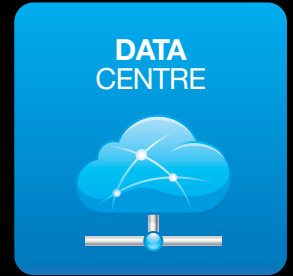


APPLICATION INFRASTRUCTURE BLUEPRINT SERVICE INFORMATION SHEET



In today's Data Centres, with the proliferation of servers and applications, whether physical or virtual, and with the ever increasing complexity and rate of change occurring, it is vital for IT departments to maintain a consistent, comprehensive and up to date view of the business applications they manage and understand the dependencies between these applications and the business owners they serve.

INTRODUCTION

The ONI Application Infrastructure Blueprint Service provides a comprehensive discovery and mapping of the applications installed in the Data Centre, identifying the dependencies between applications to enable our customers to make informed decisions and execute consolidation, migration or business continuity projects with the minimum risk, disruption, time and expense.

By leveraging world-class agent-less discovery and analytical tools, augmented by our specialist data centre expertise, the ONI Application Infrastructure Blueprint Service provides our customers with reliable, accurate data describing the installed applications, their relationships and interdependencies with each other and configuration data for the underlying infrastructure (servers, networks, and storage devices) that supports them.

DELIVERABLES

During an initial consultation, ONI will collect the pre-requisite information (eg size of estate and authentication credentials) required to select the appropriate toolset for use within the discovery and analysis stage;

- ONI will install a pre-built data collector appliance into your environment, or alternatively install the discovery/collector software onto one of your servers and begin the discovery and data gathering processes.
- ONI will configure the tools and assess the network infrastructure to make recommendations for achieving the best possible discovery process.
- The appliance will be left on site to perform ongoing, automated discovery and analysis for a period of up to 14 days;
- ONI will analyse the information gathered and document the results in an Application Infrastructure Blueprint report detailing;
 - A comprehensive portrait of the business application structure;
 - Clear and Actionable intelligence identifying servers, network and storage elements and applications interdependencies;
 - Identification of critical IT components supporting each Business Application function and
 - Identification of isolated or redundant applications that can be retired.
 - ONI will present the discovery and analysis assessment findings to the customer.

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

One of ONI's Data Centre Practice Consultants will conduct the blueprint service, and provide best practice knowledge of ongoing data centre and infrastructure issues over of the course of the service.

The customer will provide access to the System Administrator functions across server hardware, storage, networking and backup environments and facilitate authentication credentials requirements for the discovery and data collection analysis tools.

PRICING

The ONI Data Centre Application Infrastructure Blueprint Service is available as a fixed price offering covering no more than 100 servers and utilising our blueprint appliance. For further details please contact your ONI Account Manager.

BENEFITS

- **Server Consolidation** – ensuring applications scheduled for retirement are not in use, and that consolidation groups are defined around business critical applications ensuring minimum impact.
- **Data Centre Migrations** – ensuring that key pieces of infrastructure that are not documented are not overlooked and that higher level business services are not impacted.
- **Disaster Recovery** – understanding the critical components of each business critical service that support the business and ensuring that critical applications are not impacted during disasters.
- **Virtualisation** – focusing and fine tuning the virtualisation plans around best candidates for simplicity, cost savings, security and service availability.
- **Data Centre Audits** – replacing tribal knowledge with factual data.
- **Change Management and Configuration initiatives** providing business impact information of any planned changes.

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