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## Microsoft Azure Cloud Application Modernisation

*Modernise your legacy applications with a trusted partner to guide your migration to Microsoft Azure, enabling a scalable, flexible and reliable application environment*

With immense pressure to perform better and rapidly create value at scale, organisations struggle to improve performance and remain competitive when working with outdated, unsupported and obsolete legacy applications. Cloud application modernisation changes the digital landscape of a business and enables more value to be created, with a more robust and secure user experience. We can guide you through the complexities of relocating your application assets to cloud. Our services include rebuilding, replacing, rearchitecting and rehosting. On Microsoft Azure, you will have access to a myriad of cloud services and features. We will guide you at every step along the way – from consulting through to development, modernisation, UX design and support.

**Drive digital transformation while adding value and future-proofing your organisation for growth and innovation.**

Benefits of Cloud Application Modernisation:

- Stability, flexibility, reduced redundancy and rapid scalability of your applications.
- Deliver value faster and respond to changes driven by business needs.
- Reduction in IT administration for application maintenance, with virtual team and support in place.

### Highly experienced team

*Collaborate with a trusted, award-winning Microsoft partner to modernise your application landscape*

Leveraging relationship of over 20 years with Microsoft, Dimension Data is a partner with decades of applications experience, across multiple industries. We have the skills, scale and agility to meet your business needs.

### Agile, full-stack solutions

*Enjoy an efficient application modernization and migration experience*

Working with an Agile SDLC, we offer outcome-based solutions and provide continuous, consistent delivery to add value faster. Our full-stack service from design to managed services allows us to take care of all your application needs.

### Rapid response to business needs

*Faster deployment of updates, code and changes, so that you can deliver new services to market faster*

With Azure's rapid scalability and high availability, reduce wasted investment in infrastructure, while ensuring the highest security standards. Optimise speed of deployment and code changes while adding value to your business

**'As organizations increase their reliance on cloud technologies, IT teams are rushing to embrace cloud-built applications and relocate existing digital assets. Building, implementing and maturing cloud strategies will continue to be a top priority for years to come'.** – Gartner, November 2019

## How Cloud Application Modernisation works to achieve business benefits

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### *Dimension Data Solution*

- Full Dimension Data services and IT solutions stack
- In-depth assessments of applications to ensure Azure Readiness
- Extensive consulting provides recommendations and roadmaps for application modernisation
- Best-of-breed cloud migration, underpinned by Microsoft's best practices
- Experienced and highly certified application, cloud and advanced networking teams
- End-to-end support, from consulting to implementation, offering strategy and consulting on your application landscape



### *Joint Solution*

- Unparalleled Azure security and compliance
- Affordable consumption-based billing model, where clients pay only for what is used
- Rapidly scalable solutions to meet changing business requirements
- Transformation of legacy software systems



### *Tangible Benefits / Desired Outcomes*

- Stability, flexibility and rapid scalability and speed of your applications supported by Azure best of breed security.
- Reduction in redundancy owing to Azure's uptime.
- Easy and simple deployment of application code and updates.
- Manageable cloud environment, underpinned by Microsoft Azure's layered approach to security.
- With Azure's affordable pay-as-you-use billing model, cost consolidation and reduction is enabled.
- Accomplish modernisation and consolidation by reworking legacy applications to become cloud-ready.
- Continuous delivery and development with Dimension Data's SAFe Agile framework.
- Access to expert support with optional retainer hour model and a virtual support team to assist with technical issues and provide application enhancements.



### *Why Dimension Data?*

Dimension Data has a proven track record as a Microsoft partner with a large skilled and experienced team of Microsoft-certified specialists. From consulting to managed services, we keep your enterprise applications responsive and reliable, enabling collaboration and a platform for innovation. We assess current IT landscape, deliver recommendations and a roadmap for optimisation and then consolidate and migrate your applications to the cloud. Along the way, offering guidance through complexities and intricacies of modernisation and migration. As Microsoft's Partner of the Year, we offer bespoke business solutions using a SAFe Agile methodology and globally integrated ITIL processes. With our highly skilled application, Azure migration and advanced networking teams, we guarantee excellence in delivery. Dimension Data is able to provide a full end-to-end solution to an organisation in every industry vertical. Our capability across the full IT stack enables us to provide supporting services giving you an advantage.