

# AI is now a business imperative

After a year of observation and small-scale experimentations, business leaders recognize the many ways AI can advance their business. However, most lack the readiness to scale AI. There is a real fear of being left behind.

93% of organizations believe they must shift to an AI-first operating model in the next 12 months to stay competitive. But achieving value at speed and having the right safeguards in place can be a difficult balancing act – and if businesses don't get this right, they may fail to realize the full potential of AI and be left behind by their AI high-performing competitors.

It is not easy to scale in part due to fierce competition for AI talent, technical debt, rapidly changing technology and continually evolving AI regulations. Against this backdrop, AI value at scale is just out of reach for many.

### AI high performers have:

3.5%

more impact on business outcomes<sup>1</sup>

25%

increase in revenues<sup>2</sup>

#### Source

- 1. Boston Consulting Group 2023 <u>Future Built</u>
- . McKinsey 2023 <u>Generative Al's breakout year</u>



# From experimentation to execution: Scaling AI

The AI Transformation Studio is more than just a service. It's a strategic partnership that helps you accelerate your AI journey and create enduring value. We have helped clients across all industries to transform their business with AI. From starting out, to full scale AI identification, development and management we can help you on your AI journey.

The AI Transformation studio provides you with scalable and flexible access to deep AI expertise, technology, tools and assets that accelerate AI capability. Avanade's multi-disciplinary teams help you assess your AI readiness, identify and prioritize use cases with your business and develop, manage and track the ROI of your AI solutions.

Our holistic approach takes all critical areas into consideration, including technology, responsible AI, people, processes, data and security, to help you reliably deliver AI products that drive measurable business performance and growth.

## The AI Transformation Studio provides all the capabilities you need to harness AI's power safely and strategically:



## Value Identification

Set up for success and pinpoint AI opportunities for maximum impact

Define, measure and track the value of your AI solutions over their lifecycle



## Human and AI Integration

Blend functionality with usability to enhance user experiences

Create a culture that enables your people and organization to thrive in an AI-first world



### Time-tomarket

Rapidly experiment to prove value and feasibility

Leverage Avanade's assets and accelerators to fast-track AI to production



## Moving beyond a pilot

Improve your organizational AI capability

Support your organization with our scalable teams and flexible service that provide the right skills at the right time



### **Responsible AI**

Support your organization in exploiting AI systems in a responsible and ethical manner through the management of security and governance controls that build trust and mitigate risk

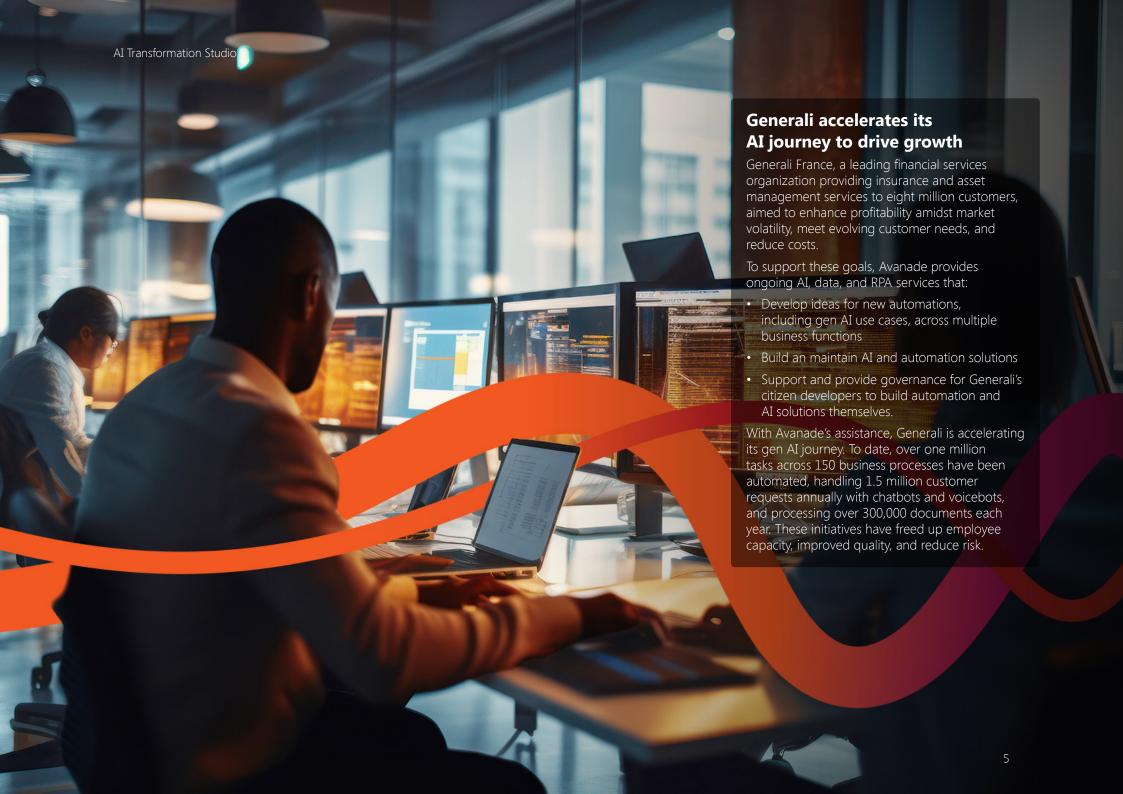


#### **Assets and Accelerators**

AI Control Tower | Gen AI Platform | Industry Use Case Library

Reduce cost and time to impact, with our comprehensive industry assets and accelerators, building in security and governance from the outset, and eliminating the need to build from scratch







### **Why Avanade**

Avanade's AI Transformation Studio is powered by our deep AI experience, unparalleled Microsoft partnership and industry-leading assets and IP. We leverage the best of Microsoft AI and ecosystem AI technologies, such as Azure AI services, Microsoft Fabric, Copilot and OpenAI, and partner with Accenture when non-Microsoft ecosystem expertise is needed to deliver innovative and impactful solutions for your business.



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