Fortune 500 healthcare company McKesson adopted modern Salesforce DevOps using Gearset

MCKESSON

McKesson is a top Fortune Global 500 company, dedicated to creating a world of better health.

Size 78,000+ people   **Location** USA   **Industry** Healthcare   **Customer since** 2017

McKesson drastically cut their deployment time, with Gearset's intuitive tooling

McKesson's Medical-Surgical group adopted Salesforce 5 years ago, with 13 developers and admins supporting more than 2,500 end users. The team soon found the first-party deployment tools lacking, as deployments were taking 6-12 hours each on average. "A couple of 3AM nights too many and it hit a tipping point," recalls the team's release manager, Matt Avitable.

After evaluating a number of deployment tools, the team chose Gearset. Salesforce admin Monica Thornton Hill recalls the transition:

"Before Gearset I was terrified to even touch anything that had something to do with a deployment - I couldn't imagine ever running one. With Gearset it's very straightforward and easy to use, it was just one or two walkthroughs and I felt comfortable using it."

McKesson use Gearset's continuous integration to release every 4 hours

Gearset's org comparisons give visibility into each release, and make it easy to keep orgs in sync. "With Gearset's diff feature you can easily see the line-by-line differences between your source and target org," Vinod Agrawal explains. "We no longer have to keep track of everything that has changed - it's a massive time-saver for us."

Gearset has revolutionized the team's Salesforce DevOps, freeing up time to focus on developing features for their end users. "We're extremely pleased with the progress we've made with Gearset so far," says Matt. "We have a fast, automated deployment pipeline which pushes changes into production throughout the week. My life has definitely gotten easier!"

36,265 Comparisons	**12,280** Deployments	**13,978** CI job runs

"I would highly recommend Gearset to any team."

Monica Thornton Hill,
Salesforce admin, Mckesson