Accelerate your path to cloud with **Skytap** on **Azure**

Enterprises running traditional workloads on IBM Power systems have been facing various challenges due to its legacy infrastructure and are not able to exit the data centers so easily.

Key Challenges

Software complexity	Cost governance	Time to scale
Skewed HA/DR capabilities	Capital intensive investments	Compliance concerns and insecure APIs
Absence of central management	Operational impediments	Lack of skilled resources

Because of these challenges, organizations are now looking for efficient ways to migrate the mission critical workloads running on IBM Power systems to cloud. HCL's Skytap on Azure is an efficient solution to address these challenges and simultaneously move to cloud seamlessly.

Why Skytap on Azure?

It's a cloud solution that executes IBM i, AIX, Linux on IBM Power and x86 workloads natively in Azure without the need for **refactoring, rewriting** and **re-architecting** mission-critical workloads. It helps organizations reap the benefits of cloud with minimum effort. Customers can run, move, secure and develop business applications with confidence leveraging our **extensive IBM Power and Azure experience**.

How is Skytap on Azure Different?

Swift and Susceptible

Helps businesses to reduce provisioning times and enhance infrastructure utilization.

Azure Native Services

Modernize your business with Azure services including AI/ML, Advanced analytics and more.

Run with Conviction

Only service provider to support AIX, IBM i, Linux on Power and X86 workloads.

Key Benefits

- Self-service provisioning
- Low latent connectivity to Azure services
- Turf-out time to scale
- Lower capital intensive investment
- Operational resiliency

- Better security and compliance
- Enhanced developer productivity
- CI/CD Capability
- Broad Database support
- Robust Integration

Target Use Cases

Production Workloads
Run your production workloads with 99.95% Availability and secure connectivity

App Development and Testing
Surge in developer productivity with on-demand application environments

Virtual Training Labs
Customers and sales teams can be educated and trained via virtual training laboratories that are available on demand

App Migration
Migrate Apps running on IBM power with high level of simplification

Disaster Recovery
To gaurantee business continuity, run hot, warm or cold DR

HCL Differentiators

We are leaders in:

▶ Gartner Magic Quadrant for Managed Workplace Services, North America, 2021

▶ Everest Group Peak Matrix™ for Microsoft Azure System Integrators 2021

▶ Forrester Wave™: Application Modernization and Migration Services, Q3 2019

▶ Microsoft Implementation Services Worldwide by IDC in FY'19

Partnership with Microsoft:

- 20,000+ Microsoft Certified Consultants
- Azure Expert MSP
- Gold Certified Partner for Microsoft Services
- Exclusive Azure CoE