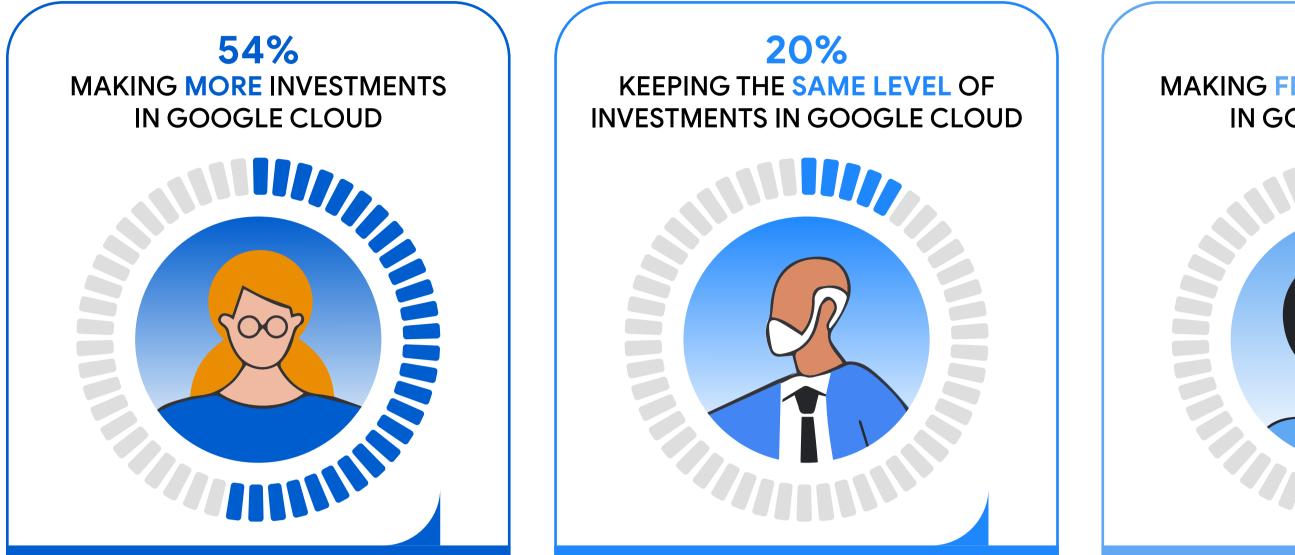
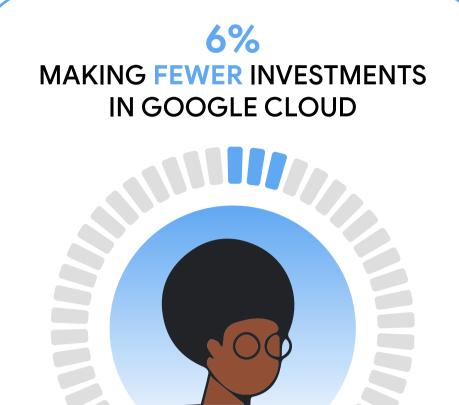
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Insights from the 2023 C2C Member Pulse

## **INVESTMENTS IN GOOGLE CLOUD**





"People are learning more about **Google Cloud** and are leveraging additional tools that they were not aware of before. We're trying to get closer to being cloud native."

> **Consolidating More Systems** Into Google Cloud

Using Google Cloud Data Warehouse Platforms

Prioritizing a Cloud-First Approach

"We are becoming **more cost** aware and can shift the cloud budget to more efficiency in Google Cloud, so even if the spend is the same the amount of usage of Google is increasing."

No Need to Make Any Changes

**Still Maintaining Current Systems** 

**Budget Constraints** 

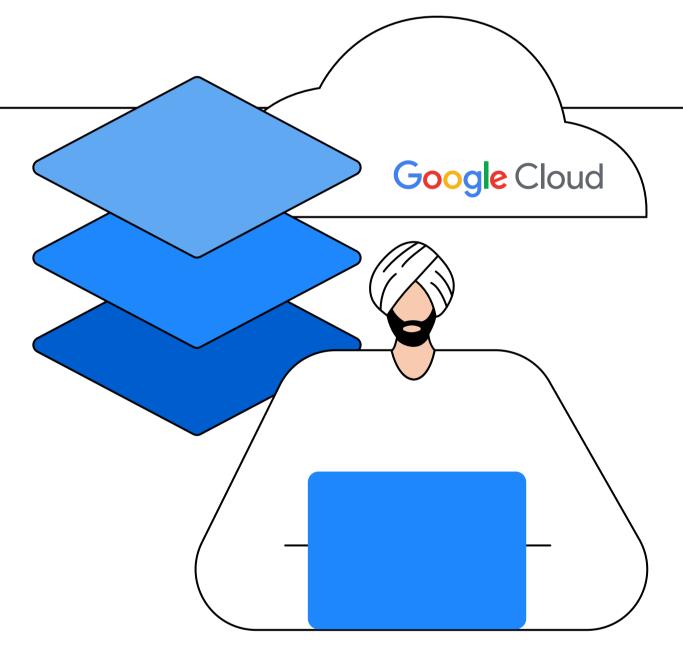
"It's a competitive industry. Other cloud providers offering more free training, developers are more ready and comfortable to work on those projects."

**Using Other Cloud Vendors** 

**Budget Constraints** 

Google Cloud is **Difficult to Manage** 

Q: HOW IS YOUR INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY JOURNEY AFFECTING THE ROLE OF GOOGLE CLOUD IN YOUR TECHNOLOGY STACK? (N=461) \*21% WERE UNSURE HOW .S WERE CHANGING, LIKELY SINCE THEY ARE UNINVOLVED IN THE DECISION PROCESS. | Q: WHY IS YOUR ORGANIZATION MAKING [MORE INVESTMENTS/THE SAME/FEWER INVESTMENTS] INTO GOOGLE CLOUD? PLEASE BE SPECIFIC.



## **GOOGLE CLOUD TALENT**

70% Permanent staff who learned Google Cloud skills on the job

**54%** Permanent staff who already possessed Google Cloud skills

**39%** Independent consultants / temporary staff with Google Cloud skills

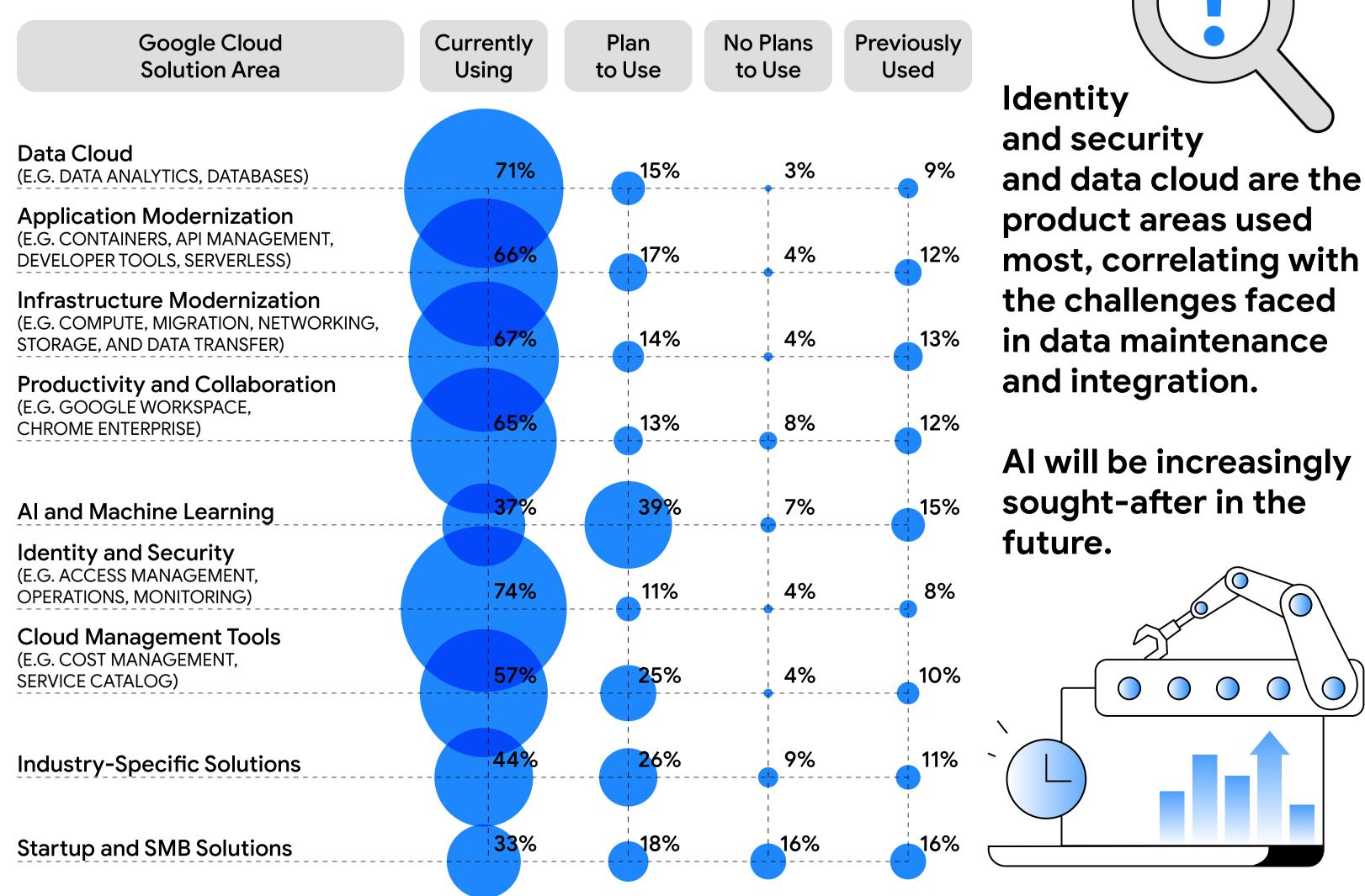
**13%** My implementation partner is providing the staff we need

Other 3%

Undecided at this time 11%

Q: HOW DID OR WILL YOU FIND SKILLED TALENT TO WORK ON PROJECTS INVOLVING GOOGLE CLOUD PRODUCTS? PLEASE SELECT ALL THAT APPLY. (N=461)

## **SOLUTION AREA USAGE**



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Q: HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR ORGANIZATION'S EXPERIENCE WITH EACH OF THE FOLLOWING SOLUTION AREAS FROM GOOGLE CLOUD? (N=449)



The Google Cloud Customer Community C2C conducted its 2023 Member Pulse in March 2023 to observe trends, skill gaps, and challenges in Google Cloud and how our members use community to enrich their cloud experience. This infographic highlights a portion of the findings based on responses from 461 participants who are members of C2C, the Google Coud Customer Community.