

# Cloud Readiness Assessment

Organisations around the world are taking advantage of the increased productivity and cost reductions provided by moving their workloads to the cloud. But a rush to embrace the benefits of cloud computing can leave business insecure and facing spiraling costs. Therefore, prior planning is essential. Logicalis' Cloud Readiness Assessment can help organisations transform their roadmap into a realistic, detailed plan that ensures budgets and expectations are managed from the outset.

### **Overview**

In the digital era, organisations are aware of cloud and some of its benefits but many are unsure what a move to cloud really means for them. The business wants to know what the expected costs will be, how to get there with minimal risk and what the possible roadblocks could be.

Our Cloud Readiness Assessment is the first step in our Cloud Adoption Framework. It is a light-touch, rapid engagement that provides the answers that organisations need when considering a move to cloud. After completing the assessment, informed decisions on cloud migration can be made and the migration can progress to the next step of the Cloud Adoption Framework.

# The Logicalis Cloud Adoption Framework

# Strategy Plan Prepare Migrate Migrate Governance





"Logicalis has been extremely proactive and has stepped-up to the plate on multiple occasions. They've been getting on with it, working with our partners and Microsoft to overcome hurdles and roadblocks, as well as working well with our team."

ADRIAN STAGG, CIO, SAVE THE CHILDREN, AUSTRALIA

## Addressing the issues

Logicalis's Cloud Readiness Assessment provides you with a programmatic approach to:

- Reduce cloud and general IT operating costs
- Provide better services to stakeholders in a more agile
- Provide recommendations on security and governance issues

Wherever you are on your cloud maturity journey, Logicalis's Cloud Team brings vast experience and success to planning your next cloud steps, with maximum security, reducing both cloud and on-premise costs.

## What can you expect?

At the end of the Cloud Readiness Assessment you will receive:

- Detailed sizing estimates and associated operating cost expectations for expanding your cloud presence
- A detailed briefing on your 'next step' cloud opportunities, based on an assessment of the current capabilities and experience of your team
- Definition of the next three workloads to deploy to the cloud and the plan to do so, to maximise organisational benefits, including increased security and reduced costs.

## Don't just take our word for it

Save the Children went through our process and is now able to spend less of its budget on IT infrastructure – money that can be used to directly reach children in crisis and need. They made these 3 key observations on the results achieved through our program:

- On track to realise projected savings of 49% on costs.
- 2. The IT team is now able to focus on its core strengths such as help desk and CRM, enhancing the organisation's use of these tools rather than trying to
- A single identity for staff to access multiple applications such as Dropbox, Salesforce and around 3000 other cloudbased apps.

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