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Global services | key market trends in Q2 2024



In Q2 2024, the total number of ITO contracts increased compared to the same quarter the previous year. Organizations are steadily increasing their IT spending, with significant investments in managed services deals that involve AI services. Additionally, more than 45% of the technology and communications sector contracts saw global growth, especially in the UK and Western Europe, highlighting a surge in IT application technology spending in these regions.

In Q2 2024, AI contracts increased primarily in North America, the UK, and Western Europe, driven by providers focusing on automation solutions such as chatbots and RPA. Additionally, many of these contracts were outcome-based ones, encouraging providers to innovate and deliver value, leading to more strategic partnerships. Similarly, there was a surge in both M&As and alliances due to providers' willingness to accelerate their digital capabilities in AI and generative computing.

Headcount growth decreased in Q1 2024 after stabilizing in Q4 2023, as providers focused on protecting margin and reducing hiring. Attrition rates have dropped, with buybacks of offers, while increased employee utilization indicates that the existing staff is being utilized more effectively, contributing to operational efficiency despite the overall headcount reduction.

In the GBS offshore regions, the share of new centers focused on Engineering, Research & Development (ER&D) functions decreased overall. However, there was an increase in the number of new centers that specialized in mechanical engineering services within the ER&D function, particularly for developing automotive-related solutions.

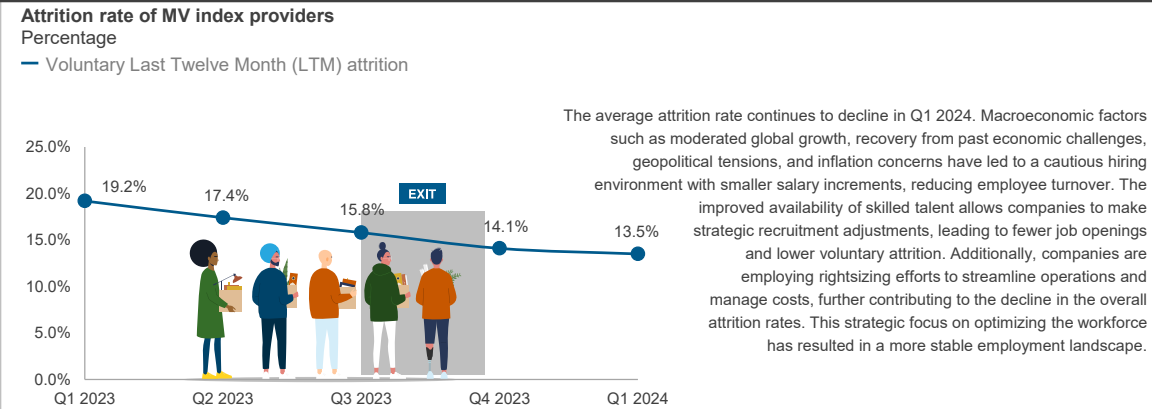
The North American region experienced significant growth in center setups, driven by the decrease in inflation rates, which is gradually approaching the targeted level, and providers showing the willingness to invest in the region. However, the overall centers in onshore location was stable in Q2 2024 compared to the previous quarter.

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Service provider developments | Market Vista™ index service providers

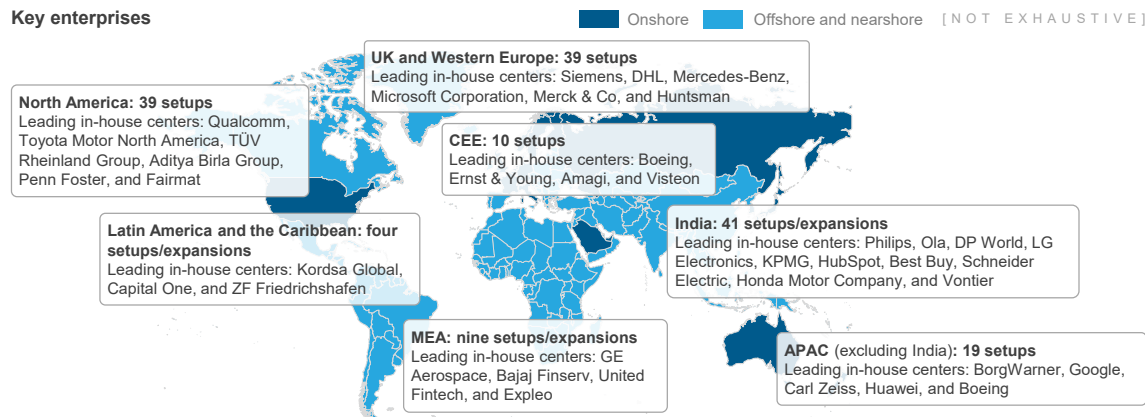


Service provider developments | Market Vista™ index service providers attrition rate



In-house delivery setups and expansions | by region

Key enterprises



Locations dashboard

Location	Top cities	Number of center setups	Share of digital centers	Share of tier-2/3 centers	Share of in-house delivery centers	Favorability of operating and business environment
Top onshore locations						
US	Atlanta and Chandler	▲ 39	▼	▲	▲	■
UK	London and Manchester	▲ 12	▲	▲	▲	■
Germany	Frankfurt and Munich	▲ 6	▲	▲	▲	■
UAE	Dubai	● 5	▲	▼	▲	■
France	Paris	▲ 5	●	▲	▲	■
Top offshore/nearshore locations						
India	Bangalore and Hyderabad	▼ 46	▼	▼	▼	■
Canada	Toronto	▲ 5	●	▲	▲	■
Poland	Warsaw and Lodz	▲ 4	▲	▲	▲	■
Bulgaria	Sofia	▲ 4	●	▲	▲	■
China	Shanghai	● 4	▼	●	●	■
Ireland	Dublin	▲ 4	▲	▼	▲	■
UK	Belfast and Glasgow	● 3	▲	▼	●	■
Spain	Malaga	▲ 2	▲	▲	▲	■
Romania	Timisoara	▼ 2	●	▼	▼	■
Philippines	Manila	▲ 2	▲	●	▲	■

▼ Decreased from the last quarter ● Same as the last quarter ▲ Increased from the last quarter
 ■ Moderate ■ High

- The share of top onshore locations center setup activity increased in Q2 2024 to 67 centers compared to 52 centers in Q1 2024. The share of top offshore/nearshore locations center setup activity increased slightly in Q2 2024 to 76 centers compared to 74 centers in the previous quarter. Germany, the UAE, and France were the new entrants among the top onshore locations, while Poland, Bulgaria, Ireland, Spain, and the Philippines were the new entrants among the top offshore/nearshore locations
- The leading onshore locations have highly favorable operating and business environments, whereas most of the leading offshore/nearshore locations have moderate risk exposure

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