



The real-time automation market is projected to reach \$144 billion by 2030

How can enterprise automation partners simplify the customer adoption journey?

Many enterprises face skill and capability gaps when implementing real-time automation solutions, creating opportunities for solution providers to address their needs.



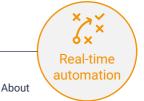
What is real time automation?

The **instant** execution of tasks and processes **without human interaction**, combining **real-time decisionmaking** (using AI and analytics) with **intelligent automation** (acting on those decisions rapidly while contributing to an AI and analytics feedback loop to optimise future decision making).

STL has conducted primary research to understand the demand for real-time automation



30 Telcos and ecosystem players



Pre-integrate and develop plug-and-play solutions

62% of enterprises prefer pre-integrated solutions

57% of enterprises see a lack of internal knowledge and skills as a key challenge

Recommendations

- Work with partners to develop pre-configured and pre-integrated solutions
- Provide client training and technical support to address internal skill gaps
- Simplify deployments with automation tools by offering automated setup frameworks



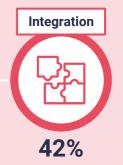
Ensure solutions strike a balance between being cost-effective and future-proofing

Q: What are the top challenges for your enterprise to adopt real-time automation?

Recommendations



Develop scalable solutions and pricing models that align upfront costs with actual



usage on day one, enabling enterprises to expand gradually and avoid overpaying

Promote that **scalable solutions limit further integration headaches and costs** down the line but avoid bloated solutions that put customers off

Mitigate the "garbage in, garbage out" problem with robust data governance

Data created, consumed and stored is projected to grow at a







Recommendations

- Ensure real-time, consistently reliable, and secure data processing, to help enterprises be AI ready as data volumes continue to grow
- Adopt strong governance practices to improve data quality and enable future scalability

Find out more details in our two reports, focusing on recommendations for players looking to capitalise on the real-time automation opportunity:

STL Partners, 2024, 'Real-time automation: The future of transport & logistics'

STL Partners, 2024, 'Real-time automation for manufacturers: How providers can scale the market'

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