Splunk to the Rescue!!

Supply Chain Control Tower Powered by Splunk



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Agenda

- 1) Accenture & Splunk A Match Made in Heaven!
- 2) A Case for Change
- 3) Case Study: Supply Chain Control Tower Powered by Splunk
- 4) Key Takeaways



Accenture

US\$43.2B In Annual Revenues

> Powerful alliance network of market leaders and innovators

185+

509,000

Employees



6,000+ CLIENTS

200 +

95 of our top 100 clients have been clients for at least 10 years 91 of the Global Fortune 100 75%+ of the Global Fortune 500

Locations across 51 countries

serving clients in 120+ countries

GLOBAL CORPORATE RECOGNITION

- Wall St. Journal's Management Top 250 Ranked No. 17
- Forbes' Global 2000 16 years running
- FORTUNE's Global 500 18 years running
- FORTUNE's World's Most Admired Companies Ranked No. 34 overall and No. 1 in IT Services; 17th consecutive appearance on the list
 - ..to mention a few







50+

Delivery Centers across five continents, offering services in 39 languages



Ecosystem Strategic Partnership accenture | splunk>

UNTRAP NEW INTELLIGENCE

Unlock the value of data by driving more Splunk adoption and insight



DISCOVER NEW OPPORTUNITIES

Expand Splunk to new clients and data to **build intelligent solutions in Business Analytics and IoT**

CREATE INNOVATIVE OFFERINGS

Develop disruptive digital initiatives to establish a new market and attract clients for products and services revenue.



Case for Change

Data Integration in Supply Chain Value Chain continues to be a huge hurdle to overcome

59%

According to a survey by Accenture, those creating an *intelligent supply chain* find *data integration* to be their *greatest challenge*.



Executive Feedback

Of executives indicate data quality or data availability as the greatest challenge

Of leaders think digital platforms will be used to share assets and **create an ecosystem**

> Of leaders believe **inadequate skills** are a top three challenge to drive value with new IT in supply chain

Additional Challenges



Utilizing data efficiently to deliverable actionable insights



Integrating data in an effective way that can be easily leveraged & scaled



Finding **skilled employees** who understand data analytics and can create insights



Retooling the New Norm in Supply Chain

As next-gen tech is adopted, new intelligence functionalities are required to deliver outcomes from data insights and to manage supply chains effectively



Underserved Supply Chain Aspects

Custom Development

Creating a flexible solution to address supply chain use cases

Packaged Software

Enhance a supply chain solution for a specific supply chain use case

Legacy Systems

Driving consistent and accurate data integration & maintenance to support supply chain functions

Case In Point: Supply Chain Control Tower

Splunk streamlines architecture across all relevant dimensions to provide TCO, flexibility, scale and speed to value



Scalability Unable to extend to additional use cases





System Uptime / **Availability**



Architecture Transformation



As data moves through different parts of decoupled architecture, it adds cost and time.

Streamlined Platform



Integrated solution components reduce total cost of ownership and time to value.



The Approach



ETL TRANSFORMATION DATA LAKE TRANSFORMATION

ANALYTICS ENABLEMENT

- Identify & Confront the challenges
- Develop a case for change
- Define clear success criteria & expected outcomes



Allows for **improved scalability to more use cases**, maximizing the technology platform across the organization (performance, fit for purpose platforms, etc.)

Provide a more streamlined & integrated technology footprint, reducing risk and potential failure points



Provides IT cost savings over the next 3 years by simplifying the current technology footprint



The Approach

SOLIDIFY THE OPPORTUNITY



DATA LAKE TRANSFORMATION

ANALYTICS ENABLEMENT

- Replace 5 ETL jobs with multiple stages to support transformation
- Leverage Splunk's SPL capability to apply all required business transformations





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The Approach



- Develop topology to replace data storage capabilities
- Develop a framework that will support scalability & expendability to new use cases



The Approach

SOLIDIFY THE OPPORTUNITY ETL TRANSFORMATION DATA LAKE TRANSFORMATION

ANALYTICS ENABLEMENT

- Integrate Splunk data with R for executing Machine learning algorithms to estimate time of arrival of shipments
- Eliminate the separate process of loading output to database

SPLUNK-R INTEGRATION





Key Takeaways

Splunk Beyond IT and Security



Splunk is a data & analytics platform that servers beyond IT and security use cases. Are you thinking outside the box?

It's a Journey...



Splunk is built for enterprise scale. However, start small and look to expand to enterprise use cases over time

Liberate your data!



Data provides valuable information that can drive efficiency, productivity and visibility for the business, however it is often imprisoned....break the silos and make your data work for you!





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