JumpStart:
Platform Costing Estimate (PCE)

Gain a rapid review of platform options and migration cost estimates.

How much will your journey cost?

There are many valid reasons you might be considering a platform migration. Whether you're facing M&A activity, cash flow challenges, concerns with VMware licensing, or any other rationale, one thing is certain: You need to have a solid idea of costs before you take your next steps.

This PCE engagement uses your real infrastructure configuration to project like-for-like estimates across various platforms and help you identify future opportunities for efficiencies. Getting a rapid analysis of potential operating costs, resource consumption, and platform alignment enables you to focus more of your energy on complex planning decisions. We'll help you:

Identify efficiencies

Project costs

Evaluate platforms

Accelerate progress
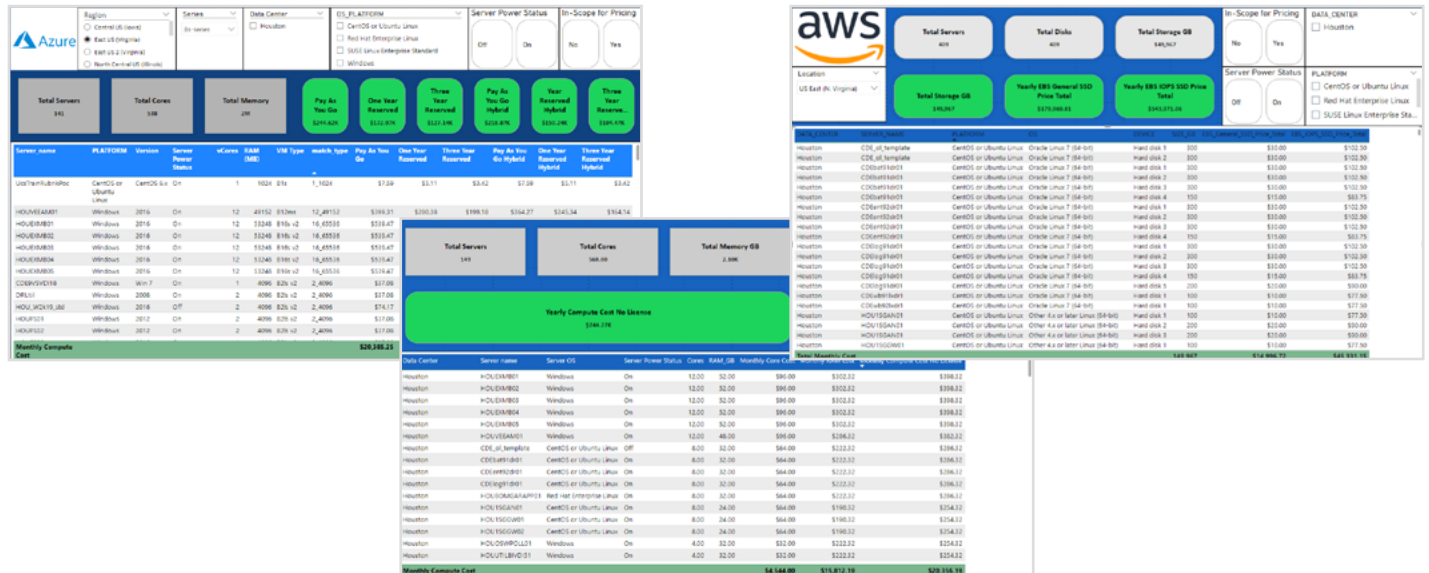
Offering overview

Timeline:

6 to 8 days

Includes:

- RVTools extracts from up to 6 separate instances of VMware/vSphere/etc.
- Pricing and service data from Azure, Google Cloud, AWS, and a single hosted provider (colo-provided infrastructure)

Purpose and goals

Teton Cloud Consulting helps you assess potential platforms and related costs for your VMware-hosted environment(s) to help prepare for potential workload migrations.

Goals include:

- **A clear view** of your current-state environment and complexities
- **Minimum effort** to jump-start the transformation project
- **Understanding the costs options** for operating the VMware environment(s) on different platforms
- **Recommending next steps** for your migration journey

Key deliverables

- Platform cost analysis and migration program recommendation, including:
  - Data collection analysis for details on client environment
  - Identifying and prioritizing platform candidates
  - Interactive Power BI reports for compute asset cost estimates
  - Factual assessment to assist in future budget requests
- Recommendations, roadmap and action plan
- Proposal to support execution of agreed upon next steps

Sample reports

PCE methodology overview

The Teton Cloud Consulting Platform Costing Estimate data is a partially automated assessment using RVTools to create a current-state cost baseline for multiple platforms. This data is then analyzed by our PCE tool, architects, and SMEs to develop both a current-state assessment document and a set of observations and recommendations.

Discovery	Collection	Analysis	Recommendations
• Workshop client business case and vision • Collection of RVTools	• Import of RVTools into Teton Cloud Consulting's intelligent PCE tool	• Technical resources rationalize business requirements • Creation of Power BI reports • Suggested next steps	• Presentation build laying out project scope, business requirements, notable data points, next steps, and suggestions • Presentation delivered electronically in an interactive meeting

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