CDW SERVICES:

MICROSOFT AZURE laaS MIGRATION ASSESSMENT



GET THE MOST OUT OF YOUR MICROSOFT AZURE INVESTMENT

Organizations are always on the hunt for ways to reduce their capital expenses and minimize the endless addition of servers, storage and IT infrastructure needed to support their business demands. Microsoft Azure Infrastructure as a Service (laaS) offers a scalable and flexible platform to provide server infrastructure on demand without having to invest in hardware or software.

WHAT CAN CDW DO FOR ME?

The Azure Migration Assessment will work with your organization to deploy an approved assessment tool in your environment, ensure the tool is configured properly, run the tool, and then help interpret and review the results with your team. The results will help you understand the costs of moving your on-premises workloads to Azure as well as expected performance.

This engagement assists with expertise in both Azure and the assessment tool. It helps estimate Azure costs and anticipate expected performance, and is available to the businesses so they can intelligently move forward with an Azure migration.

Current approved assessment tools are StratoZone, Cloud Physics, Cloudamize, and Azure Migrate. Please work with your sales team and Azure Field Solution Architect to obtain the assessment tool prior to the engagement starting.

The Azure Migration Assessment will accomplish:

- A maximum of 25 virtual machines will be assessed in the base assessment.
- · Servers can be added to the engagement in blocks of 50 additional virtual machines.
- Review your business and technical requirements and how they relate to the workload included in the assessment.
- Gain an understanding of your applications targeted for migration and fine-tune cloud configuration (CPU, storage, memory, instance type, etc.).
- · Meet with the IT staff to obtain all credentials required for configuration of the assessment tool.
- \cdot $\,$ Installation and configuration of an assessment tool.
- Analyze the financial data in context of potential architecture in Azure and make recommendations for alternative configurations based on budgeting and/or financial goals.
- $\cdot \quad \text{Make recommendations on addition or removal of VMs based upon your cloud strategy}.$
- · Suggest potential solutions to your organization's planned strategy based on current in-house configurations.

Out of Scope:

- Installation of agents on virtual or physical machines.
- · Application Migration and Dependency mapping
- · Migrating the customer resources to Microsoft Azure

THE BENEFITS

- CDW will provide a custom report with detailed cost information and analysis based on the your business and technical requirements.
- Your team will spend time with a CDW consultant to get a thorough understanding of the cost to move into Azure.
- · CDW uses a noninvasive tool to gather financial data on virtual machines.

WHY CDW?

CDW is uniquely qualified to design IT solutions that remove complexity and unnecessary costs from your organization. Our experts become part of your team, providing the support you need, when and where you need it.

We can help you navigate Microsoft's robust array of solution offerings, including Azure. CDW is an end-to-end provider of cloud applications, solutions and services in public, private and hybrid cloud environments. Based on your business demands, we can help you plan, deliver and manage a flexible cloud solution tailored to your needs. We offer best-ofbreed providers, risk mitigation strategies and dedicated, personalized expertise to deliver economic and operational benefits.

We get Microsoft Azure. And we can share our knowledge with you, so your organization can spend less time managing software and more time putting it to work.

Next Steps

To learn more about CDW's Microsoft Azure laaS Migration Assessment, contact your CDW account manager or call 800.800.4239.

