

Microsoft Cloud Economics Assessment



Rapid comparative monetary analysis between existing on-premise workloads & Azure including readiness levels and migration pathways.

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As many organisations embrace Cloud computing, acquiring Microsoft online services is becoming the new norm. Accurately assessing Azure requirements can be complex, time consuming and result in challenges such as:

- Failure to identify right sizing opportunities.
- Poorly optimised procurement.
- Understanding the financial & operational impact of a migration.
- How to build a business case for Azure.

Using a blend of data driven tooling, technical and software asset management expertise this foundation assessment supports organisations during the preplanning stages of datacentre modernisation planning. The high level steps are:



Discover Weeks 1-2

Initiation workshop designed to catalogue:

- Business Goals
- Technical requirements
- Constraints

Automated collection of asset intelligence.



Analyse & Verify Weeks 3-4

Analyse data and categorise workloads by:

- Type
- Future State Rough order of magnitude estimate for supplementary Azure costs.

Draft findings validation workshop.



Present & Recommend Week 5

Presentation of findings:

- Readiness levels
- Azure subscription costs
- Optimisation opportunities

Additional considerations & dependencies.
Recommended next steps relating to an effective Azure migration.

Benefits



Streamline Licensing



Control Cloud Costs



Enable Workload Prioritisation



Gain Strategic Insights

Deliverables

- Server inventory, utilisation & readiness levels
- Identification of target Azure candidates
- Azure cost projections
- Guidance on dependencies & other pre-requisites
- Outline of phased migration approach

