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Background, scope, and methodology of the research

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A wide spectrum of technologies is at play in the BPS market now, and buyers are faced with the decision to evaluate and adopt the right ones. What they should know is that not all technologies have the same impact on the best-in-class BPS outcomes they want to achieve. A number of next-generation technologies have now burst into the market, which have the potential to profoundly impact the foundations of BPS. Other technologies are evolving to stay relevant among the changing realities of the market. The characteristics of these technologies and their impact have to be top considerations, as buyers evaluate their current relationship, or new would-be buyers venture into the world of BPS.

In this context, this report provides a detailed view of each service provider’s offerings and capabilities from the lens of technology solutions for BPS.

In this study, we look at each service provider’s technology capability along the following dimensions:
- Company overview
- Delivery footprint
- Traditional augmentation, next-generation augmentation, and platform-based solutions capabilities
- Business function / industry alignment
- Tenancy and hosting characteristics
- Solution development mode and technologies developed through recent partnerships
- A detailed list of technology solutions offered (in the Appendix)

Scope of the study and methodology of this report include:
- Over 900 technology solutions with 57,000+ deployments in the BPS market
- Coverage across 16 BPS providers: Accenture, Capgemini, Cognizant, EXL, Genpact, HCL, HPE, Infosys, Sutherland Global Services, TCS, Wipro, WNS, and Xchanging

Key exclusions:
- Solutions leveraged by the service provider for internal business operations
- Infrastructure-level technologies

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Abbreviated summary of key messages

Overview and brief description of content

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Service provider technology solution profile (page 1 of 2)

ABC

Company overview
ABC is a leading provider of BPS solutions

Key technology leaders (before the acquisition):
xxx, Chief Technology Officer, Data Integration
xxx, Global CIO and COO

Headquarters (before the acquisition): xxx
Website (before the acquisition): http://www.xxx.com/

Solution scope characteristics
Share of solution types
Percentage of solutions launched after 2012

100%=

100%=

Next-generation augmentation solutions

Percentage of solutions launched after 2012

100%=

Next-generation augmentation solutions

37%

Platform-based solutions

Traditional augmentation solutions

Solution orientation
Percentage of solutions launched after 2012

54%

31%

15%

Business function-specific

Process-agnostic

Industry-specific

Inspection

Source: Everest Group (2016)

1 Consists of business process management, workflow, data management, digitization, reconciliation/sanitization, and interaction solutions
2 Only major industries and business functions have been called out. Abbreviations used: BFS – Banking & Financial Services, FAO – Finance & Accounting Outsourcing, HLS – Healthcare & Life sciences, HRO – Human resources Outsourcing, PO – Procurement Outsourcing, and SCM – Supply Chain Management

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Service provider technology solution profile (page 2 of 2)

ABC

Solution deployment flexibility

Tenancy characteristics
Percentage of solutions launched after 2012

- Only single-client: 10%
- Multi-client or multi-tenant: 90%

Solution development mode

Percentage of solutions launched after 2012

- In-house: 67%
- Partnership: 33%

Solution hosting

Hosting characteristics
Percentage of solutions launched after 2012

- Service provider-hosted: 64%
- Third-party-hosted: 27%
- Client-hosted: 9%

Non-exhaustive list of partners and technologies developed through partnerships

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Source: Everest Group (2016)
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Additional SOT research references

The following documents are recommended for additional insight into the topic covered in this report. The recommended documents either provide additional details on the topic or complementary content that may be of interest.

1. **Heralding a New Era of Transformative Business Process Services through Technology** (EGR-2015-10-R-1646); 2016. This report provides an overview of the technologies being used in the Business Process Services (BPS) space. After examining the increasingly important role of technology as a catalyst of transformation in BPS, the report goes on to look at the adoption of the wide spectrum of technologies in various BPS segments. It also identifies a fundamental distinction in the technology landscape now, with some technologies acting as levers of BPS transformation and others driving the traditional BPS objectives of cost and efficiency. The report then deep-dives into Service Delivery Automation (SDA), decision support, platform-based and traditional augmentation solutions to describe their adoption patterns and ability to create next-generation value. Finally, the report describes the imperative for buyers to take a structured and well-thought-out approach to create a technology-embedded BPS model and for service providers to tweak their go-to-market approach to capitalize on this opportunity.

2. **Unlocking Next-Generation Value through Technology-Embedded Business Process Services | Part 1** (EGR-2015-10-R-1533) and **Part 2** (EGR-2015-10-R-1533); 2016. Organizations increasingly seek added value—driving agility, speed, and better business outcomes through their BPS initiatives. Technology has emerged as a catalyst and an enabler of this evolution within BPS. It is imperative for enterprises to develop a clear understanding on three things. First, the technology spectrum available and the benefits of creating a technology-embedded BPS model; second, the way technology needs to fit in the overall BPS design and lifecycle anchored in business outcomes; and third, some best practices to make it happen. Part 1 focuses on the first two factors and Part 2 on the third factor.

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