

# Will your company start planning for SAP's mandatory S/4HANA implementation in the next 12-24 months?

# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Your company may be one, two, or more years away from implementing SAP S/4HANA but we expect you have or are starting a plan. We are having many conversations with customers and companies using SAP ECC and implementing or planning to implement S/4HANA. Without exception, they have reached the realization that embedded SAP S/4HANA TM (Transportation Management) doesn't provide shipping execution automation that compliments standard SAP pick and pack functionality. Elemica's ProcessWeaver solution has been the leading SAP shipping solution for more than 20 years.

## WHAT IS "SHIPPING EXECUTION AUTOMATION"

SAP S/4HANA TM has several features that improve transportation management including strategic freight management, order management, and transportation planning. However, getting the correct product to the right customer at the desired place and time requires efficient and automated shipping execution. This is the final process in fulfillment of a customer's order. To achieve perfect order fulfillment, you will need to supplement SAP TM.

More than 180 companies running SAP trust their shipping execution and shipment tracking to Elemica's ProcessWeaver solution. Our SAP-native ABAP and Fiori platforms extend the standard SAP solution by filling gaps in parcel, LTL, TL, and Freight Forwarder shipping automation while, at the same time, complimenting traditional SAP picking and packing processes. In addition, our platform supports digital connections to more than 390 carriers and logistics service providers in more than 90 countries.





#### SAP NATIVE STANDARD SHIPPING FUNCTIONALITY

Our solution offers a seamless experience for your employees responsible for outbound shipping operations because we implement it directly into your native SAP solution. Whether your business ships 50 or 50,000 orders per day, ProcessWeaver for SAP improves operational efficiency, reduces freight spend, and ensures carrier compliance. Key features include:

- Rate shopping for least-cost carrier routing
- Optimal carrier selection based on routing guide governance using SAP Condition
  Technique, a methodology to configure complex business rules
- Shipping from and updating shipping information to standard SAP ERP or SAP EWM document types
- Integration with shipping scales to weigh parcels, pallets, crates, drums, and more
- Logistics data quality checks to ensure shipping data is compliant with regulatory agencies
- Containerization and palletization to reduce packaging material and waste
- Compliance standards for printing parcel labels, international documents, Bills of Lading, hazardous materials shipping papers and more
- Pre-shipment filing export information so all required shipments have an ITN number
- Real-time shipment tendering (no closing out at the end of the day)
- Proactive track and trace for all digitally connected carriers and trading partners, including Proof of Delivery, and updating SAP for easy user access to information
- APIs that support rate shopping, shipping, and tracking from other standard SAP transactions, as well as other critical business applications

## SUPPORTED VERSIONS OF SAP

In addition to on-going support for SAP and EWM, Elemica's ProcessWeaver solution supports the following versions of SAP:

- · On Premises Self-Hosted
- On Premises Cloud
- Private Cloud
- Public Cloud
- SAP Business One



# WHY PROCESSWEAVER/ELEMICA

For more than 20 years we have worked with medium and large SAP customers in more than 90 countries to combine technology and process improvement to empower better shipping execution. No matter how simple or complex your shipping operations, our scalable platform is built to be configured to fit your current or future workflows and processes, and scalability to support:

- · Any global locations you need to ship from
- Shipping volumes that range from 100 to 100,000 shipments per day
- Integration with nearly 400 carriers, logistics service providers, 3PLs, and brokers

Our SAP experience and expertise in application development, implementation, support, client success make us the preferred technology partner. The ProcessWeaver/Elemica Customer Journey is the gold standard in the industry.



#### Sales and Solution

- Responsive & knowledgeable
- Aware of key customer initiatives
- Industry & solution expertise
- · Optimal solution design



#### **Professional Services**

- Timely & complete delivery
- Communication status
- Coordinate planning with partners



#### Client Success

- Develop Client Success Plan
- Delivers positive outcomes to delight clients
- Routine KPIs and ROI reviews
- Bring clients input on roadmap/innocation



**Global Support** 

- 24/7/365
- Responsive
- Resolve problems quickly
- · Communicates effectivley

### LET'S START THE CONVERSATION

Regardless of the stage of your SAP S/4HANA journey, we want to share with you how we've help nearly 200 businesses better leverage their investment in SAP, and how we are better-positioning them for their eventual implementation of SAP S/4HANA.



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