

SAP S/4 HANA migration on AWS cloud at UCPA


About the Customer

UCPA is the market leader for leisure sports in France. UCPA fulfills its mission as a sports educator in three main fields of activity: active sports tourism in France, sporting tour-operator worldwide, and design and delegated management of local sports facilities. The Group's activities benefit 3.2 million customers annually. The UCPA group includes 29 legal entities and employs 7,000 people.



Business Situation

UCPA group has been engaged in a strategic cloud transformation since 2015. This transformation has been driven by business objectives to enable new services and modernize the image of the company. UCPA decided to move to the cloud for efficiency, flexibility, cost, and to meet ROI objectives while also enabling innovation.

 Atos was engaged by UCPA to modernize their SAP instance on cloud and leverage SAP S/4HANA for enhanced flexibility and agility.

Customer Objectives

Atos supported the migration of SAP ECC to SAP HANA and moved UCPA to AWS Cloud. After completing the migration, Atos also supported UCPA to set up the target organization to structure recurring activities. The main objectives for UCPA was:

To improve financial processes, increasing agility and simplifying processes.

To optimize costs with the highest Return On Investment

To redesign business processes considering best practices (SAP standards)

Solution

From a technical perspective, the objective was to run the migration from SAP ECC to SAP S/4HANA. The infrastructure was moved from a traditional legacy to a cloud-based solution provided by AWS, in order to increase agility, flexibility, and optimize costs.

SAP ECC migration (ISO functionalities and features) to SAP S/4HANA hosted on AWS

FIORI deployment

SAP S/4HANA Finance standard functionalities set up in order to simplify and optimize finance business processes

SAP S/4HANA PROC standard functionalities setup and deployment

Why the customer chose AWS

- Technology partnership between SAP and AWS
- Strong partnership between Atos & AWS
- Most suitable solution for UCPA's shift to a cloud strategy
- Smooth and easy implementation on AWS
- Scalability
- Cost optimization

Why the customer chose Atos

- End-to-end capabilities for migration from SAP ECC to SAP S/4HANA
- Capability to deliver in a short timeline
- Better fixed price
- Proximity with the customer

Results



The solution implemented has been approved from a regulations perspective (CAC)



Aggressive project plan with tight milestones: all deadlines were met with no overage costs



Significant improvement of business professional practices