



Service Provider of the Year 2016

IT Service Provider of the Year

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What are the PEAK Matrix Service Provider of the Year™ awards for IT Services?

In 2015, Everest Group published 26 PEAK Matrix[™] IT services evaluations featuring 59 service providers across all evaluations. To recognize consistent top performers across PEAK Matrix assessments, this year we are introducing the PEAK Matrix Service Provider of the Year awards.

Why the PEAK Matrix Service Provider of the Year™ awards?

Everest Group PEAK Matrix evaluations are a valuable resource for IT services buyers to evaluate, compare, and contrast key service providers in the global services space. These assessments not only provide service provider selection guidance but also offer nuanced insights into the strategies pursued by providers for key business lines, geographies, and technologies.

While there are service providers that feature as Star Performers, Leaders, Major Contenders, or Aspirants on individual evaluation categories, there are some that exhibit consistent leadership and top performance across many different categories. As today's enterprises navigate the complex landscape of next-generation and legacy technology, a global business footprint and a complex provider portfolio, the PEAK Matrix Service Provider of the Year awards will help them to identify the best of the best – service providers with strong broad-based capabilities and successful services strategies that align well with the evolving enterprise IT demand.

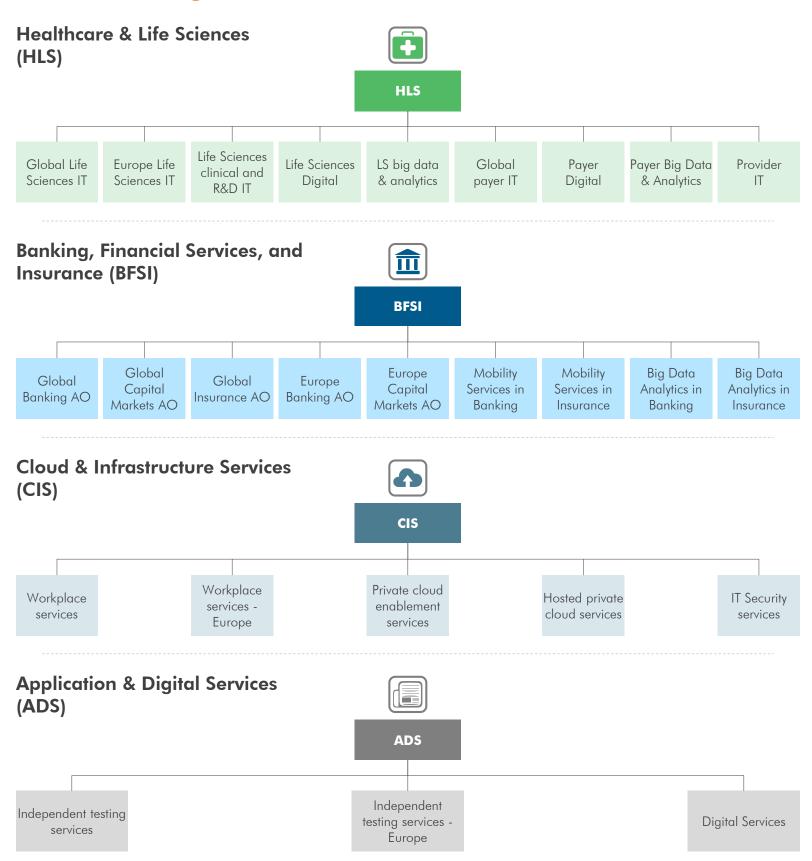
➤ How are the PEAK Matrix Service Provider of the Year™ awards evaluated?

We use the following evaluation criteria to determine the Service Provider of the Year awards:

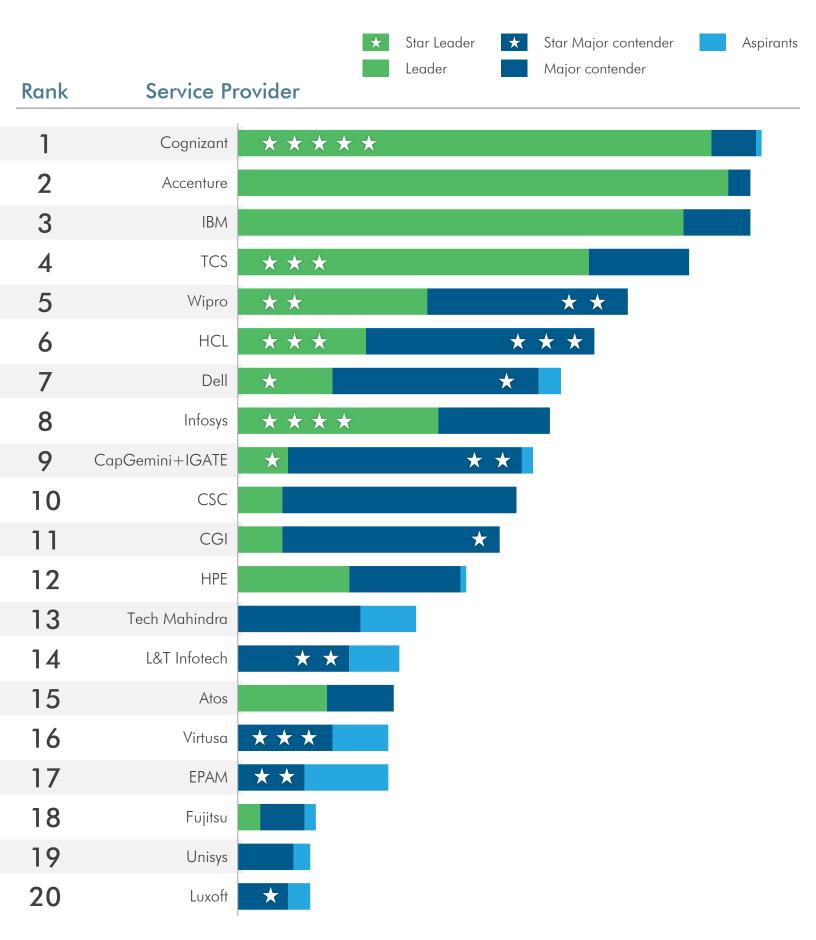
- ITS Top 20 list: The list is arrived at using a consolidated score reflecting points received on individual evaluations based on tiered scores for Star Performer, Leader, Major Contender, and Aspirant positions
- Individual category awards: We have based these awards on the count of "Leader" or "Star Performer" positions across the category evaluated

A comprehensive list and categories of PEAK Matrix evaluations is available here.

In 2015, Everest Group evaluated the following 26 segments using the PEAK Matrix methodology. The Service Provider of the Year awards have been determined based on consistent performance across these segments.



PEAK Matrix Service Provider of the Year: ITS Top 20



PEAK Matrix Service Provider of the Year: Top Leaders and Star Performers





Segment	Leader(s) of the year		Star Performer(s) of the year	
Overall IT Services	accenture High performance. Delivered.		HCL	
Healthcare & Life Sciences (HLS)	accenture High performance. Delivered.	Genizant	Cognizant	
Banking, Financial Services, and Insurance (BFSI) IT	Accenture High performance. Delivered.	Cognizant ULTANCY SERVICES	HCL	Infosys
Application & Digital Services (ADS)	accenture High performance. Delivered.		NA award requires two years of data	
Cloud & Infrastructure Services (CIS)	IBM.	Hewlett Packard Enterprise	NA award requires two years of data	

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