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MEET IRIS

Your Company's Own AI Employee

How a Private, Governed AI Instance Runs Every Department — Simply, Securely, and Without Limits

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What You Will Discover Inside

Radical Simplicity

Iris is live for your business in weeks, not months — no IT overhaul required.

Unlimited Efficiency

One AI employee that works across every department, every day, at no per-task cost.

Ironclad Security

Your data lives in an isolated instance built just for you — never shared, never pooled.

Real, Measurable Results

Hours returned to your staff and answers delivered in real time, from day one.

A Message to Business Owners

If you have heard the words “Artificial Intelligence” and felt a flicker of doubt — you are not alone. Maybe you pictured AI generating strange pictures. Maybe you heard a story about an AI agent deleting a company's data, or read that some tool wanted access to sensitive files with no oversight. Those concerns are valid, and they come from real incidents — just not incidents that happen with Iris.

Here is the truth: most of the fear around AI comes from ungoverned agents — tools working independently, with no guardrails, no audit trail, and no boundaries on what they can touch. That is not what we build. Iris is a governed AI instance, built and isolated specifically for your company, with policy-based access, full audit logging, and enterprise-grade security controls behind everything it does.

This eBook is your plain-English guide to what Iris actually is, how simple it is to get running, how it multiplies your team's efficiency across every department, and — because we know this is top of mind — exactly how your data stays protected every step of the way.

Our Promise:

No jargon. No hype. No shared servers and no mystery about where your data goes. Just a private AI employee, built for your business alone, that gets to work from day one.

CHAPTER 1

Meet Iris: The Employee Who Has All the Answers

Think about how information moves through your company today. A question about inventory goes to Operations. A payroll question goes to HR. A customer wants an order status, so someone checks three different systems to find it. Every one of these requests takes a person's time, and the same questions get asked — and answered — over and over again, by multiple people, in multiple departments, using data that may already be out of date by the time it's delivered.

Iris changes that. Iris is your AI — built only for your business — with secure, permissioned access across every system you use: your ERP, your financial software, your HR platform, your document repositories, and more. Ask Iris a question in plain English, and it responds instantly, using real-time data, without waiting on a person to compile it.

Unlimited

AI Automation

Real-Time

Data, Always Current

Cross-Data

Analysis, One Ask

What Makes Iris Different

- The Employee That Can See It All — Iris connects across departments instead of being siloed in one system.
- Access Is Policy Based — Iris only shows each person the data their role allows, automatically.
- A Data Lake for Historical Reporting — trends and comparisons that never existed before are now one question away.
- Cross-Data Analysis — Iris connects the dots between systems that never used to talk to each other.

A Simple Example: One Invoice, No Bottleneck

An invoice arrives as a PDF. Today, a person opens it, reads it, and keys it into accounting by hand. With Iris, the invoice is reviewed automatically — Iris validates the contents and enters the data directly into your finance system. A person still reviews and approves the payment; Iris simply removes the manual data entry in between. That is the guardrail by design: Iris does the repetitive work, people keep the judgment calls.

CHAPTER 2

Radically Simple: Getting Your Iris Up and Running

One of the biggest misconceptions about AI is that it requires a massive IT project — months of setup, a small army of consultants, and a steep learning curve for your team. Iris was built to prove the opposite. Getting started is simple, and you do not need to solve every use case on day one.

Four Simple Steps

1. Build the Environment

We stand up your dedicated, secure Iris instance — isolated to your company alone.

2. Identify Data

We connect the systems and data sources that matter most to your business first.

3. Start Asking Questions

Your team begins using Iris in plain language — no training manual required.

4. Get Results

Real-time answers, immediately, with more departments added as you're ready.

Begin With Something Simple:

You do not have to automate everything on day one. Start with one department, one workflow, or one recurring question — then build outward to Finance, Operations, HR, and beyond, at your own pace.

Because Iris is your own governed instance from the very first day, security is never an afterthought bolted on later. Database encryption and secure access are part of the foundation — not a phase-two upgrade.

CHAPTER 3

Unlimited Efficiency, Every Department

Right now, information requests bounce between multiple staff and multiple departments — MRP, Scheduling, Finance, HR, Operations, Shipping — all handled over email, and all repeated endlessly because the data behind each answer goes stale the moment it's delivered. Every request costs your company time and money, and the same request is answered again and again.

Iris removes the bottleneck. It is not a tool for one department — it is an employee for all of them, working in parallel, around the clock, without adding headcount.

10–30 min

Saved Per Staff Member, Per Day

24x Faster

Technical Business Reviews — 15
Minutes

10x Faster

Cross-Platform Data Analysis

Where Iris Goes to Work

Strategic Planning

Automated KPI dashboards, scenario modeling, meeting notes turned into action items, and analysis across every department.

Finance

Invoice and receipt scanning, automated expense entry, fraud and anomaly detection, and auto-generated monthly summaries.

Operations

Inventory monitoring with auto-reorder triggers, automated data entry, and real-time bottleneck alerts.

HR

Automated onboarding, resume screening, interview scheduling, and an always-available employee Q&A chatbot.

Customer Engagement

First-line AI chatbot support, automated triage routing, and sentiment analysis on every piece of feedback.

Work in Progress

Cross-department roadmaps, automated handoffs, and full visibility into WIP by item or line — for you and your customers.

Think About It:

If a task is handled by multiple people, in multiple departments, using data that is out of date the moment it's pulled — there is a very good chance Iris can handle it instead. That is unlimited efficiency: one AI employee, every department, no added headcount.

CHAPTER 4

Security You Can Trust: Isolated. Governed. Yours Alone.

Security is the question we hear the most — and it should be. The horror stories about AI aren't really about AI itself; they're about ungoverned agents operating with no guardrails, unrestricted access, and no oversight. Iris was built from the ground up to be the opposite of that story.

The most important thing to understand: Iris is an isolated AI instance built for your company alone. Your data is never pooled with another customer's data, never used to train a shared model, and never shared with the internet or any other company. Your Iris only knows your business.

Governed AI vs. an Independent Agent

An AI Agent Working Independently	Our Governed Iris Instance
• Hackers or unauthorized actors can gain direct access • Accidental or malicious deletion — no guardrails to stop it • API keys and credentials exposed in code, logs, or memory • No role separation between departments' data • No audit trail — no way to prove who touched what, or when	• Every action is permissioned by application security and roles • Guardrails by design — no destructive actions are possible • Keys, secrets, and accounts encrypted at the database level • Access limited to each user's own policy level • Full audit trail — every action logged and reviewable

The Iris Security Stack

Application Security Multifactor authentication required. API keys and secure codes encrypted at rest. Passwords encrypted at rest.	Data Security Modeled on NIST 800-171 controls — assessed and passed across all 110 control points. Ongoing penetration testing, vulnerability scanning, and disaster-recovery backup.
User Security: Users are added to groups, and groups are managed by policy — a Finance policy, an HR policy, an Operations policy. Individual users have no standing access on their own; it is the policy that governs what any person, or Iris, is allowed to see. That means HR never sees Financial data unless a policy explicitly allows it — and every access decision is logged.	

MFA

Required on Every Account

NIST 800-171

110 of 110 Controls Passed

100%

Actions Logged & Auditable

Your AI Journey Starts Here

Iris is not a distant, futuristic idea — it is available right now, built specifically for businesses like yours, and simple enough to start small and grow at your own pace. It is unlimited in what it can automate, and uncompromising about keeping your data isolated and secure.

Weeks

Not Months, to Get Started

Unlimited

Departments & Use Cases

Isolated

Your Data, Yours Alone

At Cloud 1 Solutions, we partner with businesses to design and stand up a governed Iris instance that fits your goals, your budget, and your team. We do not deliver a one-size-fits-all chatbot — we deliver a private AI employee, built around how your business actually runs.

The best starting point is a conversation. We'll listen to how your business works today, identify where Iris can have the fastest impact, and walk you through exactly what the first few weeks look like — with no obligation and no pressure.

Ready to Meet Your Iris?

Visit cloud1solutions.com to schedule your free AI assessment.

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