



# A GREAT ERP SOLUTION IS AN UP-TO-DATE ERP SOLUTION

Cloud vs On-Premise ERP Systems

## Having the most up-to-date version of your ERP is a key way to ensure:

- You are gaining an advantage from new functionality and enhancements.
- You are gaining competitive advantage from your ERP.
- Your version is up-to-date with those other systems that may be connected.
- You are up-to-date with global changes, for example tax laws or business regulations.

“We love NetSuite for its flexibility, both in terms of the amount of customisation you can put into it, and because of the semi-annual automatic updates which add functionality for all users. This is a modern ERP system.”

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“Approximately half of ERP customers are on releases that are two versions behind the current—that might be more than four years out of date.” [Forrester](#)

### Updating on-premise ERP systems can be costly and disrupt business:

- Significant costs to purchase and pay for implementation of updates.
- If not kept up-to-date, the system becomes unsupported.
- Complications with integrations to other systems can lead to business disruption.
- Complexities associated with customisations can also lead to business disruption and costly fixes.

According to Aberdeen Group, nearly half of organisations cite a fear of business disruption as a reason to avoid upgrading their solution.

NetSuite was conceived from the start as a cloud-based ERP system—designed to help run a business. Fast, regular and efficient upgrades were built into this original design. NetSuite updates are automated and are designed to avoid any disruption.

### The NetSuite cloud-based solution brings many associated benefits:

- Available anywhere, anytime.
- NetSuite supports 190+ currencies across 200+ countries.
- Lower infrastructure costs—both hardware and technical staff.
- Flexibility to grow with your business.

### The NetSuite Solution:

- Provides automated updates twice each year.
- Pre-announces each update—so you know what new functionality will be available and can plan to take advantage.
- Provides instant access to new functionalities at no cost.
- Updates are guaranteed to incorporate updates to any customisations.
- Updates are guaranteed to support integration with other systems.
- Is ONE solution—every one of the 40,000+ clients are working on the same version at any time—thus NetSuite is supporting only one version.

- User based charges—especially effective for those whose resource may fluctuate.
- Access to world class infrastructure and security.
- A single point of truth for all data.

As one CEO put it, “How could I believe that my business could afford to employ the same level of professionalism in managing the security, availability and compliance of my data compared with the expertise of a global cloud-based ERP supplier?”

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