Microsoft Hosters' Bootcamp

Performing Marketing Campaigns and TCO evaluation

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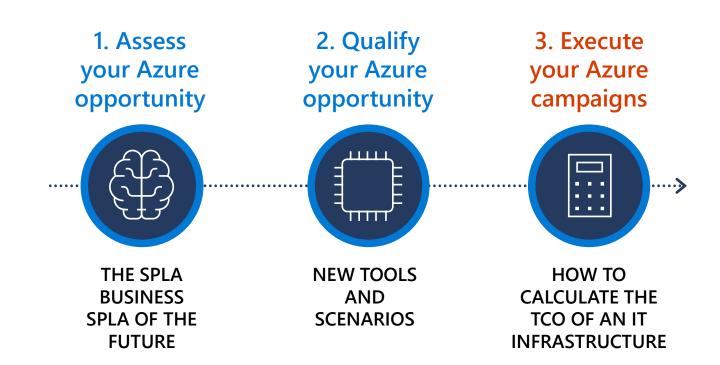
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We enable partners sales acceleration and GTM transformation



Scope

Three main interconnected topics

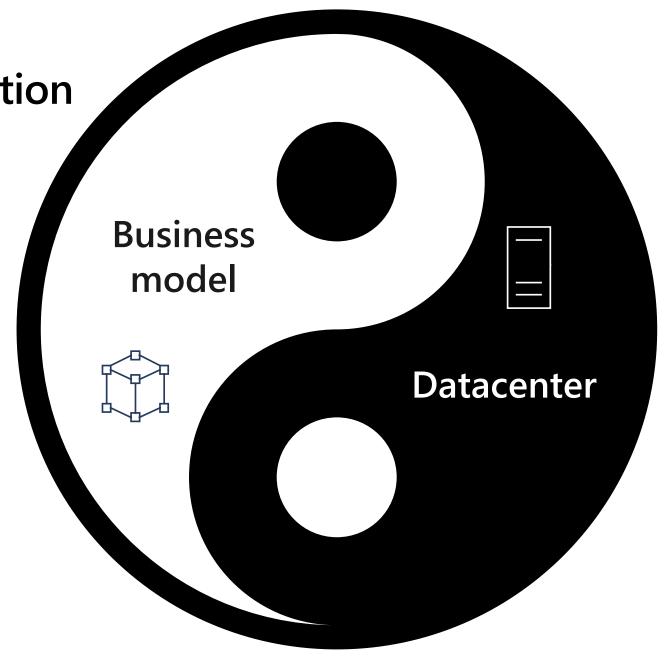




Objective:

Migration vs. Transformation

How do I differentiate in a highly competitive Cloud and Managed Services world?





What

Running Marketing Campaigns



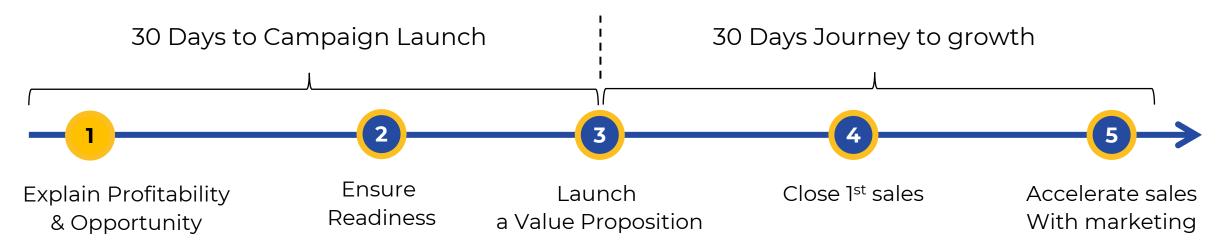




SureStep Campaigns Execution



for Microsoft partners



1. Explain the Opportunity and the Profitability Doing more with MS Azure

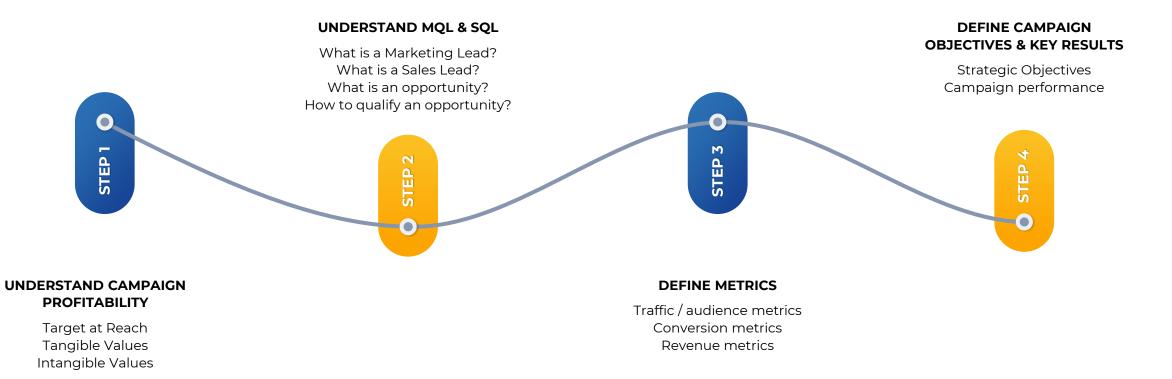
Qualifiying Opportunities







What it takes to have campaign profitability







2. Are we ready?



Across 4 dimensions, readiness is made of:

MINDSET: What we envisage as the best possible transformation

SKILLSET: Which skills are needed

TOOLSET: Which management tools are needed



2. What is Readiness





3. Launch your Value Proposition **Doing more with Microsoft**

Test you Value Market Fit

1. Transformation / consulting services

Services sold in man-days based on a precise agreement between the customer and the provider who acts in reaction to a demand

2. Managed services

Proactive services sold in exchange for a monthly fee based on a list of activities to be carried out to prevent issues and to ensure monitoring, compliance, optimization,

3. Packaged offers / IPs

Platforms ready to be used by customers and dedicated to solve specific needs, providing benefits to an identified target



Ready to launch

Do my customers need it?

Is it desirable?	Is it feasible?	Is it profitable?
 The best industry to use my assets: "Where I can make a difference" The problem to be solved: "What are my customers frustration" The job to be done: "How might we help them" The early adopters: "Who is the most unhappy" 	 My Reach capabilities: "Can I reach the right target?" Customer Trust: "Will my target listen to my story?" The right competencies: "Does my staff have the skills?" A great experience: "Can I turn Unhappy to Happy customer" 	 Revenue impact: "Will I increase my revenue?" "Will I delay my revenue?" "How will my time-to-revenue change?" Cost Impact: "People utilisation impact?" "Marketing cost?" "Sales compensation impact?" Recuring revenue & Cash flow: "What will be the impact on my bottom line?"

Do I have the right capabilities?



How will I make money?



Synchronizing the journeys





5. Accelerate Sales with Marketing **Doing more with Microsoft**

Filling the Sales Funnel

TOP OF FUNNEL (TOF)

You need to provide awareness of the problem as well as of solutions to most common pain points

MIDDLE OF FUNNEL (MOF)

You need to create trust about your company and rationale to deepen the interest about solutions

BOTTOM OF FUNNEL (BOF)

You need to provide reasons to buy the solutions in the planned timeframe

UNQUALIFIED PROSPECTS

QUALIFIED PROSPECTS

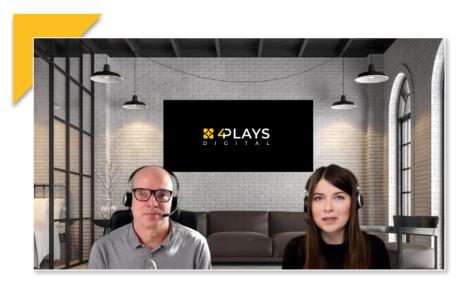
LEADS



The Content Mix

Content is fundamental to facilitate the journey Selected agencies are available to help with Execution Microsoft provides content and guidance, as well as the DMC tool (*)

• Blog Posts • "How-to" Video Tip sheet • Email Newsletter Data Visualization **AWARENESS** • Introductory White Paper Introductory eBook • Resource Round Up STAGE • Educational Webinar Subject Kit Educational Podcast • Product or solution focused white paper Product Spec Sheet Demo Video **EVALUATION** • Free Sample • Product or solution focused webinar STAGE FAQ Page **PURCHASE** • Free Consultation Free trial STAGE Pricing Page • Estimate or quote • Live demo



Expected timeline for Business Transformation

30 Days to Campaign Launch 30 Days Journey to growth

Explain Profitability & Opportunity

- Where to Play How to Win
- Profitable Key success factors
- Metrics

Ensure Readiness

- Sales
- Marketing
- Operations

Launch a Value Proposition

- Value-Market-Fit
- Consumption driven
- Ready to Launch

Close 1st sales

- Customer Success
- Connecting Buyer's and Supplier's journey

Accelerate sales With marketing

- Sales Funnel
- Partnering for success
- Content Mix
- Partner's Role



What

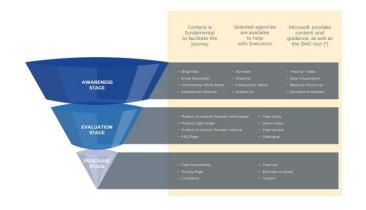
Tools to succeed Digital Marketing Content On Demand





The Magic of Content: DMC





THE RIGHT CONTENT

A simple, easy-to-use tool providing partners with comprehensive digital campaigns that include curated, to-customer marketing materials and sales resources in a highly prescriptive format

AT THE RIGHT TIME

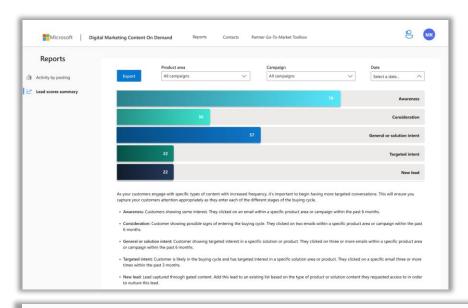
Digital Marketing Content On-Demand (DMC) includes a Marketing Automation Tool that schedules content sharing based on pre-defined timescales, according to industry best practices

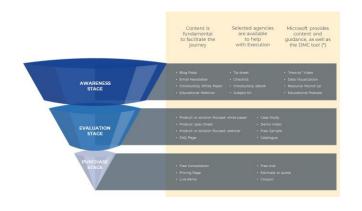
THE RIGHT DATA TO CREATE THE FUNNEL

Suggested posts, statuses and emails can be shared (after personalization) as well as gated content across multiple assets and social media accounts. Reports include your most effective product area, number of posts, number of new leads, and reach/engagement across your social accounts



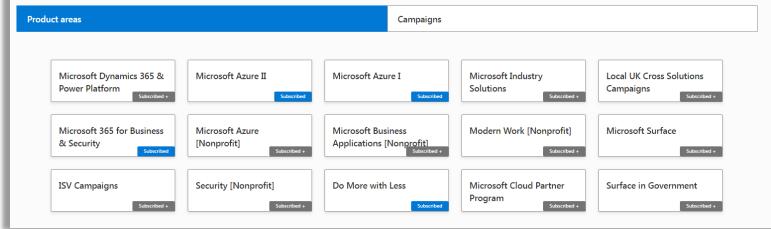
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FROM "AWARENESS" TO "NEW LEAD"

Data available through DMC reports provided a clear and actionable guidance to help you understand when to have more targeted conversations as your current customers enter a new buying cycle

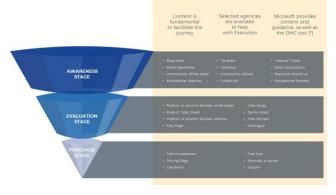


ACROSS PRODUCT AREAS

Suggested content is refreshed weekly and made available by product areas and by campaign objective



Benefits of DMC for partners



FINDING CONTENT

Microsoft content is now easy to find and to use for your campaigns

USING A SIMPLE TOOL

Organize easily content and contacts and create campaigns in minutes, with your identity

GETTING MARKETING DATA

Test how your audience is using the content through marketing data and engage sales conversations



Locating the right Microsoft content

Partners report spending 3-8 hours/week on average looking for content



Pulling together cohesive campaigns

Finding the right content and creating a campaign requires more time or resources than partners report having



Managing multiple social media accounts

Consistency is the key to social media and partners report not having time to keep their blogs or social accounts active

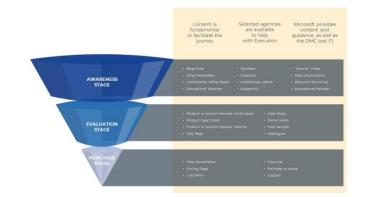


Tracking ROI on social media

Partners have no way to track customer interactions with content or content ROI



- Call to action
- Link to the DMC
- Languages (now and plans)
- Video



What

Tools to succeed *Metrics*









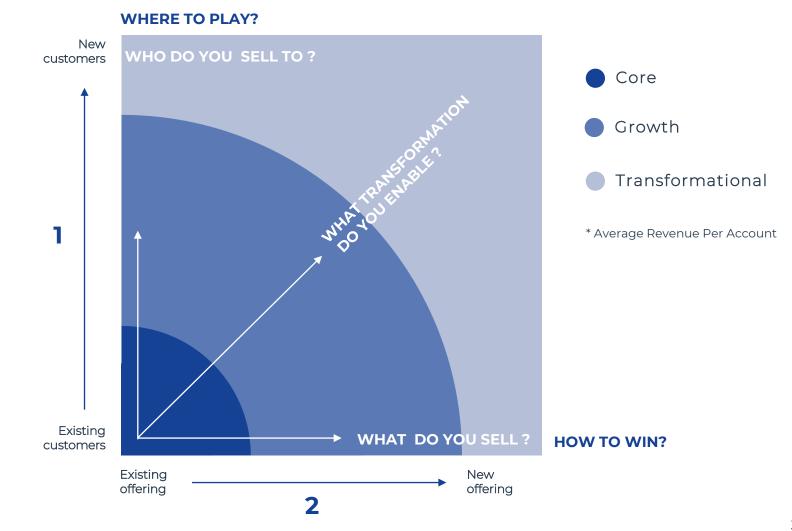
Journey to Cloud sales metrics

Cloud Consumption Reach

How many accounts consume cloud services from you?

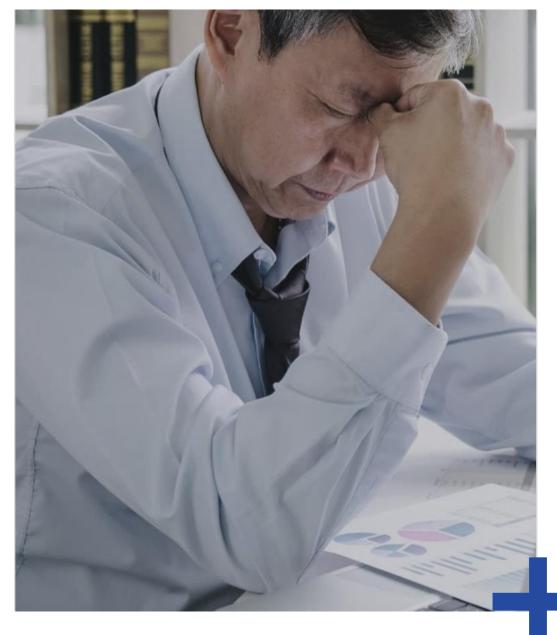
2 Cloud Consumption Yield – ARPA*

How much and what type of cloud services are consumed by each account?







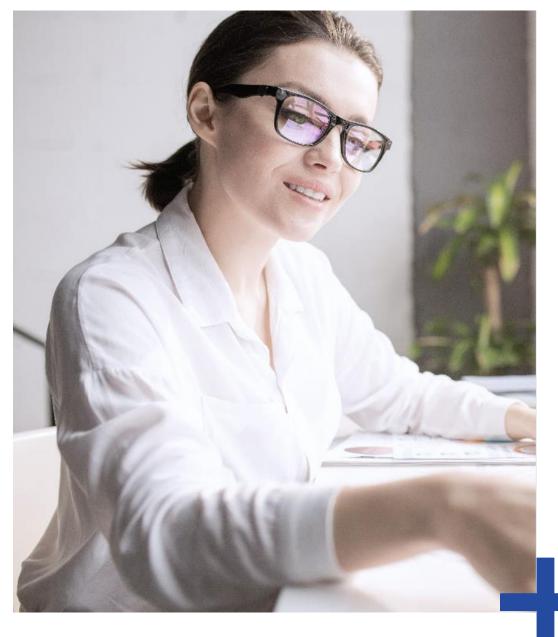


Journey-to-Cloud Financial Metrics

Traditional metrics are Backwards looking

- Sales revenue
- Cost of Good sold
- Gross income
- SG&A
- R&D
- Net income





Journey-to-Cloud Financial Metrics

Journey-to-Cloud > Forward looking

- ARR Annual Recurring Revenue @ Start
 - **Churn**: Lost accounts recurring revenue
 - + ACV: Annual Contract Value
 - PROJECTED ARR @ next period
 - Recurring Cost to serve ARR
 - RNI Recurring Net Income

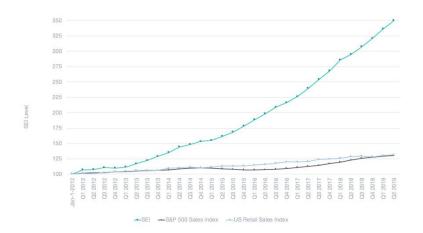


Journey-to-Cloud Operations Metrics

Cloud business GROWTH

Subscription business grew revenues about 5 times faster than S&P 500 company revenues from January 1, 2012 to June 30, 2019

THE SUBSCRIPTION ECONOMY INDEX LEVEL VERSUS S&P 500 AND RETAIL SALES GROWTH







Sales compensation suggestions

5 Base

A. Revenue & Margin

B. Accelerator on New ACV*

Bonus:

Accounts Breadth
Accounts Depth





Key Metrics in Summary





What

Tools to succeed The TCO Concept





Tools to succeed: the TCO concept

A holistic view to the use of IT resources

- TCO = Total Cost of Ownership
- The Total Cost of Ownership is the total cost of acquiring, using, operating and disposing of an asset over its entire life cycle
- It is NOT a concept exclusively used in IT
- It is usually calculated as a sum of 8 components
- It is a variable considered as strategic in complex purchasing and sourcing processes



Tools to succeed: the TCO components

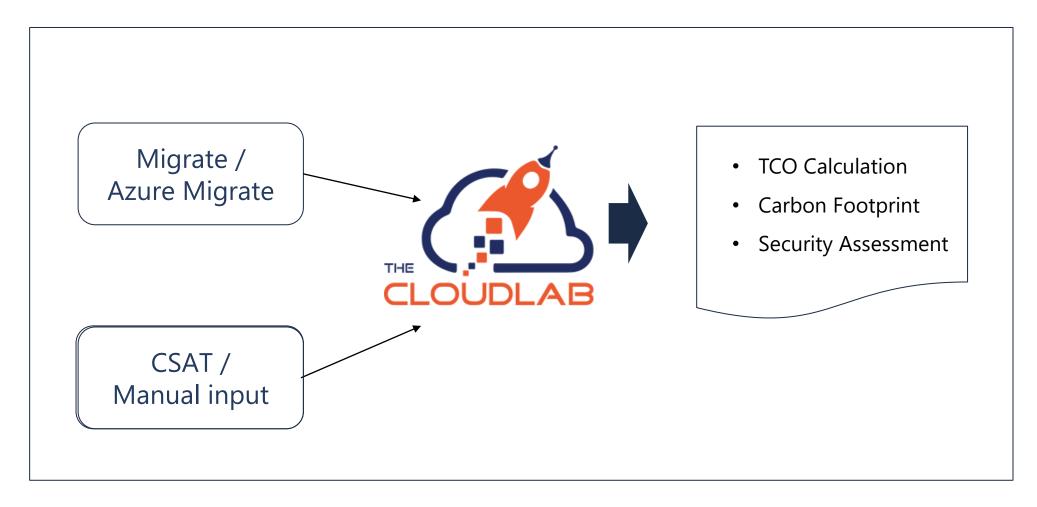
A holistic view to the use of IT resources

- Purchase price: cost price and supplier margin
- Cost incurred: transport, packaging, customs duties, payment terms
- Acquisition cost: operations of the purchasing department
- **Cost of ownership:** inventory management, depreciation cost
- **Cost of maintenance:** spare parts, assistance
- Usage cost: usage value, operation, services
- Cost of poor quality: meeting deadlines, non-conformance processes
- Cost of disposal: recycling, resale, destruction.



Tools to succeed: Cloud LAB

A holistic view to the use of IT resources





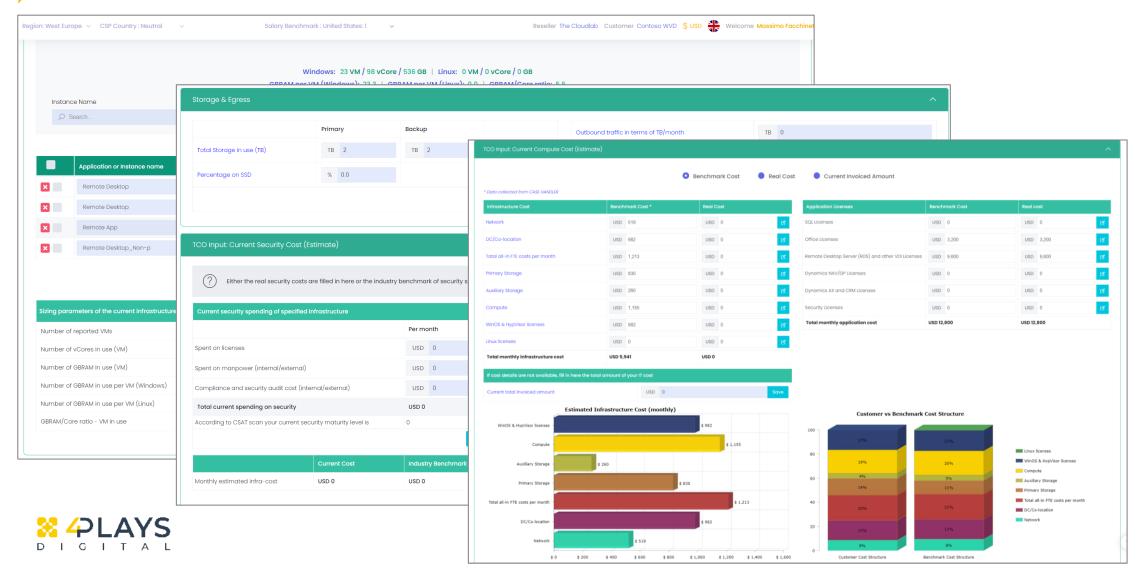
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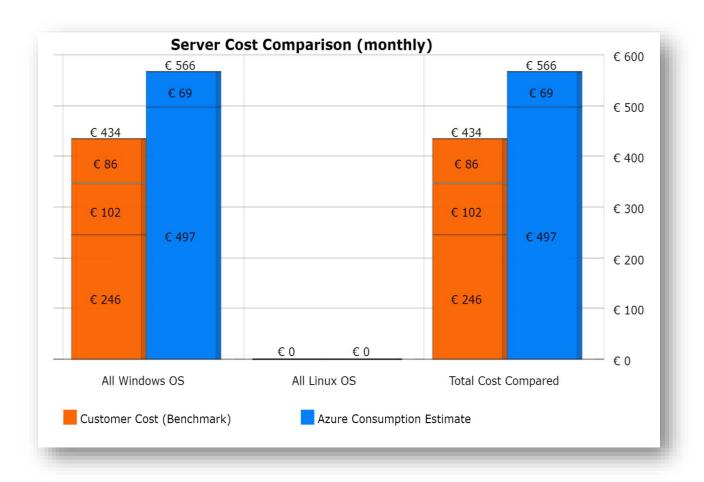
- Phase 1 Data Collection
- Phase 2 Data Checking
- Phase 3 Analyze Cloud LAB first results
- Phase 4 Modify Relevant Parameters
- Phase 5 Get Output Documents



Application or Instance name	VM-type (Azure/AWS/GCS)	Number of same VMs	# of Cores per VM	# of GBRAMs per VM	Operating System (Windows or Linux)	Source (Configure, Azure VM, Amazon EC2, Google VM)
est instance		1	1	8	PAYG-Windows	Configure
ev 1		4	4	8	Sub-1Y Windows	Configure
ev 2		5	2	4	Sub-3Y Windows	Configure
production		1	6	56	PAYG-RHEL	Configure
	E4s v3	1			AHB-Windows	Azure VM
	D2s v3	2			PAYG-Windows	Azure VM
	B4ms	2			PAYG-Windows	Azure VM
	F8s v2	1			PAYG-Windows	Azure VM
	t3a.small	1			PAYG-CentOS/Ubuntu	Amazon EC2
	z1d.xlarge	1			AHB-Linux	Amazon EC2
	t3.large	1			PAYG-CentOS/Ubuntu	Amazon EC2
	t3.micro	1			PAYG-CentOS/Ubuntu	Amazon EC2
	n1-highmem-64	3			PAYG-RHEL-SAP HANA	Google VM
	e2-highcpu-2	1			PAYG-SUSE+24x7	Google VM
	c2-standard-4	2			PAYG-RHEL	Google VM
	e2-highcp	1			PAYG-Cept (Ubuntu	Google VM
VM	VM	# of VMs	#cores per VM	#Gb per VM	OS	Source
name	Category (commercial name)	of the same type				(configure=customer on-premise VN





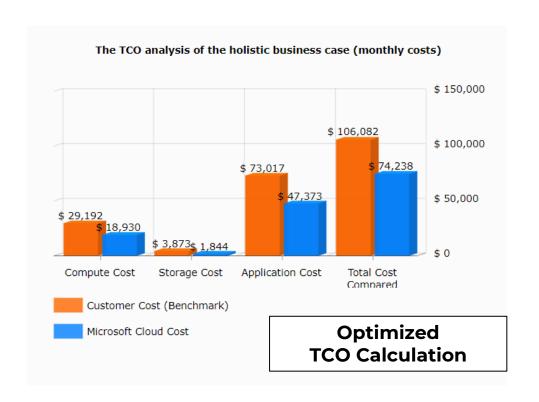




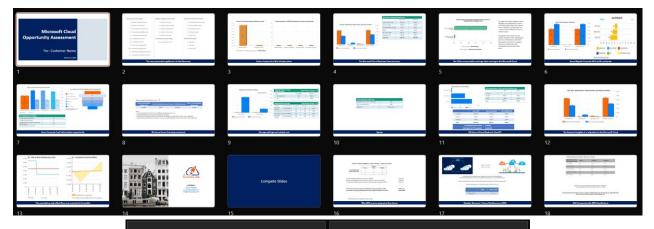
- Select / modify the right category of VM (=refactoring)
- Use AHB in combination with CSP where possible
- Replace RDS with AVD in combination with MS365
- Rightsize the VMs depending on on-premise infrastructure age
- Snooze where possible
- Reserve instances where possible
- Calculate partner margins based on migration and management costs as well as on distributors' discounts, incentives, desired margins

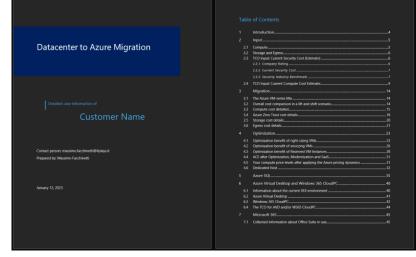


A phased approach to calculate TCO



Self-produced pre-sales documentation









Want to try Cloud LAB?

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Tools to succeed

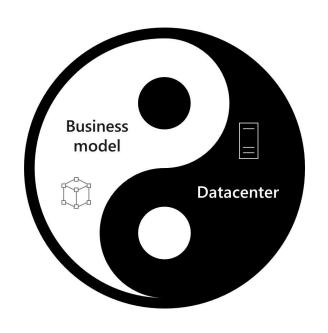
A holistic approach

Tools to succeed include:

- Marketing campaigns
- Operations Key Performance Indicators
 - TCO Calculation Tools
- (Description of your Managed Services)



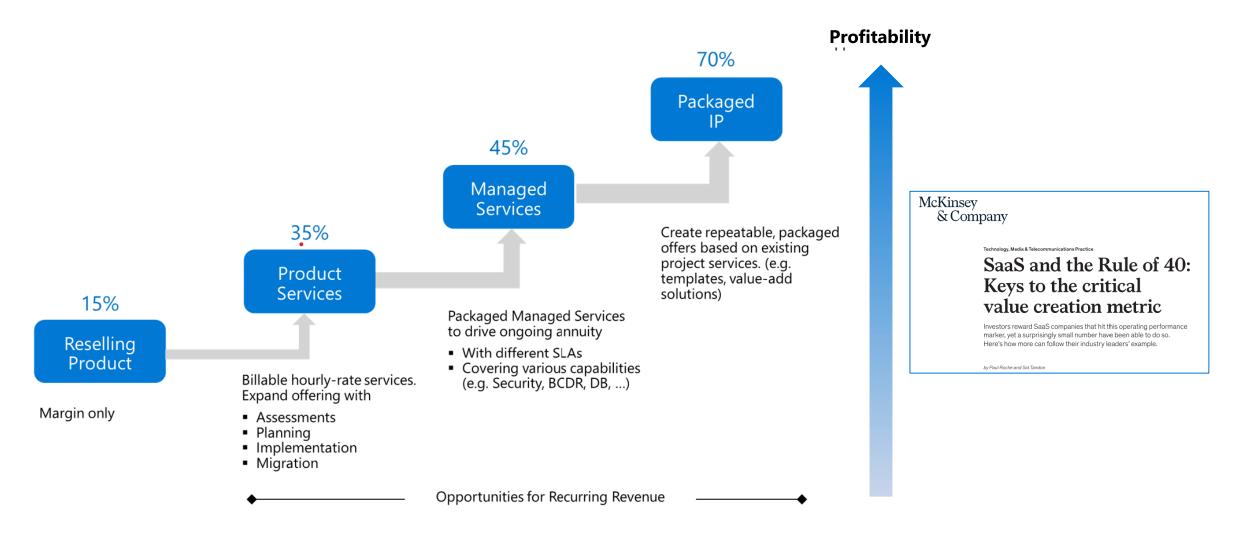
Multi-Cloud leads to higher value



- The Cloud market is growing 6 times the overall IT spending
- Multi-Cloud has the highest Security / Price ratio
- Multi-Cloud maximizes TCO



Multi-Cloud leads to higher profit





Call to action

 Please identify a customer case to migrate / transform

 Engage with your distributor and Microsoft to build business case

Let's create **new** opportunities together!





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Thank You

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