Best-of-Breed converges with best practices in SaaS

Blue Yonder has overcome traditional IT Challenges in warehouse management by converging our best in class solutions with industry recognized best practices for SaaS deployments. In cooperation with Microsoft, we have delivered a cloud operations ecosystem to optimize system responsiveness at minimum cost. In parallel, our adoption of advanced tools and processes for maintaining continuous upgrades removes the burden of technology cycles while assuring availability of the latest innovations. Finally, our accelerated innovation strategy has allowed SaaS native, subscription-based capabilities to infuse our traditional offerings with AI/ML-infused optimization as we extend our portfolio to become the first to market with an end to end supply chain platform.

Reduce your ongoing managed services costs with frictionless SaaS

Blue Yonder has invested in our technology strategy, cloud operations tools, and best practices for managed services to ensure that you can consume our applications as nimbly as possible through our SaaS operation and delivery models.

Blue Yonder has partnered with Microsoft to bring our products to market on the Azure platform. The Azure ecosystem has proactive monitoring and diagnostics and offers a safely extensible approach through API Gateway which allows your own development to be embodied in the workflows that drive the process on the warehouse floor through the Luminate Platform.

Real results

Managed services cost savings up to 25%

Improvement on labor spend by 10–12%

Reduction in five-year test administration efforts by 50%
Why go it alone? Rely on Blue Yonder, the industry leader

Blue Yonder is driving a SaaS ready deployment methodology from both an operational perspective and enablement perspective. By creating a more template-based implementation at the on-set to better understand the design of the solution, companies can drive higher levels of consistency and higher levels of supportability and self-sustainability. The methodology is highly flexible to enable customers to offer agility in warehouse management for user experiences and best practice enablement, and a safe extensible architecture at the same time to take advantage of extended capabilities that align to customer specific use cases.

Customers have reported benefits such as accelerated testing cycle to implementation, patching and upgrade, as well as improved quality of test processes which results in reduced risk during implementation and shortened stabilization periods post-implementation. They are also reporting a lower TCO (Total Cost of Ownership) as a program investment rather than traditional capital-intensive projects. Blue Yonder is here to drive uptime efficiency, while servicing your business, and improving your warehouse operations.

Additionally, by improving up-time and functional response times in your warehouses through advanced monitoring and diagnostics tools, associates can stay focused on their tasks at hand, and improve case rates, labor efficiencies, and reduce distractions from interruptions. Due to the solutions ability to continuously upgrade without interruption, this also opens the door for innovations to be integrated as they are already compatible with the subscription platform offering. This empowers users to have the latest and greatest innovation offerings in the warehouse domain while positioning them to continue to respond to emerging business trends and regulatory requirements.

Frictionless SaaS capabilities within easy reach

With built in automated testing ability, users are able to vigorously vet net new capabilities before they’re introduced to live environments reducing risk for customers and increasing stability. This predictive vision within the SaaS environment adds valuable insights for users to stay ahead of the curve on any issues that could arise.

As a value-add in working with a SaaS environment, upgrades are continuous with zero downtime, and customers can choose to activate them when they’re ready. Since they’re updated in the background and disabled to start, there is no risk to having this continuity, and allows users to move at the pace that their organization is ready to take on newer, more advanced capabilities for their facilities.

There are also additional capabilities enabled if you use this service. Extensibility options also allow customers and partners to add value add services of their own on an ongoing basis to allow users to bring their own best practices to the forefront without risk of entangling the base product or causing issues.

The power of platform

With increasing market disruption, business strategies are evolving daily – as are customer expectations. The power of Blue Yonder’s platform lies in the ability to rapidly react to an ever-changing environment. Through advanced access to Blue Yonder or partner sponsored capabilities, and a development platform around your supply chain data ecosystem, Blue Yonder assures that the value of a SaaS deployment that is easily maintained to current standards will break those traditional constraints that have held you back from operational excellence as well as rapid response to emerging business expectations.