

# Henkel reinvents productivity with Office 365



## Situation

As a first step in adopting a digital workplace, Henkel - a global manufacturer with operations in 75 countries, decided to switch from an aging IT environment to Microsoft Office 365, and to do so quickly, effectively, and with low risk.



## Business Challenge

Henkel needed to empower its employees so they could easily share information on any device, anywhere, at any time. As a company with a digital transformation vision, they faced a challenge of continuously growing, increasing productivity and innovation on worldwide scale.



## Solution

Henkel engaged Avanade to support the company through every step of the process, from devising the business case to confirming application compatibility, training staff, and providing managed services.



## The Results

Avanade helped Henkel move to cloud faster and with less risk – supporting their digital transformation vision.

99%

of Henkel's existing applications fit with Office 365

Managed cultural change

Reduced operational costs

47,000

employees moved to Office 365

Enabled cloud platform to support digital workplace

Reinvented productivity



Avanade has the know-how, the Microsoft expertise, and the innovative spirit we needed to successfully undertake a project of this magnitude and to deliver a solution with higher benefits and more security than we previously had.



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