Rapid Assessment for Cloud Readiness and Adoption

Customer challenges

As many businesses rush to adopt cloud, there can be challenges in moving certain applications. Some of these include:

- Lack of clear strategy
- → Complex legacy applications
- Cloud sprawl
- → Exceeding the planned budget
- → Security vulnerabilities and failures of critical services
- → Human error and a lack of technical skills

Solution highlights

Kyndryl Cloud-Native Two-Week Rapid Assessments are designed to focus on an application that is currently on premises and has not been moved to cloud. During this assessment, Kyndryl consultants learn about the business and technical requirements of the application, analyze their findings, and make recommendations on the application's readiness and possible remediation to move to public cloud.

The assessment is a 60-hour engagement comprised of the following stages:

- → Kick-off and understanding
- Workshop and analysis
- → Cloud adoption findings and recommendations

The assessment will assess the following aspects of the customer application and associated workloads:

- → Key customer business and technical objectives
- → Infrastructure data
- → Application data including dependencies mapping
- → Network data
- → Processes, services, and related utilization

A final delivery report will provide detailed analysis of the application environment in scope, recommendations on cloud readiness to move to a hyperscaler of choice, and the final findings and recommendations.

Customer benefits

- Agile, scalable, and non-intrusive discovery Quickly understand the current maturity of the application and its viability to move to a public cloud platform.
- Cloud adoption recommendation

 Make educated decisions on next steps in the cloud adoption journey.
- Identify risk and remediation early
 Understand potential risks prior to cloud
 migration and take necessary steps to avoid
 any severe consequences.



Why Kyndryl and Microsoft?

About Kyndryl

Kyndryl is the world's largest provider of IT infrastructure services, serving thousands of enterprise customers in more than 60 countries. As a focused, independent company,

we're building on our foundation of excellence by bringing in the right partners, investing in our business, and working side by side with our customers to unlock their potential.

Providing undisputed leadership



6.7M mainframe installed MIPS



360K network devices managed



576 exabytes of customer data backed up annually



73K+ WAN devices managed



23M service desk contacts annually



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- → Solutions Partner for Infrastructure (Azure)
- → Solutions Partner for Data & AI (Azure)
- → Solutions Partner for Digital & App Innovation (Azure)
- → Solutions Partner for Modern Work
- → Solutions Partner for Security

25,000+ Microsoft certifications

Kyndryl and Microsoft advantage

Kyndryl and Microsoft provide the services and solutions to meet customers wherever they are on their cloud journey: on premises, across multiple clouds, or on the edge. With our joint expertise, we work with customers to manage complexity and modernize their operations for rapid business outcomes. We bring together deep design, delivery, management, and cloud technology expertise, supported by an expansive ecosystem, to unlock our customers' potential for long-term business impact.

Next steps

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