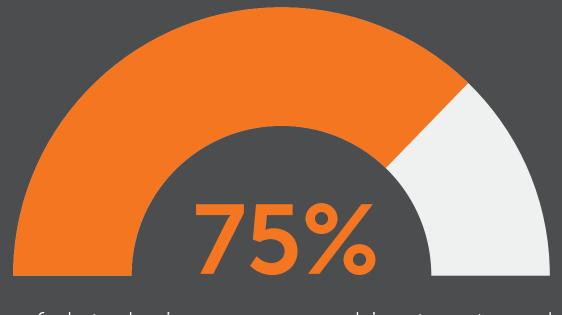
How Are DBAs Really Managing Their Data?

There's a lot of hype around unstructured data. However, a recent survey of 300 database administrators (DBAs) suggests that most organizations will continue to focus on managing structured data.

Structured data



Unstructured data

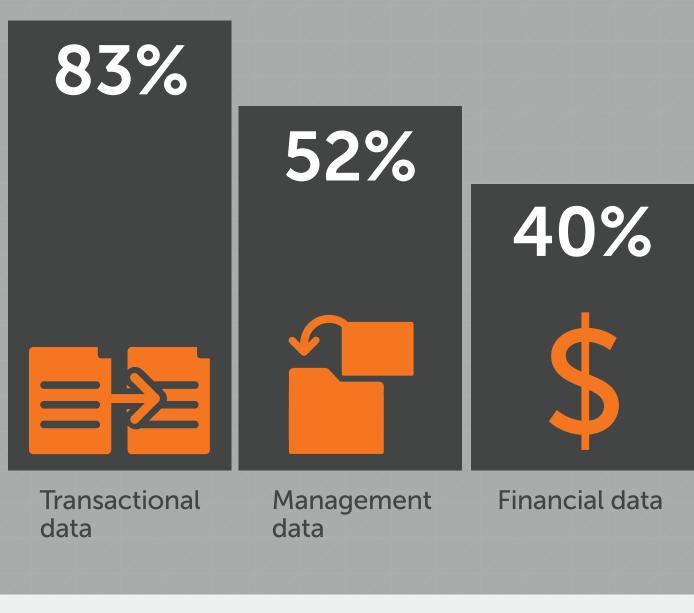


of data being managed is structured for most organizations

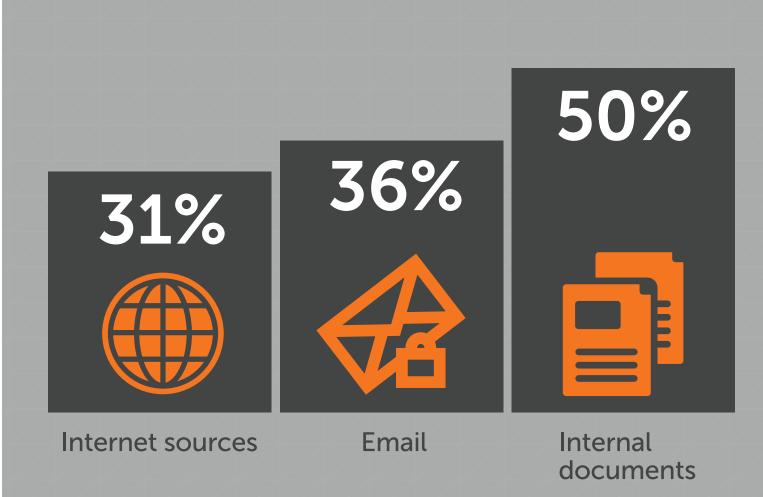
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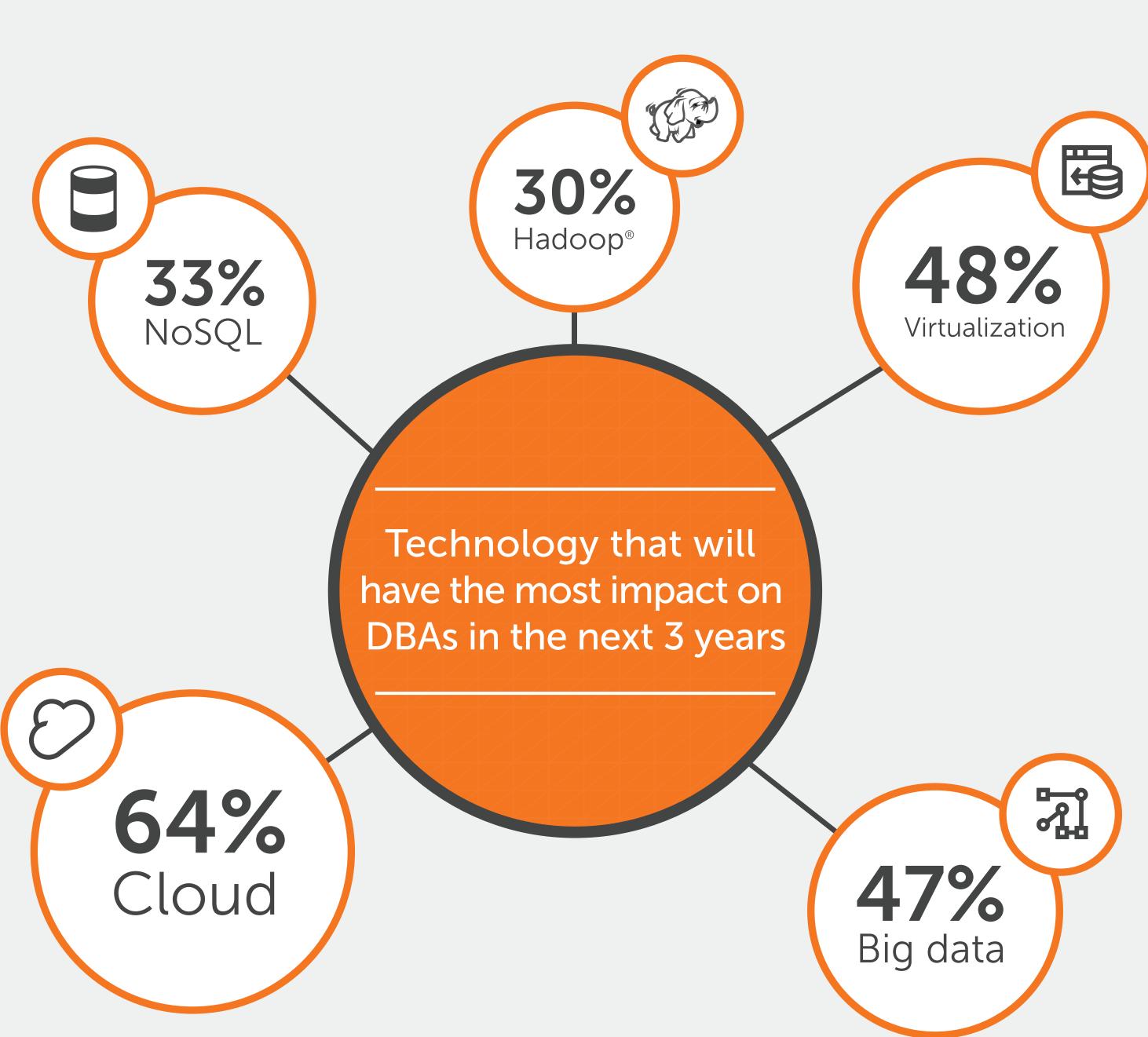
of organizations don't actively manage unstructured data at all

Most important sources of structured data growth:



Most important sources of unstructured data growth:





Most important factors driving the adoption of new database management systems:

Supporting new analytical use cases

46%

Improving database flexibility

35%

Improving database performance

35%

Supporting increasing data volumes

32%

This suggests that platforms like Hadoop and NoSQL may be needed sooner than expected.

