

PROACT



Cloud Infrastructure Transformation Assessments

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Find your hybrid cloud with Azure

Proact knows that technology is the foundation for transforming your organisation and driving your business forward. It has the power to facilitate competitive distinction, enabling a robust and interconnected future.

The platforms, services and applications you choose to deploy are pivotal to the success of your business growth and working in partnership with an organisation that truly understands the power of technology can help propel you further.

As such, in partnership with Microsoft, Proact will guide you through the assessment process. We will support you to make informed decisions that will ensure your business can achieve its utmost potential. We pride ourselves on not only our technological knowledge but also our ability to truly understand your business needs.

Working alongside your team of experts, we will discover the intricacies and nuances of your systems as well as learning your challenges and goals to ensure we deploy a cloud infrastructure built on Azure that can support your workloads both now and into the future.

Standard Assessment

For organisations seeking a swift understanding of their options, our standard assessment provides a valuable overview of your infrastructure. This includes:

- A high-level review of systems and workloads that may be suitable for Azure migration.
- Deployments of tools to analyse resource requirements and estimate the migration and operational costs of deployment with Azure.
- A presentation of the findings, including high-level recommendations and estimated costs.

Time needed: One day

Premium Assessment

This is our most popular approach and involves close collaboration with organisation to gain a deep understanding of their application estate and business strategy. We also explore a wide range of platform options across public, private and hybrid cloud models. This comprehensive assessment includes:

- In-depth discussions with key business stakeholders to understand challenges, industry drivers, strategic objectives and business goals.
- The utilisation of multiple toolsets to assess considerations and requirements for applications and data; storage and compute; security and compliance.
- A detailed report covering your organisation's current position and the transformation options available across a 3-5-year period. The report will include a high-level architecture as well as cost and benefit comparisons.

Strategic Assessment

This represents our most thorough assessment and is well-suited for organisations boasting a substantial application portfolio, multiple sites/data centres and a global user base.

In collaboration with business and application owners, our strategic consulting team will conduct a comprehensive review of each individual application, developing a detailed implementation plan based on cost considerations and business priorities. To ensure full business value, Proact deploy a Weighted Shortest Job First (WSJF) approach to implementation.

This tailored service encompasses all benefits of the first two assessment options, with the addition of the following:

- A comprehensive assessment of the application portfolio, using the '6R' framework.
- Development and implementation of a cloud operating model that goes beyond technology.
- Business case development and justification.
- Transitioning end-user work environments to M365.
- Re-Platforming and re-architecting historic COTS applications to modernise SaaS platforms.
- Migration of legacy databases to DBaaS platforms, Container-as-a-Service or IaaS in parallel.
- Utilisation of cloud adjacency platforms and hosting to address intricate or bespoke on-premises solutions.

Ready to get started?

Reach out to our team of experts today, at hello@proact.co.uk to discuss your business needs and arrange the assessment that aligns best with your organisational goals.

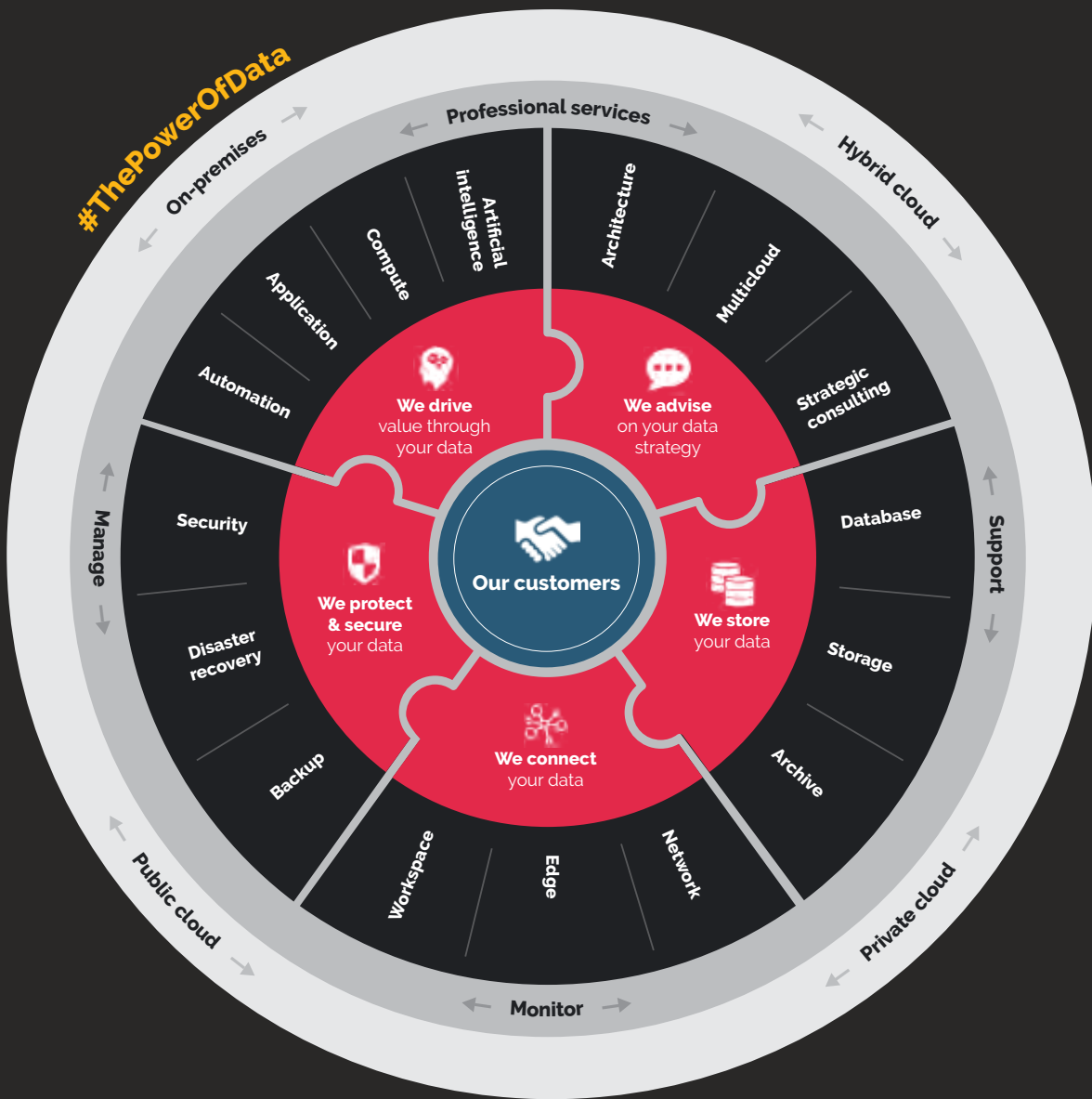
What's included?

What's included?	Standard Assessment	Premium Assessment	Strategic Assessment
Rapid Migration Assessment Using Azure Migrate			
Technical readiness (VM compatibility) with Azure			
On migration right sizing and re-platforming analysis			
3-5 year cloud-consumption cost estimates and TCO benefit analysis, considering pay-as-you-go (PAYG), Azure hybrid USE Benefit (AHUB) and Reserved Instances (Ris)			
Series of workshops with Microsoft assessment and Proact teams			
An executive level business case on a page			
Migration costs and a prioritised migration delivery plan			
Review of physical hardware, tape/disk library cabling and configuration			
Direct engagement with your key business and IT stakeholders to understand your business and to confirm your objectives			
Analysis and evaluation of up to 3 target state platform options: public cloud, hybrid cloud, private cloud or Co-Lo			
Deployment and use of tooling to gain information to support the identification of;			
Applications and associated infrastructure			
Grouping of infrastructure components that support each application			
Mapping of application dependencies and communication flows			
Workload requirements: compute, storage			
Definition of clear 'fit for purpose' service level objectives			
Availability, capacity, performance, data protection and business continuity/disaster recovery, security			
High-level conceptual architecture – Capable of meeting the SLOs – for each option included for evaluation			

What's included? *Continued*

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Spreadsheet based analysis and report contrasting the current position with future state cloud and other options, including:			
Per option costs (over 3 or 5 years)			
Cost by application/workload			
A comprehensive application portfolio – '6R' – assessment linking business need to future technology provision			
Specialist tool-based 6R analysis and modelling			
Business and service level requirements			
Issues and challenges with current provision			
Iterative engagement with stakeholders to co-develop feasible future state options, evaluate best fit and baseline a target future state			
Direct engagement with your key business and IT stakeholders to understand your business and to confirm your objectives			
A final report documenting key discovery findings, options analysis, future state architecture and delivery roadmap			
Indicative financial model			
Optionally, assessment of your wider infrastructure, for instance: data centre networking, WAN, firewalls, data protection and recovery			
Optionally, data governance assessment at an infrastructure and/or application level			

What else can we help you with?



What do our customers say?



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About Proact

Proact is Europe's leading specialist in data and information management with focus on cloud services and data centre solutions. We help our customers to store, connect, protect, secure and drive value through their data whilst increasing agility, productivity and efficiency. We've completed thousands of successful projects around the world, have more than 4,000 customers and currently manage hundreds of petabytes of information in the cloud. We employ over 1,200 people in 12 countries across Europe and North America.

Founded in 1994, our parent company, Proact IT Group AB (publ), was listed on Nasdaq Stockholm in 1999 (under the symbol PACT). For further information about Proact's activities please visit us at www.proact.eu