MIGRATE YOUR VMWARE TO AZURE

Unlocking The Benefits of Azure VMware Solution with SoftwareONE's Planning and Deployment Services

As cloud adoption continues to grow at a rapid rate, SoftwareONE understands that organizations are at different stages of digital transformation. Cloud readiness can be hampered by disruptions, a lack of cloud expertise, budgets, and the complexities of migrating applications to the cloud. Having a clear path to the cloud can help minimize these issues, making it easier to transition while enhancing time to value.

SoftwareONE's Azure VMware Solution service helps you migrate, manage, and secure applications across VMware environments on dedicated Azure infrastructure. Combining our extensive expertise with both VMware and Microsoft, this service allows you to transition your on-premises VMware with lower cost, effort, and risk of needing to redesign applications and operations. Whether you are looking to scale your on-premises VMware environment or completely migrate, we can make your cloud transition seamless.

In order to have a fundamental understanding of cloud management in general, Microsoft's Cloud Adoption and Migration Framework is the first step for Azure VMware Solution. Through a series of workshops and interactive knowledge sharing sessions, we help kickstart Azure cloud adoption for your organization, build a cloud governance framework, provision a foundational environment that can be expanded to accommodate future growth requirements and develop a cloud maturity roadmap.

Within the Azure migration framework, we put together a combination of service modules including interactive knowledge sharing sessions, tool-based discovery, information gathering and design sessions and cloud build automation to accelerate your Azure cloud adoption subsequently mature to more advanced services.

The focus of these workshops is to ascertain the needs and challenges that currently exist within your organization and help you gather the insights you need to migrate your VMware to Azure based on your unique requirements. Benefit from our vast migration experience and embrace these full server migration values including transparency of the critical data needed for migrations, increased productivity and efficiency, gaining confidence, and avoiding risks by having the foundational data you need.

Azure VMware Solution can transform your business so you can support new, innovative technologies while reducing costs. With SoftwareONE's planning and deployment services, you will benefit from:
› Deploying VMware workloads on a dedicated, high-performance, single-tenant environment on Azure
› Continuing to operate a VMware environment on Azure using the same skills and tools you have in place today
› Leveraging Azure to provision, expand, and shrink VMware resources on demand without rearchitecting your existing applications
› Modernizing and enhance applications on a self-designated schedule

AZURE VMWARE SOLUTION | CLOUD ADOPTION & MIGRATION

SERVICE OVERVIEW

4	**OUTCOME**	**Servers Migration Findings**	› Kickstart your Azure Cloud Adoption with VMware › Subsequently mature to more advanced services › SoftwareONE quickly gets your cloud server platform up and running in Azure				
3	**Plan & Execute**	**Guide your organization in migrate servers to AVS**	Design and deployment of foundational cloud infrastructure components & best practices	▶	Prioritization, sequencing, isolated environment testing and migration execution	▶	Commercial onboarding into Azure and migration of your servers
2	**Discovery & Assessment**	**Information Gathering & Design**	List of compatible/ incompatible cloud workloads with remediation plan	▶	Workload migration pipeline based on priority, compatibility, and cost	▶	TCO of Azure based on 30 day right-sizing metering
1	**Workshop & Governance**	**Sessions for interactive knowledge sharing**	Introduction to Azure VMware Solution, its benefits and use cases, how it is managed & operated	▶	A definition of your rulesets, standards & conventions that will govern usage of cloud platform	▶	Demonstrations of Azure VMware Solution resources & management

Even though workload deployments to the cloud are accelerating, the challenges with cloud adoption, such as business disruptions, lack of cloud expertise, budget allocation, and complexity of refactoring an application in the cloud still remain. Together with SoftwareONE's experienced team, you can master the challenge of deploying your VMware workloads on Azure. We deliver quantifiable success so you can accelerate your digital transformation journey and get ahead of the competition.

With Azure VMware Solution, SoftwareONE can help you with these common use case scenarios:

› **Disaster recovery and business continuity**
Update your disaster recovery plan to ensure you are fully protected against a network failure. The VMware stack deployed in Azure can be used as a primary (or secondary) on-demand disaster recovery site for on-premises datacenter infrastructure.

› **Speed & simplification of migration/hybrid cloud**
Accelerate migration of your VMware-based workloads to Azure while staying within budget. Review the licensing and extended support for their existing Windows and SQL server on-premises footprint.

› **Datacenter expansion, reduction, or retirement**
Reduce the datacenter footprint via a "one-time redeployment" of VMware-based virtual machines while decreasing the overall on-premises infrastructure. Enable users to "lift and shift" vSphere-based workloads to Azure in a non-disruptive, automated, scalable, highly available fashion without changing the underlying vSphere hypervisor or the network, security, or data protection policies.

› **App modernization, development & testing**
Application developers need to modernize their applications. The Azure ecosystem enables them to do so without refactoring existing VMware-based workloads.

How can we help you?
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