

Effective innovation with cloud

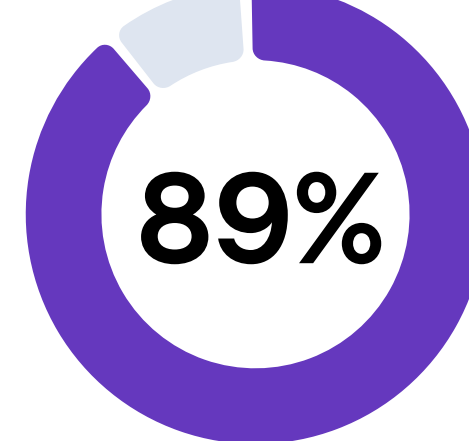


Cloud powers business agility

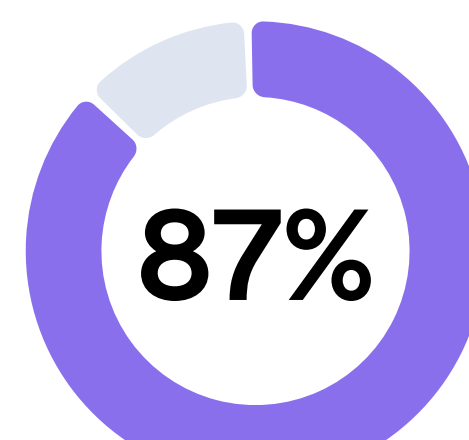
87%

of senior executives who have pivoted their business strategy in the past three years say they couldn't have done it without cloud

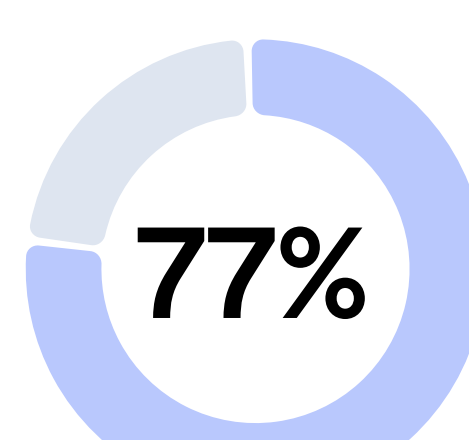
Which allows organizations to react to global challenges



of senior executives say cloud has helped them respond faster to **geopolitical changes**



say cloud has helped them respond faster to **global supply chain issues**



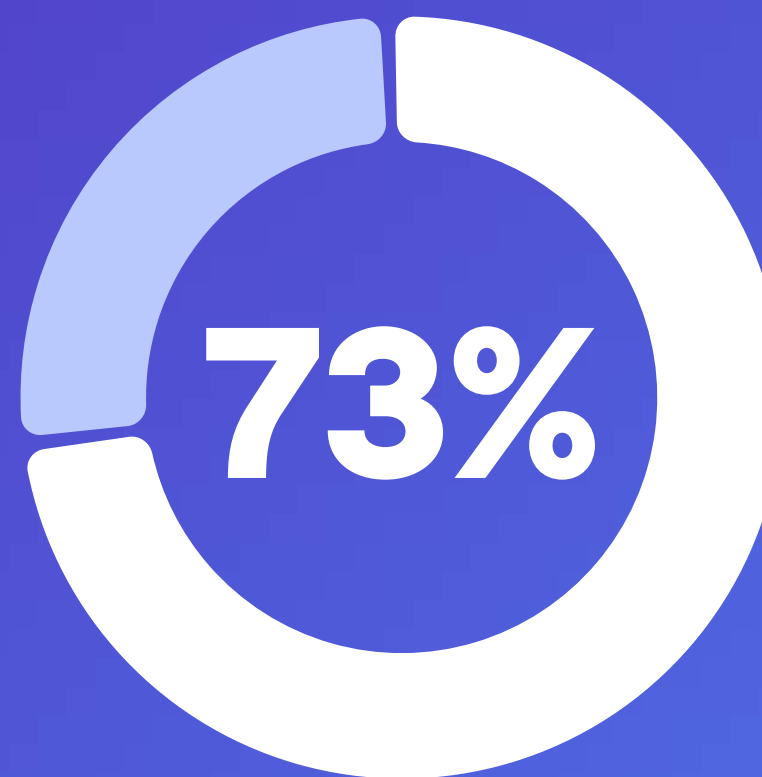
say cloud has helped them respond faster to **rising inflation**



Cloud is not just about infrastructure—it's a platform that's critical to business resilience and growth.

Kalyan Kumar
Global CTO & Head—Ecosystems
HCLTech

But only if cloud's potential is unlocked



of senior executives say their organization is only just beginning to unlock the potential of cloud

Executives in **consumer services** are most likely to say this

Facing the challenges

70%

of senior executives say skills shortages limit how effectively they use cloud



Executives in **healthcare** are most likely to say this

41%

of senior executives say security and privacy risk is a top-three concern when using cloud to achieve business goals



Executives in **IT** are most likely to say this

32%

of senior executives say lack of business-technology departmental alignment is a top-three concern when using cloud to achieve business goals



Executives in **energy and utilities** are most likely to say this



The problem facing the industry is that there are lots of newly qualified people that come with the skills, but they lack experience.

Siki Giunta
Executive Vice President, CloudSMART Offerings Strategy,
Industry Cloud Consulting, HCLTech



Five actions to get the best from cloud

To get the best from cloud, businesses must:

1



Power an agile organization with cloud as a business platform

2



Build the right cloud culture

3



Break down departmental silos

4



Increase cloud awareness

5



Incorporate adoption of transformative technologies like AI into your cloud strategy



Many companies are moving away from traditional silos. There's no distinction between business and IT—they're part of the same team working toward the same competitive mandate: to improve products to increase revenues and improve business operations to improve profit.

Shyam Enjeti
Executive Vice President, Digital Business
HCLTech



What's stopping you from innovating with cloud?

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