# **Three Strategic Considerations For AI Success**

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### AS AI USAGE EXPANDS ACROSS THE ENTERPRISE, IT WILL RESULT IN MANY BENEFITS

Decision-makers adopt AI to boost IT efficiency, analytics and insights, and business automation. According to Forrester research, they expect the following benefits:



**35%** Increased automation of internal processes



**31%** Improved operational efficiency and effectiveness







However, to properly prepare for AI adoption, firms must develop AI capabilities and models, improve collaboration, and employ open ecosystems.

#### TO DEVELOP AI CAPABILITIES\*:

**53**%

will purchase packaged business applications with embedded AI capabilities.

47%

will leverage pretrained Al models from third parties.

47%

will hire Al consultants and insight service providers.

#### TO IMPROVE COLLABORATION<sup>‡</sup>:

31%

will increase their use of DevOps tools and practices.

29%

will use more cloud-based development environments.

28%

will use more cloudnative technologies.

**25**%

will use more open source software or components.

#### TO EMPLOY OPEN ECOSYSTEMS†:

23%

have public APIs.

23%

look for architecture strategies and designs that foster business agility over and above technical agility.

23%

find open source software important to their strategy.

\*Base: 3,181 data and analytics decision-makers whose firms are interested in, planning to, implementing, or expanding their use of Al

†Base: 1,877 developers

‡Base: 3,590 software decision-makers

\*,†Source: Forrester Analytics Business Technographics® Data And Analytics Survey, 2021 ‡Source: Forrester Analytics Business Technographics Software 1 Survey, 2021