

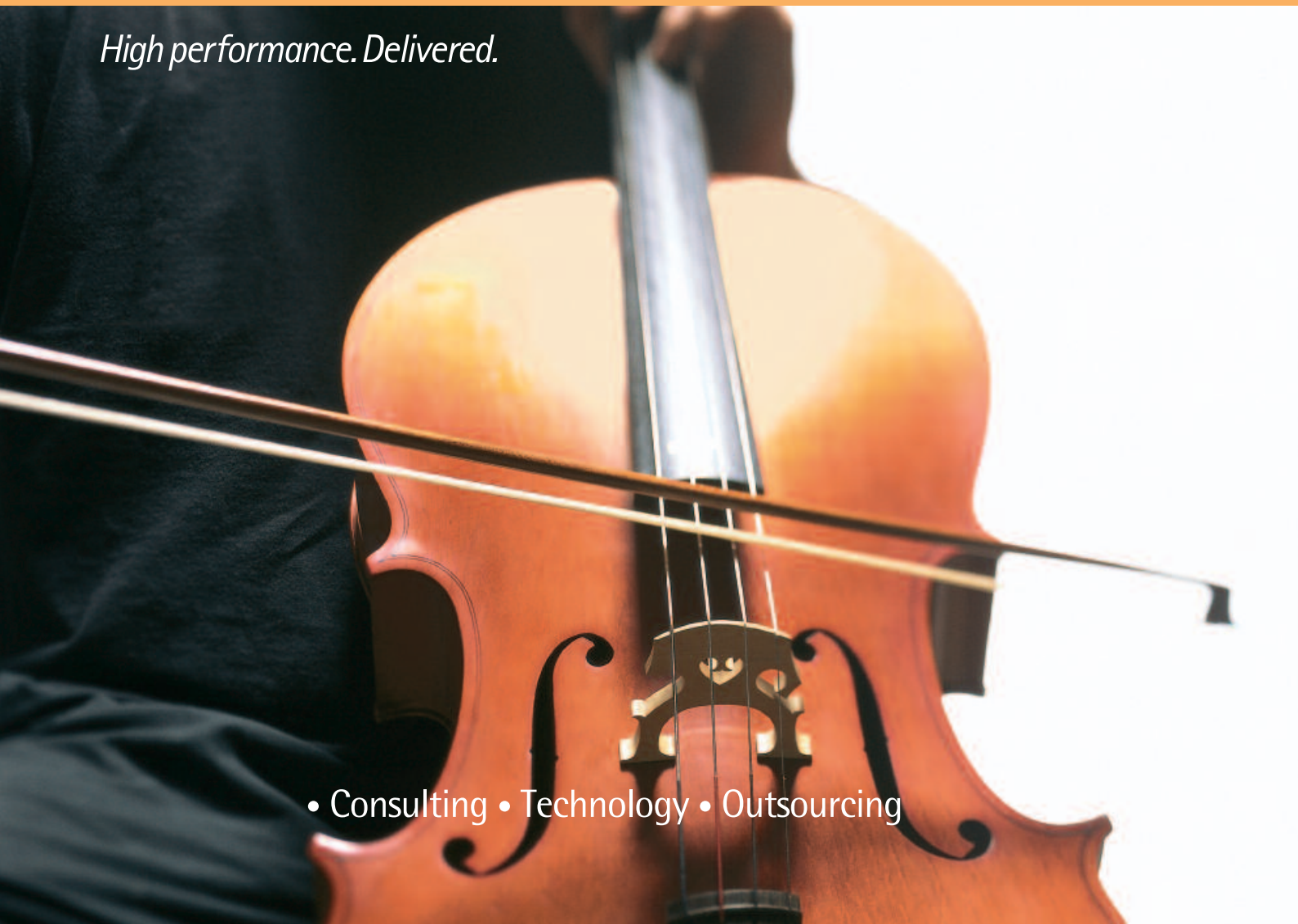
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"Without the Accenture Patch Analyzer, I have no practical way of analyzing patches in an economical way."

"I'd like visibility of the impact that the new patches have on my system."

These and similar comments are often made by our customers

At regular intervals, SAP provides its customers with upgrades in the form of mySAP ERP Human Capital Management Support Packages (patches). The SAP systems manager then has two options: Either accept the upgrade, without really knowing the full effect of the changes, or compare the objects that have been delivered with the upgrade—the preferred, but more complex, option.

The Accenture Patch Analyzer simplifies the choice, showing all the newly delivered objects (tables, reports, cycles, schemas), that are relevant for mySAP ERP HCM. Using intelligent filters, it reduces the upgrade to a selective results list for objects and pieces, and can summarize several patches in one single, country-specific, compressed item list.

Only one transport for the subsequent system

The ability to select and analyze several patches together is particularly valuable for year-end upgrades. In one step, you can analyze all the required patches and create a single customizing—or workbench—task that combines all the adaptations to be made to your system. Then all you need to do is incorporate the compiled transport into the system.

Dividing and sharing—organized optimally

Some organizations divide responsibility for their SAP system by subject or region. With the Accenture Patch Analyzer, a separate results list from the upgrade can be compiled to reflect this division. Such a "selection set" can, for example, meet the differing needs of SAP system managers for the payroll and travel expenses areas.

Comprehensive tool for upgrades

The Accenture Patch Analyzer enables you to analyze all types of SAP transports and estimate the process run times. This functionality allows you to accurately schedule your upgrade. In addition, within the Accenture Patch Analyzer, you have the ability to allocate table entries to a transport task.

Benefits at a glance

- Time savings of up to 50 per cent by compressing patches and reducing comparisons to a minimum
- Easy-to-use intuitive user interfaces
- Extensive selection sets for the creation of country, or subject-specific item lists
- Detailed listing of the selected objects
- Overview of the copied objects
- Ability to accurately plan upgrade times

Support

Accenture Patch Analyzer is supported by skilled professionals from Accenture Human Capital Management Solutions with expertise in business and technology and a dedicated support desk (hcmproductsupport@accenture.com) to help you resolve problems and answer your questions.

Availability

The Accenture Patch Analyzer is available as of mySAP ERP Release 4.6c in both English and German. Please contact us directly for information regarding the additional languages available at hcmsoftwaresales@accenture.com.

Accenture Human Capital Management Solutions Software

Our solutions address the ever-changing needs that our clients experience, and range from the design and implementation of HR systems, business intelligence solutions, and employee portals to the deployment of Web-based mySAP ERP HCM solutions.

Comprehensive proprietary software, accelerators, and templates, developed in collaboration with SAP, build on mySAP ERP HCM's world-class solutions to meet your unique business requirements and enable implementation and upgrades to be carried out more rapidly.

Here are just a few examples:

- Accenture HR Productivity Suite—allows you to seamlessly track and harmonize your processes, increase security, and reduce costs
- Accenture Audit and Compliance Tool—a modular, comprehensive, and user-friendly tool to optimize HCM security and compliance and accelerate time-critical processes, such as payroll checking
- Accenture Clone and Test—creates a fast, safe, and realistic testing environment by replicating real data from the client's productive mySAP ERP HCM system
- Accenture Time and Attendance Suite—Web-based time recording providing time stamps and attendance management and tracking

Accenture Human Capital Management Solutions brings together experts in mySAP ERP HCM technology, strategy, and implementation. We help clients to reduce HR costs, improve the delivery of HR strategy and management, and enhance employee satisfaction.

Whether it's process definition and design, technology consulting, solution development or implementation, Accenture's unrivalled knowledge in all areas of mySAP ERP HCM enables us to optimize and customize the solution for maximum business benefit. By applying leading practices in process optimization and organizational design, costs are reduced and resource utilization is improved.

As a leading "SAP Service Partner", Accenture Human Capital Management Solutions provides specialized mySAP ERP HCM skills—with delivery of more than 1,000 implementations worldwide.

We have been working closely with SAP on the design and ongoing development of its HCM business solution since its inception in 1986. Perhaps the greatest evidence of our expertise is the recognition of our success by our peers: Accenture has been awarded six SAP Pinnacle awards—more than any other SAP partner.

Over 850 customers in more than 40 countries believe in using Accenture Human Capital Management software to maximize their investment in their existing mySAP ERP HCM system.

Even SAP uses Accenture proprietary software! We couldn't ask for a better recommendation.

About Accenture Human Capital Management Solutions

Accenture Human Capital Management Solutions, part of Accenture's Human Performance group, comprises deeply skilled professionals who specialize in SAP Human Capital Management (HCM) technology, strategy, and implementation. With approximately 600 SAP HCM experts globally, Accenture Human Capital Management Solutions is one of the largest and most experienced global providers of human capital management services and solutions. The organization provides deep expertise and delivers proven results in leveraging SAP HCM technology to drive higher levels of HR performance for clients. Completing the portfolio is a proprietary suite of software that increases functionality and productivity, improves quality, and reduces timelines for implementing and realizing value from the leading SAP HCM technology platform.

As part of a global network of more than 7,000 Human Performance professionals and more than 17,000 consultants skilled in SAP, Accenture Human Capital Management Solutions is uniquely capable of delivering global, complex, SAP HCM-enabled HR transformation initiatives to help our clients achieve high performance.

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Accenture is a global management consulting, technology services and outsourcing company. Committed to delivering innovation, Accenture collaborates with its clients to help them become high-performance businesses and governments. With deep industry and business process expertise, broad global resources and a proven track record, Accenture can mobilize the right people, skills, and technologies to help clients improve their performance.

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