

# HCL's Rapid Analytics Solution

A tactical analytics solution that can be rapidly deployed to help your business adapt quickly to COVID-19 challenges



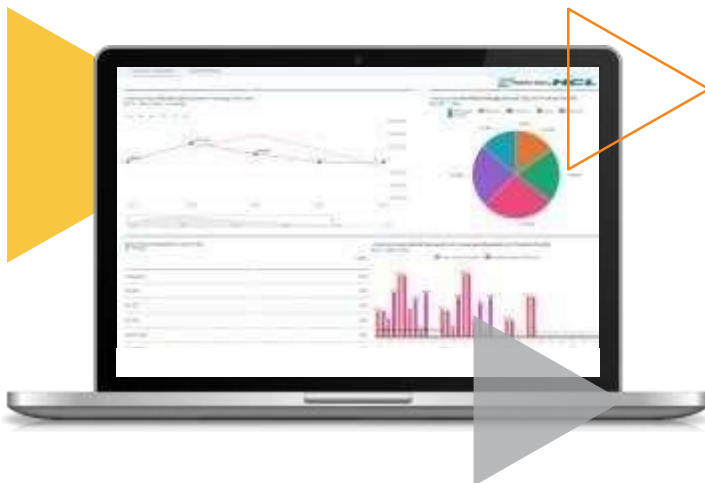
The COVID-19 pandemic has moved fast, disrupting businesses and lives globally in unanticipated ways. From managing personnel to redirecting supply chains, businesses need to make decisions swiftly – which will likely require combining and viewing data in new ways.

But while existing BW and reporting databases contain valuable data, they often lack the agility needed to model new visualizations quickly. **What many businesses need now is a fast, tactical solution that can help users rapidly visualize and model the impact of shifting market, supply chain, cost and revenue drivers.**

In 4-6 weeks, HCL can deliver a fully tested and integrated analytics solution that supports fast, data-driven decision making. Our solution covers:

- Data Modelling, Data Discovery, Data Exploration
- Stories, Dashboards
- Smart Discovery, Smart Insights, Search to Insight
- Predictive Forecasting, Smart Predict

## Scale up if needed – or keep as a powerful analytics accelerator



HCL's Rapid Analytics solution, powered by SAP Analytics Cloud, allows users to quickly create new visualizations through self-service functionality - letting them model new scenarios on the fly while avoiding stringent change management procedures.

Unlike many existing BW and reporting solutions, our solution does not rely on a fixed set of templates for reporting. Instead, it pulls data securely from multiple data sources – including on-premise, new and external sources – allowing the creation of a set of flexible templates for reporting.

Our solution enables:

- **Self-service reporting** – Users can model and visualize data, as and when needed.
- **Improved operational decision making** – Based on a more holistic understanding of available data
- **Personalized, enterprise-wide analytics** – High-speed analytics to support diverse users' strategic, operational and tactical decision making
- **Robust data security and governance** – Works with data from a wide range of sources, including the ability to import data into the SAP Cloud via a secure live/import connection, or connection to on-premise data sources.

Once our Rapid Analytics solution is up and running, you can then decide to scale it up to a powerful enterprise solution that includes planning, budgeting, forecasting, predictive analysis and collaborative enterprise planning – providing a full 360-degree view of the business.

### Client success stories

HCL has extensive experience in devising rapid, integrated and scalable business analytics and planning solutions for our enterprise clients:

- HCL has helped manufacturing customers quickly model COVID-19 impact scenarios, allowing them to change their supply chain model, better track production and inventory and rapidly create new site loading plans for effective cost management
- HCL also helped a client in the transportation industry use SAP Analytics Cloud (SAC) to track the impacts of COVID-19. Combining the power of SAC and ESRI (geographic mapping), our solution identified areas where data quality could be improved, allowing a Transport Directorate to transform their strategic, operational and management reporting.

### 6-8 week rapid implementation timeline

Using our hybrid agile delivery model, HCL can deliver a fully tested and integrated solution in just 6 to 8 weeks. Meant to be a tactical solution to help you quickly model new scenarios, this can later be scaled enterprise-wide to support more advanced functionality.



Interested in seeing a demo or learning more? Please get in touch: [SAP\\_MFG@hcl.com](mailto:SAP_MFG@hcl.com)

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