liquidware

Adaptive workspace management software for Windows Virtual Desktop from Liquidware

Application layering, user management and visibility for Windows Virtual Desktop

Liquidware is a Windows Virtual Desktop value added services provider that delivers software for optimizing and managing deployment of Windows Virtual Desktop. The Liquidware Essentials suite provides application delivery through layering, user environment management, and key user experience visibility and diagnostics. With solutions for assessing migration readiness and analyzing usage metrics, Liquidware helps to provide a seamless virtual desktop experience for end users.

Windows Virtual Desktop is changing the way virtual desktops are provided by delivering multi-session Windows 10 directly from Azure. Additionally, Windows Virtual Desktop enables IT to provide Windows 7 virtual desktop deployments for users as well as the option to move existing Remote Desktop Services and Windows Server deployments to Azure, all managed from a unified experience on Azure.

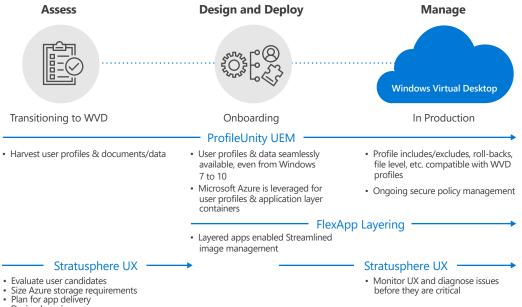
Liquidware Essentials extends the value of Windows Virtual Desktop by efficiently harvesting user profiles and gathering key user data to streamline the migration of user environments to Azure. Additionally, Liquidware Essentials helps to simplify image management by unifying user profiles and layering apps based on configurable rights management settings.

The Liquidware Essentials suite provides adaptive workspace management solutions for every phase of a Windows Virtual Desktop deployment and production environment. Liquidware Essentials is comprised of three products: FlexApp, ProfileUnity, and Stratusphere UX. FlexApp simplifies image management and provides apps to users based on profile container settings. ProfileUnity leverages Azure to create containers to unify user profiles and establish application rights management. Stratusphere UX works to discover user profiles and data to assess user environment migration to Azure.

"As a partner of the Microsoft Windows Virtual Desktop community, Liquidware's suite of solutions work to benefit customers looking to properly plan for Windows Virtual Desktop, manage users and profiles, and minimize base image management through layering."

Clark Nicholson Principal Program Manager, Windows Virtual Desktop Microsoft

Liquidware Essentials and Windows Virtual Desktop integration



How it works

Using Liquidware Essentials, IT can assess, design, deploy, and manage user environments for migration to Windows Virtual Desktop at scale. Liquidware has worked with Azure engineers to optimize the services for Windows Virtual Desktop. With Liquidware Essentials, user profile management is streamlined by creating profile containers to group users. Windows Virtual Desktop is deployed for users based on Azure profile settings, and apps are delivered separate from desktop images.

Design base image

Liquidware Essentials



Stratusphere UX

Monitor user metrics data and assess user environments to plan migration to Windows Virtual Desktop.



ProfileUnity

Harvest and reapply existing user profile, application, and policy data to Windows Virtual Desktops seamlessly.



FlexApp

Streamline image management with application rights and delivery strategies.

The benefits of using Liquidware Essentials for Windows Virtual Desktop

Simplify image management

With Liquidware's FlexApp, image management is simplified by delivering layered applications to virtual desktops. Administrators can choose whether to deliver applications at boot time, login, or on-demand with innovative Click-to-Layer technology.

Improve business continuity

ProfileUnity automatically makes user profiles compatible with any supported Windows OS in seconds when migrating to Windows Virtual Desktop. Profiles, applications, policies, and user data all move with the user profile and are all available to user at first logon. The process happens in the background with no user downtime. ProfileUnity is also compatible with, and can backup and restore, Microsoft FSLogix profile containers from Azure.

Streamline migration

ProfileUnity provides a universal profile that supports cross-Windows OS portability. User profiles are automatically compatible in seconds at logon. Profiles, applications, policies, and user data all move with the user profile and are all available to users at first login on the new platform. With ProfileUnity it is possible to on-board users to Windows Virtual Desktop, even from Windows 7 to 10 with zero user downtime.

Optimize end user experience

Stratusphere UX was built with virtual environments in mind. The solution automatically adjusts workloads with CPU process optimization to provide optimal virtual desktop performance. The solution quickly diagnoses negative user experience trends such as long logins and slow application response times.

Scale efficiently and quickly

With Stratusphere UX, organizations can size and design their Windows Virtual Desktop deployment on Azure with confidence. After deployment, Stratusphere UX continues to manage desktop experience quality. IT has the visibility they need to quickly troubleshoot issues before they impact end users. At each succeeding stage, more users with diverse requirements can be migrated with ease.

Learn more about how Microsoft and Liquidware deliver an optimal modern desktop experience

"FlexApp virtualizes complex applications that were impossible or difficult to virtualize using other methods. Support calls for virtual desktops are easy. There's no running around chasing tails, we know where to go to fix the problem. ProfileUnity saves us a lot of time, effort, money, and frustration."

- Dan Milano, Director of IT, M. Davis & Sons

About Windows Virtual Desktop

Windows Virtual Desktop offers the best virtual desktop experience delivered on Azure. Windows Virtual Desktop enables organizations to deliver a virtual desktop experience and remote apps to any device. Microsoft 365 and Azure together provide users with the only multi-session Windows 10 experience — with exceptional scale and reduced IT costs.

For more information, visit <u>https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/services/virtual-desktop/</u>.

About Liquidware

Liquidware is a leader in adaptive workspace management solutions for Windows desktops. The company's products encompass all facets of management to ensure the ultimate user experience across all workspaces physical, virtual, DaaS or in the cloud. Enterprise companies across the globe utilize Liquidware solutions to dramatically decrease time spent managing desktops, while delivering increased security, flexibility and scalability. Liquidware products are available through a global network of partners.

For more information, visit www.liquidware.com