

# Application Lifecycle Management Partner Call – Q2 / 2021

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### **Welcome ALM Partners**

"We want to strengthen our collaboration and network with our ALM Partner community, even in times when remote working dominates all of us."

#### Agenda, 16th of June 2021

- Welcome & Announcements
- ALM Run Roadmaps &
   Insight talk (Q&A) with Chief Product Owner
- SAP Cloud ALM memory extension
- Git-enabled Change and Transport System
- Polls
- Session end (app. 3.45 pm)



Please use the Q&A tool in Zoom to ask your questions also during the presentation!

#### **Speakers & Background Experts**



David Birkenbach (Moderator)
ALM Go-to-Market EMEA/MEE



Janko Budzisch
Chief Product Owner – ALM for operations



Patrick Schmidt
Chief Support Engineer





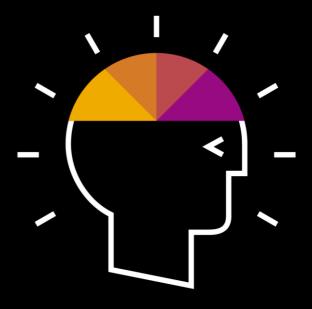
Benjamin Schneider ALM Solution Expert

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#### Please ask your questions!

Use the Q&A panel in the Zoom webinar to ask your questions or

while the insight talk, if you want to speak, use the "Raise Hand" function in Zoom, so you will get unmuted.





ALM Go-to-Market EMEA

## Welcome & Announcements

#### **Welcome ALM Partners**

**ALM Partner Community** 



#### Build (SI)

- Use SAP Cloud ALM to deliver projects
- Create implementation content based on your partner industry knowledge and best practices
- Integrate SAP Cloud ALM in your delivery infrastructure as needed



#### Run (AMS)

- Use SAP Cloud ALM and SAP Focused Run to deliver customer operations
- · Create operation content based on your operation expertise
- Integrate SAP Cloud ALM and SAP Focused Run in your delivery infrastructure as needed



#### **ALM professional services**

- Integrate SAP Cloud ALM in the customer tool landscape
  - · Teams, Jira, Now, Test tools, Custom pipeline, Workflow, ...
- Extend SAP Cloud ALM, productize and go to market on SAP App Center

## Feedback to questions and votings in last meeting

- Focus to EMEA/MEE but open globally
- Topics in ALM Partner Community
  - openSAP Efficient DevOps with SAP
  - SAP Solution Manager & Signavio

#### Partner Hub

Promote your own references on <u>SAP Portal</u>

## Important dates



#### **ALM Summit EMEA 2021**



We are looking for Partners who,

- want to present an innovative solution or extension of the ALM tools at our 1<sup>st</sup> ALMathon
- want to present a joint customer / partner story in one of the streams at ALM Summit, about their experience with SAP's ALM products

If you are interested to present your story at ALM Summit EMEA OR

If you are interested to participate at the first ALMathon in ALM Summit EMEA

→ please send asap an unformal Email to <a href="mailto:David.Birkenbach@sap.com">David.Birkenbach@sap.com</a> or use QR code now. We will reach out to you for further steps.



And don't forget to block your calendar and register for <u>ALM Summit</u> <u>EMEA</u> from 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> of October. Event registration starts in July!

#### Partners, Register Now: Application Lifecycle Management in RISE with SAP



Wednesday, June 23, 2021 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM ((UTC+01:00) Amsterdam, Berlin, Bern, Rome, Stockholm, Vienna)



Wednesday, June 23, 2021 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM ((UTC+01:00) Amsterdam, Berlin, Bern, Rome, Stockholm, Vienna)



#### **Our next Partner Community Call**

Please block your calendar or register here.

https://webinars.sap.com/alm-partner-community/en/home



8th of September, 2 pm CEST



#### Topics in backlog for Q3 call

APIs in SAP Cloud ALM









- ALM recommendations for customer's landscapes
- tbd

#### **Accelerate Cloud Implementations with SAP Cloud ALM**

openSAP – Tue 15th June 2021

https://open.sap.com/courses/calm2

Learn how to Accelerate Cloud Implementations with SAP #CloudALM by registering with the latest #openSAP course

#### **REGISTER - ENGAGE - ASSIGNMENTS - EXERCISE/PLAY - ACHIEVE**

Product Owners and guest speakers lift the lid and you can explore with them the functionalities of #CloudALM

You will learn about the task-centric implementation approach used in SAP Cloud ALM while also exploring some key features.

**Duration:** 4+1 weeks **Effort required:** 3-4 hours per week

Week 1: SAP Cloud ALM Project Delivery

Week 2: Tasks and Business Processes

Week 3: Requirements and Testing

Week 4: Additional Capabilities and Outlook

Week 5: Exam

REGISTRATION

Speakers: SAP Cloud ALM Product Owners; SAP Guest Speakers

(Demo system available each week to support learning experience)



#### **SAP ALM Summit APJ 2021**

Mark your calendar and join the SAP ALM Summit 2021 for APJ region on July 27-30. Its virtual and free, starting at 12:30 PM Singapore Standard Time. It's a 4 day event with 4 hours every day.

Look forward to in-depth knowledge sharing by experts on the following Application Lifecycle Management (ALM) Solutions

- SAP Cloud ALM
- SAP Solution Manager
- SAP Focused Run

Learn, network and meet the experts!

Register here.



#### **General ALM Community News**

Please also register for the ALM Community with monthly calls and typically one Focus topic.

https://webinars.sap.com/alm-community-call/en/home

The next ALM Community Call will take place on 23<sup>rd</sup> of June, 4 pm CEST

- Join us to celebrate one year of virtual ALM knowledge transfer, learn about ALM hot topics and get your questions answered! -



Follow our Community Tags to stay up to date!

SAP Cloud ALM

**SAP Solution Manager** 

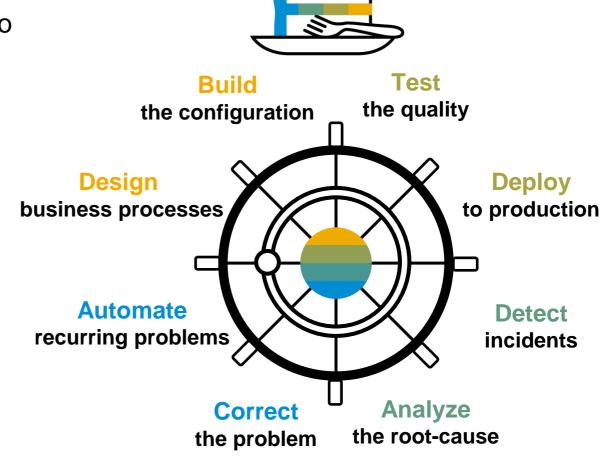
SAP Focused Run

#### Celebrating the 1<sup>st</sup> birthday of SAP Cloud ALM!

Manage the lifecycle of the SAP Cloud portfolio

SAP Cloud ALM assists the **implementation** and **operations** of cloud solutions from SAP

- Accelerate time-to-value
- Safeguard business continuity
- Reduce cost of ownership



SAP Cloud ALM – Included with your subscription!

#### Celebrating the 1<sup>st</sup> birthday of SAP Cloud ALM!

How to get started



Browse presentations, watch recorded demos, and access the public demo system via the <a href="SAP Cloud ALM">SAP Cloud ALM</a> home page.



Your SAP Support Launchpad admins are automatically authorized to request SAP Cloud ALM.



Your SAP Cloud ALM tenant is usually available within 15min

Just do a few <u>set-up</u> steps.





## ALM for operations Roadmap & insight talk



## Operations of hybrid and cloud centric landscapes with SAP Cloud ALM and SAP Focused Run

Janko Budzisch, SAP June 2021

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#### Agenda

Big Picture

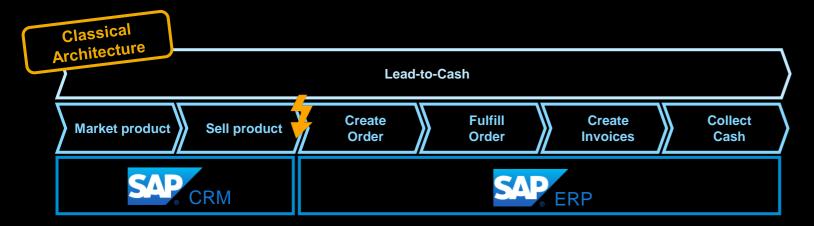
SAP Cloud ALM for Operations

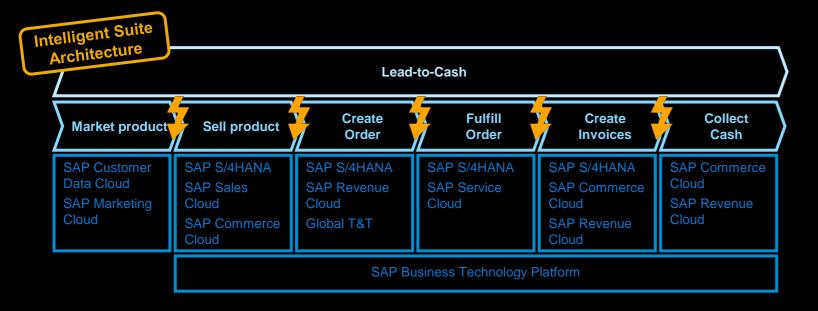
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## **Big Picture**



#### Why do we need a central operation platform for cloud centric landscapes?





#### **Challenges:**

- Transformation from a monolithic to a multi-service landscape
- Increased complexity to find and analyze issues in a distributed environment
- Increased needs to consider business processes end-to-end

#### **Answers:**

- To find and analyze anomalies during business process execution → Business Process Monitoring
- To identify and correct message flows and integration related exceptions → Integration & Exception Monitoring
- To diagnose performance of user scenarios
   → Real User & Performance Monitoring
- To understand healthiness of applications, cloud services and systems → Application Monitoring & Health Monitoring

#### Different strategic operations platforms for different target groups

#### **SAP Solution Manager**

# Focused Build SAP Solution Manager Manager

- Fully integrated ALM suite for \*
   on-prem-centric medium
   and larger customers
- Customers, who are satisfied with the currently provided functional scope

#### **SAP Focused Run**



- Operations platform for service providers and high end hybrid customers
- Customers with advanced needs, which go beyond SAP Solution Manager and SAP Cloud ALM

#### **SAP Cloud ALM**



- Fully integrated ALM suite for cloud-centric small, medium and larger customers
- Customers, who are requesting standardized cloud based operation platform

## **SAP Cloud ALM for Operations**



#### SAP Cloud ALM for Operations – Value Proposition

Ensure business continuity in SAP centric landscape by monitoring and alerting - Increase operation efficiency by automating operational tasks - Avoid anomalies by proactive problem prediction

- SAP Cloud ALM empowers customers to understand healthiness of SAP business solutions:
  - Provides full stack monitoring and alerting covering business processes, integration, users, applications, and healthiness of cloud services and systems
  - Allows to conduct root cause analysis on different levels
  - Acts as collaboration platform between LOB and IT
- SAP Cloud ALM enables customer to increase operation efficiency by automating corrective actions as well as regular operation tasks
- SAP Cloud ALM helps to predict anomalies in business process and application operation by event correlation and learning out of the collected data (AIOPs)
- SAP Cloud ALM provides transparency regarding availability of business services including business downtimes, business events and business SLA's

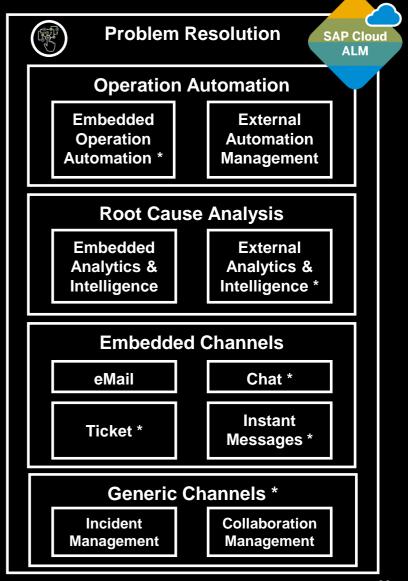


#### **Problem Management covered by SAP Cloud ALM**

Detect, analyze and resolve problems based on full stack monitoring

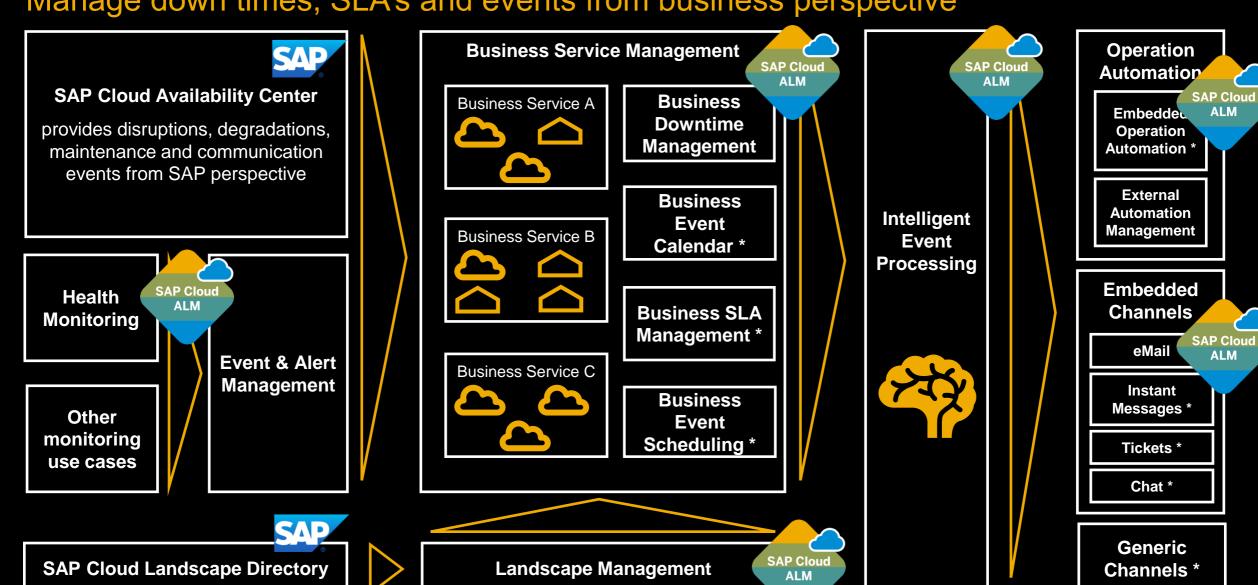






#### Business Service & Event Management covered by SAP Cloud ALM

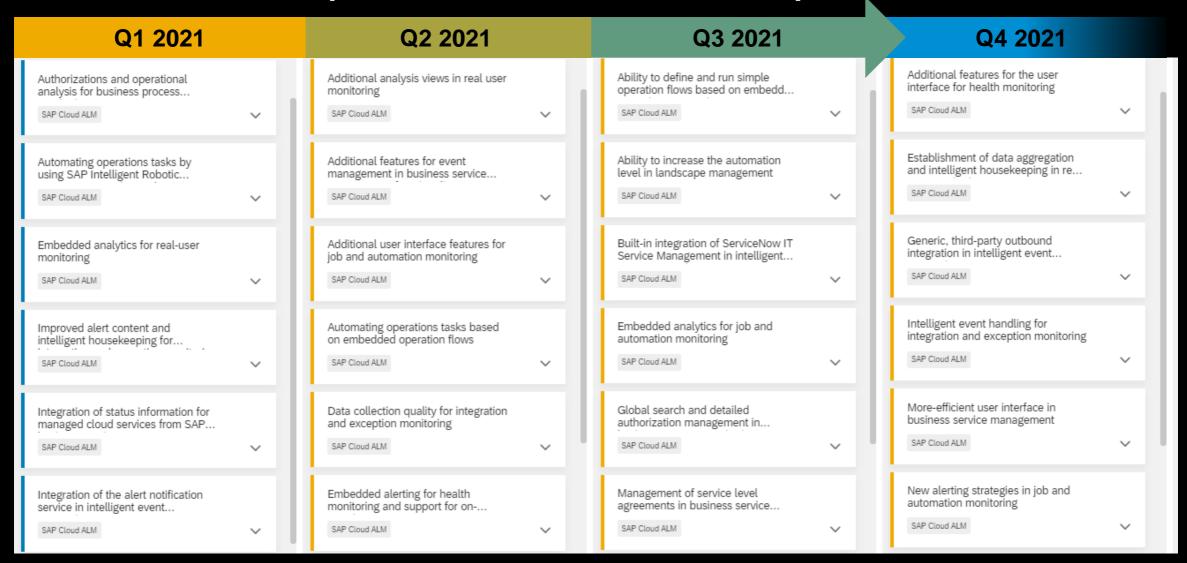
Manage down times, SLA's and events from business perspective



#### SAP Cloud ALM for Operations – Content roadmap

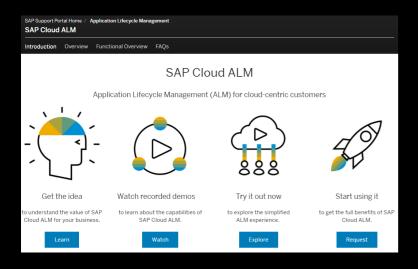
Currently available			Planned until end of 2021	
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Integration & Exception Monitoring	SAP S/4HANA Cloud SAP S/4HANA Cloud, Priv. Edition SAP S/4HANA SAP Business Suite SAP Marketing Cloud SAP Sales & Service Cloud SAP Integration Suite (Cloud Integration)	SAP SuccessFactors SAP Ariba (Network, Cloud Integration Gateway, Guided Buying & Strategic Sourcing) SAP Concur & SAP Fieldglass SAP Central Asset Management SAP BTP (NEO and CF) SAP Field Service Management	SAP SuccessFactors Employee Central Payroll SAP SuccessFactors (Data Replication monitoring) SAP Integrated Business Planning SAP Master Data Integration SAP S/4HANA (Gateway monitoring)	SAP Integration Suite (Open Connectors) SAP Event Mesh SAP Analytics Cloud SAP Central Order SAP Business ByDesign SAP Logistics Business Network
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Automation	SAP S/4HANA Cloud SAP S/4HANA Cloud, Priv. Edition SAP S/4HANA SAP Business Suite	SAP Marketing Cloud SAP Intelligent Robotic Process Automation	SAP Integrated Business Planning SAP BTP Workflow Management	SAP SuccessFactors Employee Central Payroll
Health Monitoring	SAP Cloud ALM		SAP Integration Suite (Cloud Integration) SAP Intelligent Robotic Process Automation	SAP S/4HANA Cloud, Priv. Edition SAP S/4HANA SAP Business Suite SAP BTP (ABAP)

#### SAP Cloud ALM for Operations – Functional roadmap



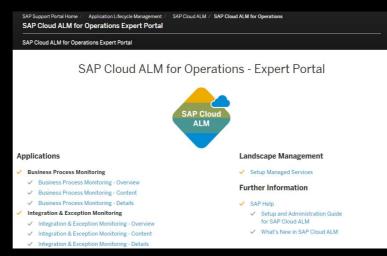
#### **SAP Cloud ALM for Operations – Onboarding & Usage**

## Step 1: Try it out and onboard yourself



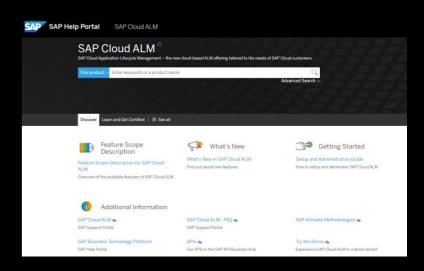
All information related to demo environments and onboarding can be found at the <u>SAP Cloud ALM Home Page</u> and <u>SAP Help Portal</u>

## **Step 2: Setup technical pre- requisites and connectivity**



All information related to the technical setup can be found at the SAP Cloud ALM for Operation Expert Portal

## **Step 3: Configure and use the applications**



All information related to application configuration and usage can be found in built-in SAP Web Assistant, <u>SAP Cloud ALM for Operation Expert Portal</u> and <u>SAP Help Portal</u>

## Thank you.

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#### **Additional information:**

#### **SAP Cloud ALM for Operations Home Page:**

https://support.sap.com/en/alm/sap-cloud-alm/operations.html

#### **SAP Cloud ALM for Operations Expert Portal:**

https://support.sap.com/en/alm/sap-cloud-alm/operations/expert-portal.html

#### **SAP Cloud ALM Online Help:**

https://help.sap.com/viewer/product/CloudALM/2021-04-07/en-US?task=discover\_task



## SAP Focused Run



#### **SAP Focused Run – Value Proposition**

Ensure healthiness of hybrid SAP landscape by monitoring and alerting - Increase operation efficiency by automating operational tasks - Enable root-cause analysis on deep technical level

- Is a powerful solution for customers & partners to operate their solution centralized and highly automated with minimal TCO impact
- Addresses advanced customer needs in scalability, data volumes, security, automation, openness, dashboarding & artificial intelligence
- Uses power of SAP HANA as a platform, including replication, partitioning, predictive analytics, and compression
- Offers machine learning and automated correlation based on the collected monitoring & alerting data (AIOPs)
- Provides feature rich and powerful functionality dedicated to application operations of IT solutions
- Is a licensed SAP product which requires a perpetual license & maintenance contract



#### SAP Focused Run – Scope in detail

Advanced Integration Monitoring – Focused on correlation of e2e message flows and integration related exceptions

Advanced User Monitoring – Focused on end user performance and utilization based on real as well as synthetic user activities

Advanced Application Management – Focused on application aspects as monitoring of application healthiness and jobs as well as service availability, IT calendar and work mode management

Advanced Configuration Monitoring – Focused on monitoring of configuration & software changes including validation of security policies

Advanced System Management – Focused on monitoring of systems, databases, and hosts as well as EarlyWatch Alert, license management and remote service delivery

IT Infrastructure Monitoring – Focused on monitoring of technical infrastructure components (no own visibility in this layer)

#### Advanced Alert & Event Management

Calculation of specific alerts based on predefined thresholds

Unified alert inbox & alert handling procedures

Correlation of alerts to alert clusters to point more efficient to the root cause of an issue

#### **Advanced Root Cause Analysis**

Dedicated RCA capabilities as system analysis, trace analysis and file system browser

Works on realtime raw data as well as aggregated historical data

Formalizes collected analysis knowledge to guided RCA

#### **Operation Automation**

Execution of manual or automated actions triggered by alerts to increase resolution efficiency by time reduction

Automation of regular operations tasks to increase operation efficiency and quality

## Advanced Analytics & Intelligence

Provides flexible dashboards for data coming from different use cases (cross use case analytics)

Uses AI capabilities to derive intelligent decisions

Standardizes open API's for efficient data transfer

#### **SAP Focused Run – Release Strategy**

- Continuous delivery of new innovations based on customer feedback
- Keeping functional focus on application operations for hybrid landscapes
- Three year release cycles with delivery of two delivery units per year → One year overlap
  to change to next release
- Regular technology updates for ABAP, HANA and SAPUI5 to use latest innovations



#### How to get and implement SAP Focused Run?

## SAP Focused Run Positioning Workshop

- As result of the workshop, SAP will provide a project proposal including Hardware sizing, License sizing, and possible consulting package
- Customers & Partners get full transparency regarding the boundary conditions for the SAP Focused Run implementation project

## Buy the SAP Focused Run license

The software is sold via SAP Global Price List by SAP Sales Organization. Customer individual discounts can be applied.

#### SAP Focused Run Project Setup & Architecture Workshop

- Download the appropriate software package from the SAP Support Portal
- As a jumpstart the SAP Focused Run Project Setup & Architecture Workshop should be conducted

#### More information can be found here:

https://support.sap.com/en/solution-manager/focused-solutions/focused-run.html

## SAP Focused Run - Roadmap

**FRUN 4.0 FRUN 3.0** FRUN 3.0 **FRUN 3.0** FP01 **FP02** FP03 Q4 2021 Q2 2021 Q2 2022 Q4 2022 ...

#### **System & Configuration Monitoring**

- Improved support for HA/DR solutions in LMDB, CCDB and System Monitoring
- Improved API access to aggregated and non-aggregated system monitoring data
   Trend analysis & improved policy
- management in Configuration Monitoring

#### **Application Management**

- Infrastructure improvements to streamline data collection for Health Monitoring
- More generalized Job Monitoring to support non-ABAP jobs and BW process chains

#### **Alert Management & Operation Automation**

- Integrated lessons learnt in alert clustering
- Improved usability in Guided Procedure FWK

#### **Integration & User Monitoring**

- Enhanced cloud support and analytics in Integration Monitoring & integrated log file scanning in Exception Monitoring
- Extended cloud support in RUM & integration of externally executed scripts in SUM

#### **Analytics & Intelligence**

- New content for OCC and operation DB's
- UI improvements and new prediction models in System Anomaly Prediction

#### **System & Configuration Monitoring**

- Finalize aggregation framework for MAI data including efficient outbound API
- Support of SAP HANA Cloud as managed entity in System Monitoring
- Support of Zero Downtime approach

#### **Application Management**

- Extended functionality in Health Monitoring including advanced UI views
- Improvements for Job Monitoring (house keeping, alert configuration, UI features)

#### **Alert Management & Operation Automation**

- Extended alert reporting, alert search and alert clustering functionality
- New guided procedure content

#### **Integration & User Monitoring**

- New content in Integration Monitoring (Ariba, S4 Cloud, Fieldglass) and in Exception Monitoring
- Extended Ul's in Real User Monitoring and integration with Synthetic User Monitoring

#### **Analytics & Intelligence**

- Extended content for tactical, OCC and operation dashboards
- Architecture simplification in System **Anomaly Prediction**

#### Alert clustering

- Correlate alerts per use case but also cross use case to accelerate the problem resolution process
- Increase support to identify correlation potential and to derive associated correlation roles

#### **Adoption of machine learning**

Usage of machine learning to provide threshold less alerting for Real User and Synthetic User Monitoring

#### **End-to-End Monitoring**

- Extend scope for Integration Monitoring e.g. SAP SuccessFactors
- Extend scope for Real User Monitoring e.g. SAP Analytics Cloud

#### **Consuming external data sources**

 Simplified consumption of external data sources including UI integration and alert correlation

#### **Prediction**

 Predict anomalies across all monitoring use cases to allow identification of problems before they influence availability of technical and business services

#### **Operation Automation**

- Close the gap between problem detection and problem resolution by delivering outof-the-box and automated problem resolution procedures
- Provide automation content for on-premise and cloud products to relieve operation staff from reoccurring tasks

#### Content, content, ...

- Follow SAP's strategy to cover the complete SAP product scope from operation perspective
- Support in particular all components belonging to Intelligent Suite as target architecture

# Thank you.

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## **Additional information:**

#### **SAP Focused Run Home Page:**

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#### **SAP Focused Run Expert Portal:**

https://support.sap.com/en/alm/sap-focused-run/expert-portal.html





## SAP Cloud ALM memory extension

## **SAP Cloud ALM**

Fair use included, Extended use available on SAP Pricelist

**SAP Cloud ALM** under Enterprise Support covers the standard fair use cases to implement and operate the Intelligent Enterprise

#### Resources

## **Functions**

## Fair use Included in SAP Enterprise Support

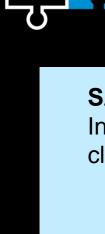
- Infrastructure paid by SAP
  - Memory: 8GB included
- Cloud Operations at SAP
  - Administration & Monitoring
  - Continuous updates

- Generic functionality that all customers need to manage their solution landscape - SAP and non SAP, e.g. test cases
- Application and technology specific support for SAP, e.g. test automation for SAP

**Extended use**Available on SAP price list

 Additional memory beyond 8GB: 300 € per 4GB / month \*  Additional BTP Services e.g. Workflow Management, SAP Cloud Transport Management, etc \*

<sup>\*</sup> Via Cloud Platform Enterprise Agreement



## **SAP Cloud ALM memory extension service**

Extend your memory to build your SAP Cloud ALM enhancements

#### **SAP Cloud ALM**

Included in SAP Enterprise Support, cloud editions



### **SAP Cloud ALM Memory Extension**

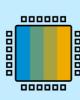
available as service in Cloud Platform Enterprise Agreement (CPEA)



To be used for extended SAP Cloud ALM data storage

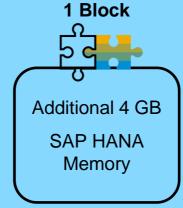
e.g.:

Extended historical data storage, own dashboards, programming own enhancements, etc.



SAP Cloud Plattform

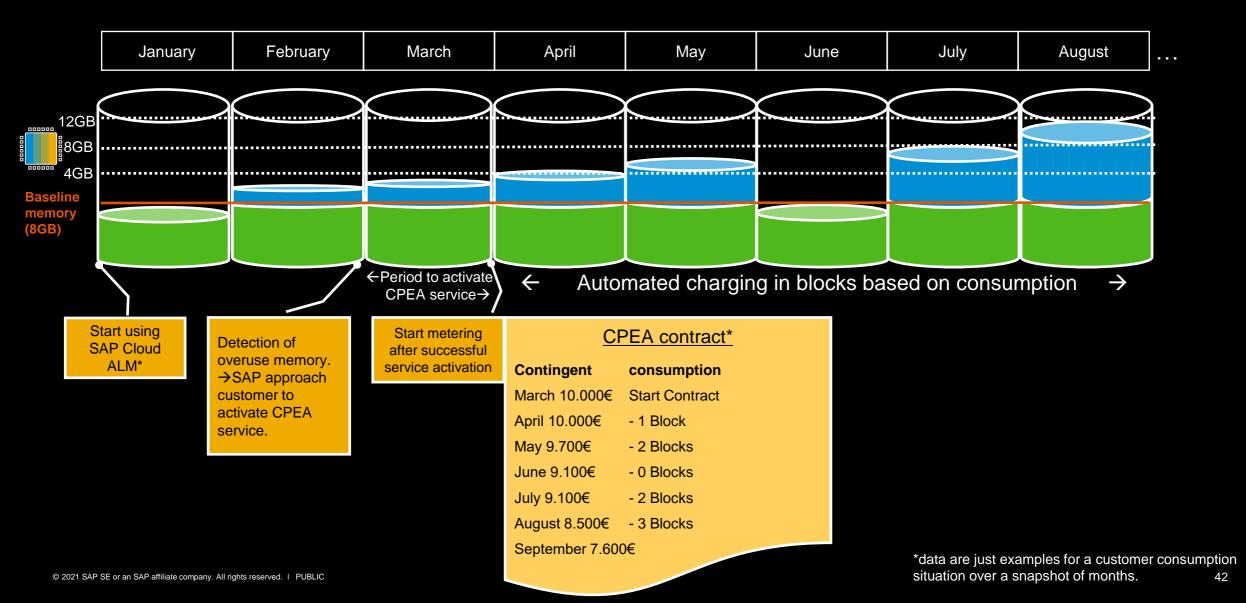
Includes a baseline of SAP HANA memory for Standard ALM of your SAP solutions as defined in SAP Cloud ALM usage rights\*



After activation of the service, customers are charged only in the months where they exceed use of the provided baseline memory.

Median memory consumption per month defines the amount of blocks that will be charged automatically from the CPEA contingent.

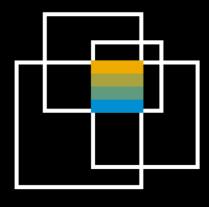
## How is the SAP Cloud ALM, memory extension charged with CPEA?



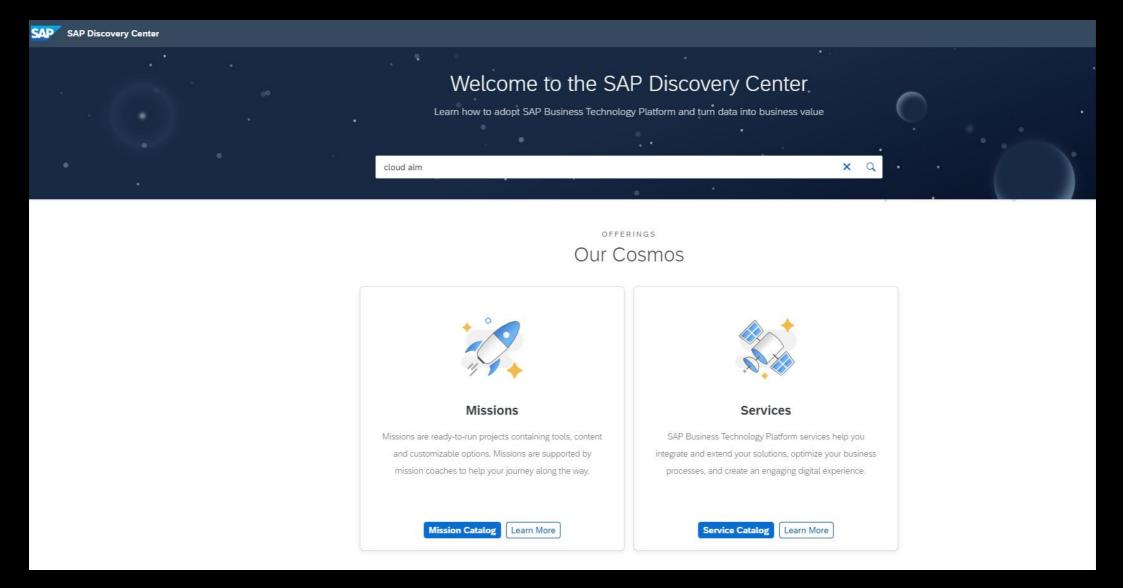
## **SAP Cloud ALM memory extension**

Typical use cases for SAP Cloud ALM memory extension

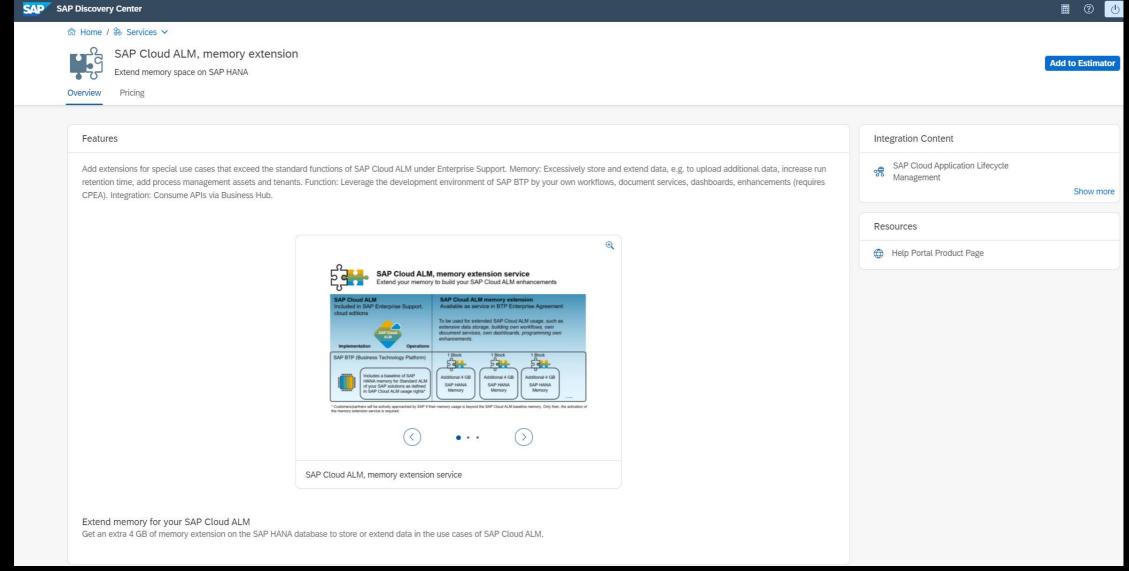
- A customer is storing extensively data from Monitoring activities on the SAP HANA database.
- A customer is building additional UIs, dashboards in SAP Cloud ALM for which he requires additional data & memory storage.
- A large SAP customer with a big system landscape wants to store many monitoring data for a longer time period (performance, Business process- or integration monitoring).
- A customer is using additional Monitoring platforms beyond SAP landscape and is uploading monitoring data daily from a 3<sup>rd</sup> party system.
- Upload of many very large files as attachments to documents.



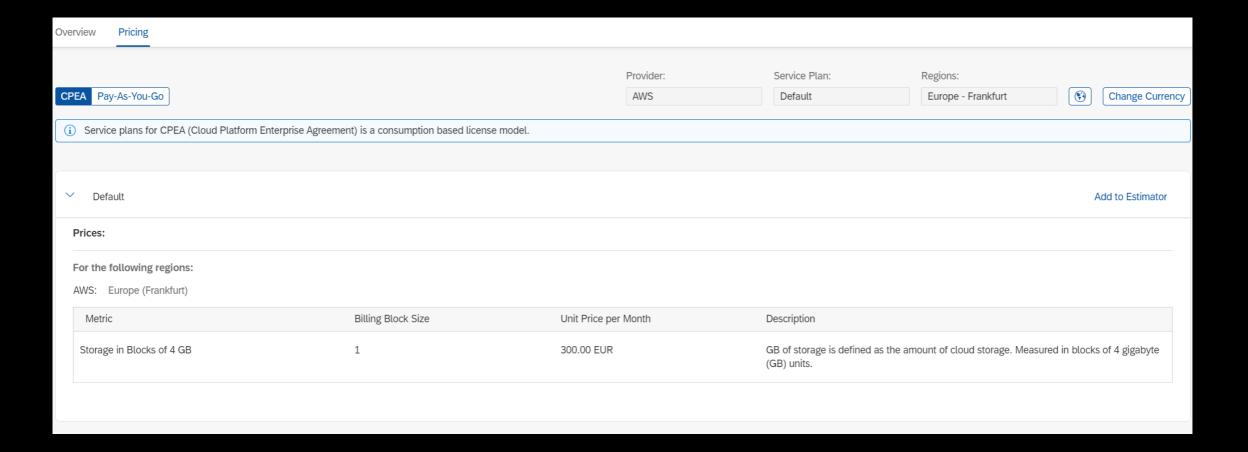
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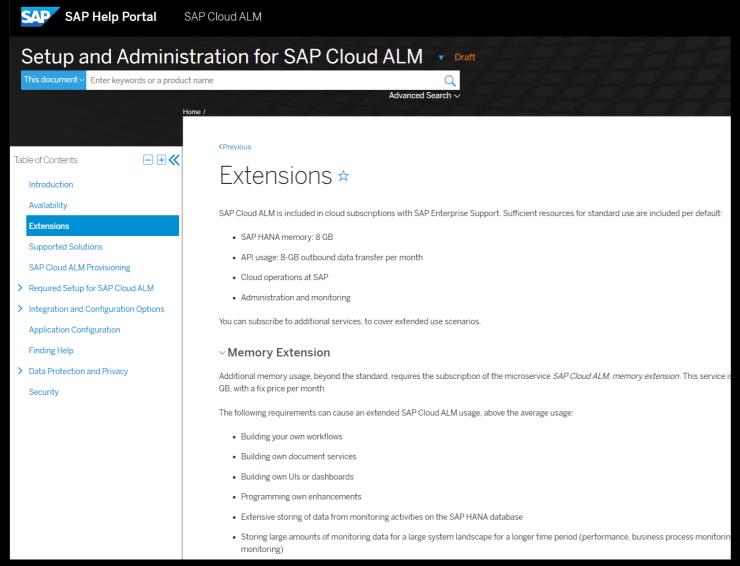
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## More details in SAP Help Portal



## **SAP Cloud Application Lifecycle Management, memory extension** Summary

SAP Cloud ALM is our application lifecycle management service for cloud-centric customers. With SAP Cloud ALM, customers can monitor processes and be alerted to potential issues. This ensures smooth business operations without disruptions and increases the business process execution quality and performance. SAP Cloud ALM allows customers to be proactive in addressing potential issues and empowers them to more fully understand how their cloud solutions run.

- SAP Cloud ALM is included in cloud subscriptions with SAP Enterprise Support. Sufficient resources for fair use is provided at no extra charge.
- We charge for use outside of this, covering extended use scenarios, e.g. extensive data storage, storing historical data, own document services, own dashboards, programming own enhancements, etc.
- Additional memory usage beyond the fair use is charged via the <u>SAP Cloud ALM memory extension</u>, available currently via Cloud Platform Enterprise Agreement (CPEA).
- Customers/Partners will be actively approached from SAP if their memory usage is beyond the SAP Cloud ALM baseline memory. The activation of the memory extension service is required after SAP has reviewed and excluded technical reasons.
- Customers are charged only in the months where they exceed use of the provided 8GB memory.

#### Included resources for fair use:

- Memory: 8GB included
- Cloud Operations at SAP
- Administration & Monitoring

Product	Metric	Monthly List Price
SAP Cloud ALM, memory extension	Blocks of 4GB memory	€300



## Git-enabled Change and Transport System



# git enabled Change Transport System (gCTS) Intro

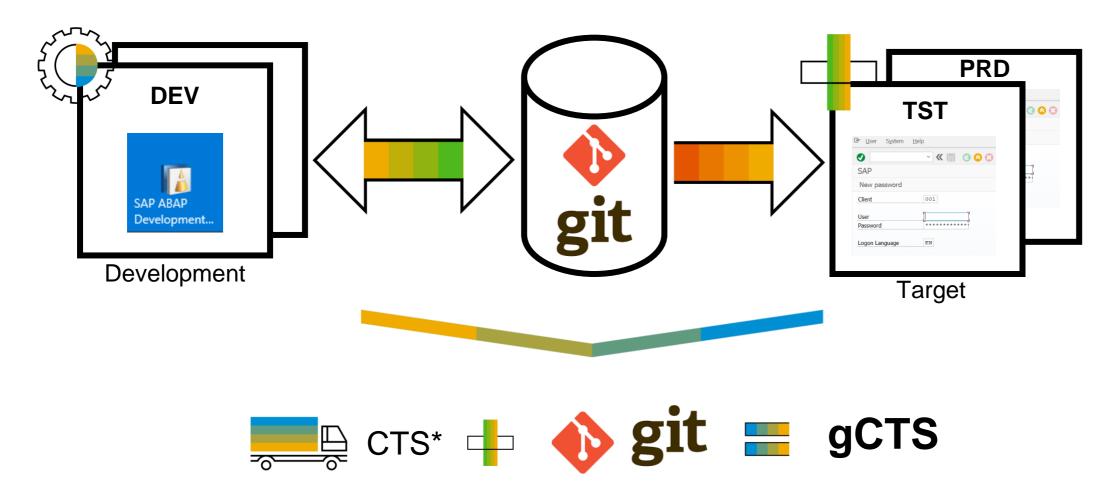
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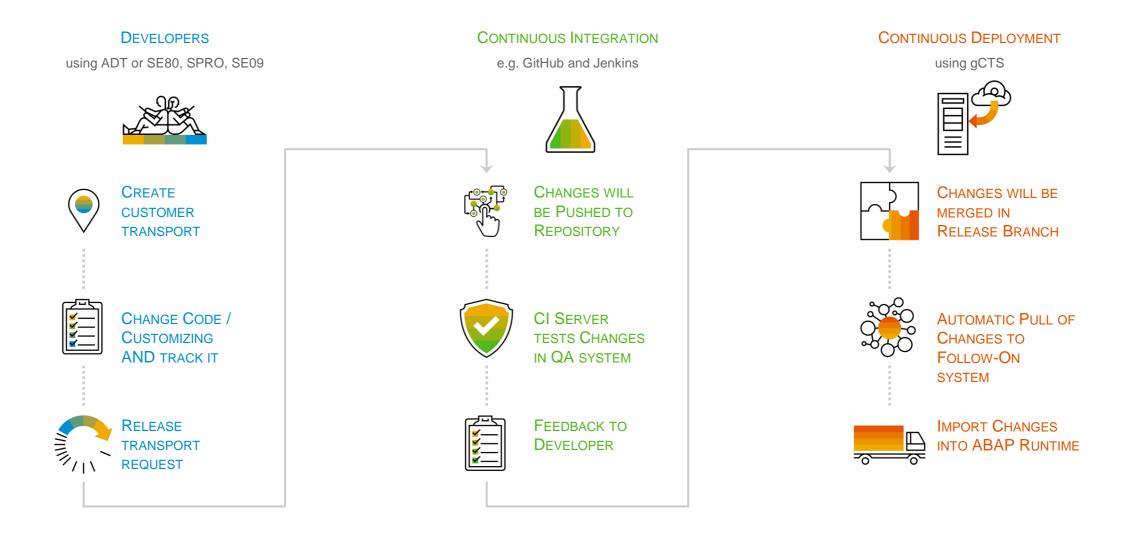
## **Basics**

## Our idea...



<sup>\*</sup> Change and Transport System

## **New ABAP software lifecycle process**



## Which systems do I need?

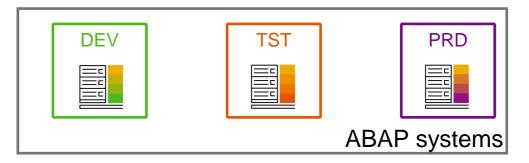
### Git platform

To host your repositories

### ABAP systems

E.g. development, test and production system



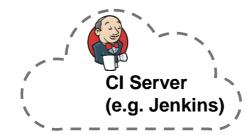


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optional

#### CI server

To host your pipelines



## What do I need to install on these systems?

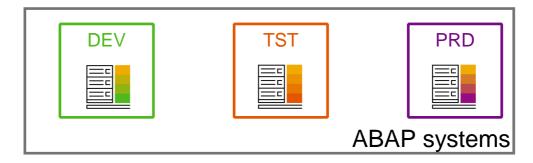
#### Git platform

(nothing special)

#### ABAP systems

- S/4HANA 1909 (2020 for customizing support)
- <u>SapMachine</u> Version 11 or comparable JRE
- Some notes (depending on SP)



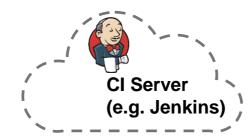


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#### CI server

 (nothing special – you can use pipeline steps provided in project 'Piper')



## What do I have to configure on these systems?

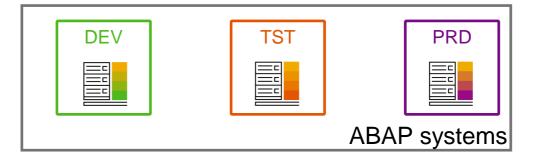
### Git platform

Create Repository (with initial commit)



### ABAP systems

- gCTS Fiori UI
- Authorizations
- Set parameters, initialize systems
- Clone repository
- Create branches

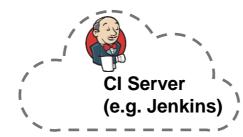


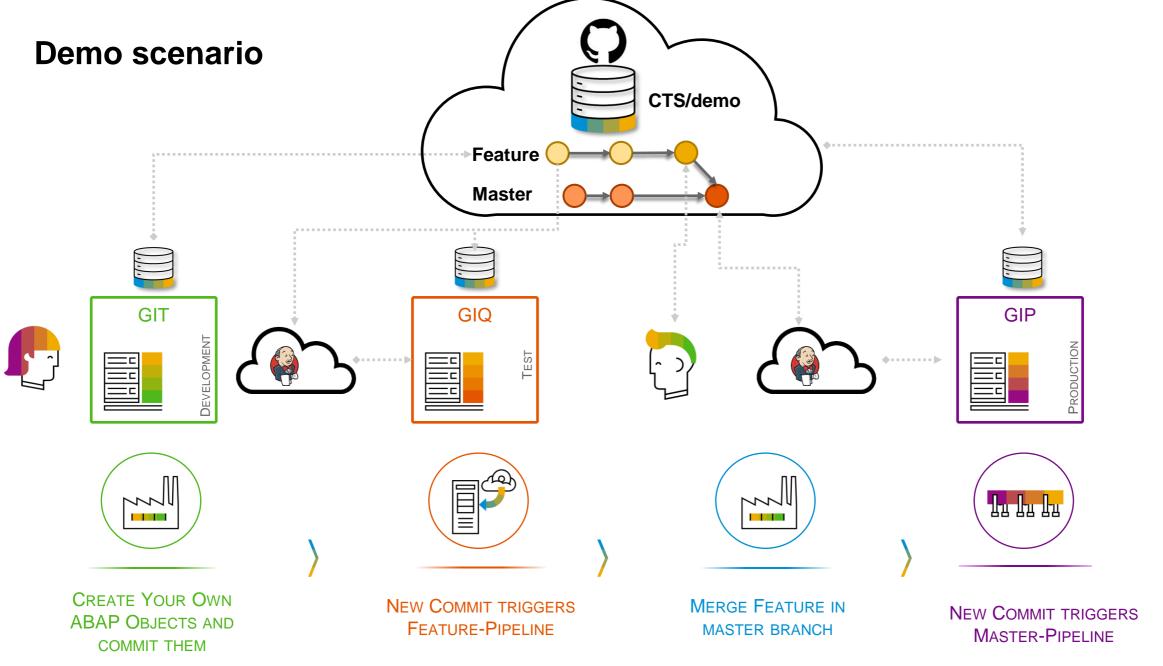
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#### CI server

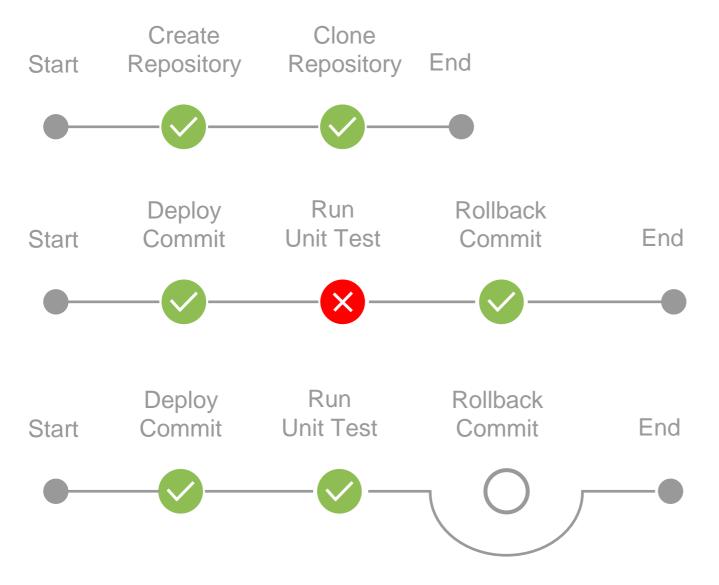
define pipeline





## News

## **Project 'Piper' – planned Steps**



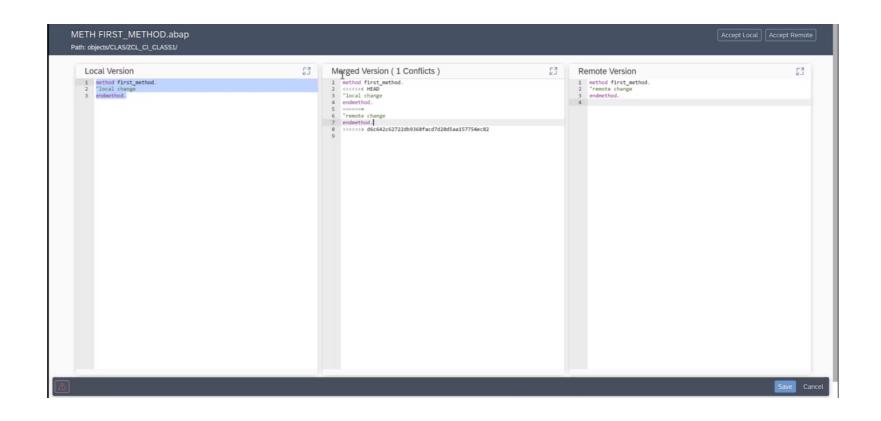
Library Steps in Project ,Piper'
gctsCloneRepository
gctsCreateRepository

gctsDeploy
gctsExecuteABAPUnitTests
gctsRollback

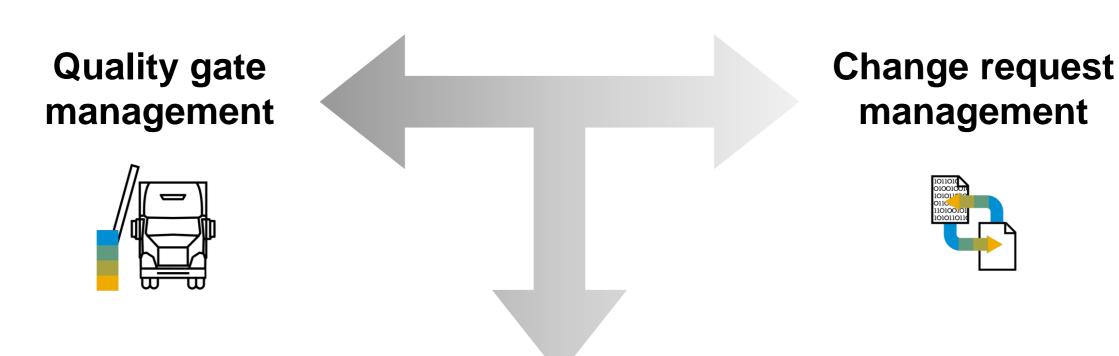
## **Support for Conflict Resolution**

#### Conflict Resolution UI

- Shows local and remote version
- Shows merged version indicating conflicts
- Merged version requires editing
- Integrated in Objects tab of gCTS app
- Requires GitHub



## **Process meets technology**



Transport management and SAP Cloud Platform Transport Management service

Git-enabled change and transport system (gCTS)\*

## Change control management innovations

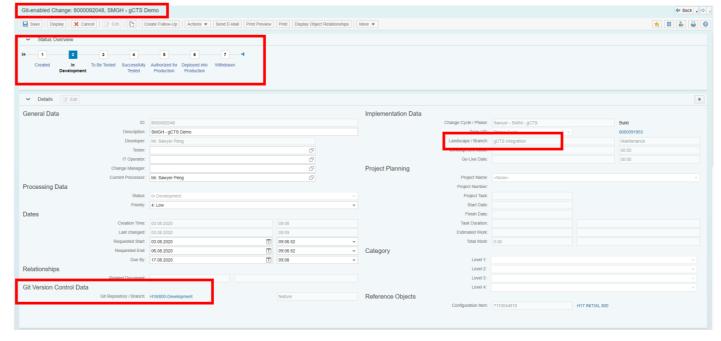
## gCTS integration with SAP Solution Manager

#### **Description**

- Enable gCTS on managed systems
- Configure your system landscape
- Select repository in change document in change request or quality gate management

#### **Benefits**

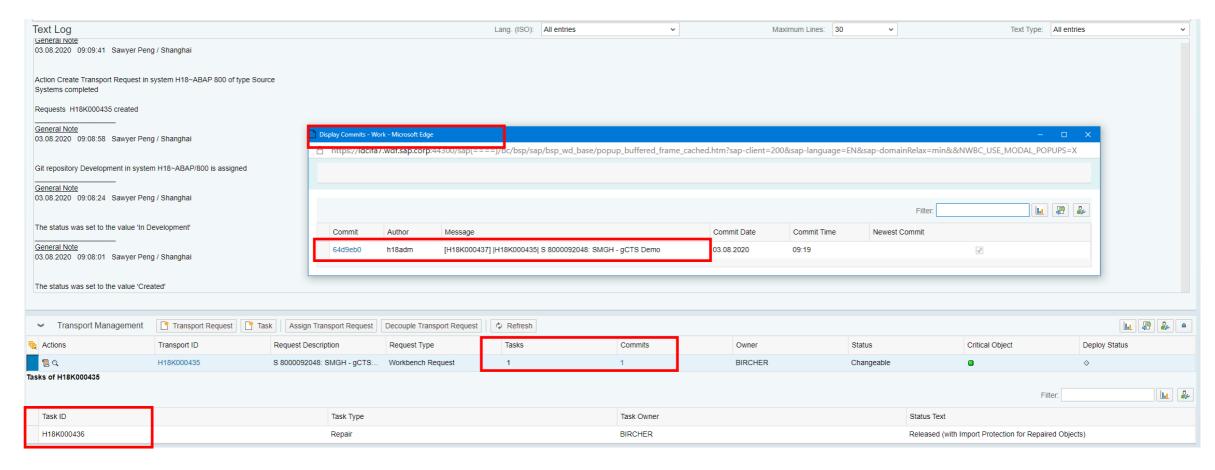
- Ready-to-run DevOps processes with ABAP
- Central end-to-end control and transparency over change execution
- Similar look and feel as CTS/CTS+, cTMS integration
- Governance and auditability



## Change control management innovations

SAP Solution Manager observes and controls gCTS

Change request or quality gate management will track within change documents transports, tasks, and commits, and will trigger the deployments of commits into the target ABAP system



## Outlook

### Releases and their Features

#### **S/4HANA 1909**

- Git-based distribution of custom development
- Support for workbench objects
- Option to set up Continuous Integration process
- Option to automate Continuous Deployment

#### S/4HANA 2020

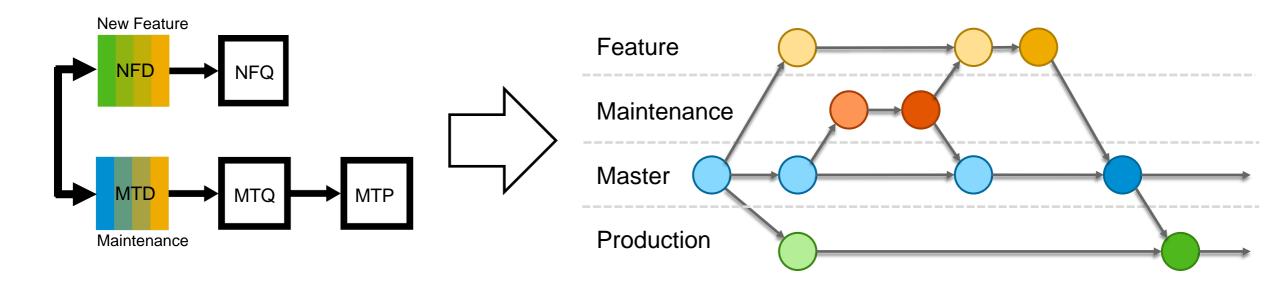
- Support for customizing objects
- Basic support for conflict resolution when merging branches
- Integration of gCTS with ChaRM (requires SAP Solution Manager 7.2 SP12)

## Planned

#### **Future Direction**

- Enhance support for distributed development and maintenance / development use cases
- Leverage GitHub functionality for code reviews (e.g. pull requests)
- Integration in transport organizer
- Improve exception handling and logging
- Convenience functionalities to use gCTS for business processes on CI platforms.

## Planned use case: Feature development and maintenance in parallel



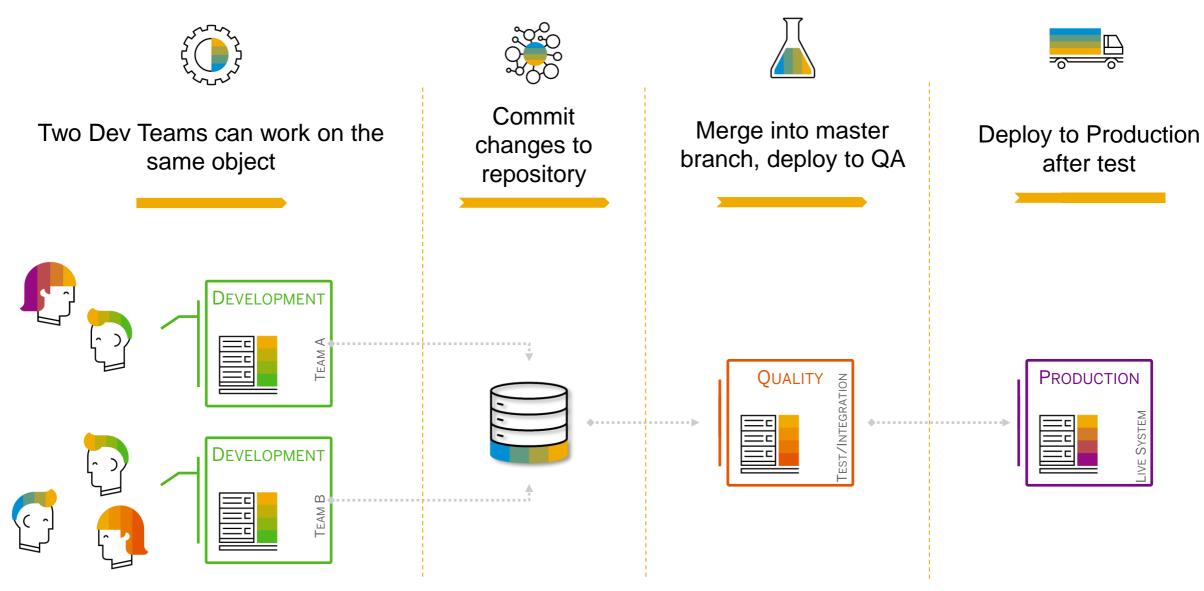
One branch for feature development

One branch for maintenance

No doubled system landscape needed

Deploy the latest commit of one or the other branch to develop new features or to do maintenance

## Planned use case: Distributed development



### **Additional information**

gCTS in SAP Help Portal

Guided Answer: <a href="https://ga.support.sap.com/dtp/viewer/index.html#/tree/2504/actions/34024">https://ga.support.sap.com/dtp/viewer/index.html#/tree/2504/actions/34024</a>

gCTS in SAP Support Portal: <a href="https://support.sap.com/en/tools/software-logistics-tools/change-and-transport-system.html#section\_1079943272">https://support.sap.com/en/tools/software-logistics-tools/change-and-transport-system.html#section\_1079943272</a> (not a lot up to now – but planned to be extended as the central entry point for all information around gCTS)

#### Notes:

- 2821718 Central Note for Git-enabled Change and Transport System (gCTS)
- 2827411 <u>Delivery of SAP Fiori app for Git-enabled Change and Transport System (gCTS)</u>
- 2888887 gCTS: restrictions in supported object types
- 2894157 gCTS Fiori app: Fixes for UIBAS001, version 500, SP01

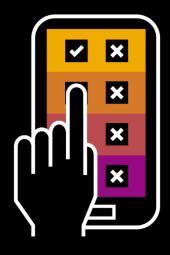
#### What is it?

- Platform at ALM Summit EMEA to introduce your ALM solutions / extensions to all Summit participants
- The 2021 Challenge is "How to make the standard ALM processes smarter with a solution extension?"
- 6 partner solutions will pitch their existing ALM extension solution or a product at ALM Summit to all participants in a Jam session
- There will be a voting of the best solution and a price for the winner



#### Rules

- The solutions have to exist as a product or a concrete solution, available to customers and shall extend one of SAP's ALM products (e.g. SAP Solution Manager, SAP Cloud ALM, FRUN)
- Application time starts now. All partners who want to join the challenge should provide a short pitch (one pager) to SAP (<u>David.Birkenbach@sap.com</u>) by end of July at the latest.
- A jury will do a pre-selection to nominate TOP 6 for the live pitch at the Summit.
- At the summit, each presenter will get 10 min to pitch and demonstrate the solution extension.
- All audience have the possibility to vote with an online tool, which solution they like most.
- The winner will be announced immediately after the pitching sessions and will get a price



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