

# Announcement

## RPM Software Cloud Transition Update

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RPMGlobal Holdings Limited (ASX: RUL) [RPM®] is pleased to provide the following update on the transition of its software suite to the cloud, with its IMAFS™ inventory optimisation and Shift Manager™ short-term planning solutions being made available in the cloud.

IMAFS uses artificial intelligence algorithms to enhance inventory management and forecasting accuracy for miners, enabling operations to continuously improve the accuracy of parts availability, reduce inventories, decrease stockouts and reduce equipment downtimes.

Transitioning IMAFS from a hosted solution in the cloud to a full Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) model will provide users with greater flexibility in security and authentication and facilitates the ability for customers to continuously optimise their inventory management processes.

The move to the cloud has as an array of benefits for the end-user including increased ease of use, with users being able to access the IMAS software through a browser, higher levels of scalability and availability, a modern API interface, faster deployment time and improved cost effectiveness.

Shift Manager, RPM's Operational Management solution, has also transitioned to the cloud. Shift Manager is a short-term task planning and execution solution that enables users to collaborate and communicate through a single, integrated plan. Shift Manager allows users to manage tasks and resource allocations to drive more effective on-shift decision making.

As a cloud-enabled hosted solution, users are able to execute short-term shift planning through a single, integrated web-based application without the need to be physically on site. Other benefits include enhanced security and collaboration across departments and a rapid implementation methodology that includes several pre-built integration points.

Commenting on the advancement toward a complete cloud offering across the company's product portfolio, RPM's Chief Executive Officer Richard Mathews said "cloud adoption will help the mining industry unlock additional productivity and sustainability improvements. Cloud applications facilitate remote collaboration and the scalability that mining organisations require while creating robust data storage solutions that are more cost-efficient when compared to outdated hardware."

"RPM's products have been designed to leverage the tools and services available on the cloud platforms to rapidly build enhanced solutions for our customers. The transition to a full cloud offering across our full product portfolio is being enabled due to our above industry average investment in research and development and we look forward to continuing our progress in releasing more cloud offerings to the market in the near future. The company is committed to investing in technical innovation to enable customers to operate their mines as efficiently as possible."

Mr Mathews concluded by saying "With more customers adopting a remote-operating business strategy through technology enablement, our work to migrate other products to a complete SaaS model will ramp up as we strive to add additional value for our present and future customers."

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With history stretching back to 1968, RPM has been trusted by mining companies of all sizes and commodities to support their growth. Our global expertise has been achieved over the past 50 years through our work in over 125 countries and our approach to the business of mining being strongly grounded in economic principles.

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