



Cloud Strategy

The cloud computing phenomenon has resulted in many different Cloud Service Providers trying to influence and anticipate market demands and trends. Industry hype around various market offerings may be 'clouding' your understanding of how cloud computing can positively impact business performance.

Data#3 believes that a holistic approach to 'navigating the cloud' must address broader challenges - not just technology - to realise the business value of cloud computing.

Key business challenges:

- What does cloud computing mean to my business?
- Why should I adopt cloud computing?
- Which cloud computing options represent value to my business?
- Are we at the right level of ICT maturity to successfully adopt cloud computing services?
- How does the adoption of cloud computing services change my ICT strategy?
- How do I monitor service quality and service levels when I adopt cloud computing services?
- How do I make the transition to adopt Infrastructure as a Service and/or Software as a Service?
- Private, Trusted, Public or Hybrid Cloud?
- How do I assess if a cloud computing offering is right for my business?

Cloud computing is not just about a different way to consume technology. It's about how business can optimise ICT to deliver clearly defined services with clearly defined costs and enable greater business agility.

The Data#3 Cloud Strategy

Data#3 has developed a flexible approach to assist customers in understanding, planning for and adopting cloud computing.

Using industry best practice frameworks such as COBIT, ITIL and TOGAF®, the Data#3 Cloud Strategy takes the guesswork out of cloud computing and provides customers with a clearly defined roadmap for cloud adoption.

Delivered by Data#3 Strategic Consulting, the Cloud Strategy caters for all levels of cloud maturity - from customers just beginning to look at cloud computing to those wanting to assess specific ICT services and suitable cloud computing options.

Benefits of a Cloud Strategy

The Cloud Strategy will help you answer the following questions:

- What value can cloud computing offer your business?
- Is your business ready for cloud computing?
- Which technology platforms are cloud-ready and which are not?

The Cloud Strategy will deliver a clear roadmap for adopting cloud computing services and a transition plan to identify the next steps. This will put you in strong position to understand where cloud computing will add value and contribute to better business outcomes.

Cloud Strategy Consulting Modules:

- 1. Cloud Readiness Assessment**
With a focus on organisational readiness, this assessment will review key areas to ensure the successful adoption of cloud computing services.
- 2. Virtualisation Maturity Assessment**
Assess current levels of maturity in delivering in-house foundation virtualisation services (Private Cloud).
- 3. Cloud Candidate Assessment**
Provide a detailed analysis of technology services to determine current state, compare with cloud offerings and determine suitability to adopt cloud computing.
- 4. Transition Planning**
Assist businesses with transition and migration to adopt cloud computing services.
- 5. Cloud Service Provider Assessment**
Review a Cloud Service Provider offering for suitability against business requirements and ICT controls.

Data#3 Strategic Consulting

The Data#3 Strategic Consulting practice was established with the vision to assist our customers to realise and deliver their business objectives through ICT. This allows Data#3 to connect all levels of ICT to tangible business outcomes encompassing strategy and architecture.

Through a strategic analysis and the adoption of best practice technology frameworks, Data#3 Strategic Consulting can help to build a solid foundation for future business growth and transform your ICT function into a tactical asset.

We promote service-oriented ICT not only to provide efficient day-to-day business support, but also as an enabler of business outcomes.

The Strategic Consulting practice employs the Data#3 (pdo)² Solution Lifecycle Methodology - a phased approach that achieves high quality project outcomes.



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