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# Løpende oppdateringer med D365 i skyen

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## D365 i produksjon.

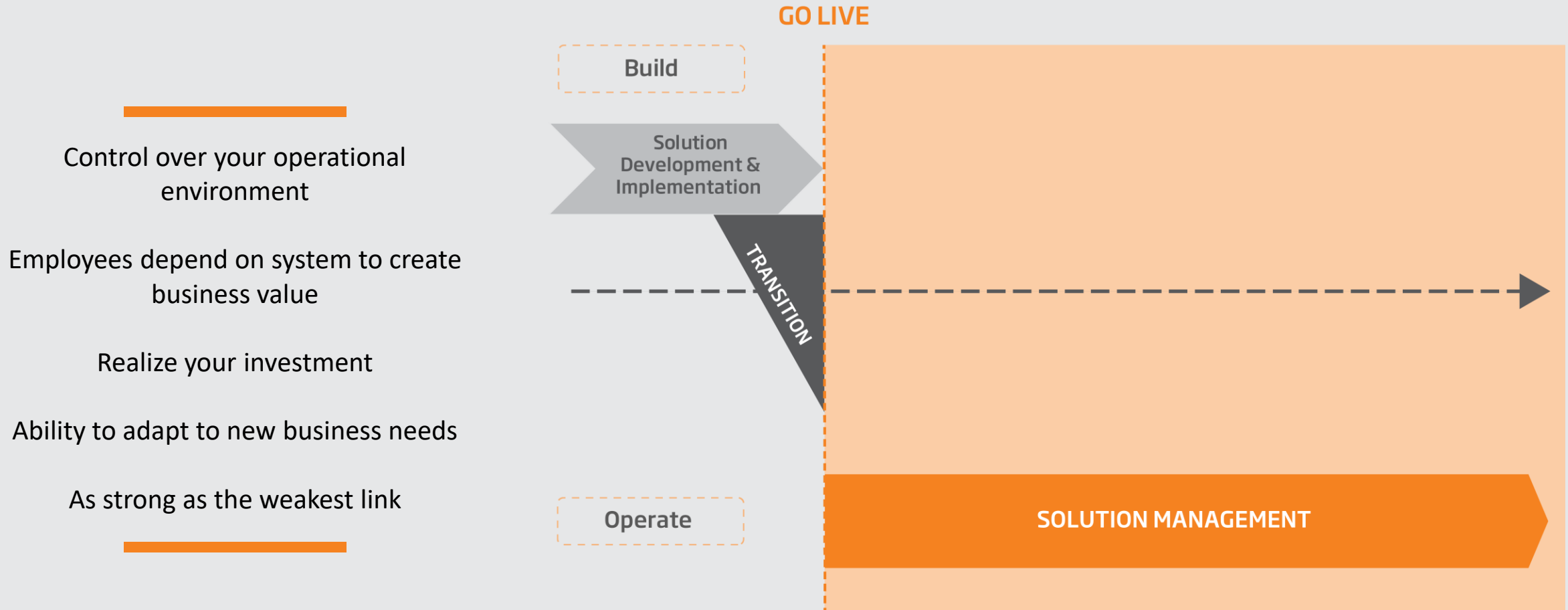
- 2020 – året da D365 gikk live.



- Gir kunder & partnere & Microsoft nye erfaringer.



# Criticality of Operations



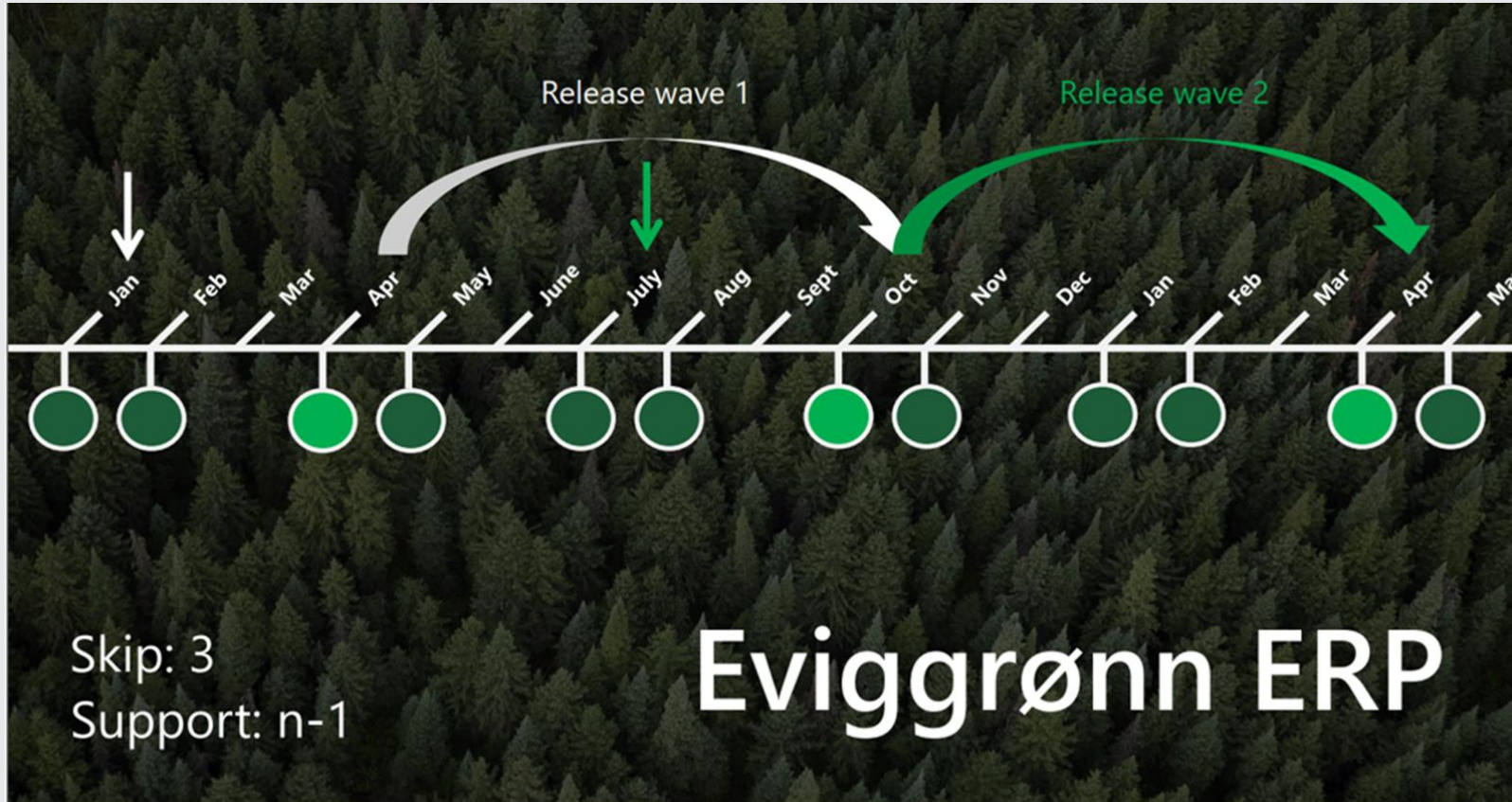
# Tradisjonell ERP.



- SW lisenser anskaffes.
- Oppgraderingsprosjekt - typisk hvert 6. år.
- På etterskudd ift. versjon ERP.
- Teknisk gjeld blir betydelig.



# Evergreen..



- Hva skjer med de store ERP prosjektene?
- Får vi neverending operations?
- ERP kostnadene blir mer OPEX enn CAPEX.



# Cloud ERP – evergreen.

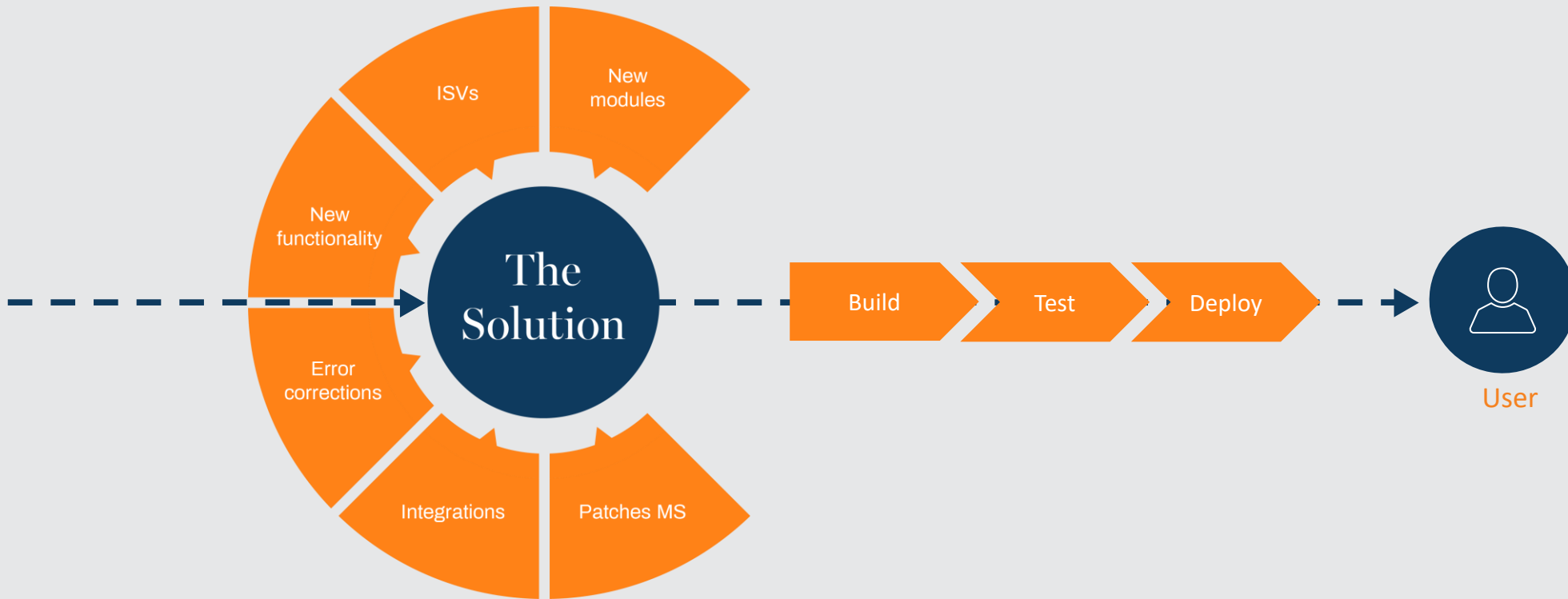


- SW lisenser leies.
- Kontinuerlig oppdatering av driftsmiljø.
- Versjon = nyeste.
- Oppdateres som driftskostnader?



# Building and Operating Simultaneously

Build



Operate

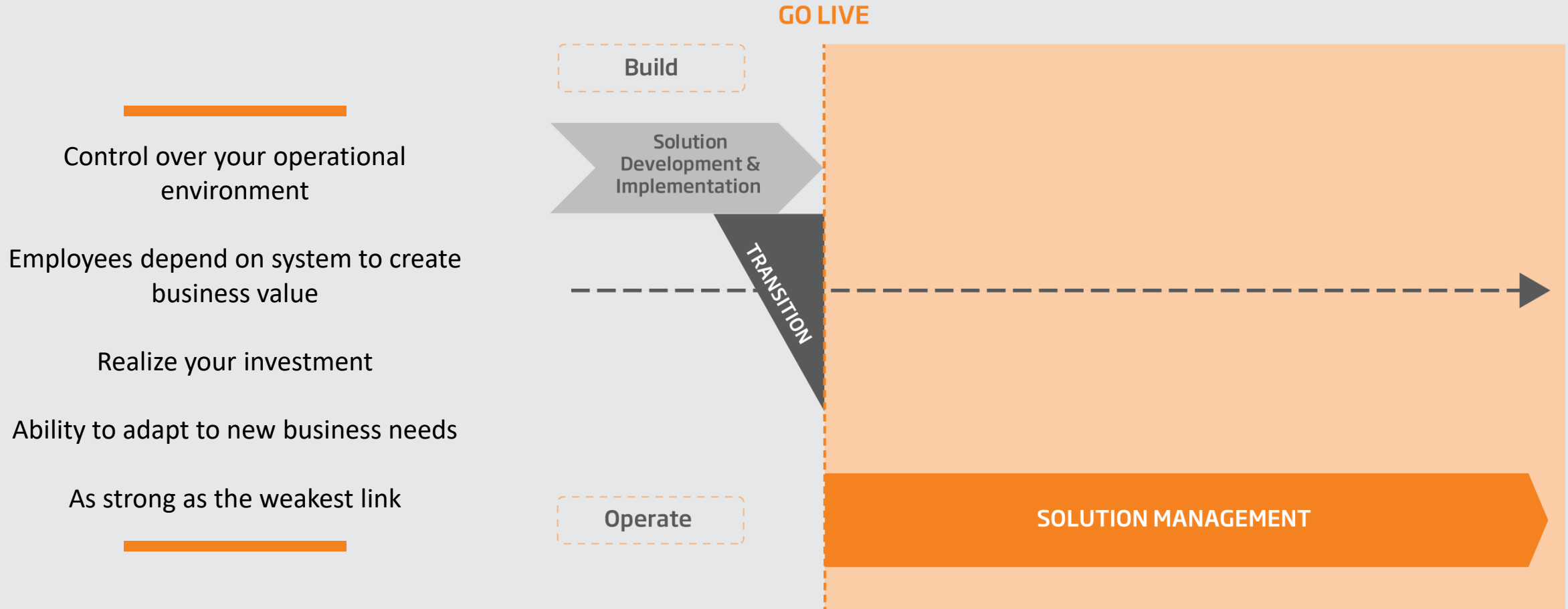
# Mål – stabilt & oppdatert produksjonsmiljø

- Planlegging – proaktivitet.
  - ✓ Build
  - ✓ Test
  - ✓ Deploy
- Ha nødvendige ressurser internt/eksternt.





# Solution Management



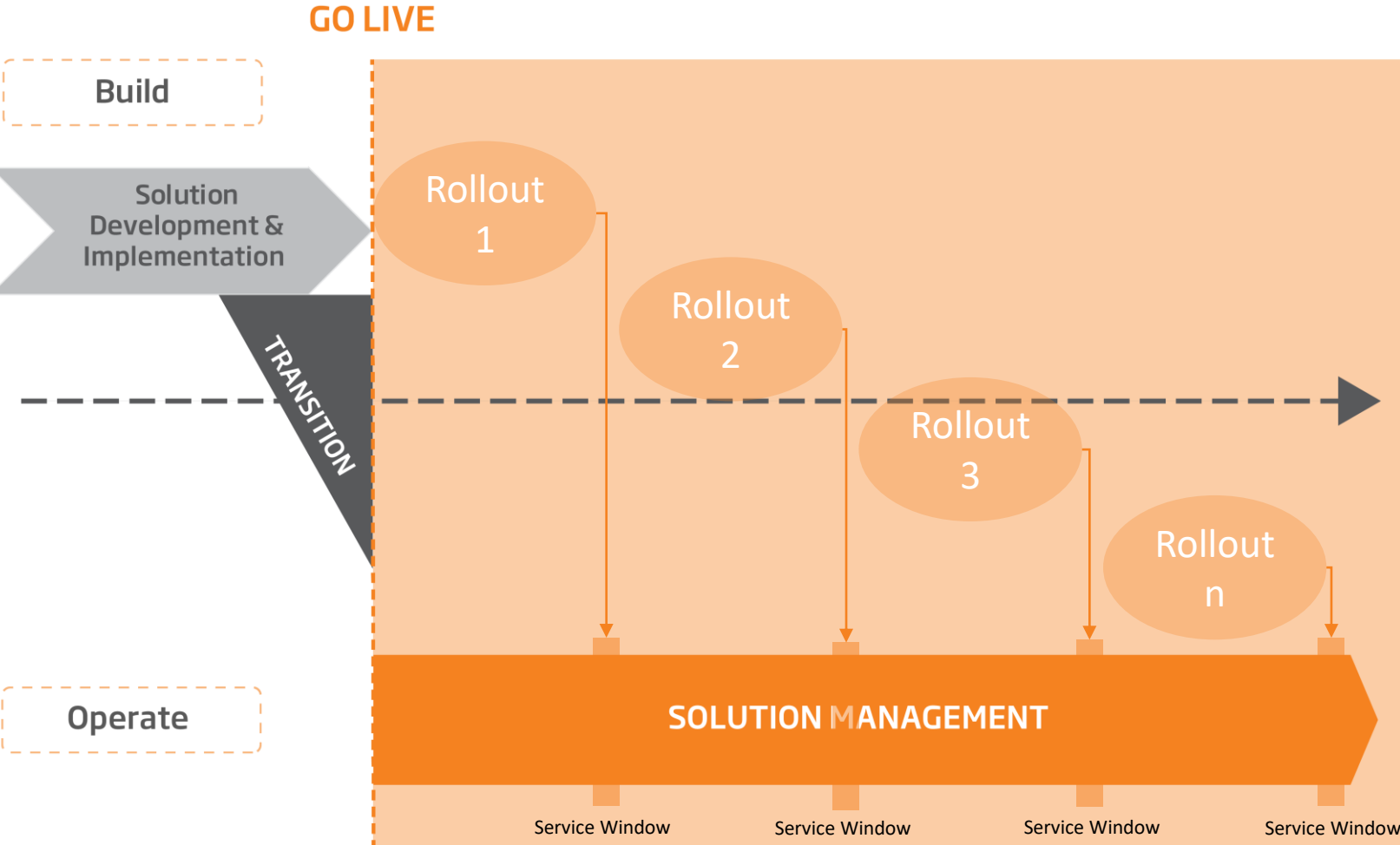
# Service Updates & Rollouts

Microsoft releases 8 Service Updates per year

Service updates will not be provided during the months of March, June, September, and December

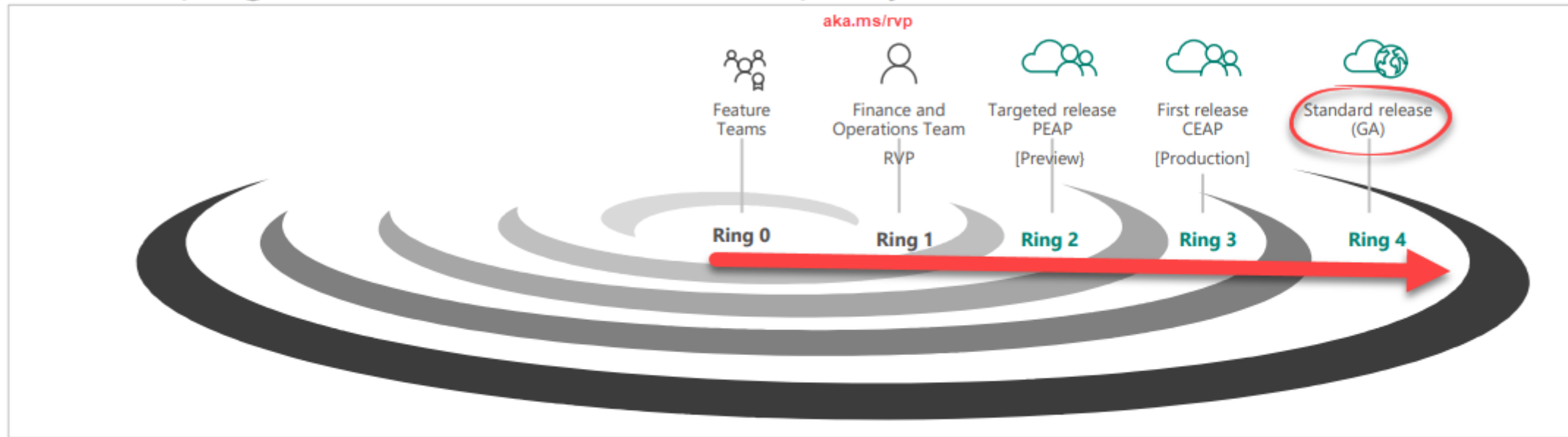
Customers are required to take a minimum of 2 service updates per year

Customers can choose to pause up to 3 consecutive updates at a time



# Microsoft Safe Deployment Practice

Series of progressive validation to ensure quality



## Microsoft

- Extensive validation
- Compatibility checker
- 100+ customer release validation program (RVP)



## Targeted release

- Preview early access program (PEAP)
- Preview Builds



## First release

- Customer Early Access Program (CEAP)
- Production Ready

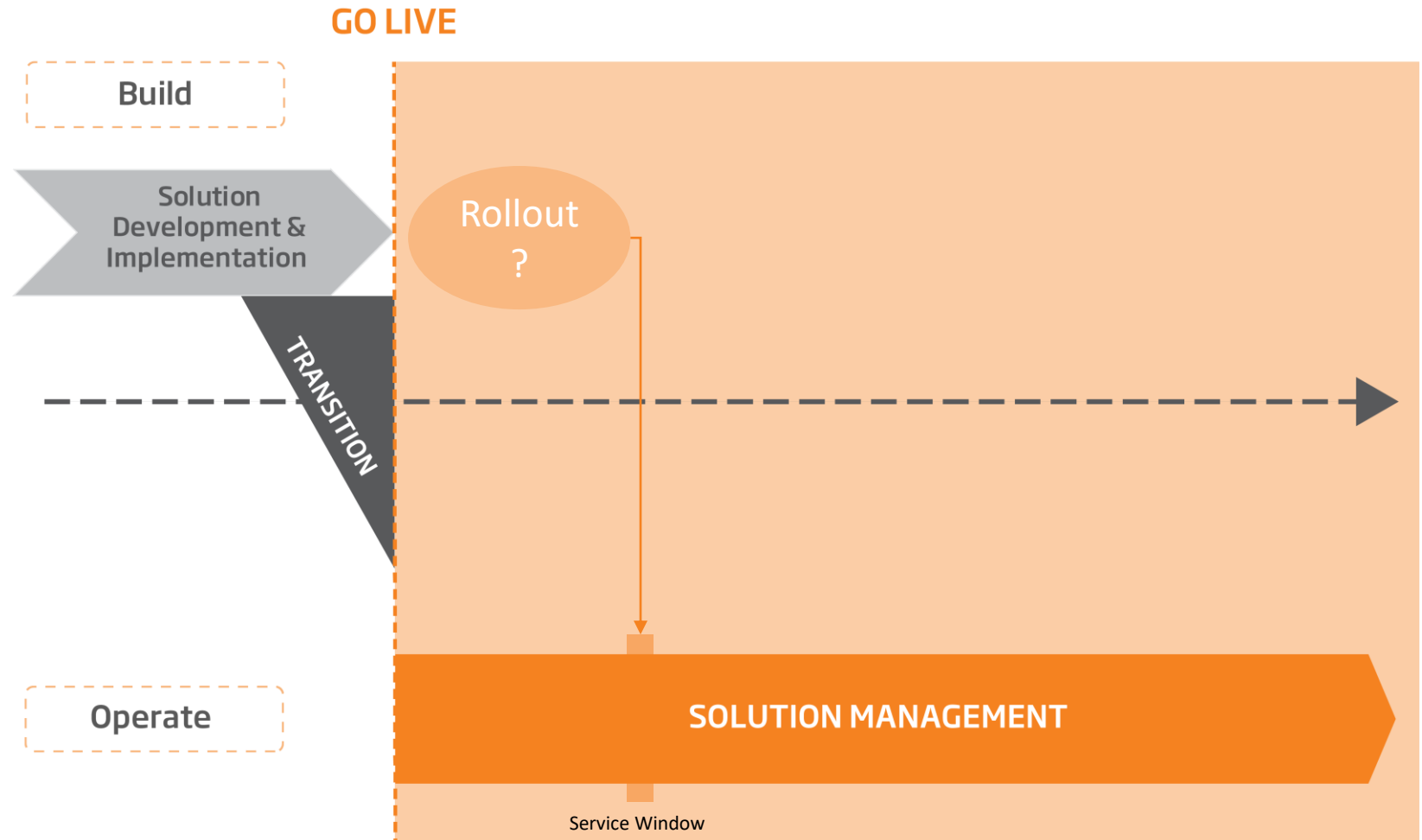


## Standard release

- Monthly predictability
- Customer controlled patching window
- UAT followed by production on consecutive week

# Service Updates – yes or no

- The service updates are backward compatible
- Will contain application and platform changes that are critical improvements to the service, including regulatory updates
- Customer must decide whether the update is applicable



# Evergreen: Columbus Secure Update

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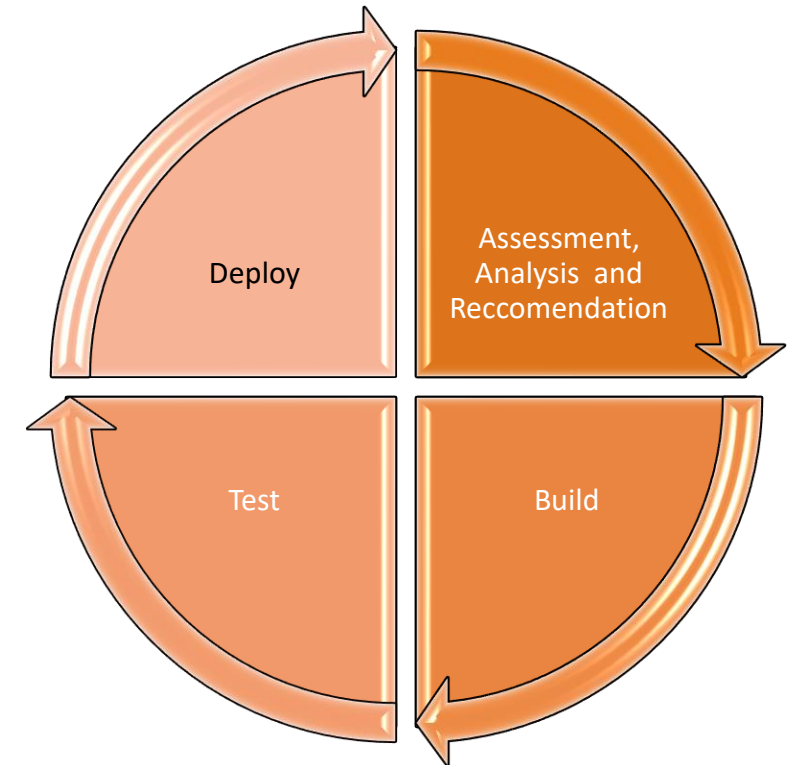
When an update is released, Columbus will

- Perform a functional and technical impact assessment
- Match against the Customer prioritized processes and highlight conflicts
- Provide a recommendation for implementation-type
- Build the update
- Perform automated testing
- Facilitate and coordinate deployment to Production

Update status Meeting beginning of each month

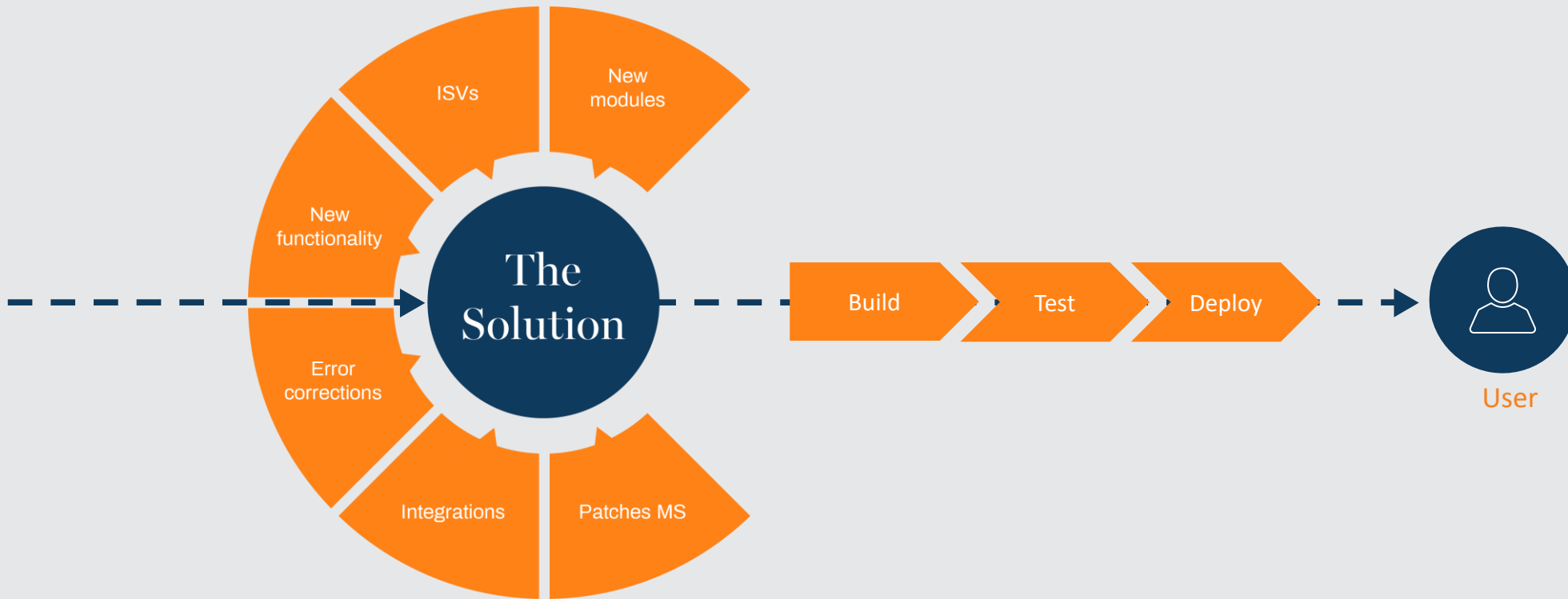
Release planning yearly and pr. Month (fitting updates to releases)

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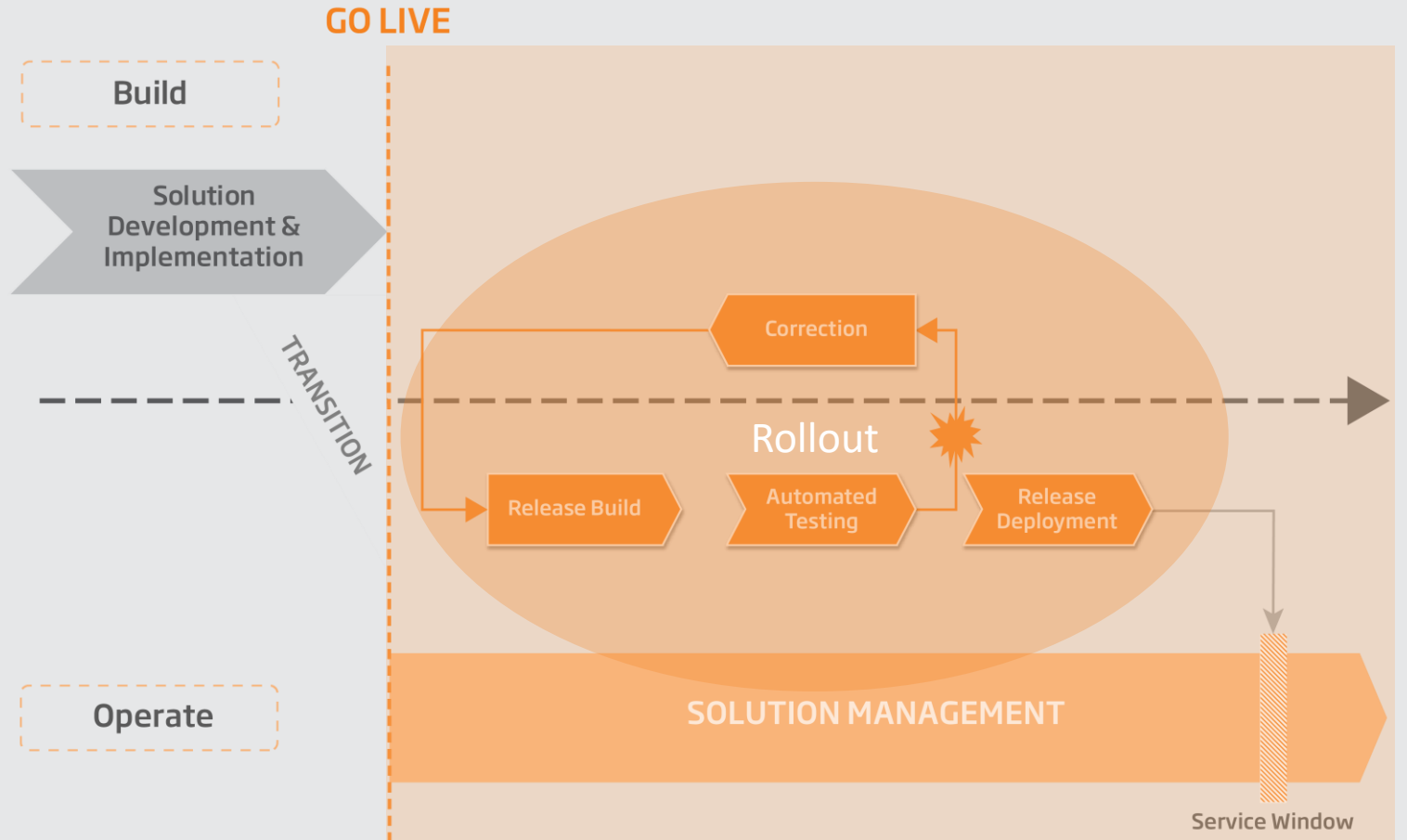
Operate

# Rollout decided

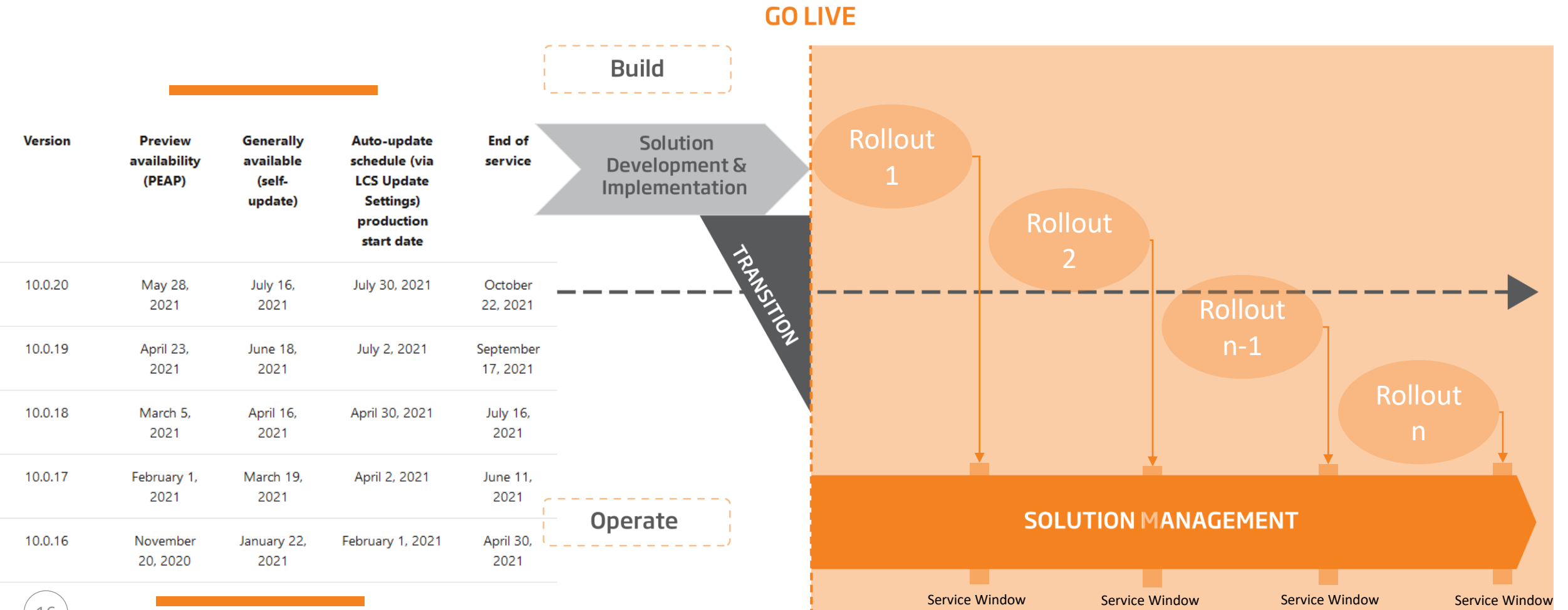
Inform Microsoft through LCS  
Release is built in UAT Sandbox environment 1 week prior to the update

Perform testing  
Correct errors, if any

Deploy the release



# Service Updates (docs.microsoft.com) & Rollouts





## Spørsmål ?

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