

Unlock SAP's Hidden AI Potential

Seamless Integration to Microsoft Fabric for Real-Time Analytics and Next-Gen Insights.

Why Integrate Now?

- **AI FUTURE-PROOFING:** Fabric offers native AI/Copilot readiness across the entire data estate, from data loading (Data Factory) to reporting (Power BI).
- **SIMPLICITY & OPENNESS:** Move from proprietary, monolithic SAP BW architectures to a cloud-native, modular platform using open formats. This eliminates data silos and architectural duality.
- **SUPERIOR COST-EFFECTIVENESS:** Fabric's unified SaaS capacity model significantly reduces Total Cost of Ownership (TCO) compared to complex legacy data warehousing solutions.
- **REAL-TIME AGILITY:** Shift from end-of-day batch reporting to quasi-real-time updates. You can reduce posting visibility from 24-48 hours to 3-4 minutes for financial month-end closing metrics

How we do it?

Option I

Data Gateway + ODBC (Dataflow Gen2)

Volumetrics & Freshness

Small/Medium tables. Typically 1x/day refresh

Technical Core / Tooling

Power Query transformations in Dataflow Gen2. Requires On-premises Data Gateway + ODBC driver.

Target Use Case

POCs and Reference Data. Fastest time-to-value (a few days).

Option II

ODBC (Pipelines / ELT)

Medium/Large tables. Better support for parallel loading and partitioning

Data Factory Pipelines (Copy Activity) and Notebooks. Requires Self-Hosted Integration Runtime (IR).

Stable ETL/ELT. Preferred for the majority of tables with moderate volume and high scalability requirements

Option III

SAP CDC (ODP)

Very Large tables. Only transfers changes (minimal volume). Quasi real-time freshness (minutes/hours)

SAP CDC Connector in Data Factory. Requires ODP configuration in S/4HANA (CDS views, extractors)

Critical Data. Tables requiring high freshness and low latency updates (e.g., Financials, Inventory)

Scope

We deliver expert-led **SAP data migration** to **Microsoft Fabric**, establishing a unified, AI-ready analytics foundation by integrating SAP S/4HANA/ECC data through validated pathways (ODBC, CDC/ODP) to ensure real-time insights and accelerated business value.

- **Validated Integration Pathways:** We implement the optimal data extraction path for SAP S/4HANA/ECC data (ODBC/Dataflow, ODBC/Pipelines, or SAP CDC/ODP), ensuring scalable movement of both full loads and real-time deltas.
- **Unified, AI-Ready Fabric Foundation:** We establish a complete Lakehouse architecture (Bronze/Silver/Gold) on OneLake, unifying SAP and non-SAP data for AI/ML capabilities and next-generation analytics.
- **Enterprise-Grade Governance and Security:** We deploy modern security models using RLS/CLS and Microsoft Entra ID while establishing native data lineage and auditing via Microsoft Purview.
- **De-Risked, Phased Methodology:** We execute the transition through a governance-first, phased PoC with a parallel run validation and expert manual remediation for complex custom code (e.g., Stored Procedures).
- **Modern Planning & Reporting Solutions:** We replace legacy BPC and BW Queries by implementing the Power BI Semantic Model and building custom planning solutions (e.g., write-back) using Power Apps.

Why Clouds on Mars?

- **Elite Microsoft Partner Status:** Certified Microsoft Solutions Partner with proven expertise and deep knowledge of the Microsoft Fabric and Azure ecosystem.
- **Fabric Implementation Track Record:** Extensive experience delivering complex, enterprise-scale migrations to Microsoft Fabric, ensuring your project's success.
- **Direct Product Group Access:** Our CTO is a former Microsoft employee, providing direct access to Microsoft product groups and first-hand knowledge of the latest features and best practices.
- **Proprietary De-Risking Methodology:** We utilize our own refined methodology and tools to minimize risk, reduce time-to-value, and confidently complete scenarios where standard tools fall short.



Timeline

Clouds on Mars uses a Hybrid Agile Approach (**estimated duration: 2-3 weeks**) to deliver the scalable SAP-Fabric Proof of Concept (POC).

Assessment

- **Goal:** Define solution and requirements.
- **Method:** Surveys, Workshops, and "AS IS" analysis.
- **Output:** Low-Level Architecture Design, Project Plan & Backlog.

PoC Delivery

- **Scope:** End-to-end data platform implementation.
- **Architecture:** OneLake Medallion (Bronze, Silver, Gold) deployment.
- **Process:** CI/CD pipelines, security model implementation (RLS).
- **Testing:** Business UAT (up to 1 week).