**ISG** Provider Lens

Specialty
Analytics
Services—
Supply Chain

A research report comparing provider strengths and challenges to aid decision-makers in analytics services



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#### Introduction

Supply chain disruptions have been on the rise due to geopolitical tensions, unfavorable economic conditions and fluctuating exchange rates that are impacting the costs of raw materials, transportation and production. In addition, supply chain leaders and decision-makers are distressed due to strict environmental regulations. They are modernizing their supply chains by deploying next-gen data and AI technologies, including computer vision, deep learning, ML, digital twins and NLP. These agile supply chains feature a command center that monitors, predicts, forecasts and mitigates risks.

As analytics become core to intelligent supply chain planning and operations, these advancements substantially improve operational metrics and mitigate risks across the ecosystem, including shipping, logistics, transportation, distribution, inventory, warehousing, operations, manufacturing and procurement.

Globally, enterprises are confronted with an influx of data from fleets, manufacturing and supply chain elements. They also face various challenges associated with data quality, which impede the realization of AI and ML use cases. Despite these challenges, enterprises increasingly invest in and adopt Al-led decision engines to streamline processes, connect data across devices and sources, and automate supply chain operations.

Enterprises across industries increasingly view outsourcing as a knowledge powerhouse and strategic AI partner to improve supply chain visibility, enhance decision-making across the ecosystem, optimize operations and mitigate risks.



SPECIALTY ANALYTICS SERVICES - SUPPLY CHAIN

# Specialty Analytics Services - Supply Chain 2025 — Deep View

Workloads and Use cases Clusters Enablers Supply Chain Predictive **Digital Platform** Floor Planning Maintenance Forecasting **Operations and Monitoring Analytics** Supply Chain Performance **Control Tower** Performance Optimization Innovation (IP - Accelerators) Shipping and **Logistics Analytics** Partnerships (Tiers - Types) Fulfillment Intelligence Transportation Planning **Demand Planning** Competency and Talent **Inventory** and Capacity Planning (Resources - Certifications) **Warehousing Analytics Inventory Optimization** Warehouse Execution **Industry Expertise** Route Planning and Optimization Supply Planning Distribution Planning **Distribution Analytics** Distribution Order Management **Experience and Engagement Quality Control Analytics Procurement Planning** Manufacturing and **Procurement Analytics** Predictive Maintenance and **Factory Fault Prediction** Performance Metrics Downtime Analysis



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#### **Ouadrants Research**

The study offers insights into the evolving market trends and competitive dynamics of supply chain analytics service providers in 2025.

Specialty Analytics Services
— Supply Chain

Simplified Illustration Source: ISG 2025

#### Definition

The ISG Provider Lens™ Specialty Analytics Services — Supply Chain 2025 study offers the following to business and IT decision-makers:

- Transparency on the strengths and weaknesses of relevant providers
- A differentiated positioning of providers on their competitive strengths and portfolio attractiveness
- Focus on the global market

Our study serves as an important decision-making basis for positioning, key relationships and go-to-market considerations. ISG advisors and enterprise clients also use information from these reports to evaluate their current vendor relationships and potential engagements.



## Specialty Analytics Services - Supply Chain

#### Definition

In this quadrant, ISG evaluates portfolios of providers offering AI and analytics services that integrate scientific methods with business contexts for clients in the supply chain sector. These providers resolve critical business challenges by combining domain knowledge and supply chain expertise, enabling clients to augment risk understanding, improve planning and predict future events. This approach centers on a cognitive-led AI ecosystem, incorporating datasets across warehouses, shopfloors and fleets to empower control towers with real-time data and forecasts for informed decision-making and proactive action.

Providers should showcase expertise in facilitating Al-based decision engines across the supply chain ecosystem, covering logistics, transportation, inventory, warehousing, distribution, manufacturing and procurement. They must exhibit deep capabilities in architecting, deploying and scaling Al initiatives across the ecosystem to empower business leaders to build resilient supply chains.

Large service providers, analytics platform vendors with supply chain modules and supply chain platform vendors with analytics solutions are not considered in this quadrant.

# Eligibility Criteria

Providers need to have one or more of the following:

- Demonstrate capabilities in synthesizing data from multiple sources across the value chain and applying AI and ML models to generate real-time, data-driven, actionable insights and help enterprises enhance supply chain adaptability while minimizing uncertainties and risks
- Exhibit functional expertise in supply chain and competence in AI to develop predictive solutions to foresee demand and optimize

- and reclassify inventory planning and distribution, streamlining operations
- 3. Showcase expertise in developing AI solutions in shipping, logistics and monitoring, covering areas such as network design, fleet analytics, disruption forecasting and floor planning
- 4. Demonstrate proficiency in distribution, inventory, warehousing, manufacturing and procurement analytics, covering aspects such as route optimization, order management, capacity planning and predictive maintenance



# Quadrants by Region

As a part of this ISG Provider Lens™ quadrant study, we are introducing the following quadrant on Specialty Analytics Services — Supply Chain 2025:

Quadrant	Global
Specialty Analytics Services — Supply Chain	✓

#### Schedule

The research phase falls in the period between March and May 2025, during which survey, evaluation, analysis and validation will take place. The results will be presented to the media in August 2025.

Milestones	Beginning	End
Survey Launch	March 5, 2025	
Survey Phase	March 5, 2025	May 16, 2025
Sneak Previews	June 2025	July 2025
Press Release & Publication	August 2025	

Collecting client testimonials via the Star of Excellence™ Program requires early client referrals (no official reference needed) because CX scores have a direct influence on the provider's position in the IPL quadrant and the awards.

Please refer to the link to view/download the ISG Provider Lens™ 2025 research agenda.

#### **Access to Online Portal**

You can view/download the questionnaire from <a href="here">here</a> using the credentials you have already created or refer to the instructions in the invitation email to generate a new password. We look forward to your participation!

#### **Buyers Guide**

ISG Software Research, formerly "Ventana Research," offers market insights by evaluating technology providers and products through its Buyers Guides. The findings are drawn from the research-based analysis of product and customer experience categories, ranking and rating software providers and products to help facilitate informed decision-making and selection processes for technology.

In the course of the Specialty Analytics Services – Supply Chain IPL launch, we want to take advantage of the opportunity to draw your attention to related research and insights that ISG Research will publish in 2025. For more information, refer to the <a href="Buyers Guide research schedule">Buyers Guide research schedule</a>.

#### **Research Production Disclaimer:**

ISG collects data for the purposes of conducting research and creating provider/vendor profiles. The profiles and supporting data are used by ISG advisors to make recommendations and inform their clients of the experience and qualifications of any applicable provider/vendor for outsourcing the work identified by clients. This data is collected as part of the ISG FutureSource™ process and the Candidate Provider Qualification (CPQ) process. ISG may choose to only utilize this collected data pertaining to certain countries or regions for the education and purposes of its advisors and not produce ISG Provider Lens™ reports. These decisions will be made based on the level and completeness of the information received directly from providers/vendors and the availability of experienced analysts for those countries or regions. Submitted information may also be used for individual research projects or for briefing notes that will be written by the lead analysts.



### Client Feedback Nominations

#### ISG Star of Excellence™ - Call for nominations

The Star of Excellence™ is an independent recognition of excellent service delivery based on the Voice of the Customer concept. ISG has designed the Star of Excellence program to collect client feedback about service providers' success in demonstrating the highest standards of client service excellence and customer centricity.

The global survey is all about services that are associated with IPL studies. In consequence, all ISG Analysts are continuously provided with information on the customer experience of all relevant service providers. This information comes on top of existing first-hand advisor feedback that IPL leverages in its practitionerled consulting approach.

Providers are invited to nominate their clients to participate. Once the nomination has been submitted, ISG sends out a mail confirmation to both sides. It is self-evident that ISG anonymizes all customer data and does not share it with third parties.

Our vision for the Star of Excellence™ is to become acknowledged as the leading industry recognition for client service excellence and serve as the benchmark for measuring client sentiments.

To ensure your selected clients complete the feedback for your nominated engagement, please use the "Nominate (for Providers)" section on the Star of Excellence website.

We have set up an email where you can direct any questions or provide comments. This email will be checked daily. Please allow up to 24 hours for a reply.

Here is the email address: ISG.star@isg-one.com



## Methodology & Team

The ISG Provider Lens 2025 – Specialty Analytics Services — Supply Chain research study analyzes the relevant software vendors/ service providers in the global market, based on a multi-phased research and analysis process, and positions these providers based on the ISG Research methodology.

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The research and analysis presented in this report includes research from the ISG Provider Lens program, ongoing ISG Research programs, interviews with ISG advisors, briefings with services providers and analysis of publicly available market information from multiple sources. The data collected for this report represents information that ISG believes to be current as of March 2025, for providers who actively participated as well as for providers who did not. ISG recognizes that many mergers and acquisitions have taken place since that time, but those changes are not reflected in this report.

All revenue references are in U.S. dollars (\$US) unless noted.

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## Advisor Involvement - Program Description

## ISG Provider Lens™ Advisors Involvement Program

ISG Provider Lens offers market assessments incorporating practitioner insights, reflecting regional focus and independent research. ISG ensures advisor involvement in each study to cover the appropriate market details aligned to the respective service lines/technology trends, service provider presence and enterprise context.

In each region, ISG has expert thought leaders and respected advisors who know the provider portfolios and offerings as well as enterprise requirements and market trends. On average, three consultant advisors participate as part of each study's quality and consistency review process. The consultant advisors ensure each study reflects ISG advisors' experience in the field, which complements the primary and secondary research the analysts conduct. ISG advisors participate in each study as part of the consultant advisors' group and contribute at different levels depending on their availability and expertise.

The consultant advisors:

- · Help define and validate quadrants and questionnaires,
- Advise on service provider inclusion, participate in briefing calls,
- Give their perspectives on service provider ratings and review report drafts.

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84.51°

Factspan

Affine

Alexander Thamm

Analytics8\*

Apexon

Agilisium

Aptus Data Labs

Axtria Brillio

CitiusTech

C5i Crunch Analytics

Data41

DataForest.Al

**Evalueserve** 

Forian

Fractal Analytics\*

Fresh Gravity Ganit Inc\*

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**WNS Analytics** 

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The ISG Provider Lens™ Quadrant research series is the only service provider evaluation of its kind to combine empirical, data-driven research and market analysis with the real-world experience and observations of ISG's global advisory team. Enterprises will find a wealth of detailed data and market analysis to help guide their selection of appropriate sourcing partners, while ISG advisors use the reports to validate their own market knowledge and make recommendations to ISG's enterprise clients. The research currently covers providers offering their services across multiple geographies globally.

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The firm, founded in 2006, is known for its proprietary market data, in-depth knowledge of provider ecosystems, and the expertise of its 1,600 professionals worldwide working together to help clients maximize the value of their technology investments.





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