

# THE RIGHT PLATFORM FOR YOUR WORKLOADS

A major cloud strategy overhaul may be needed for the next phase



## A Successful Digital Transformation Requires Matching Workloads to the Right Platform

While organizations are largely satisfied with their current cloud strategy, a significant percentage of organizations — especially very large organizations — are conducting a major overhaul in order to meet future challenges, reduce costs and drive innovation.

## NO SINGLE PLATFORM IS APPROPRIATE FOR EVERY WORKLOAD



Most organizations have embraced cloud, but

**Only 30%**

of companies are using public, private, and hybrid cloud together as part of their strategy

## THE VALUE OF THE CLOUD IS CLEAR



Nearly all companies say their cloud strategies have met expectations, with

**61%**

saying they exceeded them



## BUT CLOUD STRATEGIES ARE STILL VERY YOUNG

**77%**

Have a cloud strategy 5 years old or less

**5**

years old or less

**2**

years old or less

**34%**

Have a strategy 2 years old or less

## HOW CLOUD STRATEGY WAS DEVISED

**33%**

Created cloud strategy first, then retro-fit business goals

**60%**

Defined business objectives first

**6%**

We were told to do it

## NEED FOR A NEW CLOUD STRATEGY EMERGING

**31%**

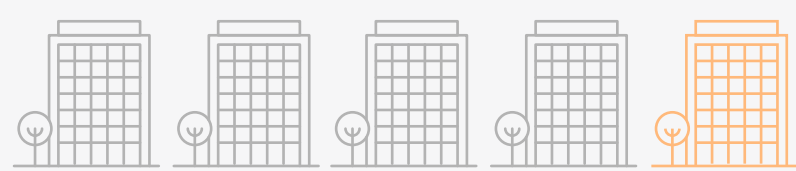
have made significant changes or implemented a completely new strategy

**49%**

made incremental changes

**12%**

see no changes to their strategy going forward



**Nearly 1 in 5**

are planning or implementing either a totally new strategy or a major overhaul

## CLOUD STRATEGY LEADERS CHANGE WITH PROGRESS

**83%**

say originator of cloud strategy still in charge

- Staying with original cloud strategy

**17%**

say originator has moved on

- Evolved past original cloud strategy

## PLAN TO EXPAND OR OVERHAUL ORIGINAL STRATEGY VS. RIP AND REPLACE?

**75%**

will expand or overhaul existing cloud strategy

**11%**

will deploy completely new strategy



To start planning the next step of your cloud strategy, go to

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