## The State of IT Transformation 2019

As the data explosion strains IT systems and people, companies strive towards IT transformation

efforts to modernize data center operations, many are still burdened by inefficiencies, security threats and performance gaps in their IT infrastructure. The time enterprises should be investing in strategic digital transformation initiatives is instead being wasted on running antiquated legacy infrastructure. The good news is that the vast majority of organizations expect to

The State of IT Transformation industry research surveyed 543 IT professionals and found that despite

increase investments in IT transformation over the next five years.

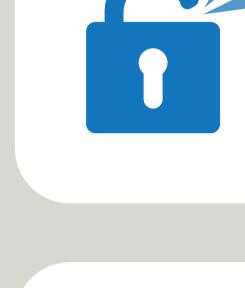
Data center infrastructure issues hindering IT Transformation

# When asked about the problems they encounter with their IT infrastructure,

IT professionals identify high cost more than any other challenge.



HIGH COSTS



**UNSECURE DATA** 





TIME TO MANAGE

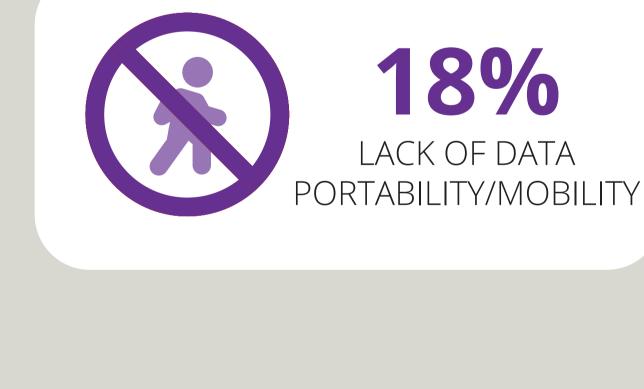
OF APPLICATIONS

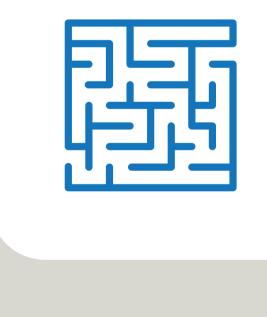


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LACK OF AGILITY

TOO MANY SILOS





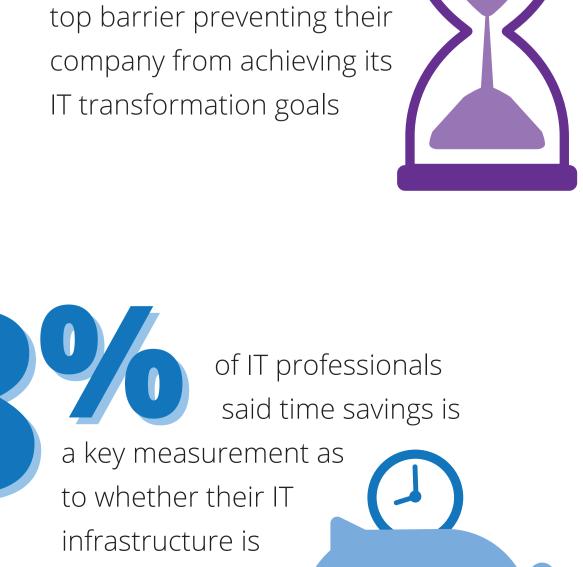
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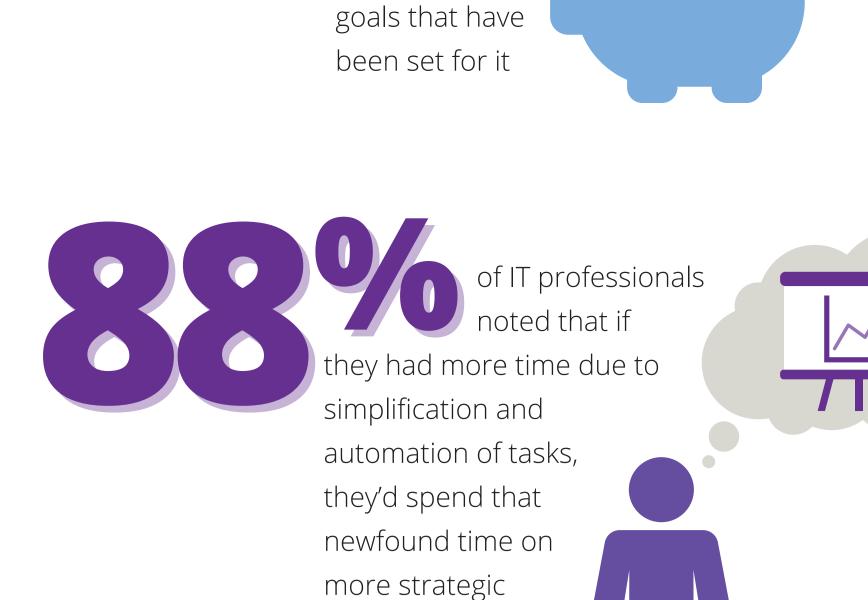
### of IT professionals identified the time they spend managing

legacy infrastructure as a

Time is money and time-intensive IT infrastructure

is costing businesses their transformation goals





meeting the

business initiatives Built-in backup gets a big thumbs up from IT pros looking for simplicity from their data infrastructure

of IT professionals don't believe their

infrastructure is equipped to manage all of

**BACKUP** 

MULTICLOUD

21%

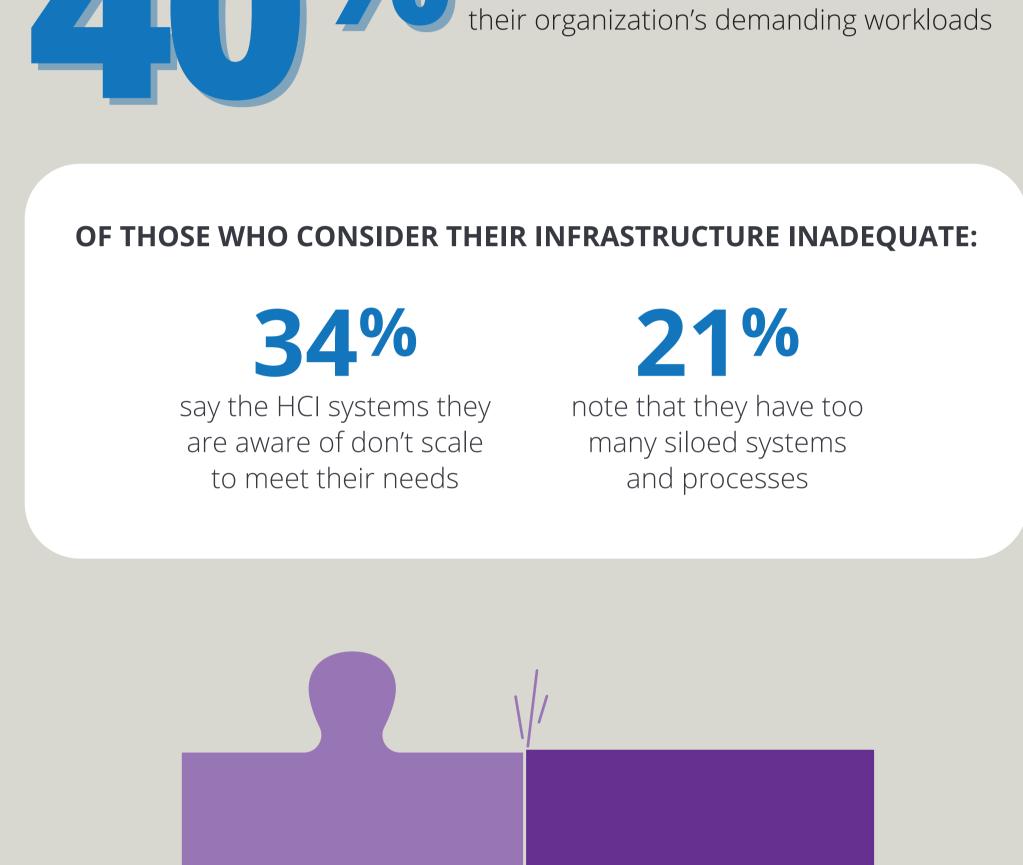
**ENABLING** 

PRODUCT INNOVATION

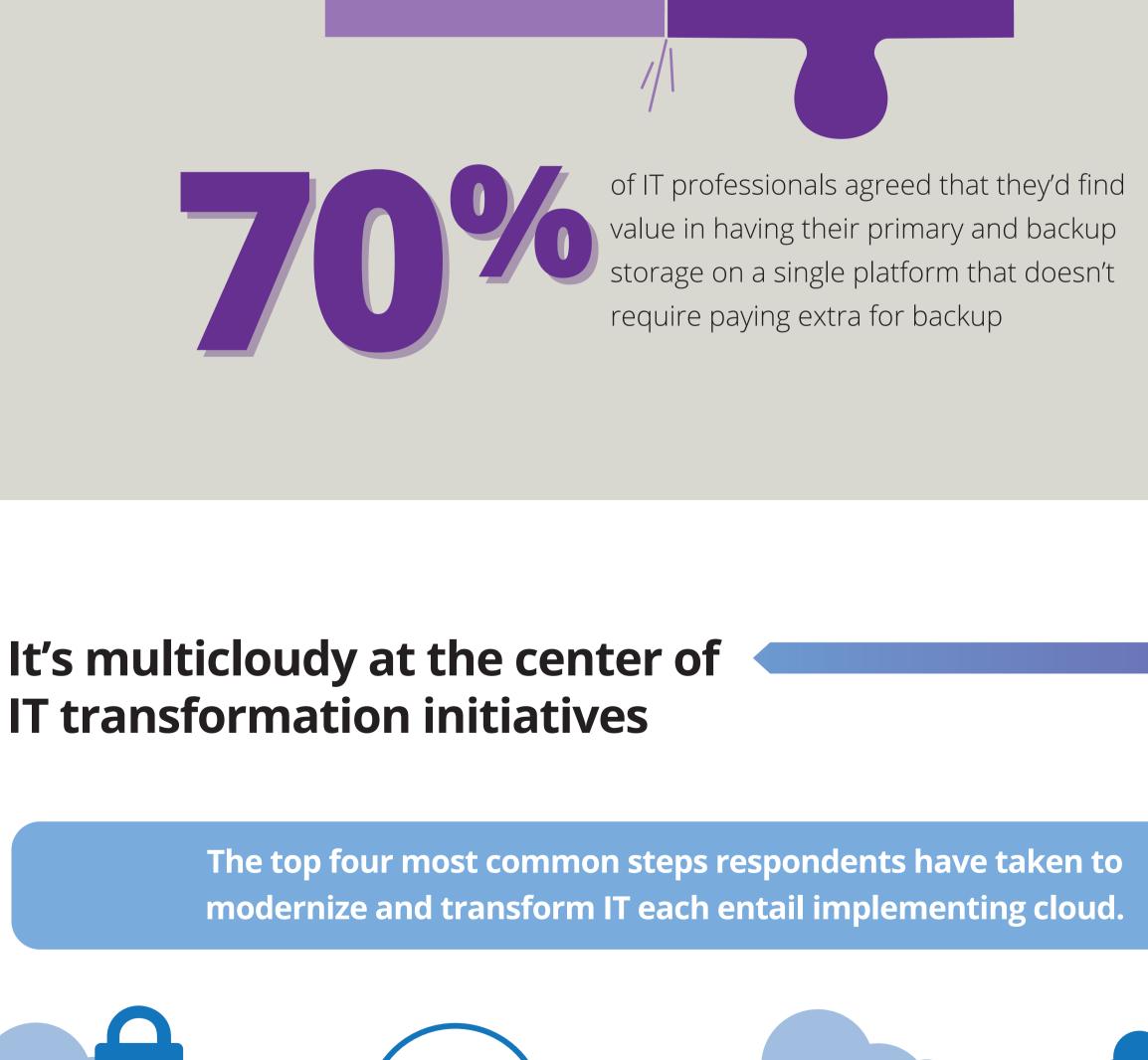
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**BUSINESS RISK** 

AVOIDANCE



**PRIMARY** 



PUBLIC CLOUD

INFRASTRUCTURE

PRIVATE CLOUD

INFRASTRUCTURE



Next 5 years to bring growth in IT transformation investments,

thanks to rise of AI, product innovation and customer-centricity

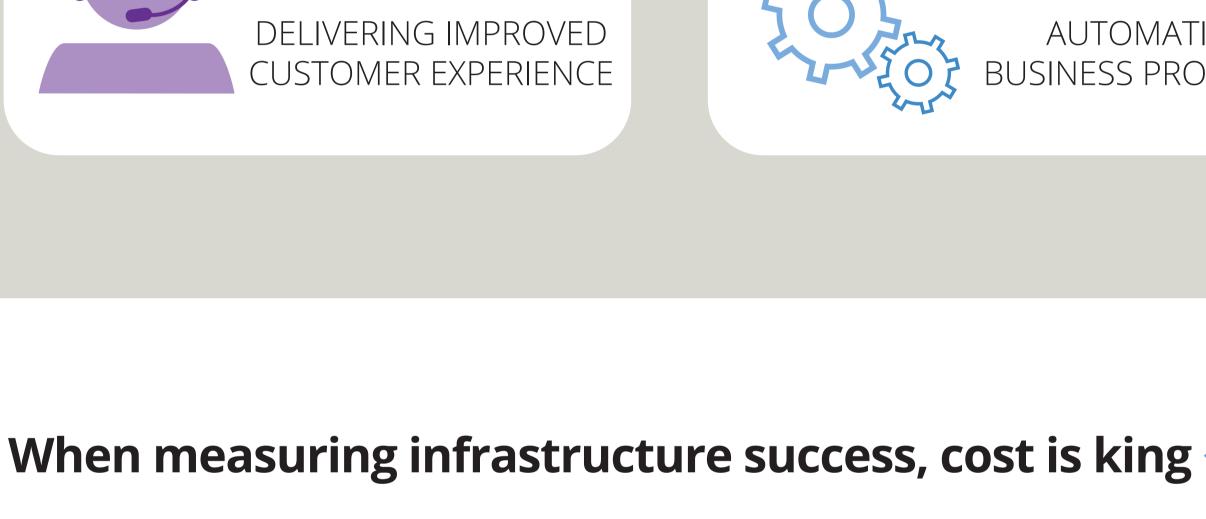
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HYBRID CLOUD





**CUSTOMER INSIGHTS** 



24%

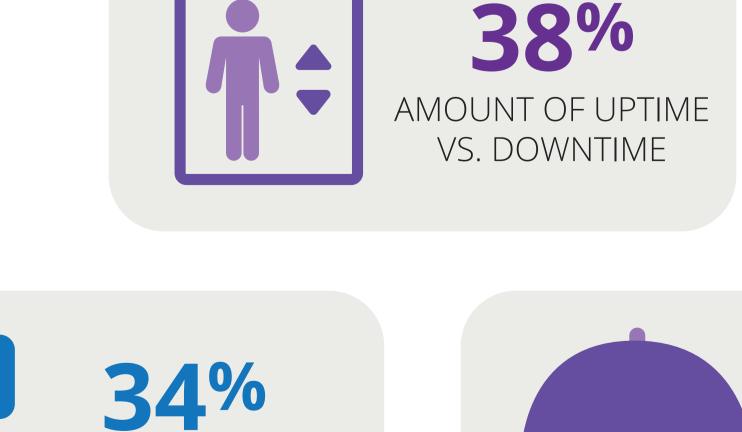
**RUNNING AI** 

**APPLICATIONS** 

18%

## For the majority of IT professionals, cost savings is the most important measurement of whether IT infrastructure is meeting its pre-established goals. However, IT must deliver for the business at the same time including application performance, uptime and risk avoidance.

46% **52% APPLICATION COST SAVINGS** PERFORMANCE



REVENUE IMPACT /

**BUSINESS GROWTH** 



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