



ERP SOFTWARE GUIDE LONGLIST OPTIONS

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FOREWORD

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Welcome to our **ERP Software Guide - Longlist Options**.

If you are looking at potentially implementing a new ERP system in your business, this report should be really useful for you. We look at a variety of different ERP vendors that could be helpful to look at as part of your initial market assessment - or the 'longlist' phase.

This is not an extensive list of all the ERP vendor options, our curated list is based on market share statistics and various analyst reports. A range of vendors that we believe will give you plenty of options to choose from, or ideas to take into your RFI or RFP process. By all means, add more, or take some away, after all, it is your process and your decision.

If you need help, we also have a range of small fixed-cost services:

- **Technology Matchmaker** - a great way to bring new ideas to your team or to the wider business. The Technology Matchmaker is a simple service where we interview your team, write up the requirements, and bring a variety of ERP vendors to present how they can help you. Ideal for your initial project research.
 - [Learn more about the Technology Matchmaker service here.](#)
- **Rapid RFI (RRFI)** - If you have a project green light, we can help your team to conduct a quick initial market assessment with our Rapid RFI (RRFI) and take you from the 'longlist' of options to the shortlist.
 - [Find out more about our RRFI here.](#)
- **Rapid RFP (RRFP)** - Our Rapid RFP (RRFP) is changing the way that companies select new technology. We streamline the process and take the weight off your team by running the quickest RFP process so that you can select the right vendor - but get on with your project as soon as possible.
 - [Find out more about our Vendor Selection service here](#)

If we can help or if you have any questions or comments, drop us a note at: **contactus@viewpointanalysis.com**.

You can review all of our Longlists at www.viewpointanalysis.com/longlists

If you want to keep up to date on all our reports (we publish new reports and updates to our reports on a frequent basis) you can subscribe to our [mailing list here](#).

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SAP

Website: www.sap.com

Why they are worth considering:

SAP, now one of the world's largest software companies, will always be synonymous with Enterprise Resource Planning. With a range of ERP options for different requirements and companies, SAP continues to be a significant player in this key software category. They have a significant share of the market and are rated highly by most of the industry followers and analysts. Established in 1972, and headquartered out of Walldorf, Germany, SAP is a truly international software vendor with offices in most established countries and developing markets.

ORACLE

Website: www.oracle.com

Why they are worth considering:

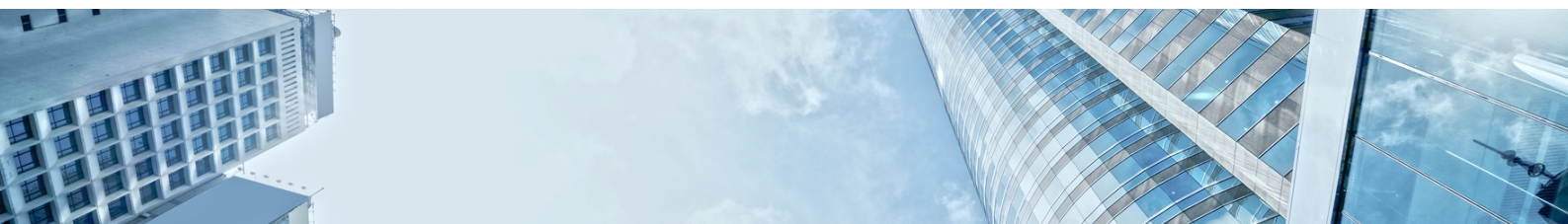
Oracle, founded in 1977, is a multinational technology company headquartered in Redwood City, California, USA. With a strong presence in the ERP market, Oracle offers a comprehensive suite of cloud applications that provide consistent processes and data across businesses. Their ERP solution, Oracle Fusion Cloud ERP, incorporates AI technologies to future-proof businesses and enable them to adapt to changing requirements. Oracle has had a presence in the ERP marketplace for decades and through a process of organic growth and major acquisitions, has built a strong set of solutions.

IFS

Website: www.ifs.com

Why they are worth considering:

IFS is a global enterprise software provider catering to multiple industries but with a focus on specific sectors. These include Aerospace and Defense, Energy Utilities and Resources, Construction and Engineering, Manufacturing, Service Industries, and Telecommunications. They have a rich and long pedigree in the ERP market and have over 5,500 employees based across the globe. Despite their number of years in the market, they have seen something of a renaissance and are growing fast. They operate in more than 80 countries and have a large number of partners implementing their technology.



INFOR

Website: www.infor.com

Why they are worth considering:

Infor is a prominent player in the ERP software market. Founded in 2002, Infor is headquartered in New York City, USA. With a strong focus on industry-specific solutions, Infor provides cloud-based ERP software to a wide range of sectors, including manufacturing, retail, healthcare, and more.

Over the years, Infor has grown through strategic acquisitions to enhance its product offerings and expand its global presence. The company's current strategy centers around leveraging emerging technologies like artificial intelligence and machine learning to deliver innovative ERP solution.

EPICOR

Website: www.epicor.com

Why they are worth considering:

Epicor is a long-standing vendor in the ERP market. They outline their customers as being “the hardworking businesses who make, move, and sell the things everyone needs”. They focus on a handful of industries, those being - Building Supply, Distribution, and Manufacturing.

Epicor has been established for more than 50 years. They have over 4,000 employees and boast a total of 21,000 customers across the globe in 30 different countries.

MICROSOFT

Website: www.microsoft.com

Why they are worth considering:

Microsoft is one of the largest providers of ERP solutions and has a rich history in the market. Their Dynamics 365 finance and operations applications are intelligent business solutions that can help you drive growth, make real-time, data-driven decisions at a global scale, and digitally transform your business.

As would be expected of Microsoft, they have a depth and breadth of customer deployments, implementation partners, integrations, and a global network of sales offices and support locations.



NETSUITE

Website: www.netsuite.com

Why they are worth considering:

NetSuite, owned by Oracle, is cloud-based ERP software with integrated applications for CRM, e-commerce, and more. It covers financial management, order and inventory management, procurement, and supply chain management. NetSuite offers solutions for various industries and ensures application security, data management, and availability. Due to their size and shape and Oracle-backing, they have multiple thousands of customers in countries all over the world (and as a result they support lots of languages to support this broad deployment).

SAGE

Website: www.sage.com

Why they are worth considering:

Sage is a leading global provider of enterprise resource planning (ERP) software solutions for small and medium-sized enterprises. With their comprehensive ERP system, Sage helps businesses streamline and automate their core business processes, such as financial management, inventory control, and supply chain management. Their ERP software is designed to provide real-time visibility into business operations, improve decision-making, and optimize resource utilization. Sage's ERP strategy focuses on delivering scalable and flexible solutions that can adapt to the evolving needs of businesses.

Sage has been in the ERP market for a considerable time and offers a range of tools and services that are relied upon for many SMB and mid-market customers.

UNIT4

Website: www.unit4.com

Why they are worth considering:

Unit4 is an established player in the ERP software market. Founded in 1980, this European company is known for its enterprise cloud applications. Unit4's headquarters are located in the European Union, with a strong presence in Europe, the Middle East, and Africa. The company has a long history in the ERP market and has been recognized by industry analysts for its strong performance in various reports. The Unit4 solution 'delivers visibility and control over finances, projects, procurement, reporting, forecasting, and payroll'.

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Who Are Viewpoint Analysis?

We are Technology Matchmakers....

Viewpoint Analysis Ltd aims to build a bridge between companies with a technology need and the exciting technology vendors that can meet your need. A Technology Matchmaker for want of a better term. Our services include:

- **Technology Ideas & Options**

Do you know that you need technology but are not sure what and where to turn? Our 'Technology Matchmaker' and our 'Technology Day' services bring amazing vendors to your door with new ideas and capabilities. Great for knowing what's available in the market and keeping up with the latest trends.

- **Rapid RFI**

The Rapid RFI (RRFI) service helps customers to quickly assess the market and go from a 'longlist' of potential options to a shortlist of worthy partners.

- **Vendor Selection - Rapid RFP**

Our 'Rapid RFP' - for customers who want to run an RFP process but want to make a quick decision and get on with delivering for the business. The Rapid RFP reaches a decision in weeks, not months - and makes life easier for the selection team and the vendor community.

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