

# **IBM Content Collector for SAP**





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# Information volumes continue to grow at an astounding pace. So do costs and risks.

Information Volume Doubles Every:

### 18-24 Months

90% of the world's information was created in the last 2 years

The increase in the amount of information companies process today versus a decade ago:

1000x

BYOD: Number of "apps" downloaded from Apple in 2013

### **25 Billion**

Many companies, including IBM, make Apps available for both customers and employees

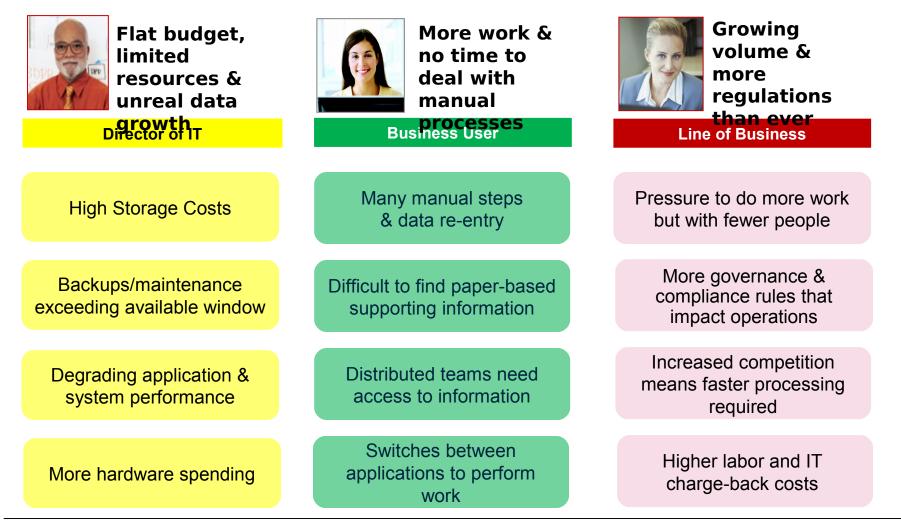
Source: IDC Digital Universe, "Extracting Value from Chaos"

Source: Finding value in the Information Explosion. MIT Sloan Review Source: "Data Crush", Christopher Surdek

### **Uncontrolled Data Growth Impacts Multiple**

### Stakeholders

**Pressure points felt across the enterprise** 



### **IBM's Experience**

#### In the marketplace with archiving products since 1995

Hundreds of clients with billions of documents & petabytes of SAP data archived

#### Vast experience with Data Management and one of the broadest information management portfolios available today

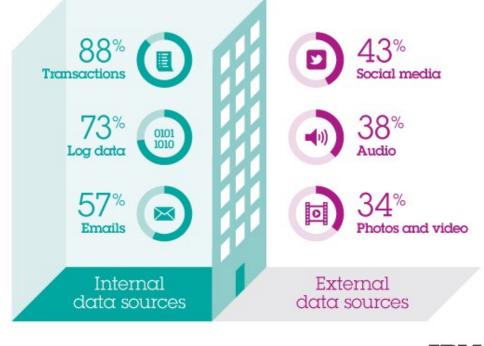
- Comprehensive information lifecycle governance (ILG) for structured and unstructured information archiving
- Leverages IBM's marketplace-leading enterprise content management (ECM) repositories with scalability proven at some of the world's largest companies.

### Where does big data come from?

IBM brings broad capabilities and years of experience in data manag

Most big data efforts are currently focused on analyzing internal data to extract insights. Fewer organizations are looking at data outside their firewalls, such as social media.







## IBM extends leadership in the 2013 Gartner ECM IBM

Number of the Second year in a row

# IBM continues to lead in vision and execution:

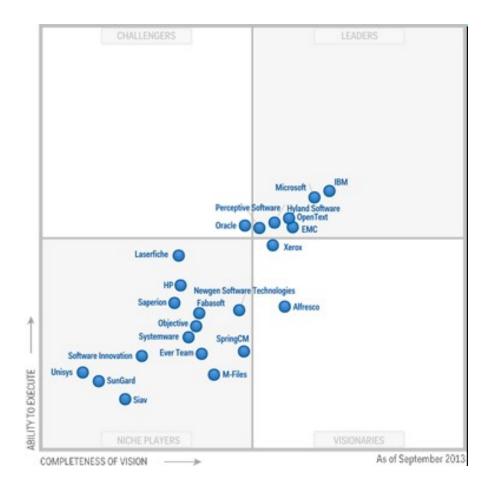
•IBM is growing faster than the market, and again has increased share, revenue, and market share.

•IBM has undertaken steps to reduce complexity

and improve user friendliness for the business user with a new universal UI, Content Navigator.

•For IT leaders and professionals, IBM has reduced deployment times

•IBM continues to show vision by focusing on solutions that traverse the existing SWG product portfolio: Case Management, Patient Care and Insights, and Defensible Disposal



IBM brings years of Data Management and ECM experience to SAP customers



Operating in over 170 countries, IBM is a global business and technology leader and is the world's largest IT and consulting services company,

- Ten thousands of SAP installations
- 430,000 employees
- \$ 104.5 Billion Revenue in 2013



With locations in more than 130 countries, SAP AG is the world leader in enterprise software and related services

- 251,000 customers
- 66,000 employees
- € 16.22 Billion Revenue in 2013

A 40 year partnership in technology research and development that benefits our common customers in many industries with deeply integrated applications



..and many more indutries

### **IBM-SAP International Competency Center**

# Deep expertise on systems, software and SAP solution integration co-located on the SAP campus in Walldorf, Germany and staffed by IBM and SAP resources



#### On-Site Specialists

- IBM hardware and software brand experts
- Technology managers
- Solutions sales
- Project managers

#### Technology

- IBM & SAP research projects
- Benchmarking
- Redbooks and whitepapers
- Tool development

#### **Executive briefings**

#### SAP Performance Expertise

- Creation and ownership of worldwide sizing tools and processes
- Directly support IBM Techline specialists
- Technical Sales Support
  - IBM technical sales
  - Business Partner support
- Third level support

Founded by IBM and SAP in 1993, located at the SAP headquarters in Walldorf, Germany



### IBM Content Collector for SAP

### A SAP-Certified solution that provides multiple capabilities for IT & **Business Stakeholders**

• Archive data and print lists out of SAP databases as it ages and as value diminishes

- improve system performance
- lower storage and infrastructure spending
- Reduce time & cost of backups and system maintenance
- Enhance productivity by automatically linking SAP transactions with supporting documents
  - enable immediate retrieval from anywhere
  - eliminate re-keying information by capturing data off paper
- Enhance processing capability; Retain SAP documents & data according to legal, compliance and business quidelines
  - eliminate lost or misfiled paper documents
  - ensure retention of data according to policy
  - Streamline business processes with enhanced data integration
    - HR, AP....



More work & no time to deal with manual

Flat budget,

resources &

unreal data

limited

Diffector of IT

Busprocesses



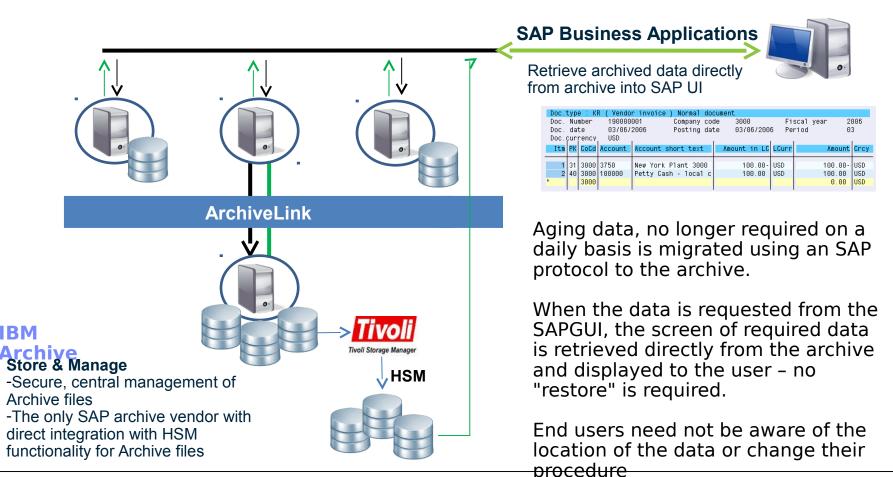


### Why IBM Value-based Archiving for SAP?



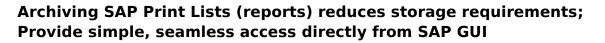
Archiving aging data off SAP to lowers cost & help to improve system performance; Provide simple, seamless access directly from SAP GUI

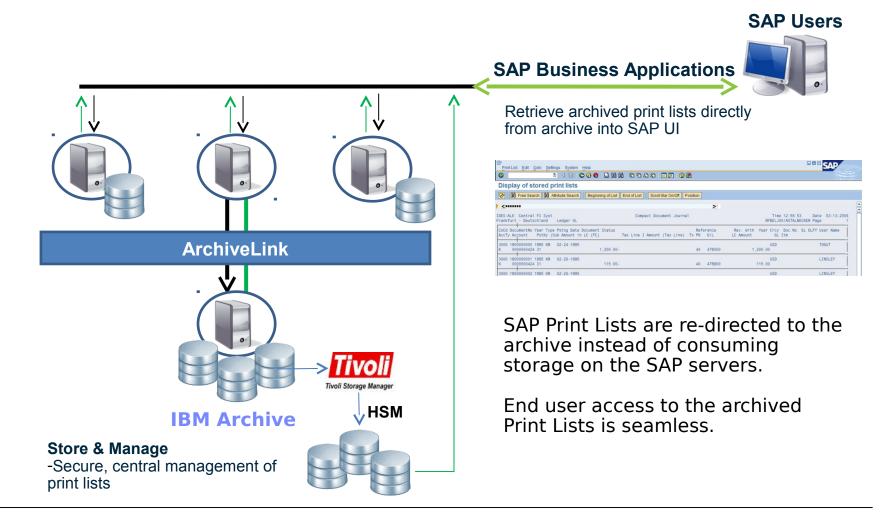
#### SAP Users



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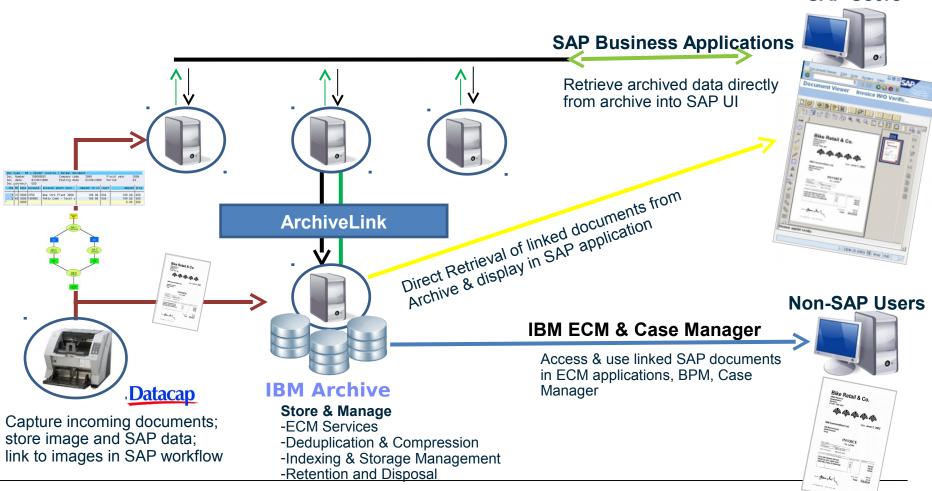
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Integrated document handling, extended ECM capabilities and custom applications add value, lower cost and improve efficiency



#### SAP Users

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# ICC is SAP ArchiveLink certified and meets SAP requirements for data and document archiving

- **Early archiving** with creating an SAP work item
  - Scan document with IBM Datacap Taskmaster Capture.
    - Capture additional meta data if required
  - ICC for SAP archives the document in the repository and instructs SAP to create a new work item in SAP
    - Meta data captured by Datacap can be simultaneously stored in the archive and/or sent to SAP.
  - Work item created in SAP user's inbox, with link back to image.

#### - Late archiving with barcode

- SAP generated Bar Code applied to paper.
- Document scanned, barcode information (and other meta-data if desired) captured with IBM Datacap Taskmaster Capture.
- ICC for SAP archives the document in the repository and sends the barcode and document ID to SAP.
  - Meta data captured by Datacap can be simultaneously stored in the archive.
- Barcode stored in SAP open barcode table; can now be linked to the related SAP business object.

### IBM & Partners Deliver additional value with rich integration to SAP



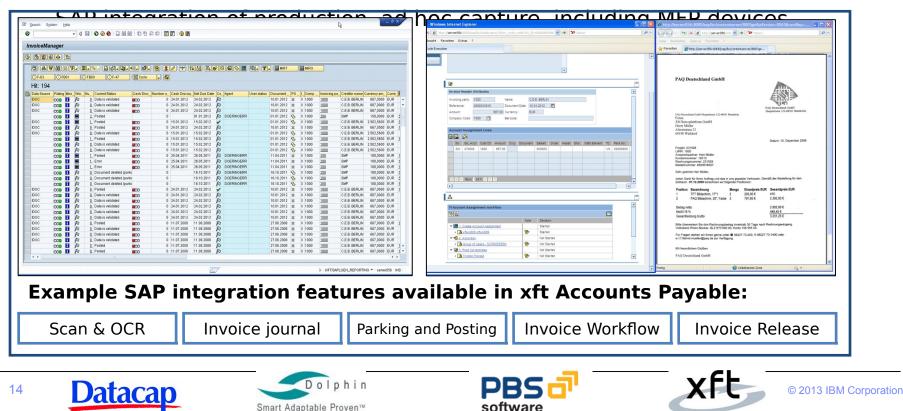
Drawing on expertise in processing, data management and SAP, IBM and partner applications extend and enhance native SAP functionality and provide fast time to value

•Featuring direct integration with SAP modules (FI, MM, HR...)

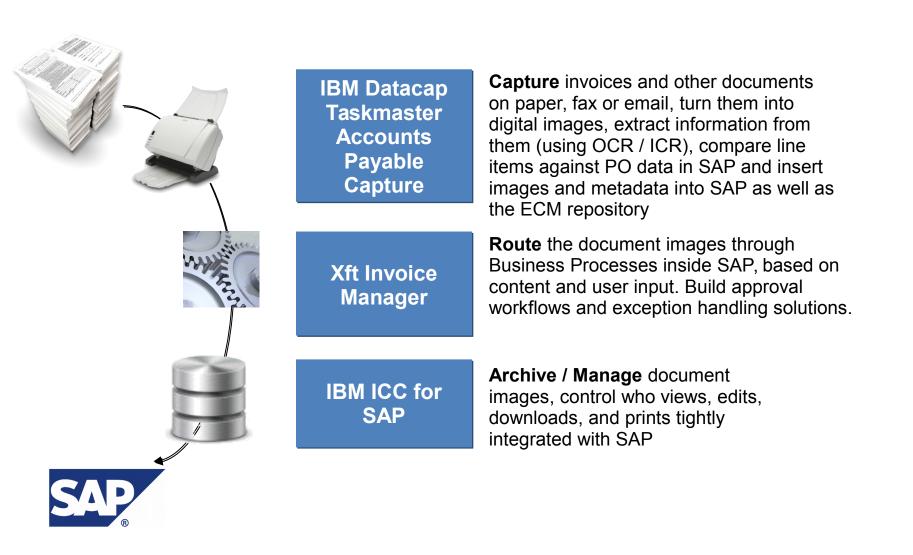
Fast implementation & cost efficiency

•Deep domain expertise:

- SAP applications in HR File, Accounts Payable, Contract Management

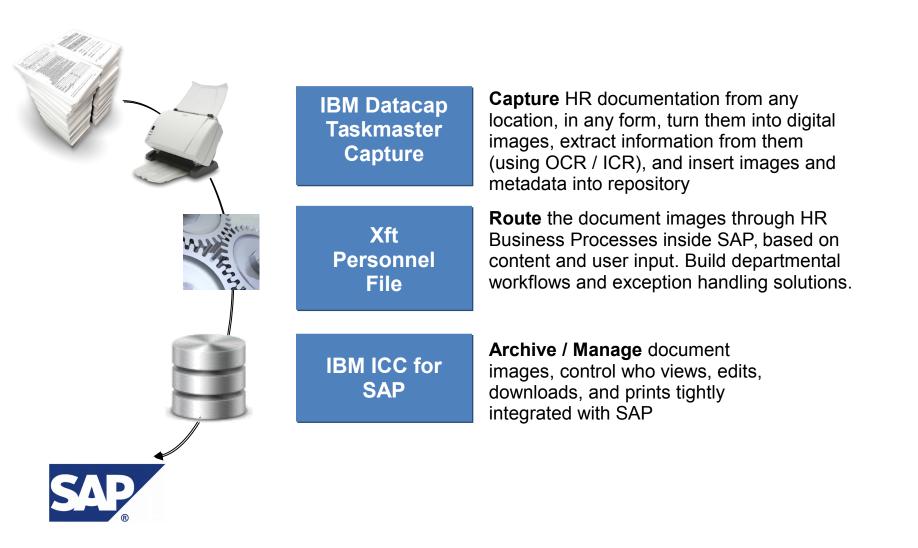






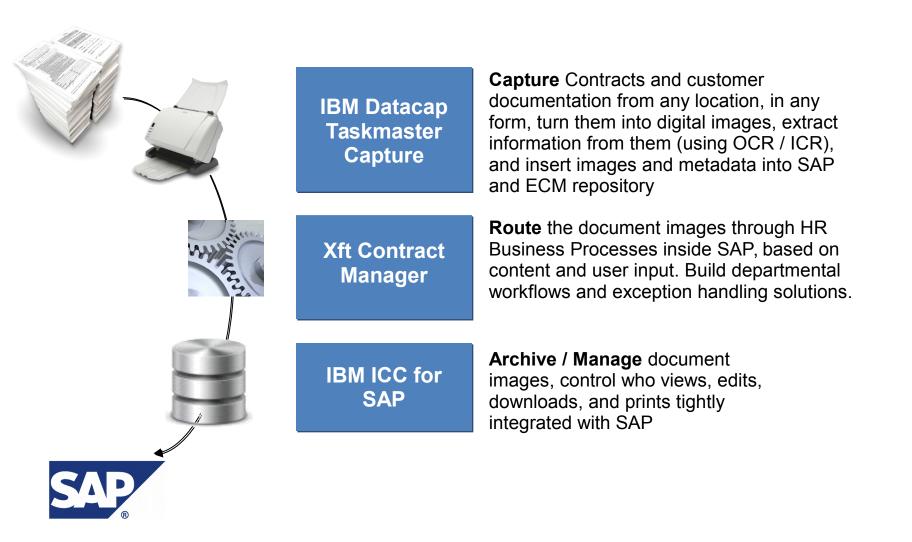
### **HR Process for SAP**





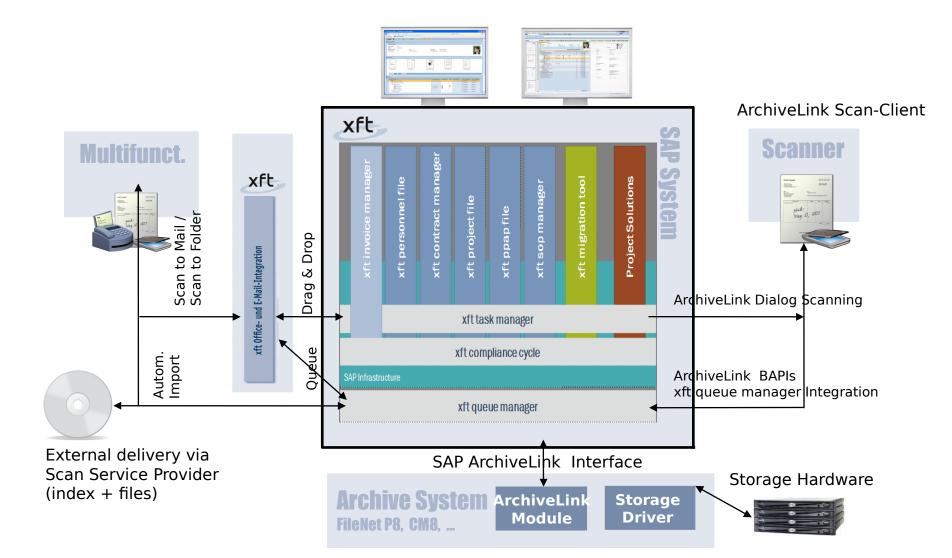
### **Contracts Management for SAP**





### Tight integration with SAP & ECM solutions





### IBM

#### PECI (Pedernales Electric Cooperative, Inc.) Streamlined Invoice processing with ICC for SAP - 2012





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The largest Electric Cooperative in the United States – covering 8,100 square miles in central Texas – needed to streamline business processes

- Reduce costly paper handling in the AP process
- Front end scanning and electronic invoice approvals integrated with SAP Workflow

**Objective:** Reduce Accounts Payable processing time from 1-2 weeks down to a few days

#### The solution:

PEC has 'Content-enabled' SAP by installing IBM Content Collector for SAP which now sits between their IBM FileNet Content Manager (P8) repository and their SAP Accounts Payable (Finance) application

#### The benefits

Outdated paper-based manual approval processes are now gone. Accounts Payable Processing now uses front end scanning, electronic approvals and can provide access to multiple users simultaneously, improving efficiency and cutting approval times.

Paper is largely replaced with electronic images requiring less physical tracking, eliminating lost and misfiled

### **Douglas Informatik** Better performance for end users; Better fit for IT



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With 1900 stores in Europe and North America, Douglas Holding's IT Services division were already archiving SAP data and documents. However, satisfaction with their current solution was dropping. With performance not up to expectations and a changing IT landscape, Douglas needed more flexibility in their archiving approach and a better fit for their environment.

**Objective:** Improved performance for end users, better fit for IT

#### The solution:

Douglas Informatik supports stores around the world with a solution that includes IBM Content Collector for SAP and IBM Content Manager to archive business documents for SAP FI, Retail and HCM (HR) modules, and data archiving from SAP Finance (FI) ; Services were performed by IBM Business Partner Spell GmbH, Karlsruhe

#### The benefits

Douglas likes the excellent performance, stability and flexibility of IBM solution, viewed by Douglas as a "universal adapter for archiving" and finds it easy to add new SAP modules.

SAP archiving, content-enabling now fits seamlessly into the

### Value-based Archiving from IBM



*IBM's SAP-certified archiving solution provides multiple benefits. This solution enables the ability to :* 



Archive ageing data off production in order to maintain performance and lower cost.



Apply archive settings to individual SAP applications to meet compliance and business requirements



Support SAP Document Archiving & Linking scenarios to ensure rapid access to supporting documents



Capture data off incoming paper, create new SAP transactions automatically with no re-keying & leverage partner integrations with SAP



Provide "universal access" to SAP documents stored in the ECM repository from SAP clients, ECM applications including mobile



Expand, when required, to include other ECM capabilities

Capture, Analyze, Classify Records Management eDiscovery Process Management...



# **Thank You!**

