

**SAP Information Sheet**

SAP Services

Assessment and Design Services for the Cloud

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Quick Facts

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Overview

# Design an Adoption Strategy for Cloud



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**Summary**

Imagine if you had access to the expertise needed to confidently adopt cloud computing. With the cloud assessment and design services from the SAP® Services organization, you'll learn how to benefit from cloud computing and what to consider when starting your journey. Additionally, we will help you understand how to leverage your existing SAP ERP application in a hybrid environment.

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**Objectives**

- Understand the cloud strategy of SAP
- Reduce operational costs for SAP landscapes
- Shorten response time in fulfilling business needs
- Reallocate resources from maintenance to innovation
- Gain more flexibility and scalability from your IT infrastructure
- Access specific SAP expertise for cloud-based and virtualized landscapes

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**Service**

- Hands-on experience running SAP software in a cloud environment
  - SAP consultants with in-depth know-how and experience
  - Evaluation of cloud readiness, demonstrating the opportunities and challenges for your business
  - Cloud road map covering options, recommendations, and steps required for deploying SAP software in the cloud
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**Benefits**

- Set the baseline for reducing IT operational costs
  - Optimize your cost structure from capital to operational expenses
  - Free up your valuable resources from repetitive manual tasks
  - Accelerate time to value for your projects
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By developing a holistic cloud strategy, you can move along the path to cloud computing reliably while protecting existing investments, reducing costs, and improving IT flexibility and business agility. To that end, the SAP Services organization offers three indispensable offerings.

**The cloud advisory and strategy service** is a two- to three-day on-site workshop that helps you design your end-to-end cloud strategy. The workshop covers knowledge transfer, use cases, best practices, and tailored break-out sessions on adopting cloud computing from technical, solution, and organizational perspectives.

**The cloud catalyst service** kick-starts your cloud adoption by giving your team hands-on experience running your systems in a cloud environment. The service begins with an assessment of your requirements and readiness and creates a draft business case. SAP consultants help your organization migrate selected on-premise systems and create a

proof of concept. Then they work with you to evaluate migration results, design a target architecture and organizational model, and create a cloud transformation road map.

**A joint service from SAP and VMware** helps you transition to a more open and flexible private cloud platform based on proven virtualization technology. By giving you access to the deepest software knowledge, virtualization know-how, best practices, and real-world experience, this service dramatically minimizes your risk as you transform your IT environment to take advantage of the cloud revolution.



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