

# What is Migration Assessment?

The assessment will extensively analyze your Dynamics on-premises system, helping you to understand which cloud migration approach is the best fit for your business, and giving inputs on how to avoid mistakes throughout the journey.

## Critical advantages of taking this assessment:

Performing the advanced migration assessment will help you in:

- Recognizing the value your organization will get by moving from an onpremises ERP to the cloud
- Diagnosing functional and technical gaps
- Establishing your business requirements and aligning them with Dynamics 365 functionalities
- Learning how to best handle existing customizations and data while migrating to the cloud
- Identifying the optimal migration method for your business to minimize costs and efforts
- Determining accurate timelines for the migrations and next course of action in your cloud journey

## Why now is the best time?

End of Service for most legacy Dynamics AX products will happen on April 2022.





Timeframe: 4-6 weeks



Involvement: requires around 3-5 days of customer's time



Price: free of charge & obligations, covered by Columbus & Microsoft



Technology: available for all Microsoft Dynamics AX 2012 customers



**Geography**: globally

# What does the assessment entail?

Here are four vital components of Advanced Migration Assessment:



## Business Introduction Session

#### This initial introduction includes:

- Establishing assessment goals
- Providing system access, model store export
- Initiating migration approach for an earlier version of Dynamics on-premises



### Technical Assessment

#### At this level, our experts will focus on:

- Performing solution customization and modification analysis
- Code refactoring
- Investigating data consistency and data integrity
- Reviewing implemented ISV solutions
- Identifying risks
- Integrations, BI and reporting strategy
- Providing technical assessment report



# Functional Assessment

This stage involves business assessment of various aspects like:

- Comparison of new capabilities and enhancement with old system features
- Examination of current solution findings
- Review of business processes at high-level
- Providing functional assessment report and giving recommendations



# Assessment presentation and discussion of next steps

In the end of the assessment, we will set a Q&A time for Dynamics 365 migration discussion and provide final report which will include:

- Review of the state of the current solution.
- Conclusion if migration to cloud is the right step for your business
- Proposal on how to start the migration process
- Deployment options analysis
- Recommendations on best transition approach
- Timeline and resources proposal
- Roadmap of recommendations and next steps

## Customers who have already migrated from Dynamics AX to Dynamics 365 with Columbus



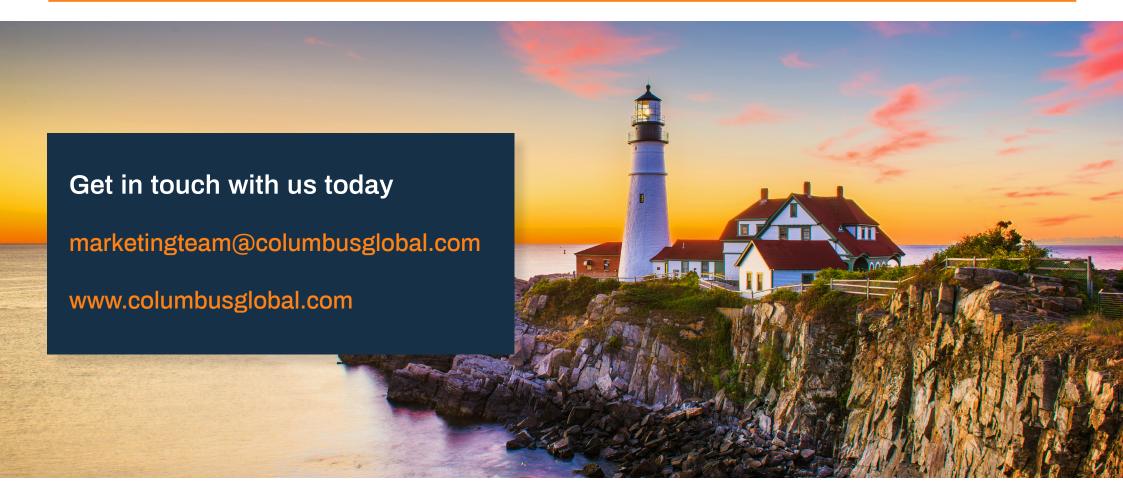
The Total Economic Impact Of Migrating From Microsoft Dynamics AX To Microsoft Dynamics 365 In The Cloud.\*

[Based on the interviews with the customers who performed migration.]



**Schedule the assessment** 

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