

Cloud Support

Atos Sustainable Cloud Advisory Services

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What is Atos Sustainable Cloud Advisory Services?

Sustainable Cloud Advisory Services provides expert support and consultancy to help customers understand and optimise their environmental impact and social value of the cloud. Engagements are wide-ranging and help customers adopt the best practices that reduce the carbon emissions of their hybrid cloud workloads and maximise sustainability benefits from migrations.

What does it deliver?

In the age of rapid digital transformation, organisations are increasingly turning to cloud computing to streamline operations, enhance scalability, and reduce costs. However, with the growing concern for environmental sustainability, key business stakeholder explicitly demands ways to optimise their cloud infrastructure to minimise their ecological footprint to help tackle climate change. Atos understands the importance of energy consumption in digital services and knows what it means to sustainably transform operations. We have been there, seen the bigger low-carbon picture, and can enhance the sustainability practices of organisations.

Leveraging our insights, Atos Advisory Services specialises in helping organisations navigate the complexities of cloud sustainability, providing tailored strategies, projects and engagements to maximise efficiency while minimising environmental impact.

Our team of experienced consultants offers comprehensive solutions designed to address the unique sustainability challenges faced by businesses operating in the cloud environment. Our services encompass the following key areas:

- **Energy Usage Assessments:** Conduct thorough assessments of the current infrastructure and cloud environment to identify areas of inefficiency and environmental impact. We analyse energy consumption associated with cloud operations
- **Carbon Emission Calculation:** Using documented methodology, we calculate the carbon emissions of your current infrastructure environment, including enterprise on-premise and multi-clouds
- **Strategy Development:** Developing customised cloud and IT sustainability strategies aligned with the organisation's goals and values. By recommending best practices and technologies to optimise resource utilisation, minimise waste, and reduce carbon footprint, the newly defined strategies provide confidence in hitting sustainability targets
- **Cloud Migration Planning:** Assisting in the planning phase of migrations by calculating the projected carbon savings of moving from an enterprise on-premise environment to the cloud. Furthermore, by evaluating the environmental implications of different cloud providers and services to drive informed decision-making
- **Performance Optimisation:** Recommending and helping to implement measures to improve the energy efficiency and performance of cloud infrastructure including optimising resource allocation, workload management, and data storage to reduce energy consumption and costs
- **Monitoring and Reporting:** Establishing monitoring mechanisms to track environmental performance and progress towards sustainability goals. Generating regular reports to stakeholders on key sustainability metrics, including energy usage, carbon emissions, and cost savings
- **IT Sustainability Assessment:** Going beyond cloud, a full IT sustainability assessment helps you understand your entire IT services' carbon footprint. Through an ambition workshop, data collection and stakeholder interviews, we help to define your ambition, assess your current maturity level, and design a roadmap to reach your desired future decarbonised state and support future buying decisions to ensure they are low carbon
- **Digital Sustainability Tools:** Supporting the development and integration of digital tools that help to drive sustainability such as MSM Microsoft Sustainability Manager.

Our consulting approach is collaborative, working closely with clients to understand their unique challenges and objectives. By combining technical expertise with a commitment to environmental stewardship, we empower organisations to optimise their cloud infrastructure for sustainability while driving business value and innovation. Embracing cloud sustainability is not just about reducing environmental impact—it is about creating a more resilient and responsible future for businesses and communities alike.

User benefits

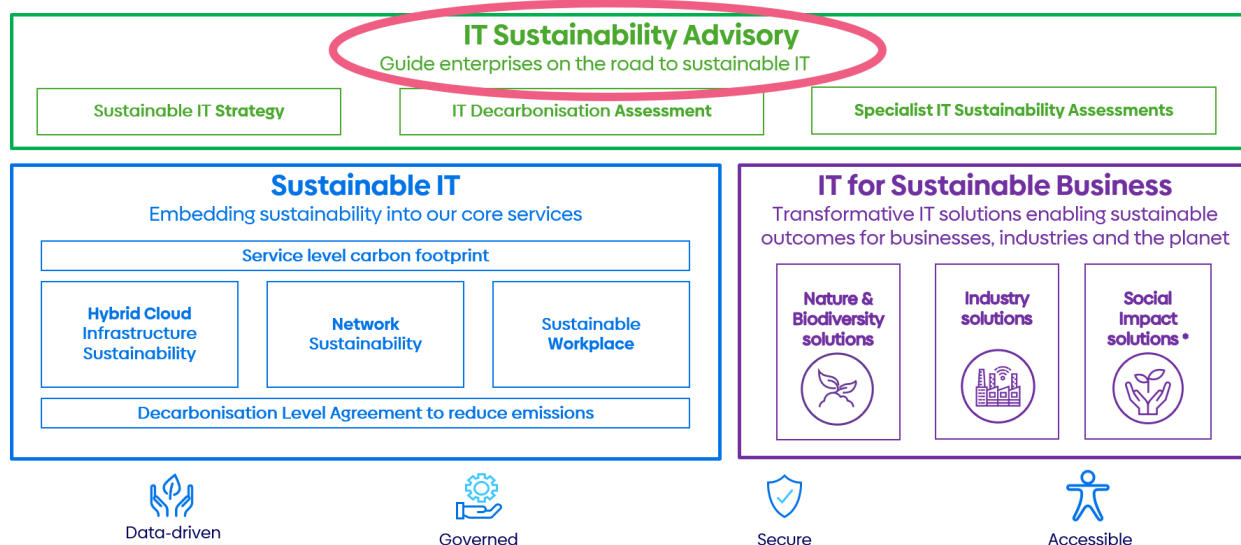
- **Best-practice alignment:** Our services utilise HMG Greening Government ICT Strategy Assessment Model and Data Centre Energy Efficiency 2020 (EU Code of Conduct)
- **Increased carbon emission visibility and understanding:** Our services help you understand the carbon footprint and relative maturity of your infrastructure environment
- **Carbon emission reduction:** Our services design tailor-made roadmaps that set out concrete recommendations that reduce carbon emissions
- **Beyond carbon emissions:** Our services provide the bigger picture concerning sustainability, offering insights into social value and the wider corporate social responsibility requirements.

What technology does it use?

The Sustainable Cloud Advisory Services offering belongs to the Atos Sustainability Portfolio and is delivered by the Digital Business Platforms business line.

Sustainability Portfolio overview

Delivering tech for people, for good and the planet



With our extensive experience and broad customer base, we have a range of expert advisers available. All requirements will be tailored to each client's individual business need, following Crown Commercial Services (CCS) processes and PCR 2015 regulations.

No technology needs to be installed to provide these services. Any data collected will be processed by Atos and reports provided.

Our standard development methodology includes rigorous quality assurance steps at each stage of the process before a final formal checklist review during the service acceptance quality gate.

What terms apply?

Atos commits to provide the service for the duration of the Call-Off Contract subject to the terms and conditions of the Call-Off Contract, the Atos Supplier Terms and the applicable Third Party Agreements (as defined in the Atos Supplier Terms) related thereto.

Termination

Termination shall be in accordance with:

- The G-Cloud Framework terms and conditions
- Any terms agreed within the Call-Off Contract under Part A Order Form (Termination), where the Crown Commercial Service guidance states: 'The notice period needed for Termination is at least 30 days from the date of written notice for termination without cause'
- Atos Supplier Terms for this Service are as listed on the Digital Marketplace
- For this specific service, by default Atos ask for at least thirty (30) days prior written notice of termination without cause.

Atos commits to the continued provision of services for the duration of the Call-Off Contract subject to the terms and conditions of the G-Cloud Framework Agreement, the Call-Off Contract, the Atos Supplier Terms and the applicable Third Party Agreements (as defined in the Atos Supplier Terms) related thereto.

How do I order?

Please send your requirements to the email address GCloud@atos.net. We will prepare a quotation and agree that quotation with you, including any volume discounts that may be applicable. Once the quotation is agreed, we will issue you with the necessary documentation (as required by the G-Cloud Framework) and ask you to provide us with a purchase order.

Once we have received your purchase order, the services will be configured to the requirements agreed. If appropriate, you will be provided access to our self-service portal to start provisioning of services.

If you are a new customer, additional 'new supplier' forms may need to be completed.

Invoices will be issued to you and Crown Commercial Services (CCS) (quoting the purchase order number) for the services procured. On a monthly basis, we will also complete the mandated management information reports to Government Procurement.

Why Atos?

Within this G-Cloud offering Atos can provide Proof of Concept (PoC), Proof of Value (PoV) and a wide range of general consultancy services where relevant. Clients can use these services to shape their direction and improve outcomes; covering areas such as digital transformation, strategy & innovation, information governance and performance improvement.

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A pioneer in decarbonisation services and products, Atos is committed to a secure and decarbonised digital for its clients. Atos is a SE (Societas Europaea), listed on the CAC40 Paris stock index.

Tech Foundations is the Atos Group business line leading in managed services, focusing on hybrid cloud infrastructure, employee experience and technology services, through decarbonised, automated and AI-enabled solutions. Its 49,000 employees advance what matters to the world's business institutions and communities. It is present in 69 countries, with an annual revenue of € 6 billion.

The purpose of Atos is to help design the future of the information space. Its expertise and services support the development of knowledge, education and research in a multicultural approach and contribute to the development of scientific and technological excellence. Across the world, the Group enables its customers and employees, and members of societies at large to live, work and develop sustainably, in a safe and secure information space.

Atos is widely credited with the highest standards for its pioneering efforts in sustainability, equality and inclusivity, for example:

- In 2023, Atos was a winner of a 2022 SEAL Business Sustainability Award, for its leadership, transparency, and commitment to sustainable business practices.
The 2022 SEAL Organisational Impact Award recognises overall corporate sustainability performance and represents the 50 most sustainable companies globally. Winners were selected by combining two premier Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) data sets – the CDP A-List™ and the Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA, now part of S&P Global ESG Scores™).
With this award, Atos is adding yet another global recognition for its sustainability and ESG practices, after having been ranked among the top 1% of the IT Services industry with a score of 85/100 in the 2022 S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA) 2022; received a 'AAA' rating (on a scale of AAA-CCC) in the MSCI ESG Ratings assessment 2022; was rewarded a Platinum Award from EcoVadis; achieved a Prime status in the ESG assessment carried out by ISS in 2022; was selected on CDP's prestigious 'A-List 2022' for tackling climate change and included in the Dow Jones Sustainability Indices (both the DJSI World and DJSI Europe) for the last eight consecutive years
- Atos has been recognised as a Times Top 50 Employer for Women 2023 in the UK, (5th year in a row)
- In 2024, Atos was awarded the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents (RoSPA) Order of Distinction Award. The ultimate symbol of achievement, the internationally renowned RoSPA Health and Safety Awards recognise organisations, teams and projects across all sectors for their unwavering commitment to protecting lives. By earning a RoSPA Award, organisations not only receive recognition for their accomplishments but also become part of a legacy that values dedication to high safety standards, the well-being of individuals, and signifies a commitment to excellence.

Atos brings a partner ecosystem built to deliver superior business value based on best in class technology. We work hand-in-hand with selected world-class organisations in software applications, infrastructure and consulting to strengthen our own unique portfolio in consulting, solutions and services. We have Global Alliances with partners such as AWS, Microsoft, Google Cloud, DellEMC, VMware, SAP, Cisco, Oracle, Hitachi Vantara, Red Hat, Salesforce, ServiceNow Siemens, Citrix, Cloudera and Pega but also embrace the innovation and fresh thinking that our SME partners can bring. Our Horizons scheme is a pioneering programme that brings our customers the best talent and solutions from the UK and Ireland SME community, safely and at the scale you require. We continuously review and onboard smaller companies for the benefit of customers wishing to implement digital transformation strategies. We select standout SMEs who work innovatively to deliver cutting-edge technologies and specialist expertise. Once each organisation is fully onboarded, they are part of our partner ecosystem working in collaboration to achieve our customers' goals while also enjoying a number of benefits themselves that can help them grow and achieve their own business objectives.

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Find out more about us:

atos.net/advancing-what-matters

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