

# SAP Business One Road Map

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Companies today are planning their digital journeys – transforming business models, reengineering business processes, and reimagining work.

**SAP road maps** highlight innovations that may help you plan and implement your digital journey. They span products relevant to lines of business in your industry and explain how our innovations may add value to your business.

In our road maps, you can learn about our innovations along four different timelines:

- 1. Recent innovations for our products that have been launched in the past weeks or months and can already be purchased
- 2. Planned innovations for our products that are intended to be launched in the short term or midterm
- 3. Product direction, providing a long-term perspective on high-level development plans for innovations for our solutions inspired by your requirements
- 4. Product vision, providing a high-level and long-term business perspective on innovations for our products

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# **Product overview**



# Help the world run better and improve people's lives

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# Our vision We bring out the best in every business

# Agility at scale

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Confidently navigate dynamic markets with purpose-built innovations designed for quick implementation, swift scaling, and rapid response

# Achieving more across the value chain

Tap into the trusted and scalable business ecosystem, harnessing the intelligence across your internal systems and external partnerships to optimize performance across your value chain

# Sustainability at your core

Transform your operations with next-generation solutions that drive more accurate and actionable sustainability management across your entire enterprise

# SAP's best-selling ERP solution by number of customers



Used by **80,000+** customers with **1.2+** million users ~300 partners
with 500+ solutions

Available as 50 country localizations and in 28 languages

**360+** large enterprises running SAP Business One in

7,000+ subsidiaries

Implemented by 850+

partners worldwide

SAP Business One used in **170+** countries

# SAP Business One: Strong ERP core for SMEs designed to ease extending and complementing

# Digital enablers (enrich and extend the core):

- AI and machine learning
- SAP Business Technology Platform (SAP BTP) cloud services
- Analytics

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• Mobile technologies



# **SAP Business One process metro map**



# **SAP Business One solution**



#### Cost

Low cost of ownership and efficient support
 + cloud control center

#### Usability

Web client

Modern front end and analytics

#### **Comprehensive business scope**

- All standard business processes covered
- 8 Extending the solution scope based on extensibility layer
- Robust integration and collaboration relying on service layer and software development kit (SDK)
- Basic application programming interfaces (APIs)

#### State-of-the-art technology

- 2 Running on in-memory technology
- 5 Interface for SAP HANA and Microsoft SQL applications
- 1 Full deployment flexibility

# SAP Build

Create enterprise apps, automate processes, and design business sites with drag-and-drop simplicity



**SAP Business Technology Platform** brings together application development, data and analytics, integration, and AI capabilities into one unified environment optimized for SAP applications.

# SAP Business One used in more than 170 countries

Master the challenge of globalization in your business



## Countries making use of localizations

# Current system languages (28):\*

Customers in more than 120 countries use localization of other countries, own customization, or a partner solution.

Arabic, Chinese (simplified and traditional), Czech, Danish, Dutch, English (UK and U.S.), Finnish, French, German, Greek, Hebrew, Hungarian, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Norwegian, Polish, Portuguese (Brazil), Portuguese, Russian, Slovak, Spanish (Latin America), Spanish, Swedish, Turkish, and Ukrainian

\*A convenient option for making additional languages available is using a partner solution (for some countries bundled with functional add-ons) or to define customer-specific UI terms using the custom language tool as detailed in SAP Note 1757764.

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# **Recent innovations**



# SAP Business One, Web client: The best of all worlds

#### Web client benefits

- · Supports smooth working with SAP Business One using native web browser
- Offers the core business logic and processes in a new user experience based on the SAP
  Fiori design system
- Reads and writes from and to the same company database used with SAP Business One

#### **Business processes coverage**

- Company configuration framework
- Sales and purchasing documents
- CRM, service, and timesheet
- · Payments and journal entries
- Items and business partners master data

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- Inventory documents and bill of material
- Document drafts and approval process
- Sophisticated analytics capabilities

#### Integration and extensibility

- Microsoft 365 OneDrive export (Excel, Word)
- Collaboration using Microsoft Teams
- E-mail using Microsoft Outlook 365
- Basic extensibility
- Web client user interface API (UI API)
- SAP Companion service (web assistant) adoption





# SAP Business One, Web client: Analytics

Powerful analytics at the tip of your fingers

# List view: Object-centered analytics

Use sophisticated filtering (including date offset) and visualization (including date aggregation) capabilities for deriving and presenting the data you need in every object list view

# General overview: Gather multiple data sources

Design cards based on any list view, analytical chart, user-defined objects and tables, or user-defined query, showing the data you need from various aspects

# **User-defined queries (UDQs)**

Manage, create, edit, and preview UDQs; presented as standard list view and can be leveraged as a data source for cards on general overview

#### Linked views: Contextual analytics

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Assign any view, general overview, or UDQ to any object to derive record-specific data

#### Export and import views: Collaborate across companies

Export selected views (and links) to a file that can be imported into other company databases

# Share by e-mail: Collaborate among users

Embed a direct link to any view, general overview, or UDQ in e-mail body and send to your colleagues

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# SAP Business One, Web client: UI API framework

#### **UI API framework**

- · Ability to customize web client views
- Support for UI controls
- Support for events
- Samples and online help

## Develop using VS Code IDE

- Create a project in VS Code
- · Select the relevant views to extend
- Preview the relevant changes
- Debug

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Package and deploy using the extension manager

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# **Identity and authentication management**

SAP Business One introduces the identity and authentication management (IAM) service, allowing users to authenticate with their identity provider (IdP) user when signing in to SAP Business One in on- premise and cloud (using cloud control center) deployments.

# Main benefits of using IAM in SAP Business One:

- Enhanced security during sign-in
- Utilization of IdP's multi-factor authentication and reduction of potential for attack
- Reduced password fatigue users don't need to remember an excessive number of passwords
- Single sign-on experience, supporting market-leading IdPs:
  - Azure AD
  - ADFS
  - Okta
  - SAP's identity authentication service (beta)
- Central user management across companies and optimal license allocation
- Solid integration with extensions
- Enhanced sign-in user experience

## **On-premise**







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**Cloud (cloud control center)** 



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# Intelligent automation for SAP Business One

The **SAP Build Process Automation solution** helps you maintain your edge, and the **AI services** free up your employees from repetitive and error-prone tasks.

#### **Embedded business cases:**

- Intelligent invoice scanning including templates
- · Business partners creation and update based on business-card scanning

#### Side-by-side business cases:

• Seven automation best-practice templates (including product return request automation workflow)



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# SAP Business One 10.0: Key highlights up to feature package (FP) 2405 (1/6)

# Web client

# **Document support**

- Sales documents: Quotations, orders, deliveries, returns, return requests, A/R invoices, A/R reserve invoices, and A/R credit memos
- Purchasing documents: Purchase requests, quotations, orders, goods receipt POs, goods returns, goods return requests, A/P invoices, A/P reserve invoices, and A/P credit memos
- Inventory documents: Goods issues, goods receipts, and inventory counting

# **Analytics enhancements**

- Advanced analytics content and editor incl. import and export views
- User-defined queries
- Linked list views

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# **Technological enhancements**

- Enterprise search: Supported on SAP HANA
- Support for single sign-on

# Functionality

- Company configuration framework
- Outgoing and incoming SnB/bin location selection
- Service calls and solution knowledge base
- Relationship map
- Document opening and closing remarks
- Approval process and drafts incl. approvers
- Business partner (BP) and item master data
- BP catalog number and bar code
- Multiple branches
- Freight charges
- Exchange rate entry
- Authorizations and data ownership
- Incoming and outgoing payments
- Activities and notifications
- Bill of materials (BOM)
- Journal entry
- Equipment card and service contract
- Alternative items
- Timesheet
- Opportunities
- Packing slip

# Usability enhancements

- Customizable home page
- Flexible list views
- Special lines in marketing documents
- Reference documents
- Predefined texts
- 28 display languages
- Message preferences
- High-contrast UI theme and Horizon theme
- Attachment management
- SAP Companion adoption
- Microsoft 365 integration to OneDrive (Excel, Word)
- Outlook 365 integration
- Business-card scanning with Document
   Information Extraction service
- KPIs display in user-defined tiles
- Support for APIs for new views
- Support for "Display in menu" setting for UDTs
- User-defined fields, tables, and objects
- VS Code plug-ins (URL mashup, apps), iFrame as a tile support
- Web client user interface API (UI API)

# SAP Business One 10.0: Key highlights up to FP 2405 (2/6)

# Localizations | Legal compliance

- Support for external VAT calculation\*
- Bank statement processing (BSP) enhancements
- Journal entries series for the period-end closing/exchange rate difference and conversion differences transactions
- EU PEPPOL electronic invoicing support
- Cargo tracking and tracing enhancements (EU)
- SAP Crystal Reports software layouts for Switzerland
- Audit file (FEC) enhancements for France
- VAT API for Denmark
- SAF-T report for Denmark (mandatory information)

- SAF-T tax report for Norway
- SAF-T report for Portugal
- Electronic invoice and electronic payments ATCUD support for Portugal
- Electronic signing for electronic invoices for Portugal
- Online invoicing enhancements for Hungary
- E-books incl. online sales reporting with duty and expense classification enhancements for Greece
- XRechnung e-invoices for Germany
- Electronic invoice/KSeF for Poland
- · Certificazione Unica enhancements for Italy
- Digital signature support for Israel
- Electronic Invoice for Israel
- New tax for one-use plastics for Spain and the United Kingdom

- Withholding tax enhancements for Mexico
- Folio enhancements for Chile
- Tax setup APIs for Brazil
- A/P down payment request and accumulation to support e-TDS for India
- Qualified invoice method for Japan
- Transmitting GST return for Singapore
- Golden Tax interface update for China
- CFDI Carta Porte for Mexico
- E-billing integration with ClearTax for India

\*All localizations except Israel

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# SAP Business One 10.0: Key highlights up to FP 2405 (3/6)

# Inventory | Distribution | Production

- Serial and batch numbers mgmt. enhancements
- Ability to change unit of measure (UoM) group of an item
- Additional authorization groups for price lists
- Item group name extended to 100 characters
- Support setting UoM group as inactive
- Reverse and forward serial and batch no. trace report
- FIFO layers report by consumption order
- Drill-down from BOM to item master data
- Inventory counting enhancements
- Extending field length of item description and industry
- Modifying remarks and unified demand forecasts (UDFs) in closed production orders and pick lists
- Support for mass deletion of BOM

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- Procurement confirmation wizard based on production orders
- Changing status of sales and purchase type in item master data
- Opening last prices report from item master data
- Displaying preferred vendor name in item master data
- Support for attachments for bill of materials
- Production order variance report extension

# **Financial management**

- Drill-down to G/L accounts in financial reports
- Posting periods enhancements
- Journal entry remarks extended to 254 characters
- System messages before adding journal entries
- Extended journal entry references
- Updated journal entries with locked posting periods
- Enhanced printing preferences for payments and deposits
- Report refresh enablement
- Management of change log for exchange rates
- IFRS postings for fixed assets
- Tax code determination enhancements in procurement process

# SAP Business One 10.0: Key highlights up to FP 2405 (4/6)

# Sales | Purchasing | Service

- Allowing update due date in partially reconciled invoices
- "Add and view" and "Add and close" in A/R and A/P docs
- Printing service calls and contacts
- Hiding blank lines in addresses
- Proc. confirmation wizard support for gross and net modes
- Enabling updating UDFs in closed documents
- Setting problem types, call status, and more as "Active"
- Flexible default "Valid until" date in sales quotation
- Linking single equipment card to multiple BPs
- New document status "Open e-mailed"

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• Storing price list no. and name in marketing documents rows

- Extended business partner effective price sources
- · Ability to hide document remarks
- · Copying attachment paths to target documents
- Cancellations of return requests
- Updating consolidating business partner and consolidation type at document level
- Customer and vendor reference number enhancement
- Document information extraction integration enhancement incl. service-type document support
- Display of sales document in procurement wizard if target document is canceled
- Relationship map support for reference documents and opportunity
- Moving rows up and down in marketing documents

# CRM

- Customer and vendor group name extended to 100 characters
- Viewing and updating address UDFs in docs, service calls, and address format setup
- Support for filtering activity reports by UDFs
- Link between contact person and BP address
- · Hiding inactive contact persons in BP master data
- Configuring display of employee name
- Telephone field extended to 50 characters
- Foreign name field extended to 200 characters

# **Project management**

- Interactive Gantt chart
- Sorting order for project stages

# SAP Business One 10.0: Key highlights up to FP 2405 (5/6)

# Administration

- Support for attachments tab in additional objects
- Deleting live collaboration history by date range
- Enhancements in approval process
- Personal data management enhancement to support definition of free text fields as personal data
- Setting warning for single-user validation
- Deactivation of shipping types
- Hiding locked users

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- Enhanced user removal management
- Open users set up form in "Find" mode
- Messages and alerts cleanup tool
- Manual determination of path in general settings
- Adding detailed errors for license imports
- Enhancing license balloon appearance

- Main menu form settings for indirect
   access users
- Sort forms in user interface configuration template
- Support for "Hide BOM in component" in SAP Crystal Reports layouts
- Enhanced copy of single form settings
- Allowing change log to read-only documents
- Enabling retrieval of a default value of an SAP Crystal Reports parameter
- BP payment terms without price lists
- Change log enhancements for employee master data
- Managing change log for system setup entries
- Providing parameters for dunning letters in SAP Crystal Reports layouts

# **Authorization enhancements**

- Tab-level authorizations in business partner and item master data
- Support for "Find next" function in authorizations form
- Change log entries for authorization user groups
- Authorization to use "Copy table"
- Authorizations for duplicate documents and records
- Authorizations in payments draft report
- Adding authorization to "Remove opportunity"
- Increased number of authorization groups
- New authorizations for timesheet
- Authorization change log

# SAP Business One 10.0: Key highlights up to FP 2405 (6/6)

# Platform | Extensibility

- SAP HANA 2.0 adoption
- Support for SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15
- Service layer configuration UI
- Service layer support for Microsoft SQL database server
- Service layer support for views on Microsoft SQL
- User-defined values supporting multiple triggers
- Extending UDF support to additional objects
- Microsoft 365 integration
- Increasing menu item limit to 2,000
- Extend DI API and service layer coverage
- API access for CR reports
- Integration hub
- Security enhancements
- Support for Microsoft SQL 2019

- Extending service layer coverage
- Linking UDFs to system forms and user-defined objects
- Enabling DI access to system permissions
- Support for Visual Studio 2019 with SAP Business One studio
- Enhancing UI API error handling
- Support for queries through service layer
- Adding queries to menus
- Sizing guide for service layer
- Unification of installation and upgrade packages for SAP Business One
- Query manager enhancements
- Support for SAP Crystal Reports 2020 SP2
- Checkbox type for user-defined field

# Usability

- New skin style
- Enhanced user interface
- User name in license and add-on administration
- Support for 4K monitors
- Revised SAP Fiori UI for Service and Sales
   mobile app

# Lifecycle management | Cloud

- Identity and authentication management support in on premise and cloud (cloud control center)
- Microsoft Windows 11 support
- SAP Business One, version for SAP HANA supporting SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP4
- Password policy requirements for new installations
- · Redesigned monitoring concept of job service

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# **Product direction**

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# **"SAP Business One is certainly here to stay.** SAP's volume business happens in the midmarket. It's here where we win thousands of net-new names for the growing SAP family thanks to SAP Business One. We need to keep that momentum going."

Jan Gilg, President and Chief Product Officer, Cloud ERP, SAP SE April 2024, SAP Partner Summit for SME (Madrid, Spain)

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# **SAP Business One: Product areas of future investment**

**Vision:** Strengthen SAP Business One as the ERP solution for small business and lower midmarket, offering flexible deployment models including partner-managed cloud, a solid global business core, enabling cloud extensions (SAP Business Technology Platform and SAP Build), and a leading user experience.

Global and highly scalable real-time ERP	Streamlining customer value	Leveraging SAP HANA	Partner co-innovation and extensions	model – cloud, on premise
<ul> <li>Offer a highly competitive solution</li> <li>Provide attractive maintenance model</li> <li>Support enhanced localizations</li> <li>Make continuous improvements</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Transform flexible technology and innovations into customer value at low TCO</li> <li>Support fast adoption of new business models, customer growth, and intuitive web client design</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Further leverage exclusive advantages and capabilities of SAP HANA (enterprise search, advanced analytics)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Support innovation driven by SAP Build and SAP BTP</li> <li>Support robust developer experience on the service layer, including new design concepts, APIs, objects, and tools</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Accelerate cloud transformation and drive mobile adoption</li> <li>Extend partner-managed cloud tools</li> <li>Provide maximum flexibility, low complexity, and best control of the business for customers</li> </ul>

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Elevible deployment

# SAP Business One releases and related products

Solid product road map with continuous innovation



**Cloud** – Continuous enhancements for SAP Business One Cloud, partner-hosted options

Web client – Support for working smoothly with SAP Business One using native web browser

**Mobile apps** – Continuous enhancements for all mobile apps

The latest SAP Business One release planning details are always available in SAP Note 2267770.

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# **SAP Business One**

# Product road map overview: Key themes and capabilities

#### **Recent Innovations**

#### Core

- Web client extended sales, purchasing, service, inventory, and analytics functionality
- Continuous innovations based on market feedback (Customer Influence program)
- Enabling workflow integration with SAP Business One based on SAP Build Process Automation bots with SAP-delivered scenario "Return request" workflow
- Enabling document templates with SAP Build Process Automation for SAP Business One
- Microsoft Teams integration

#### Globalization

- Electronic documents certificate management enhancements
- EU Peppol: Utilization of the SAP Document and Reporting Compliance solution Peppol exchange service cloud edition
- Greece E-books stamp duty support enhancements
- Argentina Electronic invoice enhancements
- Israel Electronic invoice 2024 support
- Poland Electronic invoice (KSeF)
- Spain Support for new tax for one-use plastics
- Japan Qualified invoice method support enhancements
- Singapore Submission of GST return enhancements
- China Golden Tax enhancements

#### Mobile

Service and sales apps update for Microsoft SQL Server, iOS, and Android

#### **Extensibility and platform**

- Identity and authentication management (IAM) introduction
- Enhanced service layer API including support for Microsoft SQL
- Microsoft 365 integration (Word, Excel, OneDrive)
- Windows 11 support

#### Cloud

Introduce IAM in SAP Business One cloud control center

#### Planned innovations<sup>1</sup>

#### Core

- Web client extended sales, purchasing, payments, service, financials, production, inventory, analytics, and administration functionality
- A/P invoice creation automation using Document Information Extraction service in the web client
- Continuous innovations based on market feedback (Customer Influence)
- Outlook 365 integration enhancements

#### Globalization

- Electronic documents service enhancements
- Integration with SAP Document and Reporting Compliance
- Change log report
- Germany B2B electronic invoice 2025
- Germany ELSTER: Adoption of new ERiC versions
- Israel Donation Model support
- Poland Interest Report Enhancements
- France Electronic invoice 2027
- Spain Electronic invoice enhancements
- Spain Software certification support
- Italy Packaging tax support
- India Multiple e-TDS support
- United Kingdom "Making Tax Digital" support through SAP Document and Reporting Compliance

#### **Extensibility and platform**

- Enhanced service layer API
- Web client extensibility
- MS SQL 2022 support
- Principal propagation (extension manager)
- Lifecycle management enhancements (Tomcat split for server tools )

#### Cloud

Lifecycle management enhancements (IAM, storage unit management)

#### **Product direction<sup>1</sup>**

#### Core

- Extended web client business process coverage
- Continuous innovations based on market feedback (Customer Influence)
- Optimized scalability and performance
- Simplification of landscape and deployment, support for containerization approach

#### Globalization

- Enhancement of existing markets and regions
- Integrations to electronic fiscal services
- IFRS compliance

#### Analytics

- Insight to action (data mining)
- Predictive, pervasive, and scalable
- Built-in content

#### Mobile

Continuous innovations based on market feedback

#### **Extensibility and platform**

- Enhanced service layer API
- Enhanced web client extensibility
- Event service support
- Support for virtualization platforms
- Upgrade simplification (support for component upgrade)

#### Cloud

 Upgrade simplification (component upgrade + "in-place" upgrade for service unit)

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# **SAP Business One**

What's coming next: Outlook on core solution delivery for the next releases (SP 2408/SP 2411/FP 2502)\*

#### **Business processes and legal compliance**

- High-value improvement requests (Customer Influence)
- Change log report
- Support definition of additional genders
- UDF support for checks
- Electronic VAT report for Switzerland
- · Electronic invoice enhancements for Argentina
- Electronic enhancements for Portugal
- Electronic enhancements for Israel
- Donation model support for Israel
- Debit note support for Panama and Greece
- · New software certification for Spain
- · Interest report enhancement for Poland
- Peppol support for Australia and New Zealand
- UDF support in the tax determination for Brazil
- "Making Tax Digital" support through SAP Document and Reporting Compliance for the United Kingdom

#### **Cloud and infrastructure**

- Security compliance
- Extend service layer coverage
- Lifecycle management enhancements
- Certificate verification
- · Identity and authentication management enhancements

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# **SAP Business One**

What's coming next: Outlook on web client delivery for the next release (FP 2502)\*

#### **Business processes**

#### Extended usability support

- Support for rich text editor in long-text fields
- Tab order optimization

#### Extended business scope coverage

- Chart of accounts
- Posting templates and Recurring postings

#### **Business scope fine-tuning**

- Extended setting and setup support
- Performance enhancements
- Marketing and Inventory document enhancements

## Analytics

• Extended linked list view functionality

# Extensibility

## Web client user interface API (UI API)

• Extend web client UI API control support

# Simple user-defined value (UDV)

- UDV as a filtered list
- UDV as an arithmetic/logical formula

## User-defined table and object setup

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# **Planned innovations: Core**

Global, highly scalable real-time ERP

# Feature

Optimize core business processes and continuously deliver enhancements and new features, based on <u>Customer Influence</u>

- Optimize functions in logistics and inventory
- Optimize functions in CRM and service
- Optimize functions in financial
- Enhance usability
- Enhance Microsoft 365 integration
- Enhance data protection and privacy
- Integrate SAP solutions adding value for SAP Business One customers

# Lifecycle management

- Optimize upgrade and installation processes
- · Optimize identity and authentication management
- Optimize job service performance and monitoring capabilities
- Optimize data import functions
- Support MS SQL 2022

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# Planned innovations: Web client

# Extend functional scope to cover end-to-end scenarios

# Feature

# Extended business logic coverage and user experience

- Extended sales and purchasing coverage
- Service
- Financials
- Extended payments support
- Inventory management
- Project management
- Production
- Human resources
- Administration and setup
- New Horizon theme elements from SAP

# Analytics, reporting, and printing

- Extended analytics
- Additional reporting content
- Design capabilities
- Support printing

# Integration and extensibility

- Extensibility capabilities (such as UI API, userdefined values)
- VS Code web client plug-in wizard
- Extended Microsoft 365 integration
- Extended Outlook 365 integration
- A/P invoice creation automation using Document Information Extraction service in the web client

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# **Planned innovations: Globalization**

Legal compliance and localization enhancements

# Feature

- Legal compliance and localization enhancements generically or specifically (legal requirements, business practice, statutory reporting, and default values)
- Electronic documents framework enhancements and country-specific built-in content using the electronic file manager addon, electronic documents service, and integration framework
- Electronic documents service component enhancements
- Further integration and leveraging of existing cloud services from SAP for legal adaptations, such as SAP Document and Reporting Compliance

# Country-specific changes:

- All Change log report
- Germany B2B electronic invoicing 2025
- Germany ELSTER: Adoption of the new ERiC versions
- France Electronic invoice 2027
- India Multiple e-TDS support
- Israel Donation model support
- Italy Packaging tax support
- Poland Interest report enhancement
- Spain Electronic invoice enhancements
- Spain Software certification support
- Switzerland Electronic VAT report
- United Kingdom "Making Tax Digital" support through SAP Document and Reporting Compliance

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# **Planned innovations: Extensibility**

Extend SAP Business One for verticals and custom scenarios

# Feature

# SAP Business One core

- Enhancement of service layer API
- Web client extensibility (UI API, user-defined values, user-defined objects, user-defined tables)
- Side-by-side application support (SAP BTP enablement)

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# **Planned innovations: Identity and authentication** management

Single sign-on experience across SAP Business One components

# Feature

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# Identity and authentication management

- Support technical user authentication solution for partner extensions
- · Create golden path for a "user propagation" scenario from SAP Business One to an SAP BTP application when working with SAP's IAS IdP.
- Introduce password policy management for SAP Business One authentication service in system landscape directory
- Introduce "Forgot My Password" option in SAP Business One desktop and web client
- Support advanced options for user creation and binding operations (user import from MS Excel)
- Edit option for existing IdPs in system landscape directory (SLD)
- Enhance central user management in SLD (for example, expose license dimension, show user inactivity)
- Support additional industry-leading IdPs

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# **Planned innovations: Integration framework**

An extremely strong platform

# **Feature**

# Integration framework

- Identity and access management user authentication enhancements
- Role management introduction for integration framework
- Basic SAP S/4HANA Cloud integration
- Security enhancements

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# Planned innovations: Mobile apps for the enterprise

Support flexibility and efficient processes anywhere

# Feature

- Use of native device capabilities of latest devices
- Evolving service layer into a platform for building innovative mobile solutions for verticals
- Optimizing functionality and delivering enhancements and new features

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# **Planned innovations: Cloud**

Simpler consumption and best scaling

# Feature

# SAP Business One Cloud, partner-hosted option

- Enhanced tools in SAP Business One Cloud 1.1 control center focusing on hosting partners, improvements for user experience, monitoring, stability, and performance
- Lifecyle management optimization (applying hot fixes, software component registration, service unit setup, maintenance window setup)
- Optimized partner support user functionality
- Support for virtualization platforms
- Security enhancements

# SAP Business One Cloud, SAP-hosted option

- Support for advanced user authentication
- Security enhancements

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- <u>SAP.com</u>
- SAP Help Portal
- <u>SAP Community for SAP Business One</u>
- <u>SAP Support Portal</u>
- <u>SAP Partner Portal</u>
- <u>Customer Influence session</u> (customers and partners only)
- <u>Exploring SAP Business One, Web client</u> learning journey on <u>learning.sap.com</u>
- <u>One pager: SAP Business One learning and enablement offerings</u>



# Thank you.

