

Advanced Consulting Workshop

Overview

This consulting workshop will maximize your investment in VMware virtual infrastructure by examining your environment to ensure optimal configuration and consistency per VMware best practices.

Key Benefits

- Ensure optimal VMware virtual infrastructure usage
- Leverage deep consulting experience

Deliverables

- Conduct assessment of VMware virtual infrastructure (up to 2 nodes) per W&G Virtual Infrastructure Methodology (VIM) to validate current environment and identify potential areas to optimize configuration and improve performance
- Provide an assessment report of the current environment and recommendations

Target Audience

- Architects and administrators currently using VMware ESX Server

Note: this workshop is intended for existing VMware customers running VMware ESX Server for at least 3 months

Roles and Responsibilities

- W&G Senior Consultant – Conducts Workshop
- Project Manager – Plans and coordinates all IT functions involving VMware use
- Systems Administrators – Responsible for server hardware, storage, and networking
- Server Administrators – Responsible for OS and applications

Requirements

- Existing VMware Virtual Infrastructure environment including VMware ESX Server
- Administrator (root) access to VMware installations
- Customer-provided conference room with projector and networked desktops/laptops running minimum Win 2000

Pricing

- \$9,000 + travel and incidental costs
- Up to 2 Days Onsite, 1 Day Offsite for assessment report
- Limit 5 Participants

WORKSHOP AGENDA

Offsite

- Pre-workshop call/discussion to introduce key participants, verify hardware specifications, review current environment and logistics, and discuss objectives and preparation

Onsite

- *Review of VMware virtual infrastructure and business objectives with key personnel:*
 - *Virtual infrastructure technical architecture review*
 - *ESX Server configuration*
 - *VirtualCenter configuration*
 - *Virtual machine distribution*
 - *Virtual network configuration*
 - *SAN/storage Allocation*
 - *Disaster recovery and backup for virtual infrastructure*
 - *Performance*
 - *Security*
 - *Monitoring*
- *Begin draft of assessment report*
- *Wrap up and next steps*
- *Questions and issues follow-up*

Offsite

- Delivery final assessment report



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