

# Cloud Readiness Assessment



Organizations invest incredible amounts of capital and energy into their technology infrastructure. Without proper planning, these investments will fail to realize their maximum potential. Strategic technology plans are essential but difficult to create and assemble – especially when the technology industry continues to evolve at such a fast pace. One of the areas for which IDS Systems has been most well-known is its creation of strategic enlightened technology plans.

Today, Information Technology management is looking to cloud solutions to improve service and reduce cost to the organizations. Unfortunately, with the numerous vendors, public data residency issues, and regulatory compliance, the facts are getting very blurred. Are cloud services right for your organization? Will they actually reduce cost? Are they really more stable? How secure is your data? What applications and services can I realistically move to the cloud? These are all questions that a Cloud Feasibility Study will address in detail.

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IDS Systems will provide a Cloud Feasibility Assessment for your organization using a mature approach and knowledgeable evaluation of the industry. For OECM Members, we are offering a **30% reduced fee** for this assessment, up to a maximum of \$5,000 per organization. If your organization is evaluating what can realistically be transitioned to the cloud, and what impact will it have, this service is designed for you.

Normal engagements are between four to eight weeks, depending on the size of the organization. Upon request, and with some scoping questions, we will provide a tailored proposal for the assessment. The deliverables are intended to be utilized in any further funding requests and project planning to further facilitate the move to cloud services when it is appropriate. Where cloud services are not appropriate, we identify the limiting factors – which may be legacy technology, Internet accessibility, or internal limitations.

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