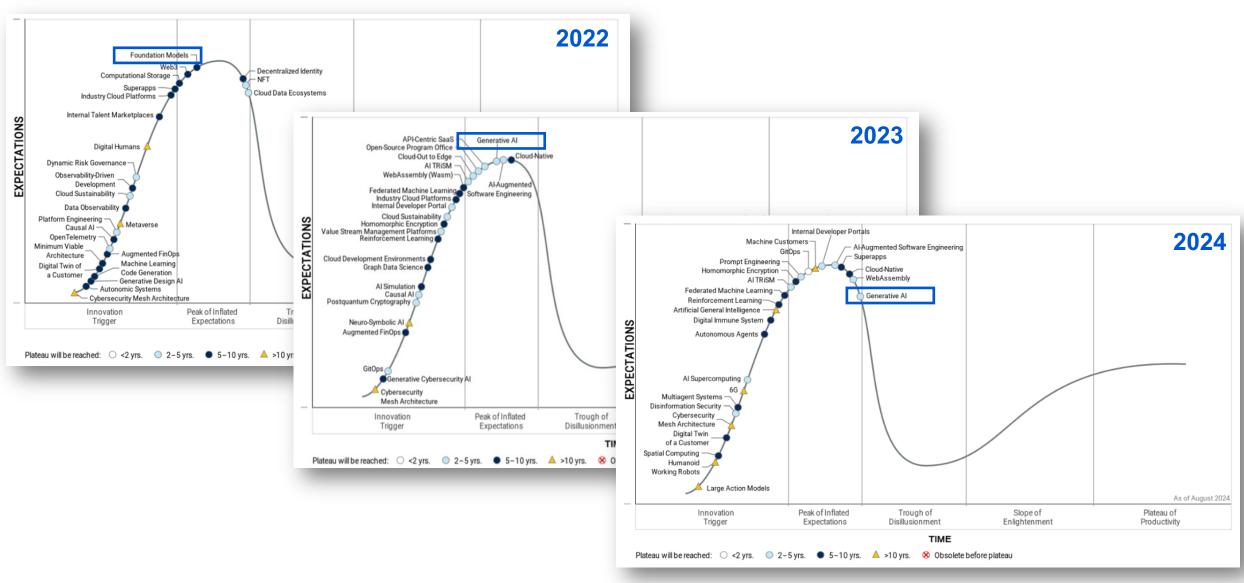


Al beyond the hype Lessons learned since the GenAl revolution

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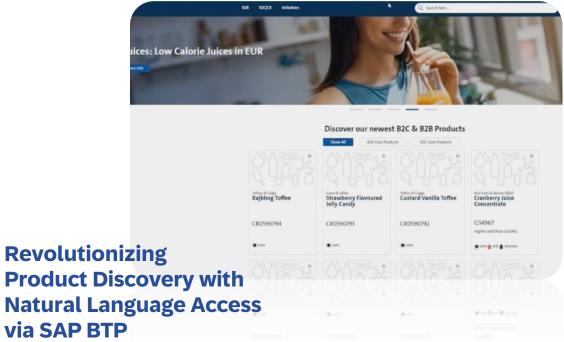


The evolution of the GenAI hype:



"AI can help me find the right product and simplify my supply chain"

≜ bbc.com Bacon ice cream and nugget overload sees misfiring McDonald's AI withdrawn **Tom Gerken Technology reporter** 18 June 2024 McDonald's is removing artificial intelligence (AI) powered ordering technology from its drivethrough restaurants in the US, after customers shared its comical mishaps online.



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Topics to Consider with AI



Security

Integration of AI can expose enterprises to vulnerabilities and raise regulatory considerations. AI deployments must be resilient against such risks.



Data accessibility

Direct data access can conflict with enterprise policies, creating barriers to adoption. Data accessibility needs to be facilitated without compromising on security and compliance.



Data Reliability

Inconsistent or incomplete data can lead to inaccurate modeling and flawed business outcomes.

Addressing data reliability challenges safeguards the success of AI initiatives.



Timeliness

Majority of executive requests require a quick response to address time sensitive challenges and risks. Outputs can not compromise quality of response.



Business Relevance

Without business context, AI solutions may produce results that are technically correct but irrelevant or misaligned with business needs



Lack of Skills

The demand for AI talent far exceeds supply, making it challenging for enterprises to hire the right expertise, delaying hence the deployment of AI initiatives.



Cost vs ROI

Al adoption may require substantial financial funding which can be deterring when the return on investment is uncertain or long-term.



Al is just one piece of the puzzle

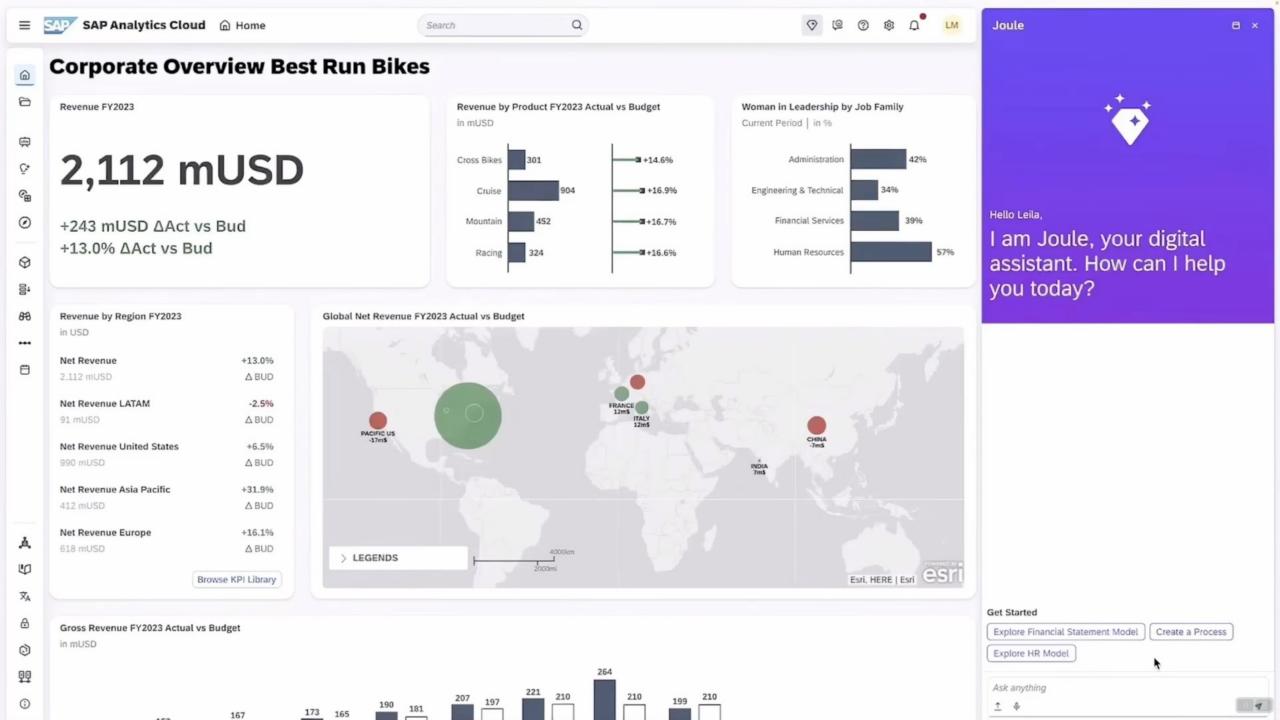
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From generic chatbots to fully immersed assistants with domain knowledge



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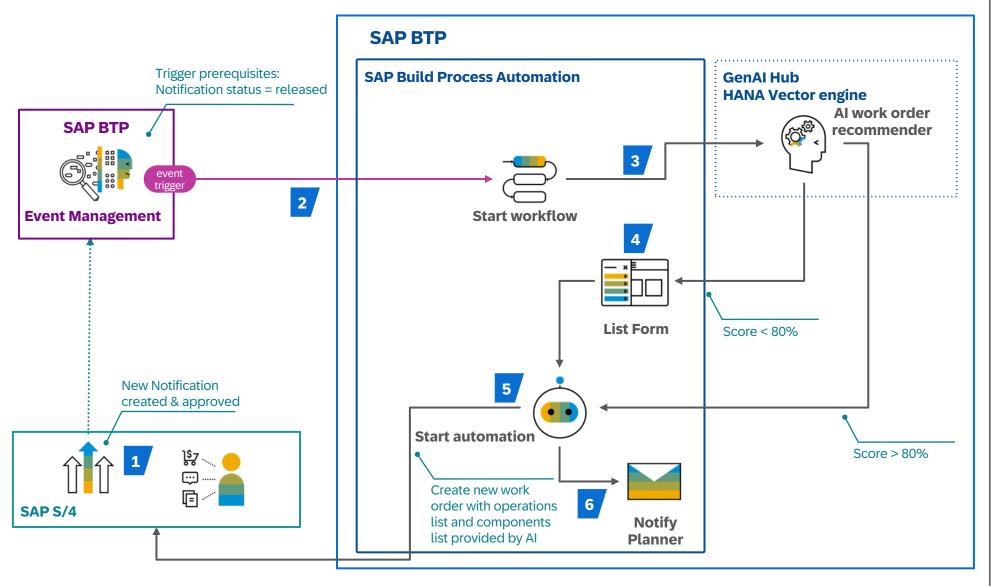
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GenAl assistance for Maintenance Planner



: New notification

New notification created and in the ERP

Action trigger from process mining

Start automation for Work Order suggestion

Call Work Order recommender AI

Provides summarized order and list of operations & components, based on similarity

Selection form

List of operations and components sent to planner to choose the relevant for this order

SAP ERP automation

Work order automatically created in the ERP system

Notification Email
Notify the planner that

Notify the planner that new work order was created

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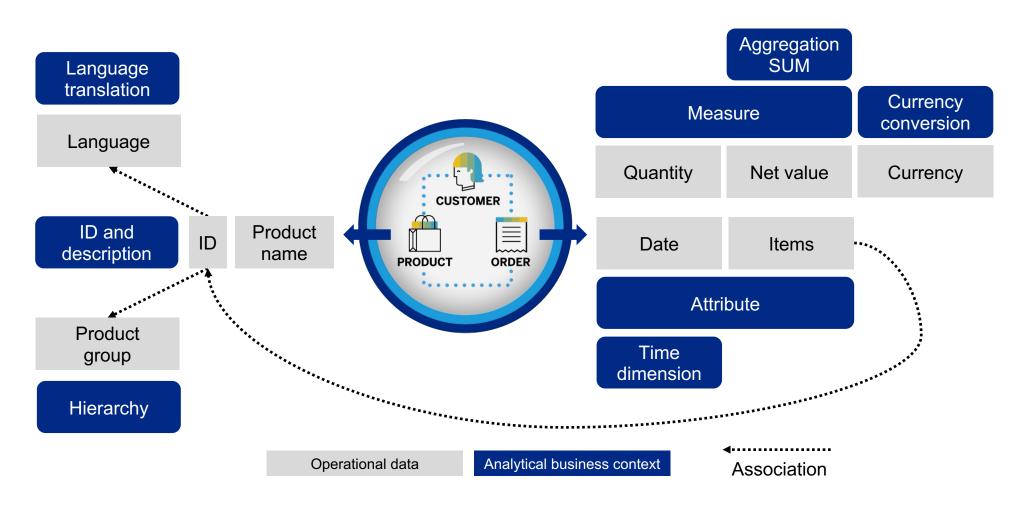
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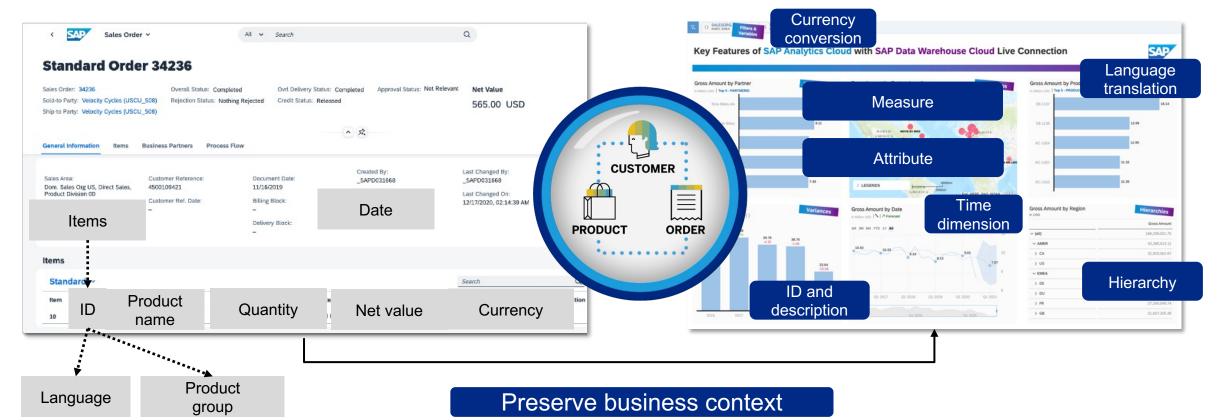
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SAP S/4HANA

Business context in operational system

SAP Analytics Cloud

Business context in analytical system

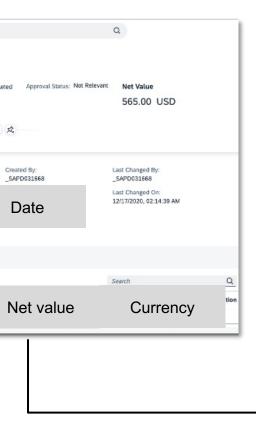


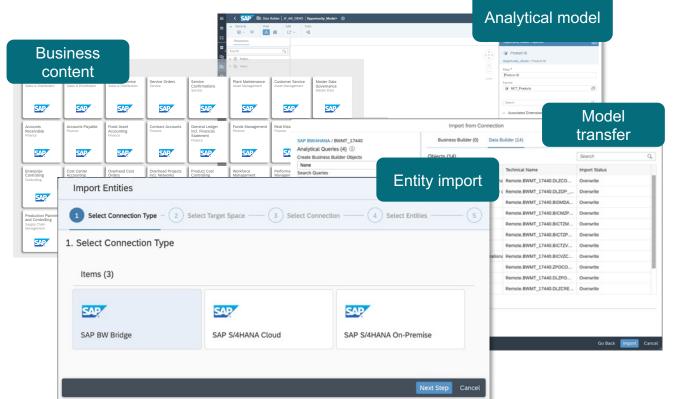
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Preserve business context

Looking to the future

SAP Foundation Model powered by SAP Knowledge Graph

"Will CUSTOMER 42 pay their latest invoice on time?"

"Yes, CUSTOMER 42 will pay the invoice on time with 98% likelihood, based on their payment history in your database."

Al Copilot Joule

Text Understanding

Text Generation

Generic business knowledge



Customer data

Entail crucial information for an accurate forecast



SAP Knowledge Graph

Human/Machine accessible representation of SAP data model



SAP Foundation Model

Generic prediction engine

Inherent understanding of business processes and SAP data



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... and there is the SAP way



Al will change our work and we have to reshape/ reinvent our business processes



ROI before AI: invest in the right use cases and **not just Technology**



The future of innovation is on **Public Cloud**, but SAP BTP can help **bridge the gap** with your on prem investments



SAP is here to help: speak to us/ contact your SAP account team, share your use cases, get SAP expert feedback



Thank you.



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