

# FROM PRODUCE TO PRODUCTIVITY

**Del Monte Foods  
is growing with Cloud**



## **Chad Anderson, VP and CIO, Del Monte Foods:**

The Del Monte brand has been around for over a hundred years.

But we needed to look towards the future.

*Out of date technology*

Our vision was to transform, to make technology operations as efficient and scalable as possible, and take advantage of the public Cloud.

*From ground to Cloud*

## **PJ Balsley, IT Director, Del Monte Foods:**

We needed a partner that would understand how our systems worked, and then how to migrate them without creating any negative user experience, that had expertise in the AWS.

We had several technical challenges: we had different types of operating systems, system architecture.

## **Tracy West, VP Internal Audit, Del Monte**

**Foods:** We had multiple servers out at remote locations and to move all of that as well as all the applications and all those databases. It needed to be a seamless transition.

*Seamless transition*

**Chad:** Accenture had really deep experience.

I was really impressed with how organized everybody was, a team that had done this many, many times before so my confidence level skyrocketed.

**PJ:** They had great knowledge on how to do migrations in a way that was flawless.

**Tracy:** and they were willing to partner with us to really give us an advantage.

**PJ:** The Del Monte transformation was a very positive experience.

**Tracy:** It was during a peak time and there was no interruption at all.

People didn't even know it was happening. It went seamlessly.

*200 servers*

*50 complex SAP ERP workloads*

*In less than four months*

**Chad:** Now that we are in the Cloud, we can do things very efficiently and our operations are running very smoothly.

**PJ:** We can scale up and scale down as we require. It allows us to deploy applications much faster.

*New applications*

*From 2 weeks*

*To less than 60 minutes*

**Tracy:** It allows us tremendous cost savings, it allows us to be better at what we do.

*AI*

*Analytics*

*Automation*

*Managed services*

*Accenture Cloud Platform*

**Tracy:** With Accenture, they've brought new technologies,

**Chad:** We have really good management insights.

**PJ:** we can support our end-users in a faster, more live context which allows us to be more innovative in our food industry.

**Tracy:** it's been hugely successful.

**Chad:** We can now deploy resources to work on the most important things, which is developing new products for our customers.

*New product innovation*

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