



# New HP Enterprise Cloud Services Enhance Development Environments in Support of SAP Applications

VIENNA, Austria, Nov. 30, 2011 – HP Enterprise Services today announced new services that allow clients to quickly and cost-effectively access development and sandbox environments for the SAP® ERP application via a virtual private cloud.

For many companies, SAP ERP is integral to the business. As new software features and functionality become available, IT managers are challenged to assess them without disrupting existing environments.

The [HP Enterprise Cloud Services for SAP Development and Sandbox Solution](#) combine infrastructure, software and services to provide quick access to SAP ERP 6.0 via a virtual private cloud. As a result, clients can perform prototyping to assess the software's new functionality and determine how it can benefit their current SAP production environments.

"Many enterprises have limited capital to invest in incremental compute capacity for application development projects," said Eric Clark, vice president, Enterprise Applications Services, HP. "The new HP Enterprise Cloud Services for SAP Development and Sandbox Solution give clients quick, cost-effective access to evaluate new SAP ERP application features and determine how those features can improve their business operations."

## **Clients access and pay for what they need, when they need it**

HP delivers these services from secure commercial [data centers](#) around the globe, where processing capacities can respond to changes in client demands and testing volumes.

With pay-per-instance per-month pricing options, clients have the flexibility to choose their most cost-efficient option. Clients also have ready access to the functionalities they require without having to make a capital investment to stage a development or evaluation environment.

Part of [HP Hybrid Delivery](#), the HP Enterprise Cloud Services for SAP

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Development and Sandbox Solution are key in helping clients become an [Instant-On Enterprise](#). HP Hybrid Delivery helps clients build, manage and consume services using the right delivery model for them. In a world of continuous connectivity, the Instant-On Enterprise embeds technology in everything it does to serve customers, employees, partners and citizens with whatever they need, instantly.

HP is an [SAP-certified](#) global provider of [cloud services](#), [application management](#) services and [hosting services](#), delivering high-quality standards for cloud-based delivery of SAP applications. The HP Enterprise Cloud Services for SAP Development and Sandbox Solution broaden the 20-year relationship between SAP – a member of the HP [Agility Alliance](#) – and HP.

The HP Enterprise Cloud Services for SAP Development and Sandbox Solution are available now in the Americas, Europe, the Middle East and Africa. The services are scheduled to be available in the first quarter of 2012 in the Asia Pacific region.

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