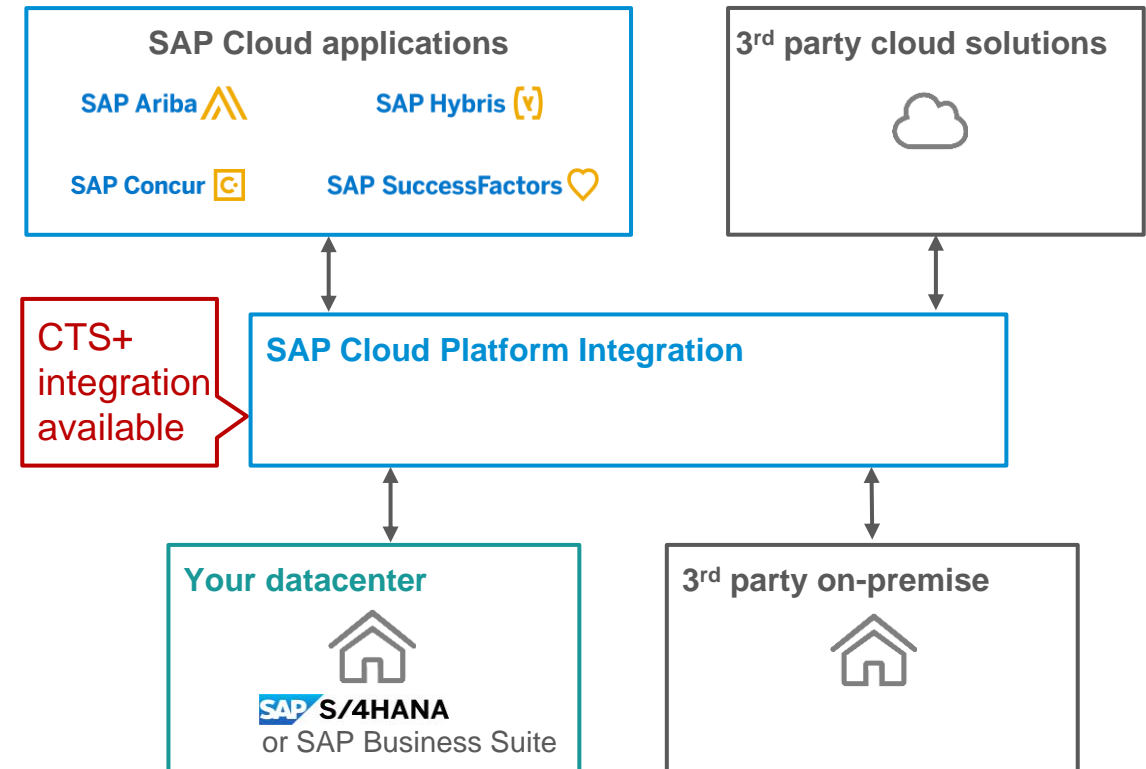
### Point-to-point integration



**CPL104**

[SAP Cloud Platform Cloud Connector](#) in SAP Help Portal

### Business process integration



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**CPL206**



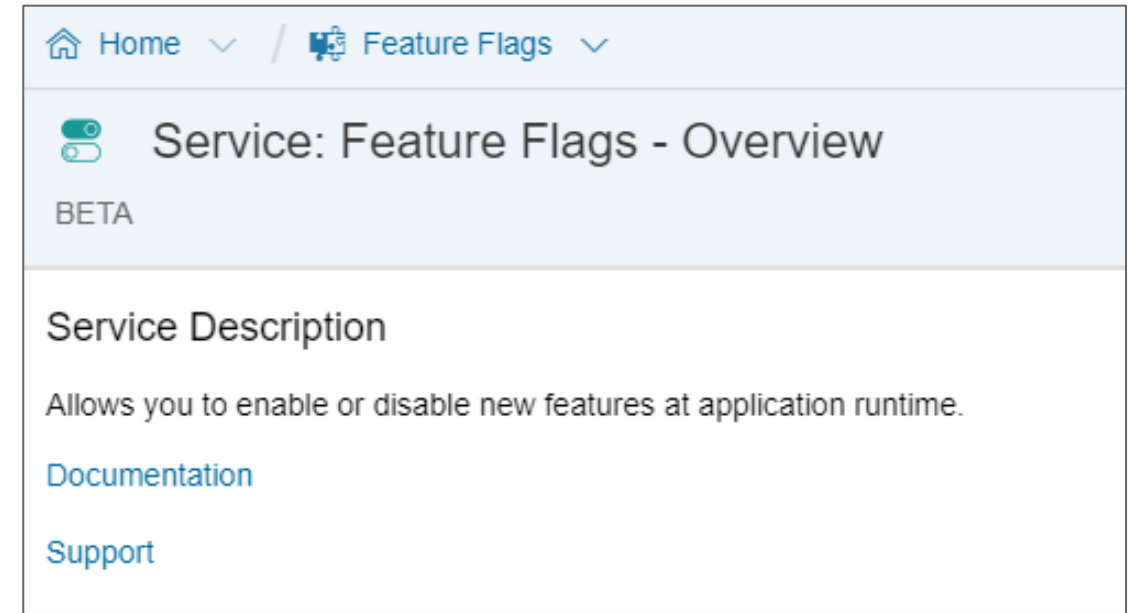
# Test support

Feature Flags service (beta) for Cloud Foundry environment

Allows enabling or disabling new features without redeploying or restarting the application

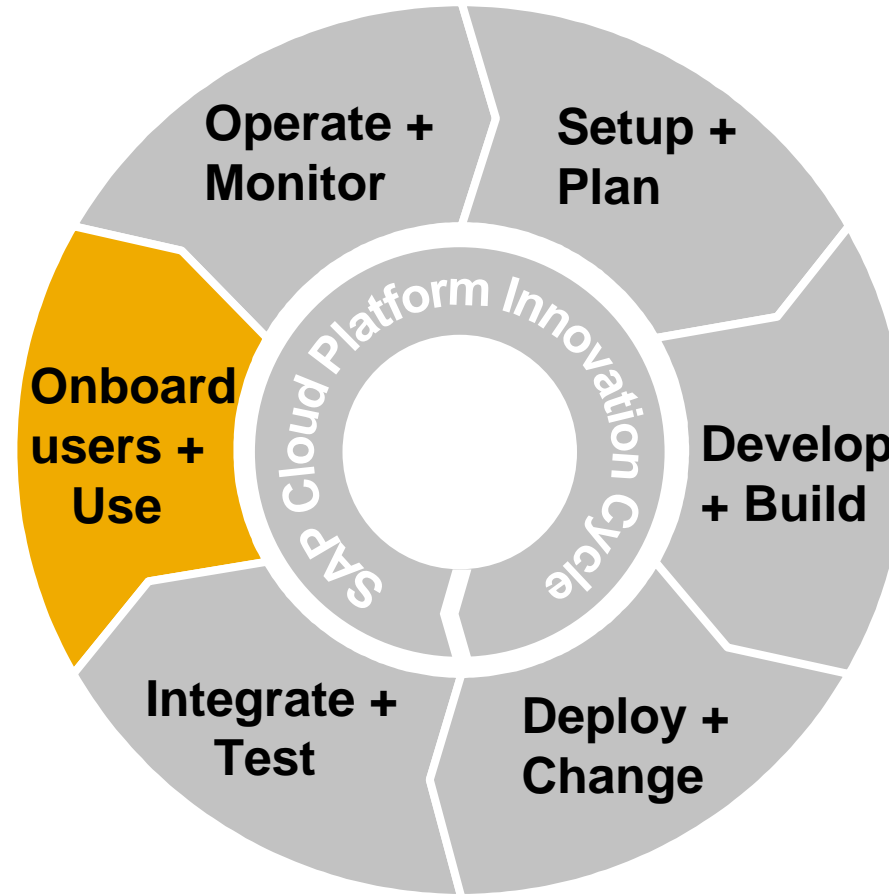
Implements common agile development concept that allows:

- Delivery of latent code
- Synchronized roll-out of features that require changes in several different components or microservices
- Enablement in predefined subaccounts
- Fast rollback of features



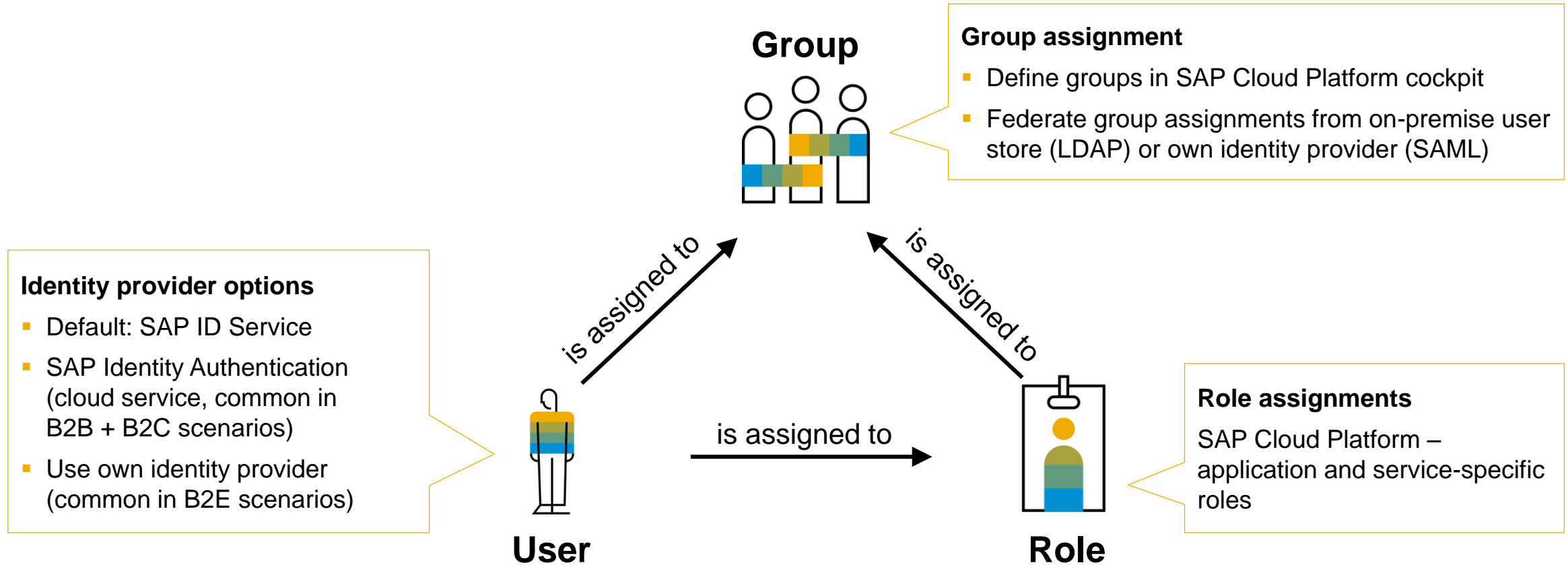
# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform apps

Onboard users and use application



# Onboard users

## Users, roles & groups in SAP Cloud Platform

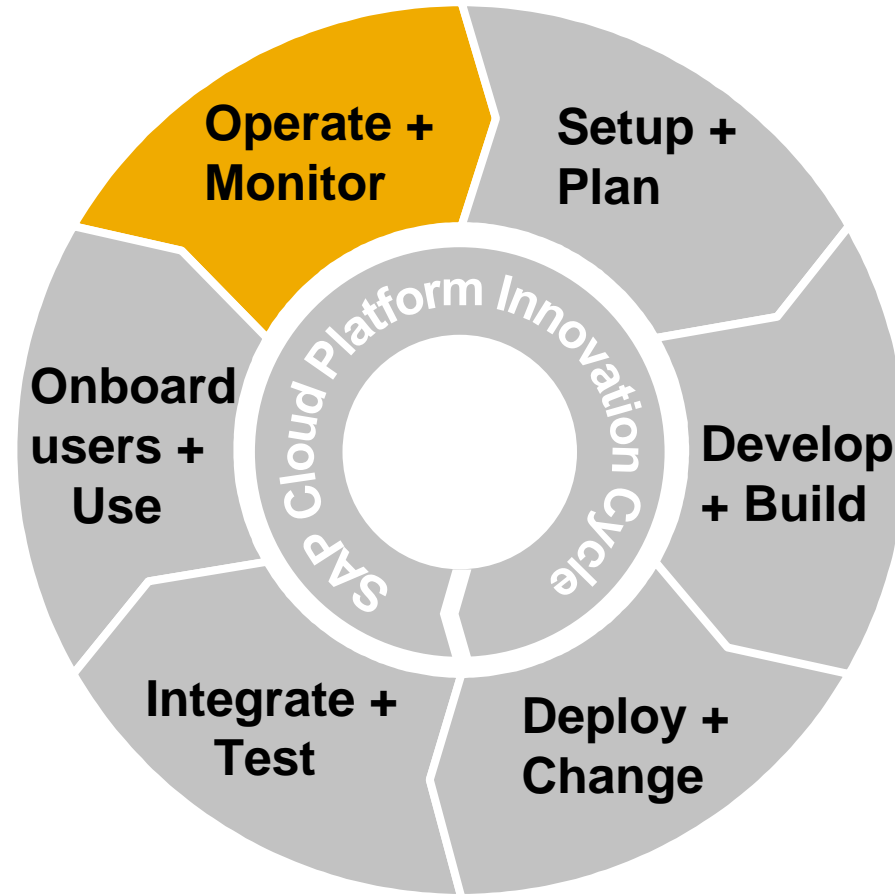


For more information: <https://cloudplatform.sap.com/capabilities/security.html>



# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform apps

Operate and monitor



# Monitor your application

## Java applications

- Application monitoring + performance statistics (beta) available
- Custom JMX checks + monitoring APIs available

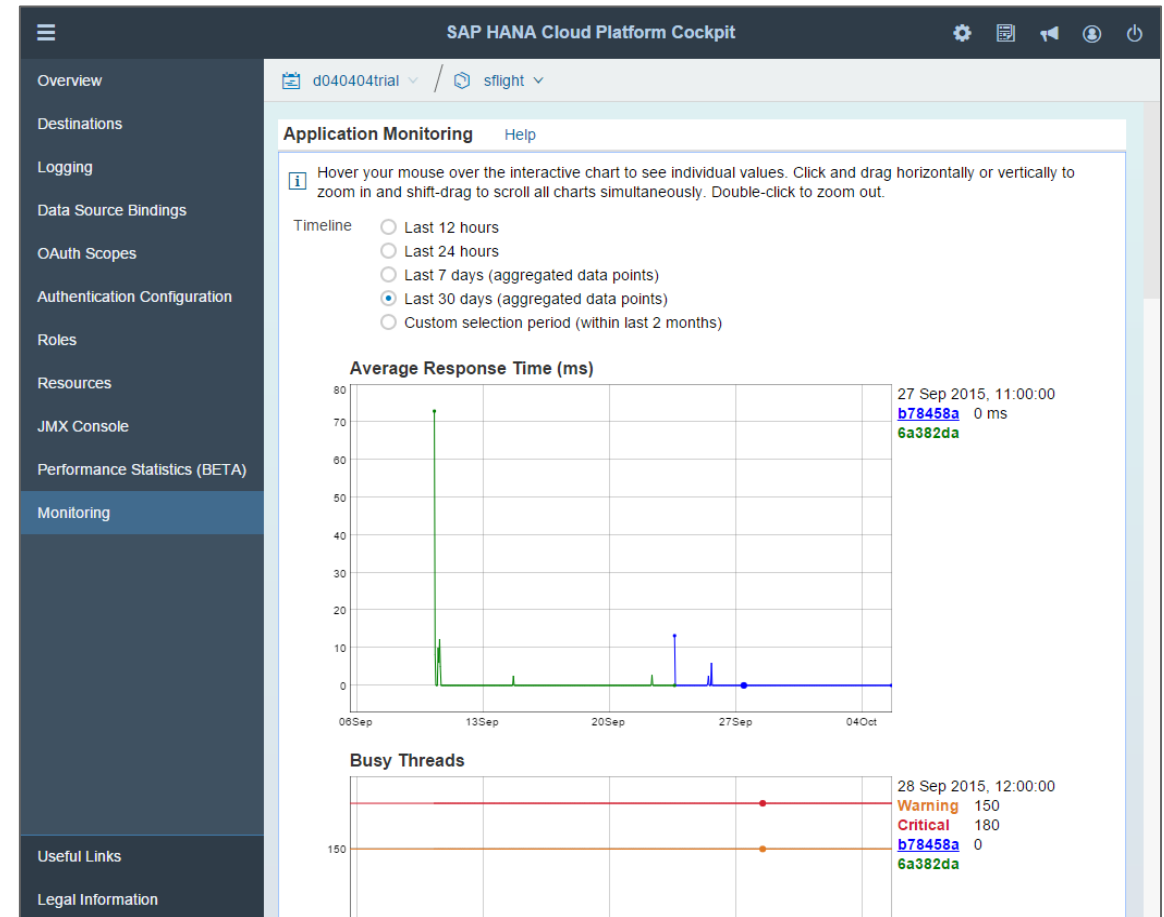
## SAP HANA extended application services

- Monitor health statistics for SAP HANA instances
- Create availability check for your applications + configure email notifications

## HTML5 applications

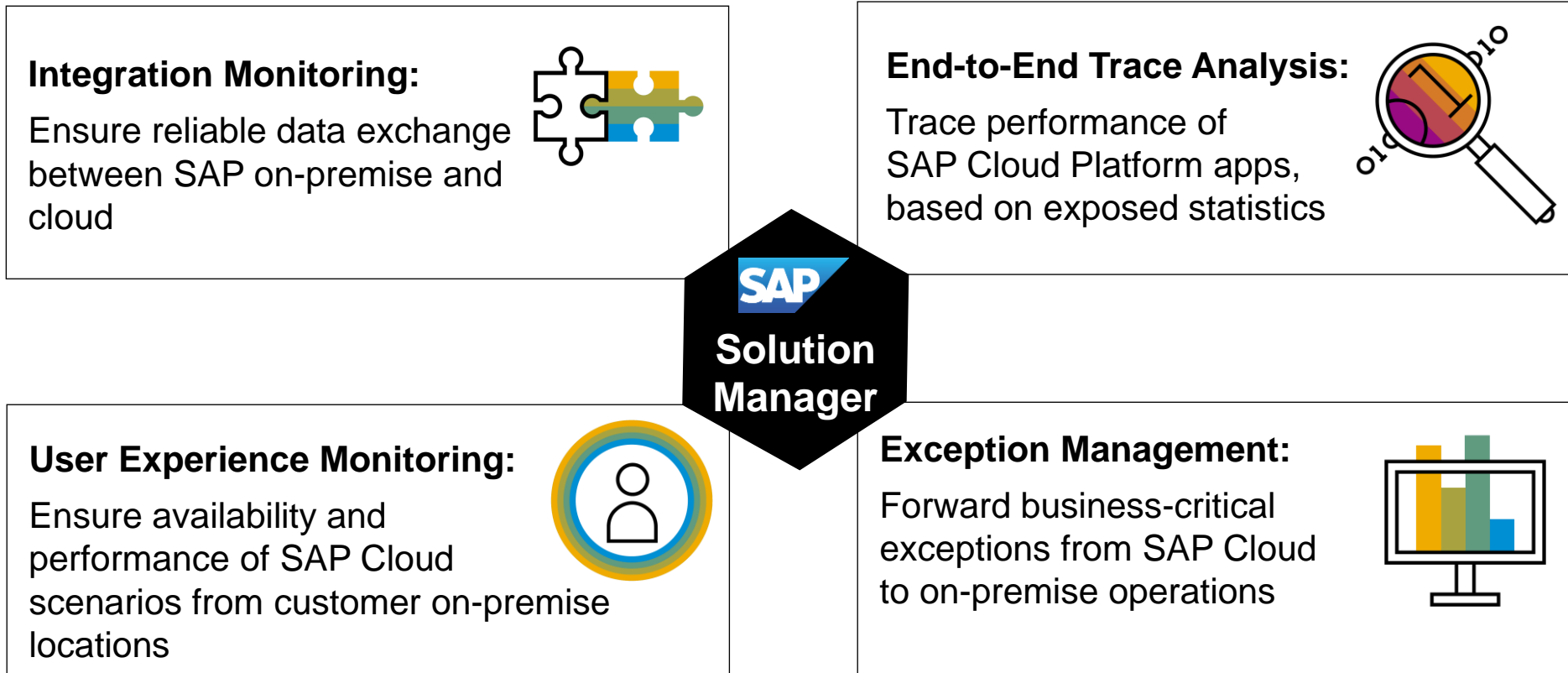
- Log viewer available collecting error messages

**Individual services** contain monitoring information (SAP Cloud Platform Cloud Connector, SAP Cloud Identity, SAP Fiori Launchpad, etc.)



# Operate & monitor hybrid landscapes

Hybrid supportability offerings in SAP Solution Manager



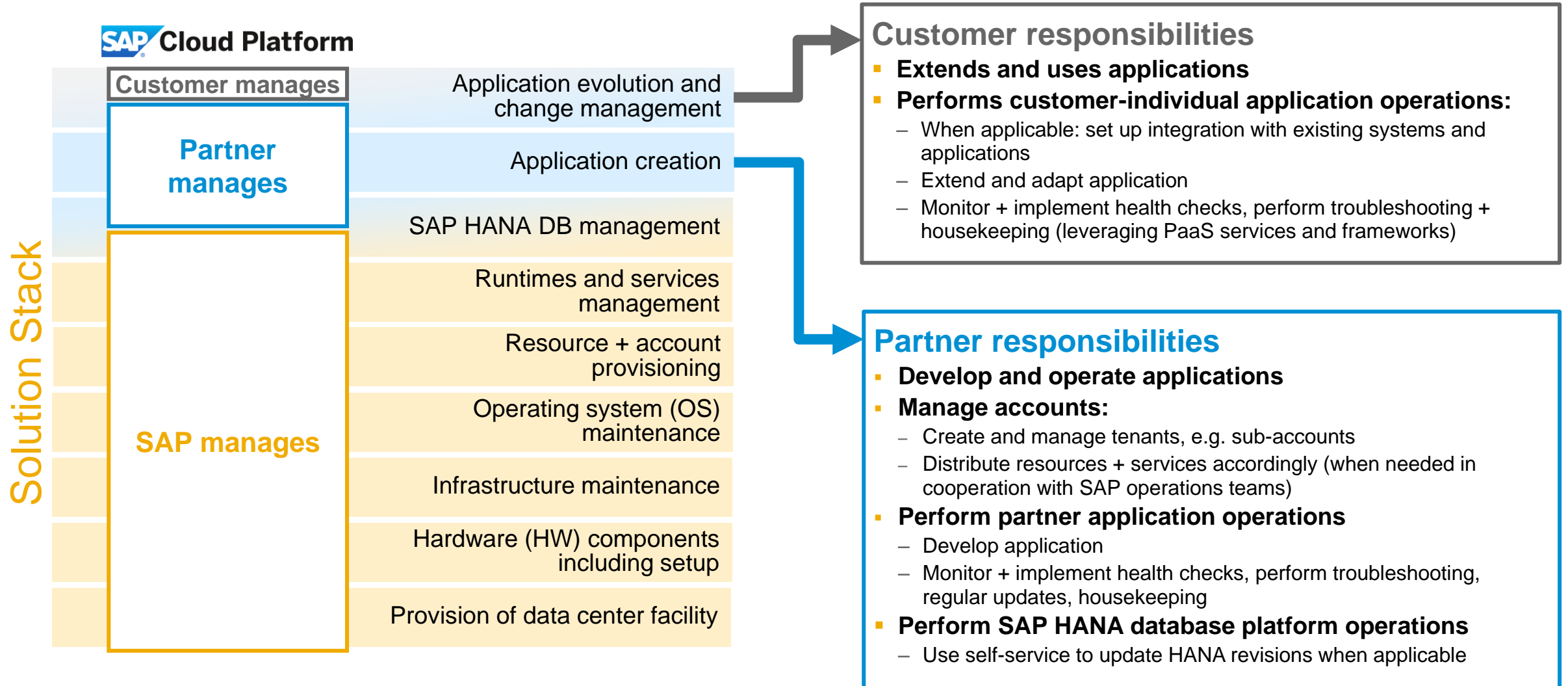
# Typical lifecycle phases for partner applications – built on SAP Cloud Platform





# SAP Cloud Platform

SAP manages platform, partner manages apps, customer extends and uses

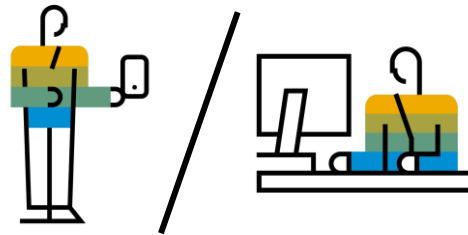


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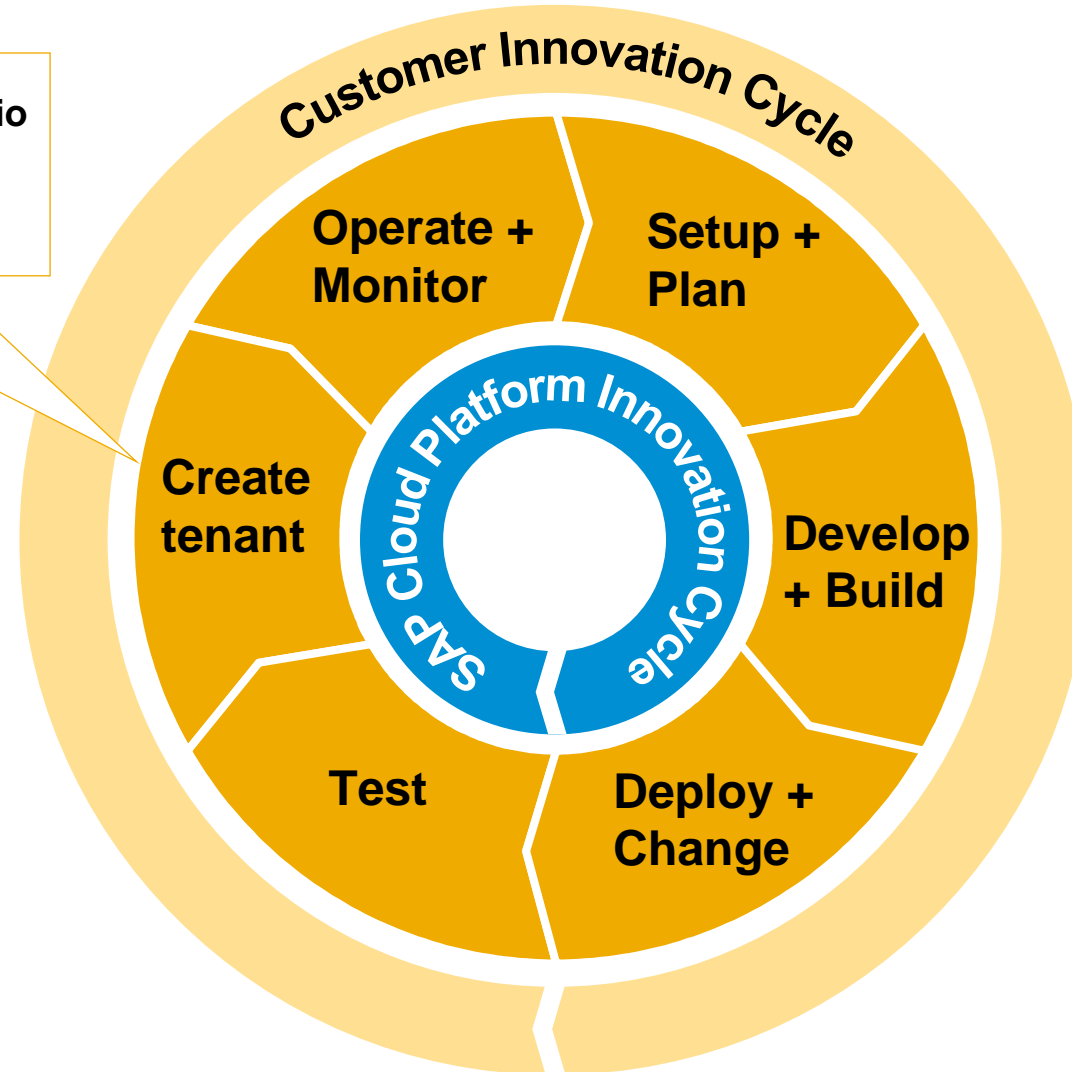
Provider develops the application

## New in partner application scenario

Provider creates tenants for different customers

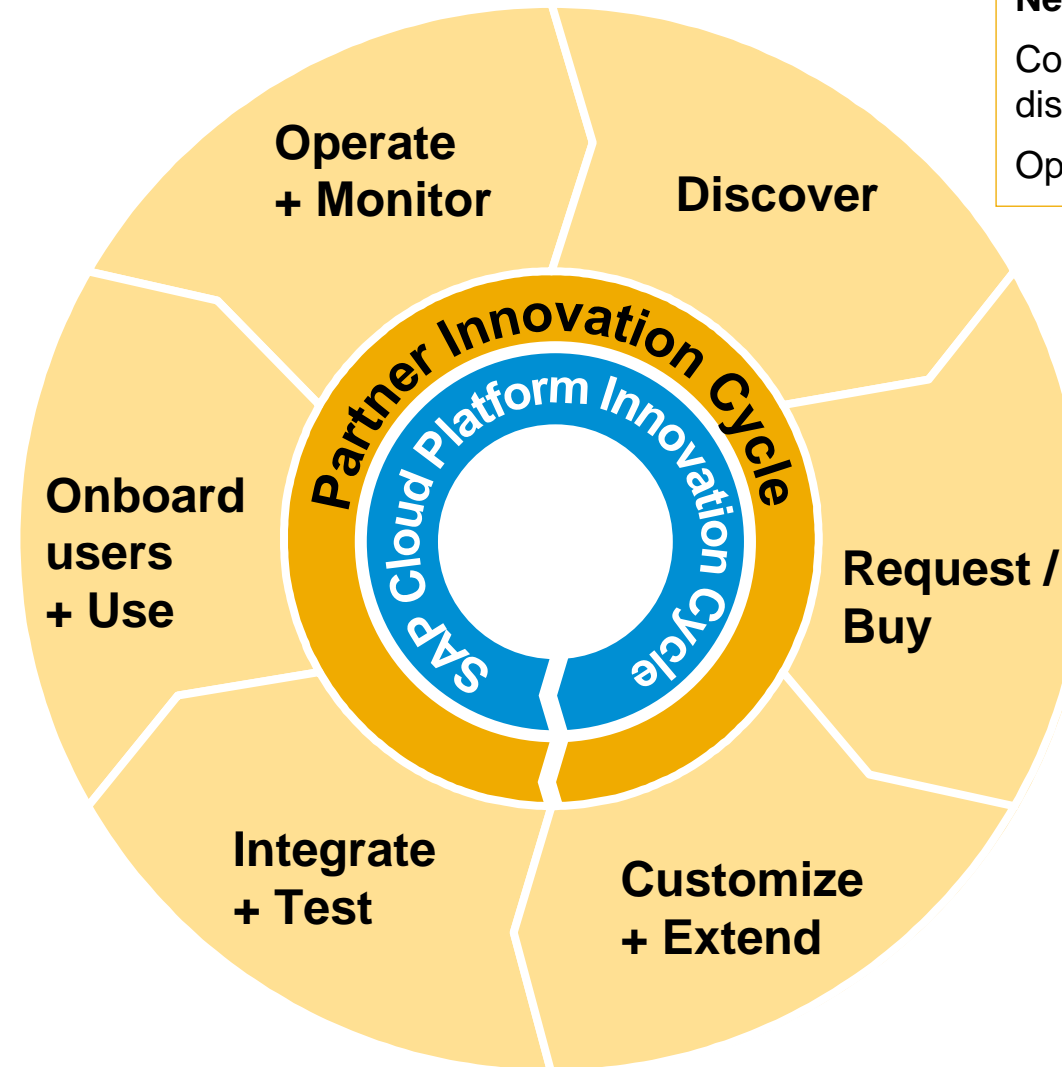


Provider



# Typical lifecycle phases for SAP Cloud Platform applications

Consumer discovers and uses



## New in partner application scenario

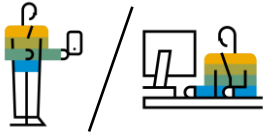
Consumer uses SAP App Center to discover and request the application  
Optionally, customize and extend



Consumer

# SAP Cloud Platform accounts

## Provider – subscriber scenario



### Provider account

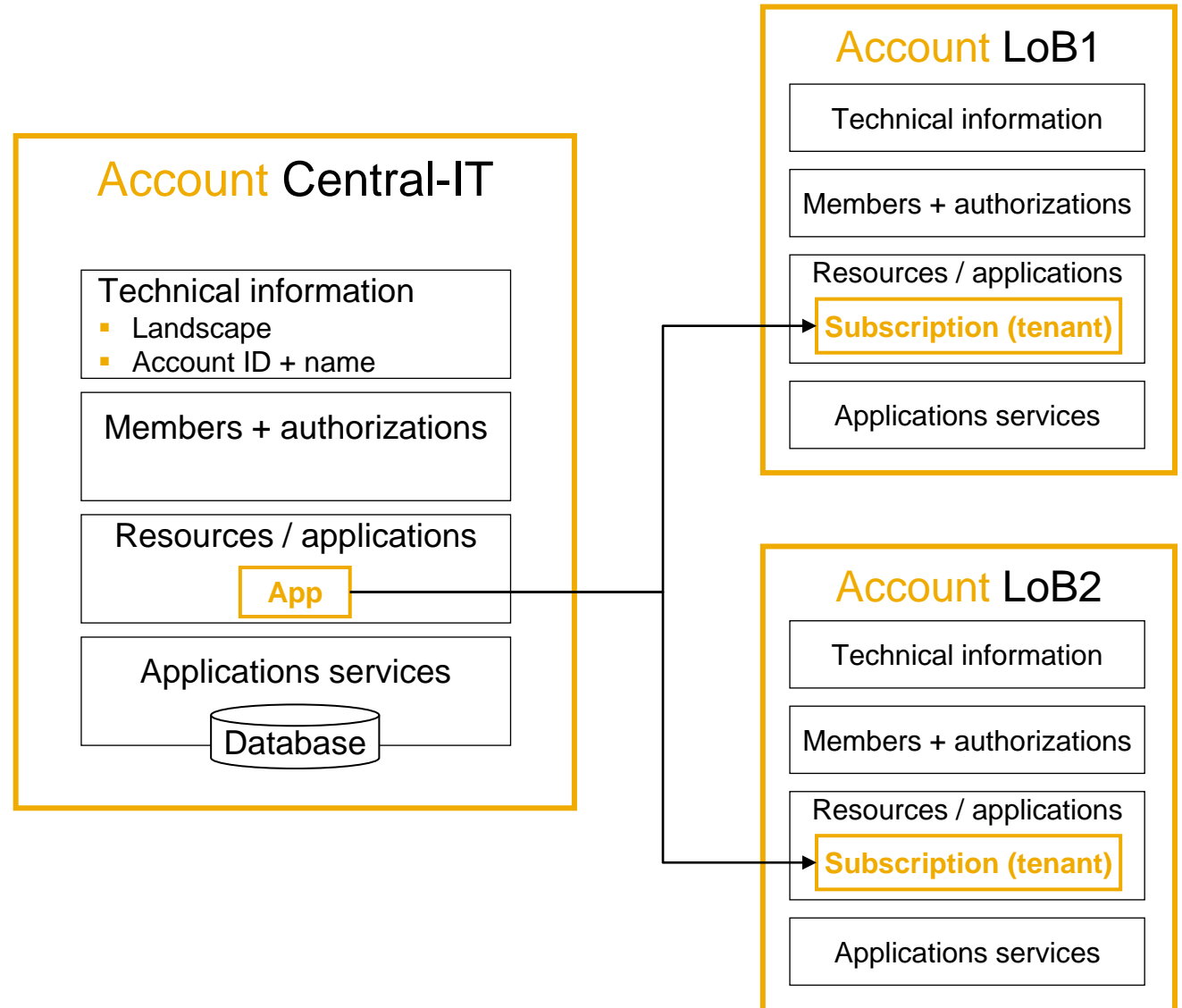
Develop and provide application to your customers



### Consumer account

Use centrally provided application, shared with others – only access own tenant

- “A tenant is a group of users who share a common access with specific privileges to the software instance. With a multi-tenant architecture, a software application is designed to provide every tenant a dedicated share of the instance” (source: Wikipedia)
- Software-as-a-Service applications and SAP Cloud Platform-based services are developed this way
- [Blog](#) about how to build multi-tenant applications in SAP Community



# Demo



## Tenant creation in SAP Cloud Platform

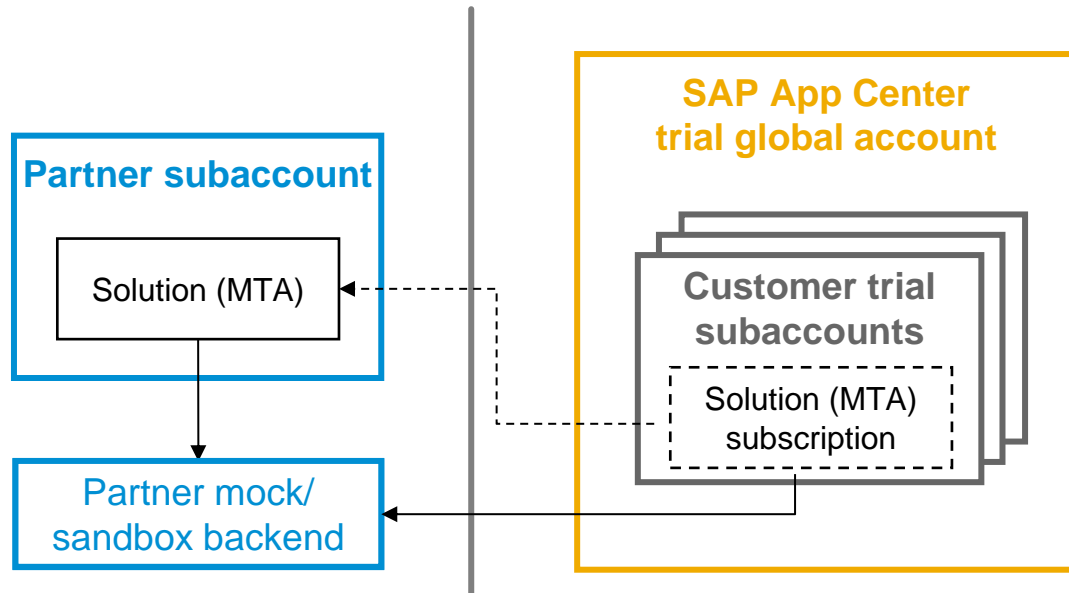
# SAP App Center integration for partners

- Partners model applications as MTAs and onboard them into **SAP App Center**
- Customers create trial environment (offered as self-service)

## Trial by subscription

### Partner tasks:

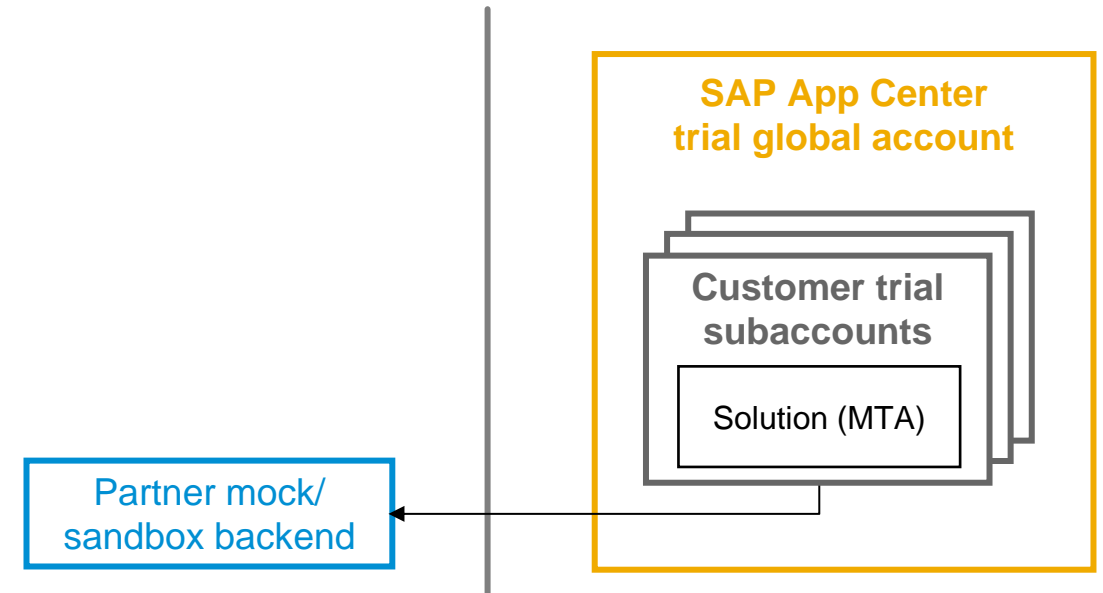
- Deploy the MTA in partner subaccount
- Configure solution metadata in SAP App Center



## Trial by deployment

### Partner tasks:

- Host MTA archive as deployable binary
- Configure solution metadata in SAP App Center



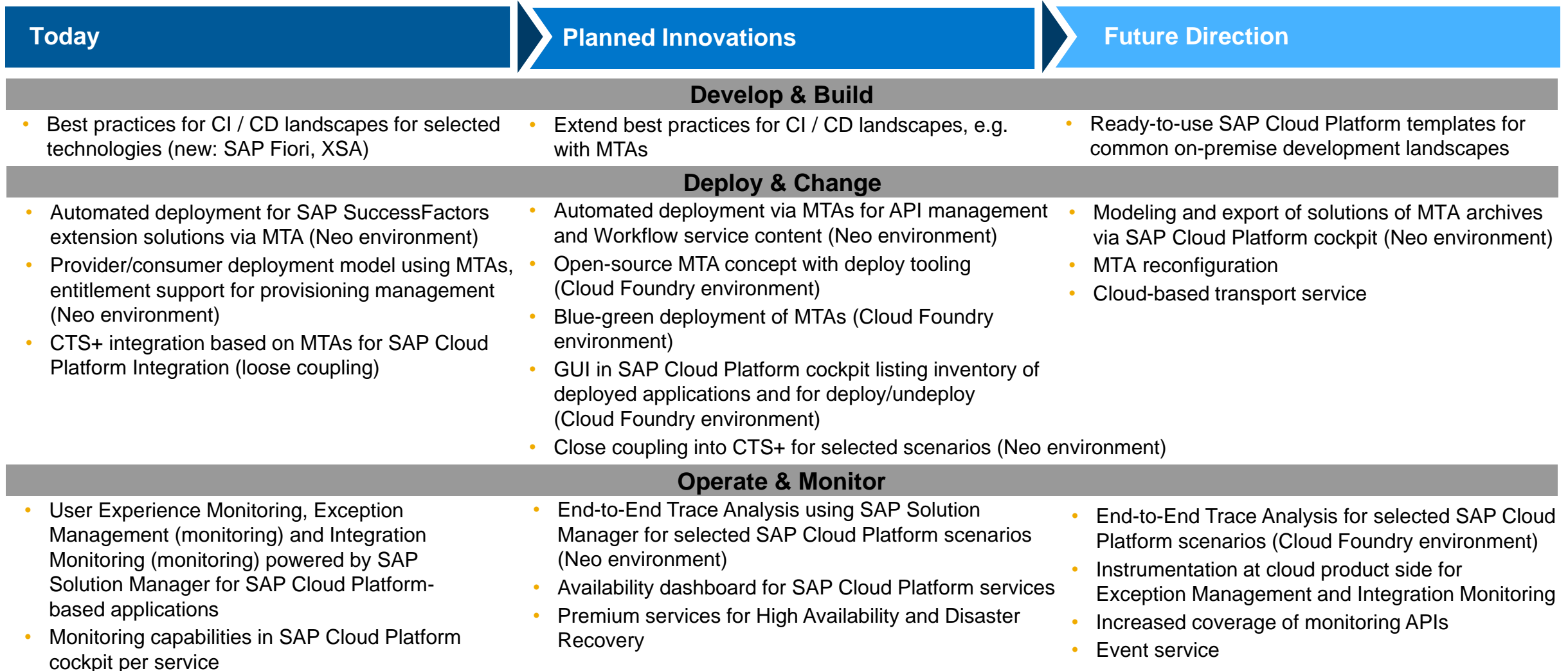
# Outlook/road map





# Lifecycle management capabilities in SAP Cloud Platform

## Road map overview – key themes and capabilities



This is the current state of planning and may be changed by SAP at any time.

# Summary



# Summary

## Key takeaways

- 1 With cloud applications, it is key to deliver new applications with a minimum viable scope as quickly as possible – and iterating on enhancements and further developments based on user feedback
- 2 SAP Cloud Platform provides a rich set of tools to support you in developing and operating your own cloud applications in standalone and hybrid scenarios
- 3 SAP, partners and customers collaborate and co-innovate based on well defined processes and clear separation of concerns

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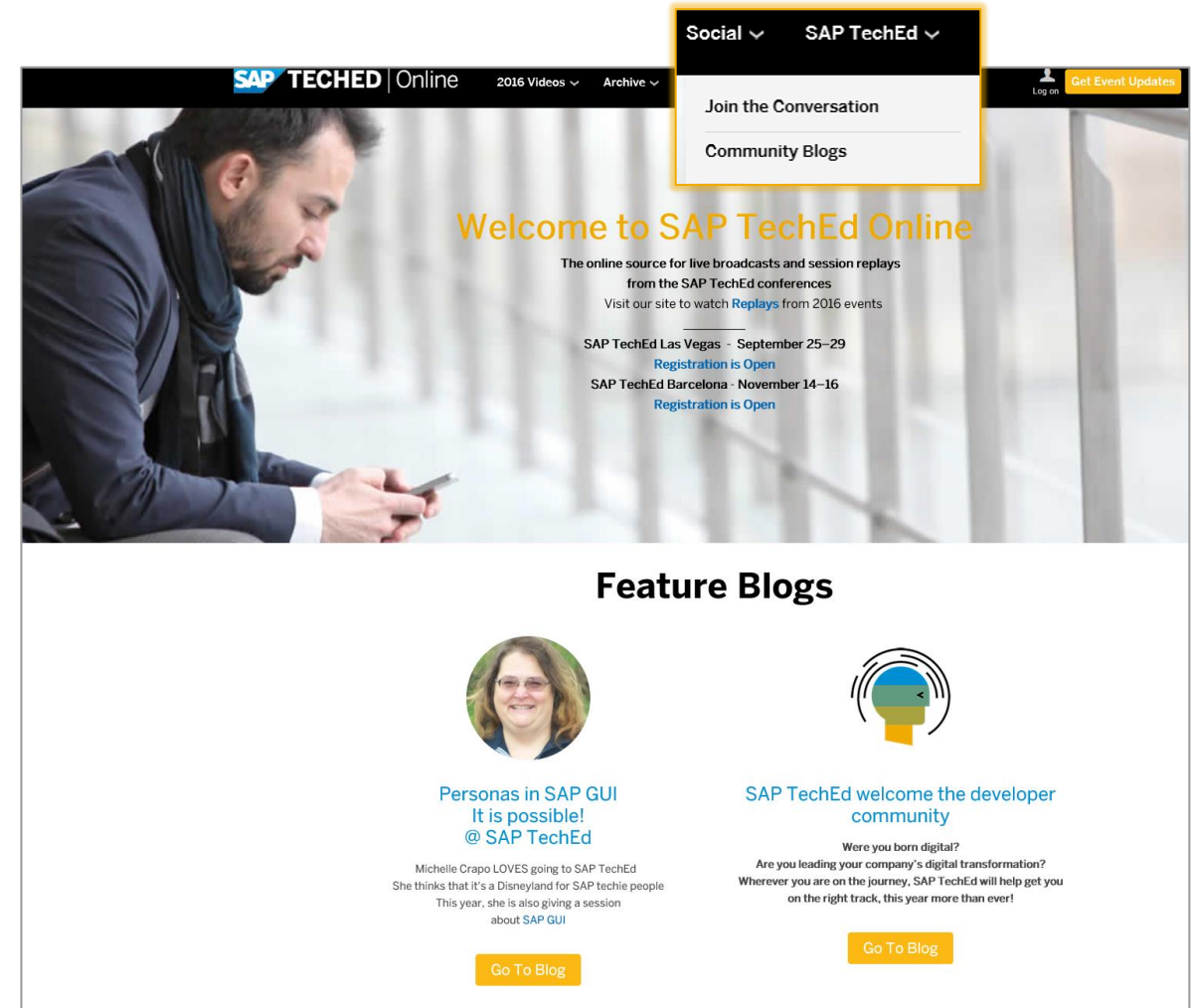
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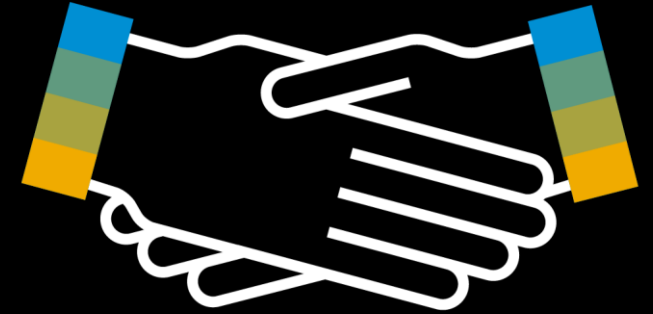
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