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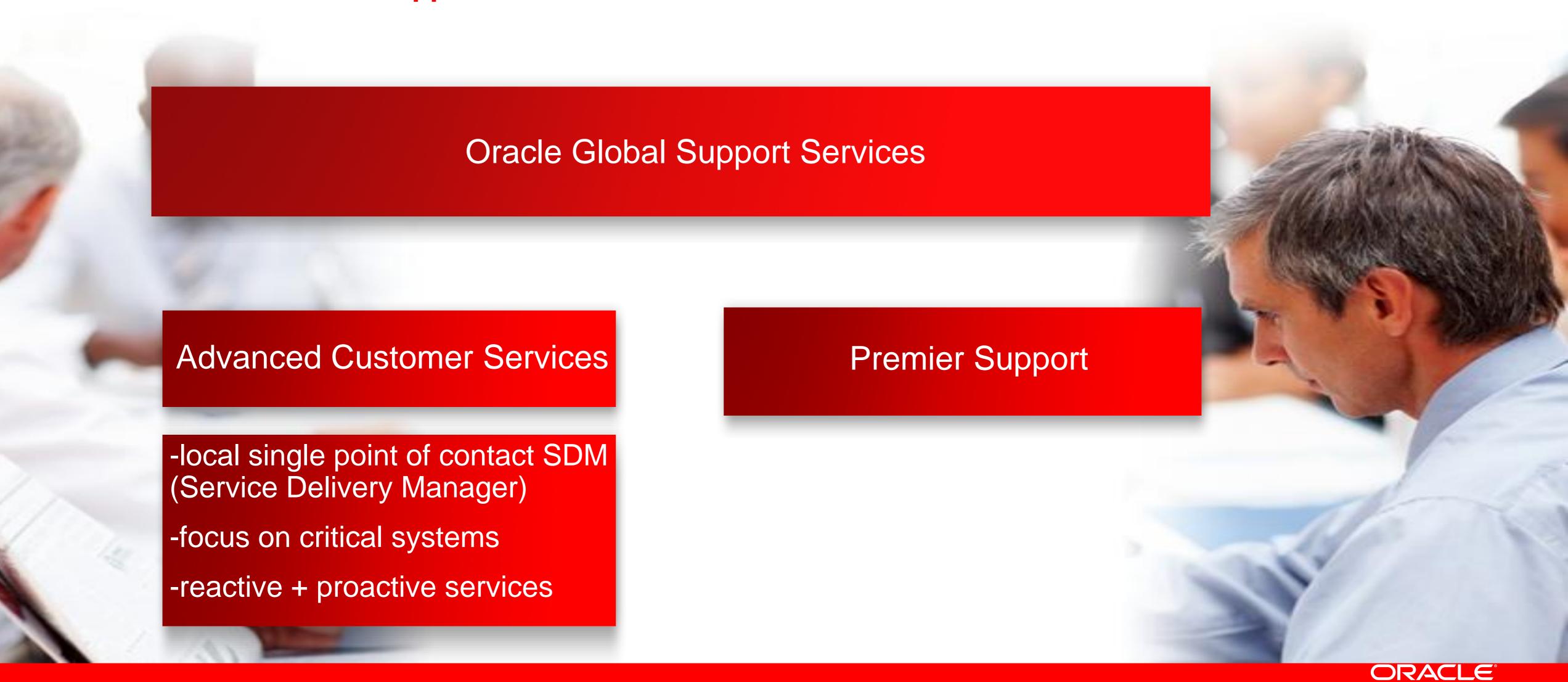
**Oracle Advanced Customer Support Services** 

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# About Oracle Advanced Customer Support Services

**Mission Critical Support Services** 



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 Mission Critical Support Services for all Oracle technologies

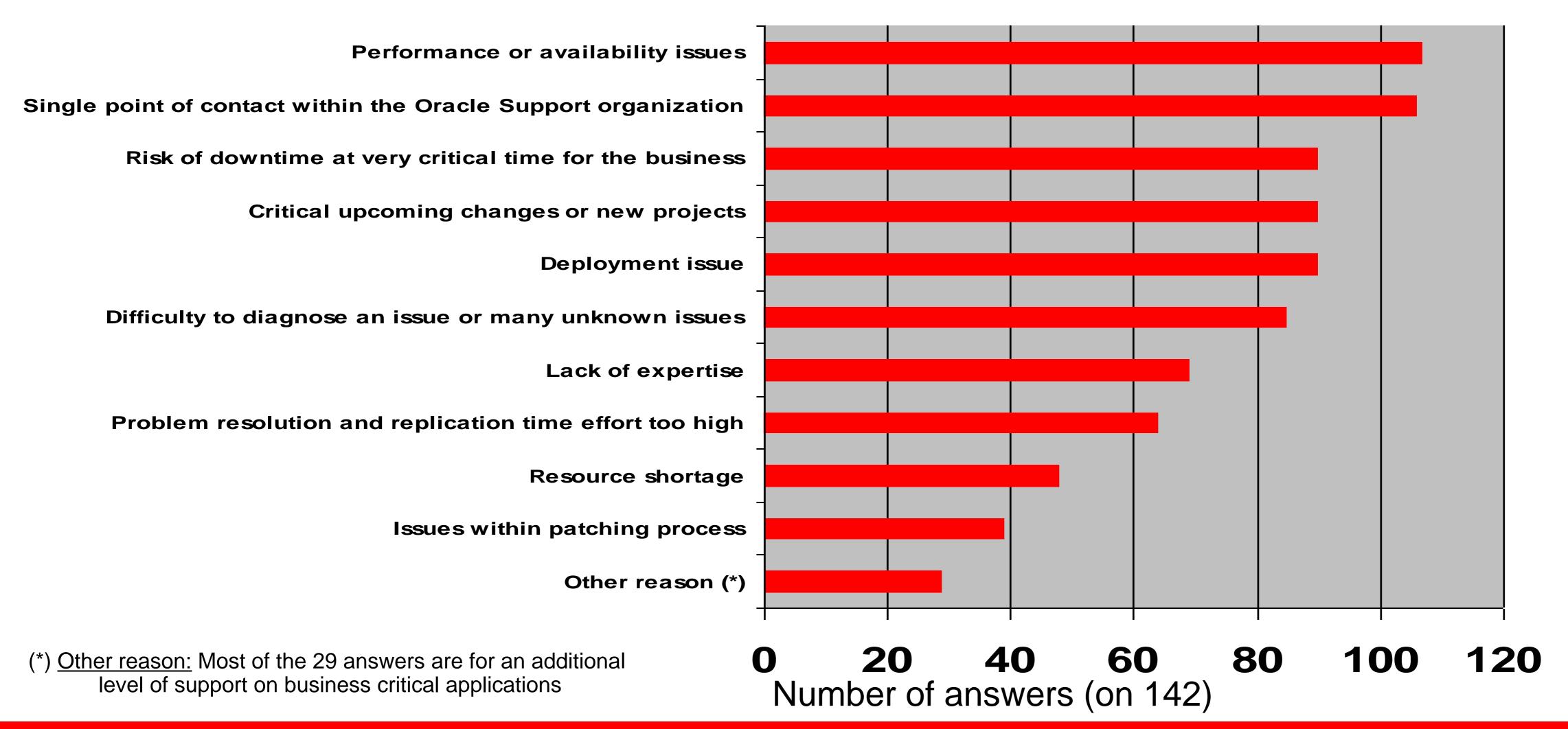
4,000+ advanced services engineers
 (Local SDM & Team + Regional Expert Centre)

Working in 127 countries in 45 languages

Industry-leading customer satisfaction rates

# Why Do Customers Purchase ACS?

Source: EMEA Customer Satisfaction Survey



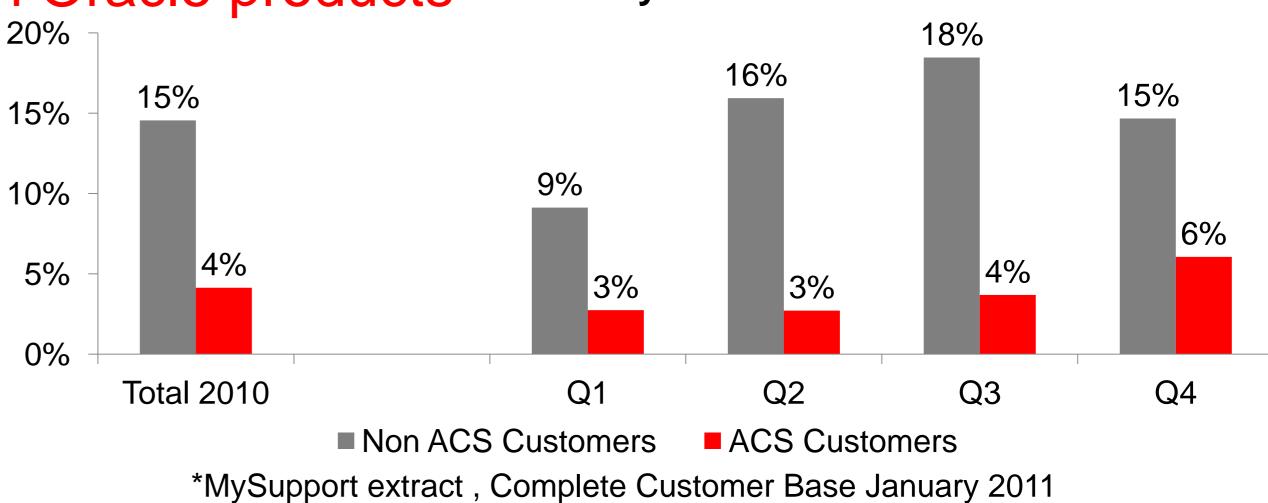
# What Makes Oracle ACS Unique?

## **Oracle Knows Oracle Best**

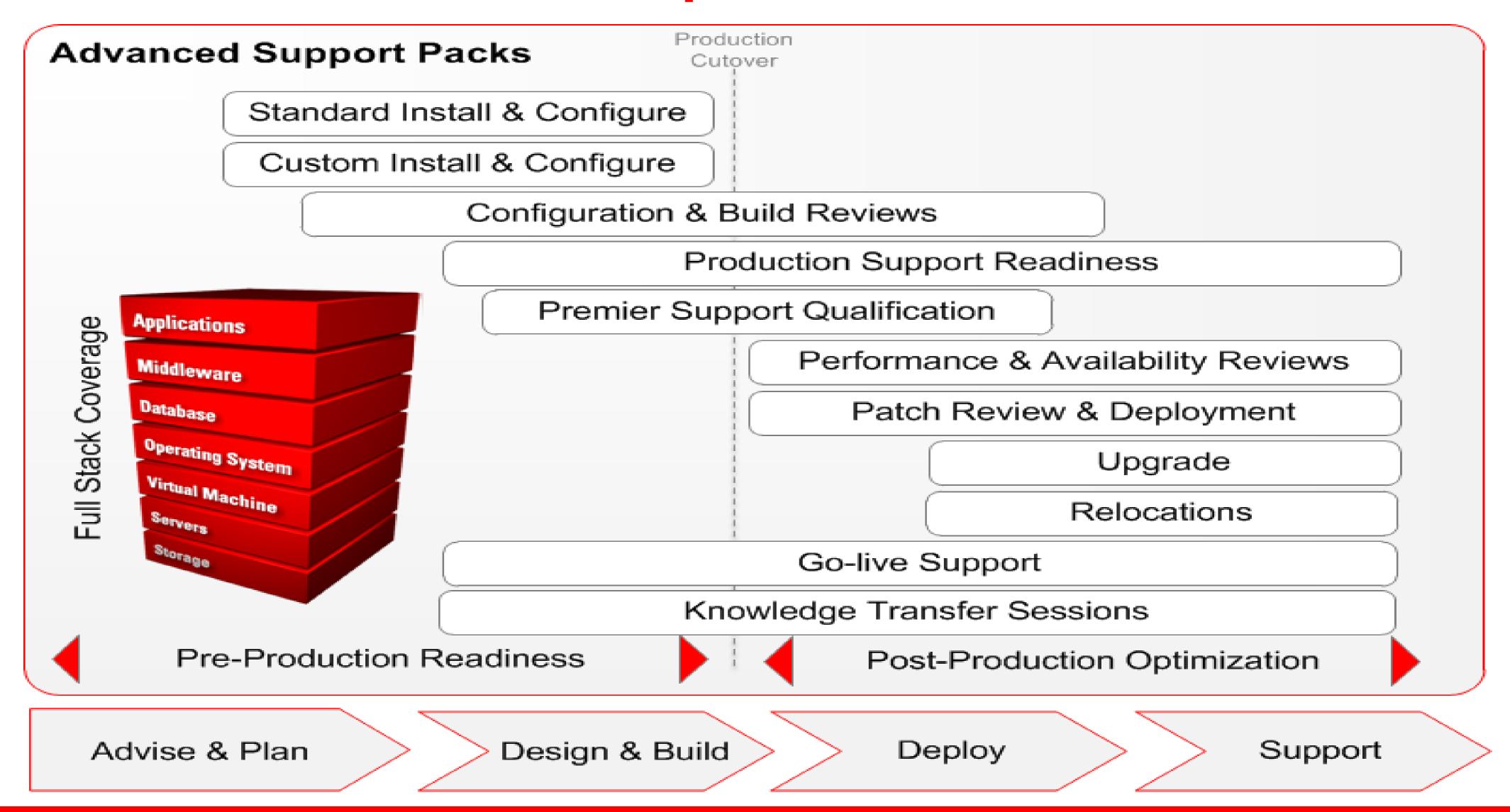
- Experts in Database, Applications, Server, Storage
- Coverage of the entire Oracle stack
- Proven processes and best practices
- Proactive avoidance of problems
- Leverage our knowledge for your environment

Make the most of your investment in Oracle products Severity 1 SRs

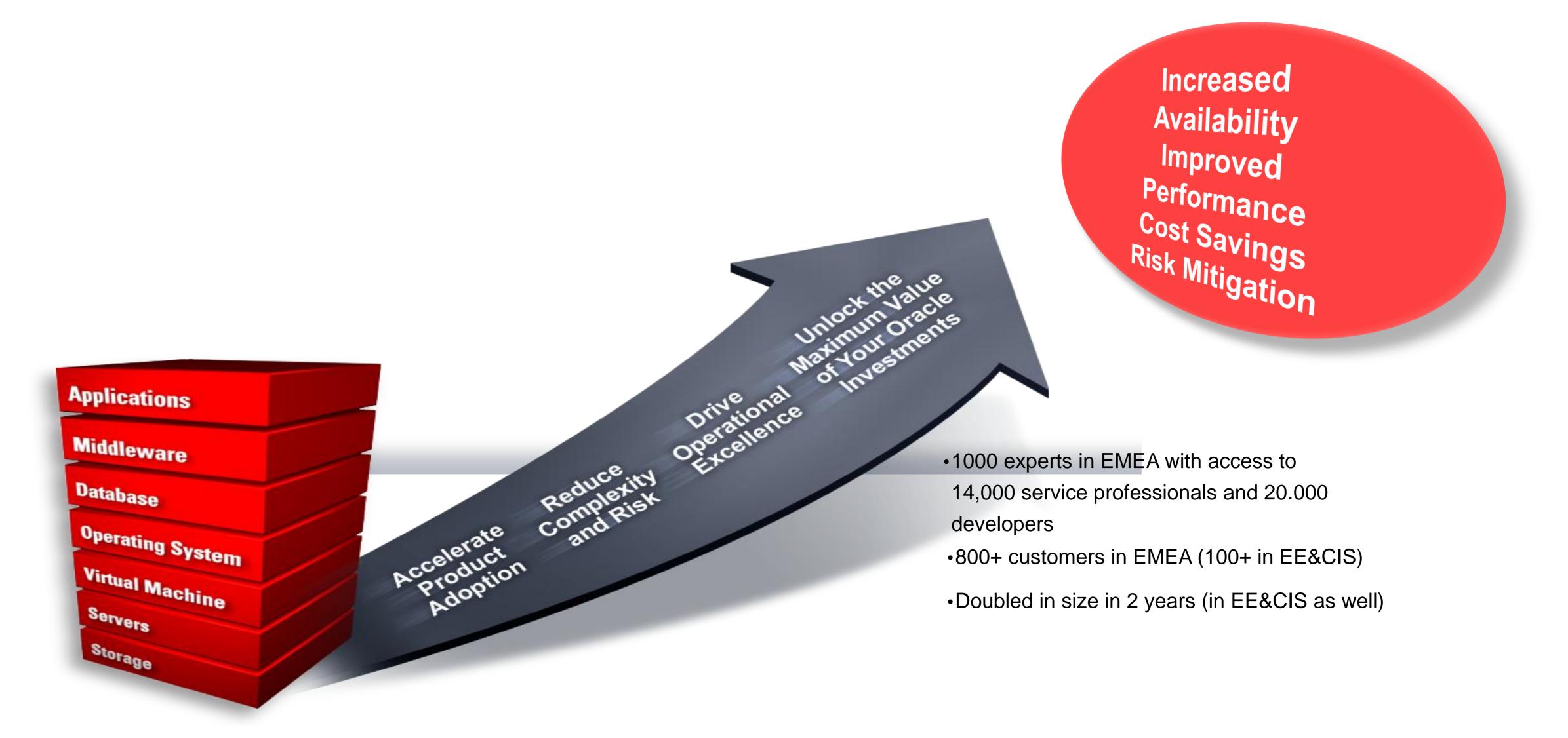
ACS customers have 70% fewer Severity 1 Issues



# ACS Portfolio: Fixed Scope Services



## **ACS Makes the Oracle Stack Work Best**



# **ACS Brings Measurable Improvements**

## Increased:

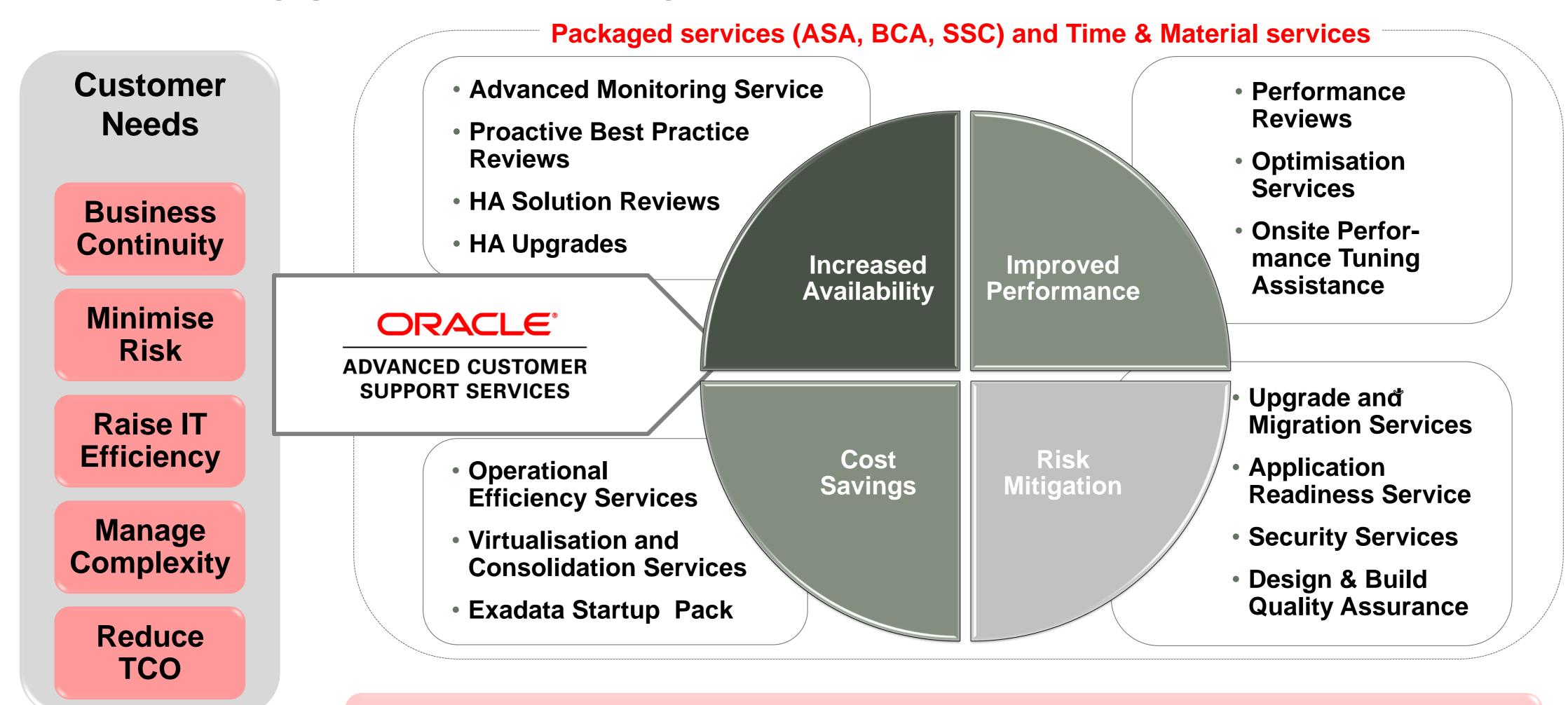
- t Service availability to 99.99%
- t Back up reliability from 60% to 98%
- t IT service hours to 24x7

## Reduced:

- Total Cost of Ownership by 40%
- Overall IT cost by 50%
- Back up costs by 70%

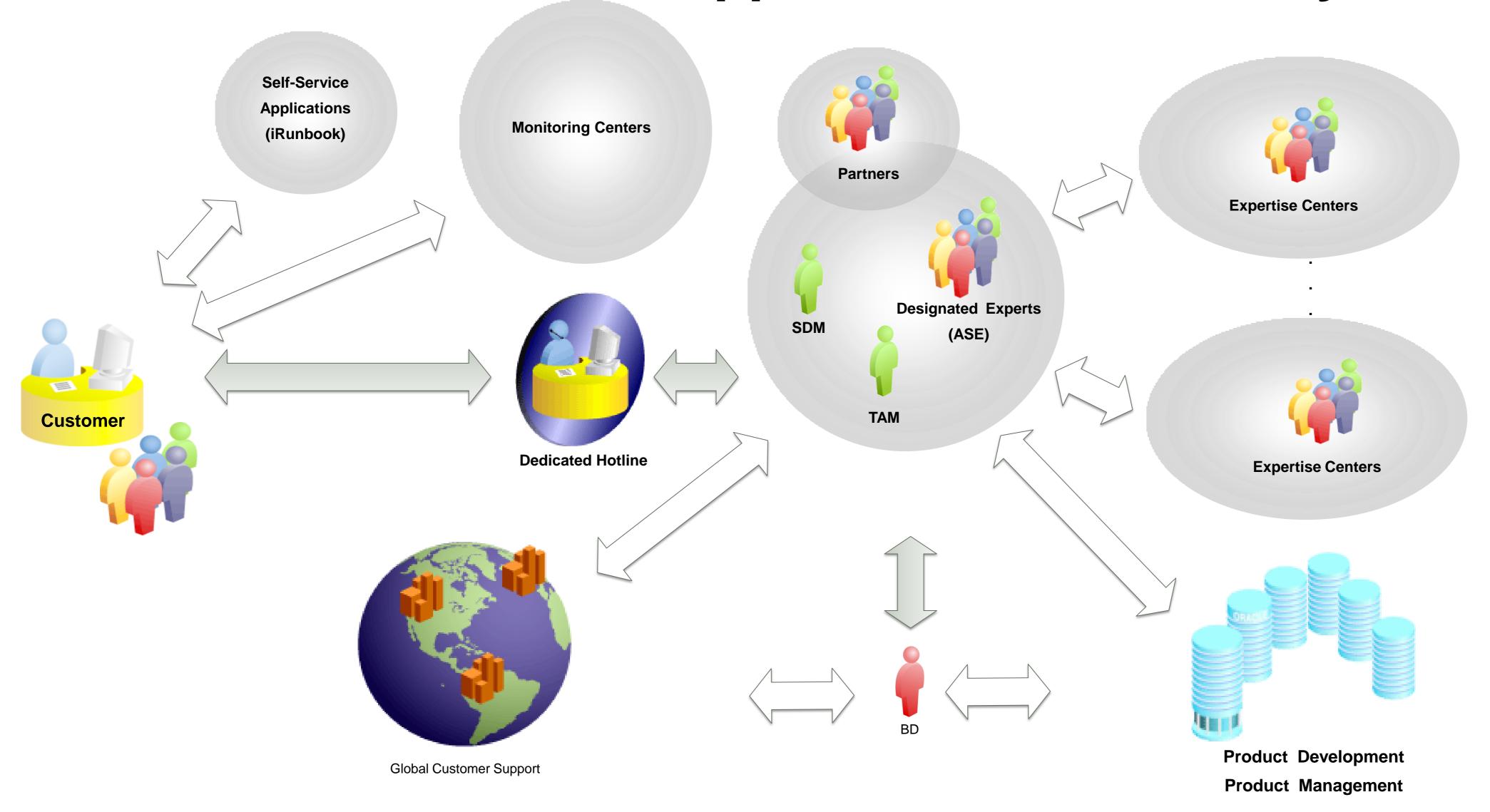
Typically Achievable Engagement Results

## How ACS Addresses Customer Needs



ACS understands the Customers' needs and helps them achieve their business goals

# Advanced Customer Support Services Delivery Model



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## **Customer Challenges**

- Lack of in-house knowledge, time, resources to address both short term and long term needs
- Overwhelmed and Frustrated Customer Staff

## Immediate Need

"Fix it, I need my system back!!"

## Long Term Need

"Make sure this will never happen again!!"



- Resolve the critical, urgent issue and restore "Business as usual"
- Have certain critical functionality available
- Find a workaround or get a fix to a critical bug

- A stable Oracle platform (hardware or software) providing customer with all the functionality they need/expect
- Satisfied Business and IT Teams who can focus on their "day jobs" not managing critical issues

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**Mission Critical Support Services** 

# The ACS Immediate and Long-Term Solutions

#### Immediate Solution

Bucket of T&M days (e.g. 20 days) to resolve immediate issue (see Sales Strategy Module) plus an appropriate Fixed Scope Service (e.g. Production Diagnostic Review) to decide future needs/contract type

## Long Term Solution

12 month ACS package (e.g. ASA, BCA, SSC) plus Fixed Scope Services as appropriate



- Advanced Support Engineers to work on (either remotely or onsite) the immediate issue
- Once immediate issue resolved, ASEs to analyse and identify root cause
- Root cause analysis and future recommendations, including proposal for Long term solution (see Sales Strategy Module) to be provided to customer

- ACS builds long-term relationship with customer through ASM (and ASEs)
- Blend of reactive plus proactive deliverables (e.g. Fixed Scope Services)
- ASM works closely with Premier Support to ensure quick and efficient handling of any critical SRs

## **Technical Services - Database**

- Backup and Recovery Assessment
- Configuration Assessment for Database
- Database Character set Migration (CSSScan)(\*)(new)
- Database Roadmaps
- Database Vault Solution Implementation
- Database Vault Configuration Review
- DataGuard Configuration Assessment
- Dataguard Setup and Configuration
- Dictionary to Locally Tablespace Migration(\*)(new)
- EM Configuration Assessment(\*)(new)
- Gathering Statistics Review NEW
- High Availability Solutions
  Assessment
- HWM Tables(\*)(new)
- Incident Anaysis(\*)(en FMW)
- Index Validation(\*)(new)
- Knowledge Transfer Presentation

- Migration Planning Assessment for Database
- Monthly Patch Assessment
- Network Encryption and Data Integrity Implementation
- Oracle Data Masking Implementation
- Oracle Database Auditing Solution
- Oracle Golden Gate Configuration Review
- Oracle Golden Gate Performance
  Review NEW
- Oracle Solution for Control Access
- Patch Analysis
- PCI-DSS standard
- Performance Assessment for Database
- Performance Follow-up for Database
- Proactive Oracle Software Advise for Database
- Production Assessment
- PSU Assessment

## RAT-SPA

- RDB Backup and Recovery
- RDB Configuration Assessment
- RDB Performance Assessment
- Recovery Scenarios for the Oracle Database Servers
- Security360°
- Security Assessment
- Security Monitoring with Grid Control
- Solution Assessment Service (SAS)
- SQL Tuning
- Streams Configuration Review
- Streams Performance Review
- Technical Assistance for Service Requests
- TimesTen HealthCheck
- Transparent Data Encryption Implementation
- Virtual Private Database Implementation
- Workload Analysis



# Oracle Configuration Review and Recommendations



Analyze current configuration relative to Oracle recommended best practices to improve stability & reliability.

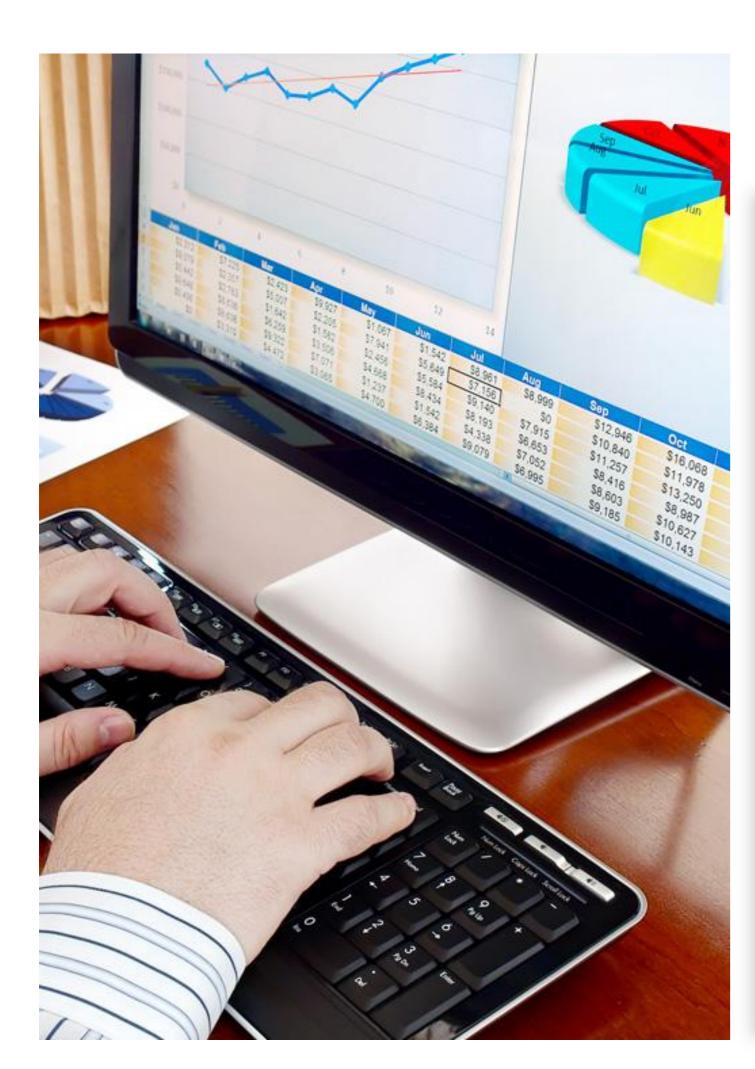
## **Services Provided**

- Kick-off meeting & orientation
  - Install data collection tools
- Establish target configuration based on your objectives and Oracle recommended practices
- Perform "map and gap" analysis, comparing actual and target configurations
- Document and review findings and recommendations

## **Benefits and Value**

- Reduce supportability and reliability risks due to configuration issues
- Discover unexpected or undocumented environment changes
- Identify missing critical patches and upgrades that place your systems at risk
- Develop a roadmap for configuration optimization

# Oracle Performance Review and Recommendations



Collect and analyze performance data to identify and address potential performance before they become critical.

## **Services Provided**

- Kick-off meeting & orientation
- Work with client to understand performance objectives
- Install and setup performance data collection tools
  - Analyze collected data, identify bottlenecks and compare to performance best practices
- Document and review findings and recommendations

### **Benefits and Value**

- Identify and address potential performance issues before they become critical
- Maximize performance stability and reliability, and avoid peak-load risks
- Obtain maximum performance of production systems on existing hardware
- Measure the impact of changes before roll-out into production





#### **Advanced Customer Services**

ENGINEERED ASSESSMENT

- CONFIGURATION -

#### REPORT OF FINDINGS FOR DATABASE DWPROD

ON HOST .....

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Section	Recommendation	Impact	Priority To Apply changes
Operating System			
<u>Patches</u>	Apply AIX patches IY68989, and IY94343	High	Short term
OS Memory	Increase processes in init.ora	High	Short term
Tables with more than	Implement index monitoring via ALTE INDEX		
<u>5 Indexes</u>	MONITORING USAGE	High	Short term
	Try to trim down the number of indexes by replacing		
	multi_column indexes by multiple single_column indexes,		
	which can be used by a broader range of queries. For		
	example, table KARTICA (with 32 indexes in schema		
	xxx_PROD, 28 indexes in shcema xxx2_PROD, and 28		
Tables with more than	indexes in schema TMP_xxxV2_PROD) needs special		
<u>5 Indexes</u>	attention.	High	Short term
	For VPATH_DEVICE_OFFLIN		
	- Perform problem determination on SCSI target device		
	- Perform Problem determination on host SCSI adapter		
	- Replace SCSI cable		
OS Logfiles		Medium	Medium Term
		Low	Long Term

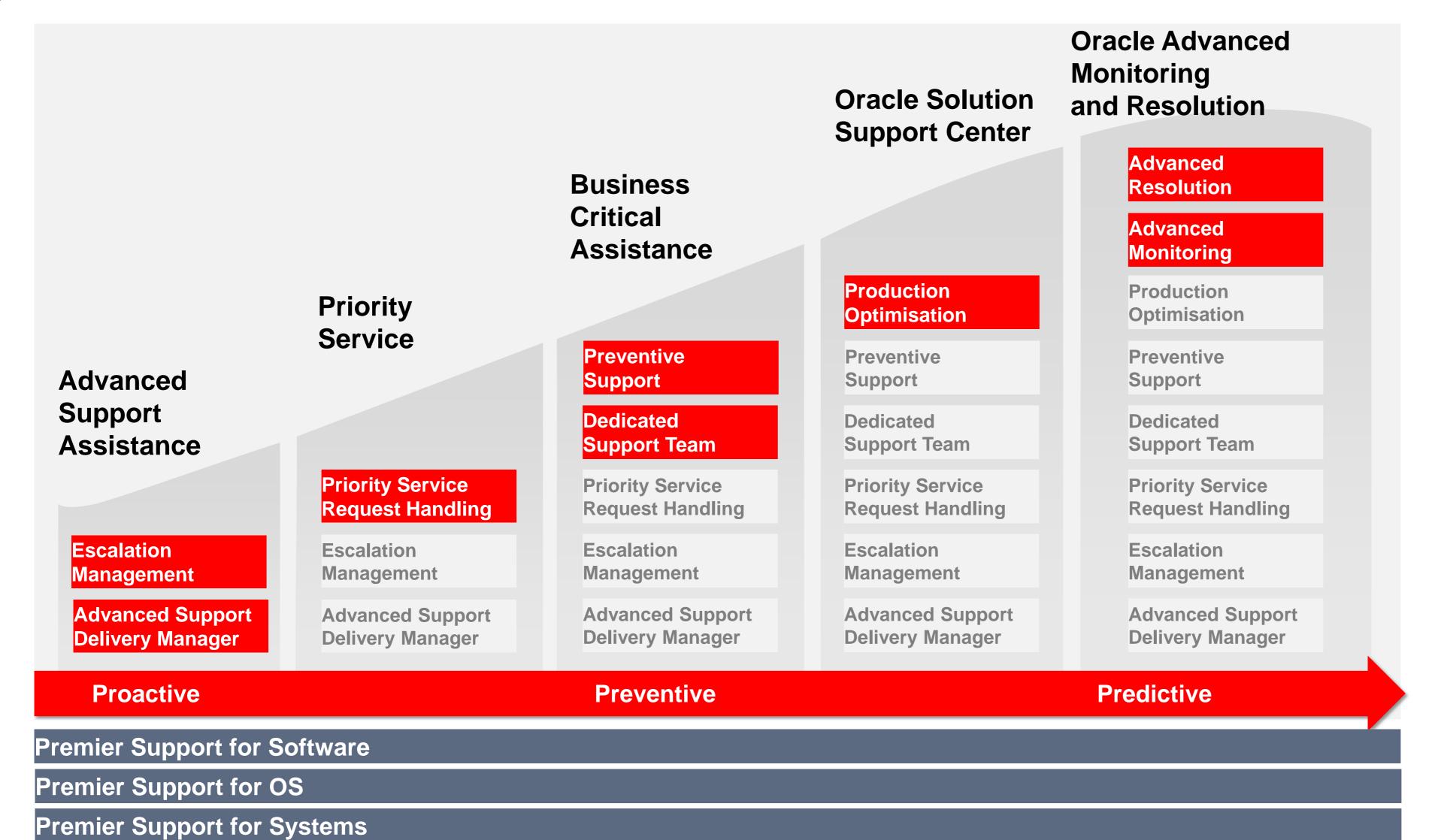


# Oracle Review and

Za optimizacijo obsto	ječega OBIEE sistema pred	llagamo:				
OBIEE Server + DB (sistem)	Configuration review & Recommendations	Performance review & Recommendations				
OBIEE	X	X				
Database	X	X				
OS Linux	X					
Vrednost ponudbe	znaša :-)					
Configuration Review	and Recommendations:					
# Analyze current envi						
operational objectiv						
# Perform gap analysi	final findings report					
Performance Review						
# Collect and analyze						
# Review key performance metrics, and document and review findings and recommendations						



## **Annual Services**



Tailor your solutions by choosing from more than

50
service modules

## **Annual Services**



## Advanced Support Assistance (ASA)

Advanced Support Assistance

Escalation Management

Advanced Support Delivery Manager

**Proactive** 



#### Benefits

- Streamlined management of critical issues
- Faster problem resolution

Reduce Operational Cost

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## **Annual Services**

#### **Business** Critical **Assistance**

#### Preventive Support

#### Dedicated Support Team

**Priority Service Request Handling** 

**Escalation** Management

**Advanced Support Delivery Manager** 

**Preventive** 

## Business Critical Assistance (BCA)



#### DEDICATED SUPPORT TEAM

- Access to team of Advanced Support Engineers
- Knowledge of Customer Business & Environments
- Onsite & Remote Support Engineers
- Root Cause & Corrective Action Plans



#### **ADVANCED** SUPPORT DELIVERY **MANAGER**

- Local / Onsite & Assigned to Customer Customer Single Point of Contact for Support Issues
- **Escalation Management**
- Proactive Support Reviews

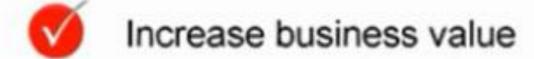


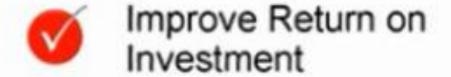
#### PRIORITY SERVICE REQUEST HANDLING

#### PREVENTIVE SERVICES

- Service Request SLAs
- Prioritization of Service Requests in Support work queue
- Escalations of Service Requests to Duty Managers based on elapsed time
- Preventive advice delivered based on specific Customer Knowledge
- Advanced Diagnostic Tools providing Actionable Recommendations
- Patching, Configuration & Product Use Guidance

#### Benefits





Minimize risk and protect your business reputation

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## **ACS Portfolio**

#### FIXED SCOPE **SERVICES**



Install & Configuration

Configuration & Build Review

Production Support Readiness

Go-live Support

Performance & Availability Review

Patch Review & Deployment

**Knowledge Transfer Sessions** 







#### TIME & **MATERIALS SERVICES**



Oracle Applications Engineer

Fusion Middleware Engineer

Database Engineer

Server Engineer

Storage Engineer

**Technical Account Manager** 

Advanced Support Delivery Manager



#### **ANNUAL SERVICES**

Solution Support Center

**Business Critical Assistance** 

Advanced Support Assistance

**Priority Service** 



Advanced Monitoring & Resolution

Onsite Advanced Support Engineers

Complete Stack Coverage



# Hardware and Software

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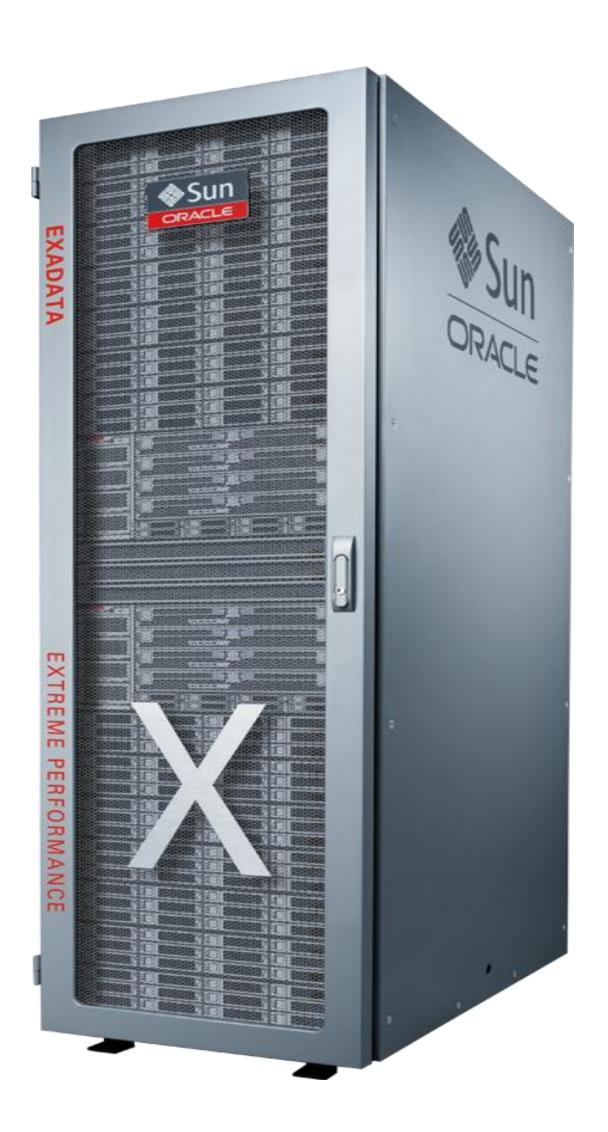
**Engineered to Work Together** 





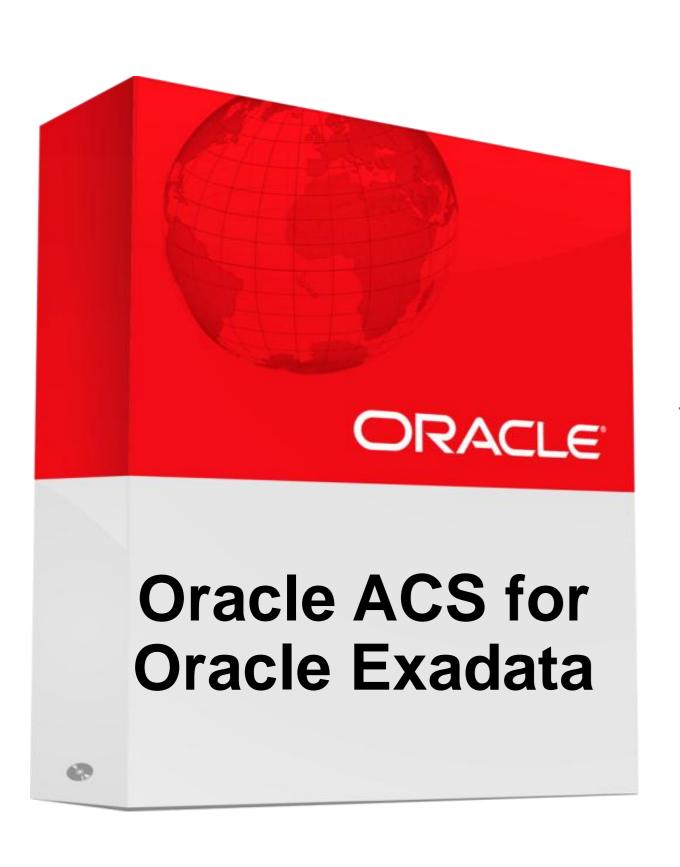
# Making the Most of your Exadata

- Customers choose Exadata for the most important, mission critical systems
- Exadata is an engineered system delivering extreme performance and capacity.
- Key to success is optimal setup and management to ensure:
  - Maximum Performance
  - Fastest Time to Production
  - Sustained Performance during Production
- Oracle Exadata Lifecycle Services Provide
  - A comprehensive service package tailored for Exadata
  - Seamless delivery across the entire deployment phase
  - Remote monitoring for best performance during production
  - Access to the skills & knowledge of Oracle experts



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#### For Oracle Exadata



## 1. Oracle Exadata Start-Up Pack

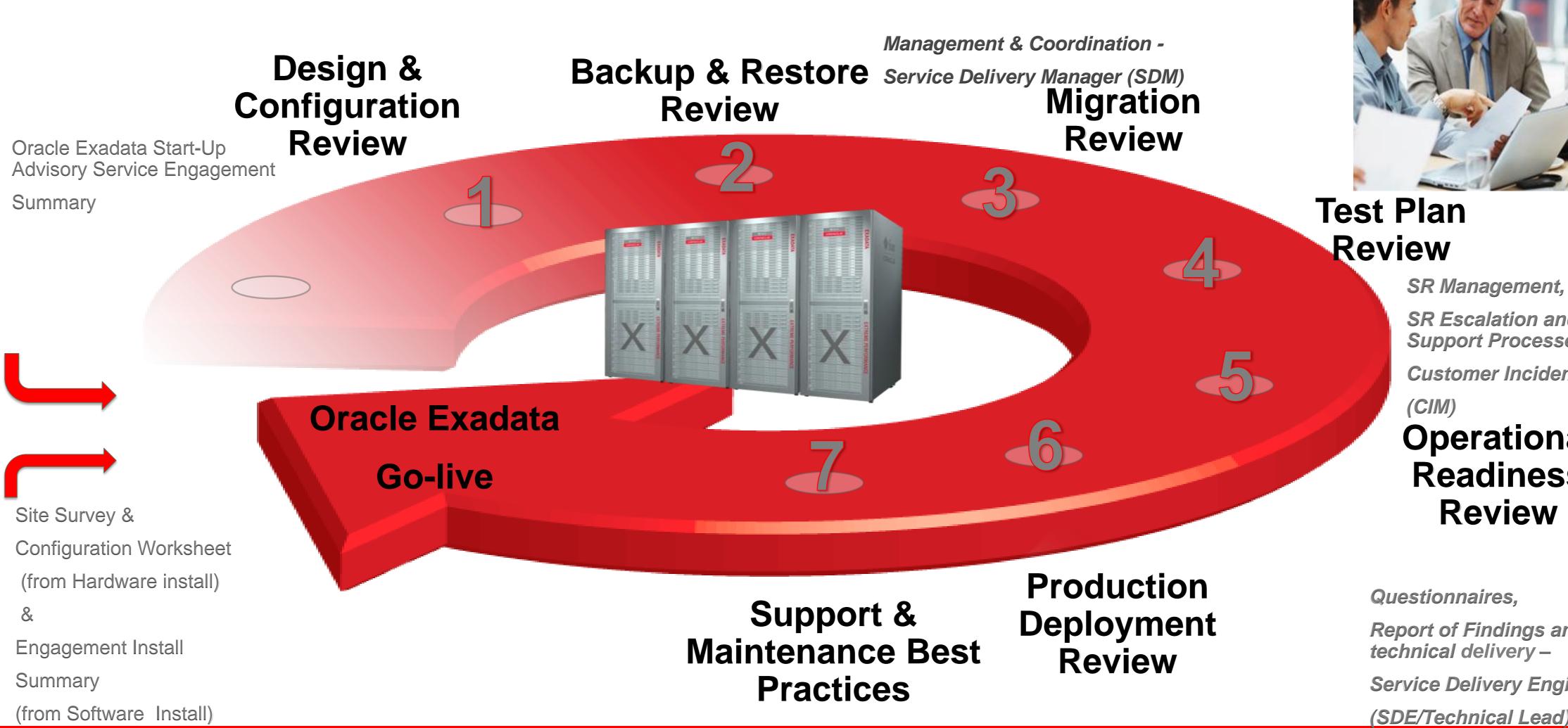
- Oracle Exadata Start-Up Advisory Service
- Oracle Exadata Installation Service
- Oracle Exadata Configuration Service
- Oracle Exadata Production Support Readiness
- Oracle Exadata Quarterly Patch Deployment Service

## 2. Mission Critical Support

- 24x7 Focused Support Team
- Dedicated Hotline
- Service Delivery Manager
- Escalation Management
- Priority Handling of Service Requests
- Onsite Advanced Services Engineers
- 24X7 Advanced Monitoring of the Entire Oracle Stack
- Exadata Backup & Recovery

# Oracle Exadata Production Support Readiness

Approximate Days to Deploy (90 Days)



SR Escalation and Premier Support Processes -

Customer Incident Manager

**Operational** Readiness Review

Report of Findings and overall technical delivery -

Service Delivery Engineer

(SDE/Technical Lead)



## **More Information**

 Review the Advanced Customer Services Website: <u>oracle.com/ACS</u>

• Email janez.bostner@oracle.com with any questions

# Hardware and Software

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# Advanced Monitoring and Restoration



# **Advanced Monitoring & Resolution**



# ADVANCED MONITORING

- 24x7x365 monitoring of advanced telemetry by Oracle Advanced Support Engineers
- Event filtering
- Alerts when specific metrics exceed predefined thresholds
- Reporting on event management, performance and availability
- A single global knowledge base, tool set and Mission Critical portal
- Response Time SLAs



# ADVANCED RESOLUTION

- 24x7x365 closed-loop incident resolution by Oracle Advanced Support Engineers
- Root cause analysis and corrective action
- Problem management
- Proactive analysis & preventive maintenance
- Patch reviews & recommendations
- Performance and availability reporting
- Storage & database provisioning
- Response time SLAs

## BENEFIT



Maximum Availability



Optimise Performance & Reliability



Reduced Risk



Predictable Operational Costs

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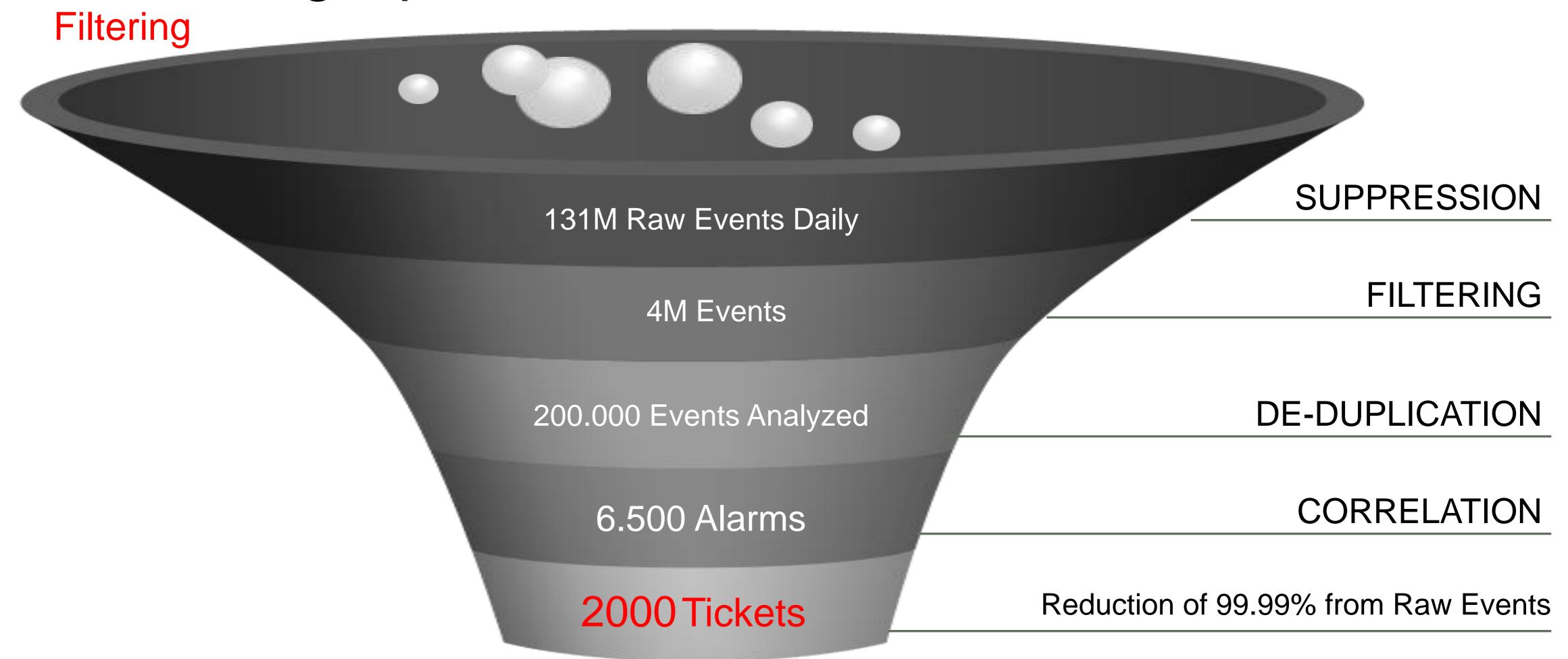
## Mission Critical Support Services

- A global organization within Customer Support Services, providing tailored Mission Critical Support services to maximize availability for customers with complex IT requirements
  - Fixed Scope Services combine unique Oracle
    Development & Advanced Support expertise with Oracle
    tools & best practices to accelerate ROI, optimize
    performance and improve reliability
- Advanced Support Engineers provide highly proactive & preventive support with diagnostic and monitoring tools to anticipate, identify and remediate issues for all Oracle mission critical systems
- Strategic Support relationships focused on collaborative, long term partnerships

# Companies who use ACS Services

- 94% of the "S&P Global 100" companies
  - 94% of the Dow Jones STOXX 50\*
- 78% of the global Fortune 100 companies
  - 5 of the top 5 telecommunications companies
    - 9 of the top 10 global banks
  - 4 of the top 5 aerospace and defense companies

# Monitoring Option



Ticketed Events Represent ~30% of Actionable Alarms

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## Infrastructure Expertise

- Oracle monitoring and resolution experts have a broad skill set across all components of the IT infrastructure
- You have the choice of which components Oracle monitors

#### Choice of Devices:

- Applications
- Database
- Servers
- Virtual Servers
- Web Servers
- Storage
- Backup and Recovery
- Disk and volume services
- Firewall
- Security connectivity
- Network Device
- Network Appliance

## **Advanced Customer Services**

**AVAILABILITY** 

- Proactive best practise Reviews
- HA Solution Reviews
- HA Upgrades
- Advanced Monitoring

PERFORMANCE

- Performance Reviews
- Optimisation Services
- On Site Performance Tuning



RISK

- Upgrade & migration services
- Application readiness Services
- Security Services
- Design & Build Quality Assurance

COST

- Operational Efficiency Services
- Virtualisation & Consolidation
- Start up Pack

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## **Oracle Database Review**

#### Service Overview

### **Service Content**

- Data Gathering
  - ACS Experts collect all necessary data from the customer for the analysis
- Analysis
  - Detection of potential risks
  - Identification of improvement options
     Comprehensive technical review against Oracles best practice to determine conflicts, potential availability and security issues, and suggested improvement options
- Detailed Report of Findings
  - Service objectives and detailed findings
  - Proposed changes to improve the configuration
  - Presentation to customer