

Why choose  
low-code  
platforms  
for **legacy  
modernization?**



# What is legacy modernization?

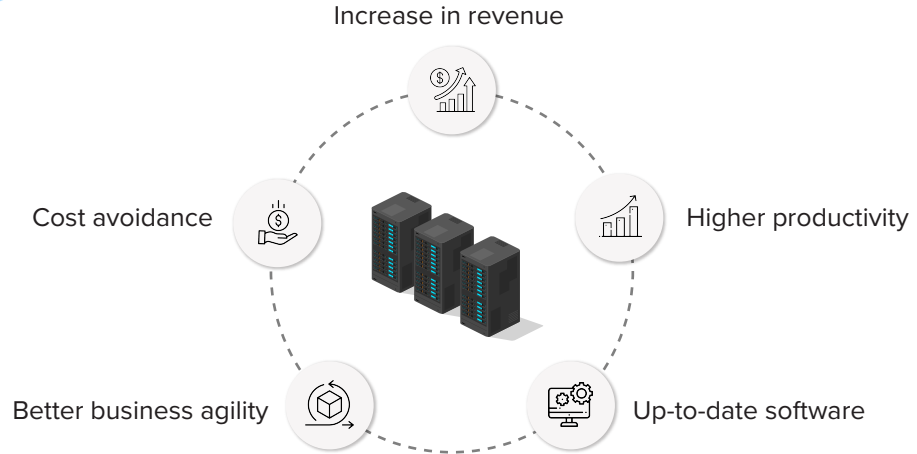


Any software that no longer meets current business needs is considered "legacy." Modernization is an integral part of digital transformation that aims to enhance legacy systems and create a more agile and secure technology platform that delivers competitive value.

# Why you need to modernize your legacy system

Rather than replacing old legacy software with new systems, and spending money on the replacement, many organizations choose to modernize their legacy systems. Modernization offers the best of both worlds, providing benefits to both the business and consumers.

When done correctly, modernizing a legacy system provides almost immediate returns, such as:



# Legacy modernization with low-code platforms

Organizations spend so much on maintaining their legacy systems, they can only afford to modernize in segments. So how can businesses update their systems and escape the hectic process of revamping their outdated legacy applications?

Out of the many options available today, the best you can choose is low-code development.

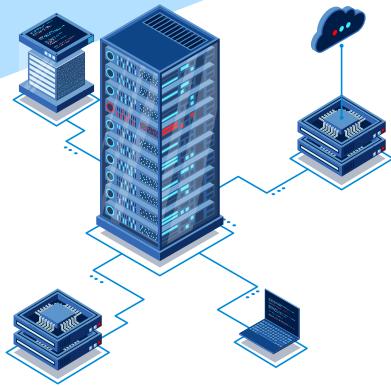


# Convert legacy from a barrier to a blessing

Zoho Creator is a low-code platform that allows enterprises to enhance their legacy systems and drive digital transformation.



# Legacy software challenges vs Zoho Creator solution



## Legacy software challenges



### Difficult to customize

Legacy systems have a **large, monolithic codebase**. This makes them incredibly complex and **discourages developers** from creating new features.



### Complex infrastructure

They require dedicated and **expensive maintenance**. It's also hard to find qualified technicians to work with outdated technology.

## Zoho Creator solution



### Extensive customization

Build applications exclusively for your business. Set up smart workflows for your core business processes, generate strategic insights, and accelerate your digital transformation.



### Improved IT productivity

You build your business, we'll handle the servers. Your apps run on Zoho's highly scalable and secure cloud, so your IT team can focus on creating value for your business.

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## Legacy software challenges



### Prone to threats

If not maintained well, legacy systems can be a gateway for hackers. As they accumulate patches over time, they can easily **become a point of attack**.



### Lack of integration

With legacy systems, **data is housed in silos**. This means employees will not have access to a real-time or consolidated view of the data they need.

## Zoho Creator solution



### Better security

All Zoho Creator apps support federated logins and enterprise-grade SAML SSO, AD, and multi-factor authentication, so IT can grant access faster and more securely.



### Integrated systems

Connect all the apps you use with APIs and access the data you need in just a few clicks.

# Overcome legacy hurdles with Zoho Creator



## Legacy software challenges



### Lack of mobility

61% of organizations believe that without enterprise mobile apps, they're at a **competitive disadvantage**. A lost customer becomes a competitor's revenue.

## Zoho Creator solution



### Mobile and faster performance

Simplify and speed up business processes by storing 30+ types of data, like locations and signatures, on the cloud, with instant access from any device.



### Maintaining compliance

Keeping legacy technology updated with strict industry regulations is crucial. Failing to comply can lead to **millions in penalties**.



### Up-to-date compliance

We've already **updated our compliance, including GDPR and ISO policies**, so you can rest easy knowing your data—and your customers' data—is secure.

# Why Zoho Creator is the right choice

Every IT leader's fear is that **the new system of today will become the legacy of tomorrow**. When you choose Zoho Creator, you choose a tool that doesn't just work just today, but will continue to meet your demands in the future. **We're constantly evolving our systems to equip you with everything you need** to keep up with the ever-changing technology landscape.



You realize it a little bit every day, every month, that it's a good choice you made. And you also realize it when you're not complaining constantly, and you're not thinking about changing it all the time.

**- Simon Lamarche, Co-founder, Adviso**



# About us

[Zoho Creator](#) is a digital workplace platform that is powerful and flexible enough to adapt to your business needs. It's intuitive, and comes with a host of templates and plug-ins which enable your teams to create process-specific applications easily. Many of the world's largest organizations use Creator's applications to manage their daily operations by streamlining processes, projects, and tasks.

Pick a business process that has been hard for you to automate, [sign up](#) for a free trial, and experience Creator personally.

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