

GDS Cloud Lift Workshop for SQL Server



The fast and easy way of SQL Server Cloud Migration

Do you want to **migrate** your SQL Server environment to a **new version** and **go to the cloud** at the same time? Are you not sure whether to use platform services or infrastructure as a service? You might want to switch your operating system to **Linux** at the same time? Do you want to operate your database in the Docker Container? You only want to pay for the SQL Server license if you really use it? Don't worry no longer GDS Cloudlift Workshop for SQL Server is here to help.

Agenda:

1. Documenting your proposed target environment
2. assessing your data assets and connected services
3. Defining a migration strategy
4. building a plan for migration

As a deliverable you will get a document that can be used as starting point for your migration efforts.

Maybe you have another problem: **On July 9, 2019, Microsoft Support for SQL Server 2008 and 2008 R2 expired** Your application is still based on SQL Server 2008 / 2008 R2 and you can't migrate it to a newer version yet? No problem: Microsoft supports SQL Server 2008 / 2008 R2 for **another three years** if you run it in the cloud¹.

In all these cases, **GDS Cloud Lift Workshop for SQL Server** is the right choice for you. Our consultants quickly **assess** your SQL Server databases and **build a migration plan** to the Microsoft Azure Cloud with the help of our standardized framework. And the highlight: We help you through standardized scripts, to set up your SQL Server environment in the cloud following the **best practice experiences** of our consultants. All largely automatic.

If you have other requirements such as high availability **with Always On Availability Groups**, just contact us.

Supported SQL Server Versions/Operating Systems: SQL Server 2008R2 SP 3 on Windows Server 2008R2 SP 1, SQL Server 2012 SP 3 on Windows Server 2012R2, SQL Server 2012 SP 4 on Windows Server 2012R2, SQL Server 2014 SP 2 on Windows Server 2012R2, SQL Server 2014 SP 3 on Windows Server 2012R2, SQL Server 2016 SP 1 on Windows Server 2012 R2, SQL Server 2016 SP 1 on Windows Server 2016, SQL Server 2016 SP 2 on Windows Server 2016, SQL Server 2017 on Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7, SQL Server 2017 on SLES12SP2, SQL Server 2017 on Ubuntu 16.04, SQL Server 2017 on Windows Server 2016, SQL Server 2019 on Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7, SQL Server 2019 on Ubuntu 16.04 and SQL Server 2019 on Windows Server 2016. For Microsoft OSes Bring-Your-Own-License is supported.

¹ <https://news.microsoft.com/de-de/support-ende-windows-server-2008-und-sql-server-2008/>



Facilitating standard
Microsoft Cloud Technology



Microsoft
SQL Server
Multiple supported
Versions



Automated Best Practices
Deployment



Deployment as Docker
Container possible