

DevOps in 2026: What it Means for You



Harnessing the hyper-speed of AI-driven development without derailing security, compliance, or the bottom line.

The Speed of AI

The engine driving modern development



85%

of developers regularly use AI tools

(Source: JetBrains, The State of Developer Ecosystem 2025)

51%

of developers use AI daily

(Source: Stack Overflow, 2025 Developer Survey)

27%

of all production code is now AI-authored

(Source: DX, AI-Assisted Engineering: Q4 Impact Report)



+60%

Daily AI users merge 60% more pull requests

(Source: DX, AI-Assisted Engineering: Q4 Impact Report)



Mastering the Controls

From Pipeline Operators to Platform Owners

DevOps job postings have grown 20% annually since 2020

(Source: Burning Glass Institute, DevOps Job Postings Report 2025)

DevOps Engineer is the #1 most recruited IT role globally

(Source: Spacelift, 50+ DevOps Statistics for 2025)

17%

Projected job growth (2023–2033)

(Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Occupational Outlook Handbook 2024)

\$177.5K

Median DevOps salary

(Source: DevOps Projects HQ, DevOps Job Market Report H2 2025)

70.6%

of these roles are remote

(Source: DevOps Projects HQ, DevOps Job Market Report H2 2025)

Securing the Supply Chain

Speed is nothing without structural integrity



99%

of orgs using AI-assisted security say it improves code safety

(Source: Gitlab, 2025 Global DevSecOps Report)

63%

of security pros report AI is a helpful copilot for writing more secure code

(Source: Gitlab, 2025 Global DevSecOps Report)

75%

of DevOps initiatives now include integrated security

(Source: DORA, 2025 State of DevOps Report)

65%

Fewer critical vulnerabilities reaching production

(Source: Forrester Consulting Total Economic Impact™ study, 2026)

80%

Faster vulnerability remediation

(Source: Forrester Consulting Total Economic Impact™ study, 2026)



The Economic Engine

The financial impact of a unified platform

282%

ROI over 3 years using a unified DevSecOps platform

71%

Reduction in tool spend by consolidating fragmented, legacy tools

< 6

Months payback period for platform investment

(Source: Forrester Consulting Total Economic Impact™ study, 2026)

See the full financial impact of unified DevSecOps validated by Forrester.

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