

Cloud Migration and Optimization for Independent Software Vendors

The global pandemic ignited a wave of cloud migration for mission-critical workloads. Ever since, strategies for cloud adoption are evolving into extensive initiatives for migration and modernization. During such extended periods of economic uncertainty, businesses turn to migration and modernization to support growth, safeguard the future of their operations, and cut expenses.

Most organizations have developed a migration or modernization strategy as the cloud enables their digital transformation. 74% of workloads migrated to the cloud have plans for modernization while cloud migration plans are expanding into secondary and advanced workloads – led by Artificial Intelligence/ Machine Learning (AI/ML), virtualization, and systems management.

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In order to scale, keeping their competitive edge while serving more and more digitally educated customers worldwide, Independent software vendors (ISVs) are often faced with the need to migrate their software products as software-as-a-service (SaaS) solutions to the cloud.

This may seem a complicated, expensive and overwhelming process. When you choose the right partner it's never the case. Avaelgo's team has have been successfully working with complex Azure cloud migration projects for more a decade.

Here is our experience with such migrations.

On-premise software challenges

Scalability

Monolithic Architecture
Obsolete Design

Limits Innovation

Loosing to (new) competitors

Difficult to get new customers

Slow Time-to-Market

High Lead Time for Changes Low Deployment Frequency



Limits Agility

Low customer satisfaction

Limited opportunity to respond quickly

Reliability & Uptime

High Change Failure Rate
Limited monitoring capability



Impacts Performance

Increased costs of support Increasing security risk

Availability & Recovery

High complexity for redundancy Long Mean Time to Recover



Impacts Profitability

High cost to ensure redundancy Increased operational costs

How do ISVs start using Microsoft Azure?

Frequent use case:

ISV migrated from another cloud vendor to Microsoft Azure

- Through Microsoft for Startups / Azure Credits
- Azure Marketplace, Microsoft Go-To-Market











Migration to Azure

Benefits

Innovation & Agility

Newest Technology
No legacy infrastructure

More Customers

Competitive advantage
Meeting Customer Needs

Cost Reduction

Fast Time-To-Market
High Development Frequency



Higher Margin

Lower cost for update

Higher Developer Efficiency



Enterprise security grade Build-In redundancy



Greater Performance

Scaling for peak performance Industry-leading security



Integrate on premise workloads
Unified control & monitoring



Tailoring for Needs

Some workloads or data on-premise Benefit from unified control

Case Studies

UiPath

ISV Migration to Azure Cloud

Company



Industry

IT / Robotic Process
Automation

Details

Avaelgo – UiPath Case Study Microsoft – UiPath – Avaelgo Case Study

Customer Needs

- Cost control and efficiency, Azure governance
- DevOps optimization
- Advise on technical solutions
- Optimize for flexibility, agility and scalability
- Best-in-class trainers

Results

- ✓ High performance
- ✓ Cost efficiency
- ✓ High speed
- ✓ Knowledge transfer
- ✓ Peace of Mind



E.ON

Enterprise Integration project

Company



Industry Energy

DetailsOn request

Customer Needs

- Modernize Legacy Software
- Optimize for flexibility, agility and scalability
- Integration with Enterprise Apps
- Connections to other systems

Results

- ✓ Redesign Backend for Customer Portal
- ✓ Redesign Enterprise Integration Layer
- ✓ 500+ Logic Apps as connectors to SAP, Ticketing, etc.
- ✓ Redesign from Azure Fabric to Azure Spring Cloud
- ✓ Java native microservices PaaS framework on top of AKS



Other Case Studies

ISV Customers

ISV for Manufacturing and Pharma

ISV for Education

ISV for Automotive

ISV for Banking (FinTech)

Location

Germany

Romania

Austria

UK/Europe

Project

Redesign and rearchitected for Microsoft Azure

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Design and Architecture of Azure Tenant for SaaS Solution

Sample roadmap and Budget

Cloud Foundation

Phase 1 | Duration: 3-6 Month

Methodology: Cloud Adoption Framework

Result: Azure landing zones

Methodology: Well-Architected

Framework

Result:

- ✓ Performance and Scaling
- ✓ Security
- ✓ Automation
- ✓ Costs
- ✓ Reliability

Rearchitect and Redesign Phase 2 | Duration: 6-12 Month

Refactor

Rearchitect

Rebuild

Ready for Microsoft Azure

Marketplace

Transform & Operate Phase 3 | Duration: Ongoing

Infuse Al

Phases can be parallelized to some extent

Budget: 50k € - 500k €, with some dependencies

Why Avaelgo?

Hands on experience

Avaelgo is a custom software house having developed its own "method" and insights based on complex projects

Experts in Microsoft Cloud Adoption Framework and Well-Architected Framework

End to end

Avaelgo offers a complete skillset (SW development, DevOps, Infra, Managed Services, Training, consulting)

Microsoft Certified

Avaelgo holds several specializations

Application Modernization in Azure | Avaelgo





