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Always On Managed Services

Virtual Infrastructure
managed service

IT agility in a constantly changing world

For many businesses today, IT is inflexible, more costly and has higher levels of risk due to the ever evolving sprawl of the server estate. Organisations are now turning to virtualisation as they deploy new servers and by consolidating applications onto fewer servers, they can reduce the server count required for the same performance requirement. Virtualisation enables businesses to consolidate servers whilst maintaining service levels and drastically reduce space, power and cooling needs – making the organisation greener and reducing costs.

The rationale for adopting virtualisation is now shifting from a focus on lowering capital costs through improved utilisation - to reducing operational costs, improving service levels and increasing responsiveness to changing business needs. The business drivers have expanded from IT Consolidation alone, to encompass Eco Innovation and Business Continuity as well as faster provisioning and policy-based automation, which are all expected to fuel the growth of virtualisation technologies.

Businesses want a more flexible and lower cost approach to delivering their IT and in today's uncertain times require a better approach to disaster recovery. Virtualisation has a strong role to play in helping businesses to increase service levels, improve applications availability and deliver cost effective disaster recovery.



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What does this mean for you?

Attenda has proven expertise in managing the applications and infrastructure of many of Europe's largest organisations, ensuring that they can leverage virtualisation to reduce the total cost of ownership of their computing, storage and networking systems. By letting Attenda take on the responsibility for your vital business applications and infrastructure – your IT staff are free to concentrate on adding value to the business.

Attenda's Virtual Infrastructure managed service transforms your IT infrastructure by virtualising your computing, storage and networking systems.

- You can free up time and better utilise valuable resources for more strategic purposes, with complete confidence that your IT environment matches the ever increasing demands of your business
- Our proven expertise in managing physical and virtual IT infrastructures ensures lower IT costs through increased efficiency
- We deliver an IT infrastructure that is more responsive to your business needs with higher availability, instant provisioning and more a flexible disaster recovery solution

Migrate & Consolidate – by implementing server consolidation and containment

We reduce the number of physical servers required to run your applications and thus contain server sprawl by running the applications on fewer, highly scalable enterprise-class servers, providing you with:

- An assessment service to review your existing IT infrastructure and identify its suitability to be virtualised and the likely cost savings to be realised
- A transition service that takes ownership and responsibility of migrating your current infrastructure to Attenda's platform
- A reduced cost of ownership by maximising server utilisation and uptime

Adaptive Infrastructure – delivering a more flexible and available infrastructure

We virtualise your infrastructure to deliver a more dynamic, efficient and available computing environment, helping to:

- Increase operational efficiency by reducing system complexity and improving system management
- Reduce capital and maintenance costs by eliminating under-utilised computing resource
- Increase flexibility and availability through the ability to move virtual servers across a pool of physical machines to better leverage available resources

Business Continuity – slashing downtime with reliable and cost-effective disaster recovery

We implement a unified disaster recovery platform that allows many production servers to be recovered without the costly one-to-one mapping of production and DR hardware, providing you with:

- Application and hardware independent disaster recovery
- Reduced downtime by making high availability and disaster recovery solutions more cost-effective, simpler and more reliable
- A faster, more flexible and more resilient disaster recovery solution at a lower cost

Managing your virtual infrastructure for a certain future

Attenda's proven expertise, technologies and in-depth skills in managing virtual infrastructures ensures that your computing environment is more responsive to your business needs, with higher availability, instant provisioning and a more flexible disaster recovery solution. We achieve this by using a team of highly skilled, highly motivated and certified engineers with the expertise to design and deploy complex virtual infrastructures.

Our ISO 20000 certification reinforces our commitment to delivering the very highest quality service levels, and as an ISO 27001 certified organisation our world class processes and controls provide you with confidence in the highest levels of security for your systems and sensitive data.

Our experience in the transformation and virtualisation of systems will save you time and money, and more importantly will reduce the risk of undertaking complex migrations and establishing a disaster recovery strategy that really works for your business.

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