

1 TRUSTMARQUE CLOUD READINESS ASSESSMENT

1.1 Service attributes

Service type

Cloud support

1.2 Service name

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1.3 About your service

Service description

Trustmarque's Cloud Readiness Assessment service allows the understanding of the suitability of moving to a public or hybrid cloud environment. This is understood by installing and deploying a range of diagnostic tools that can assess and baseline the existing IT environment, resulting in a report delivered based on this data.

1.4 Service features and benefits

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Service features

- Business Value Discovery Workshop
- Technical Discovery and Recommendations
- Cloud Adoption Roadmap with migration tranches
- Options Analysis
- High Level Design
- Total Cost of Ownership Analysis
- Ongoing costs
- Options around private, hybrid and public cloud
- Creation of project-specific plans for prioritised workloads and cloud services

Service benefits

- Support/complement existing Digital and Cloud strategies
- Objective assessment of the most appropriate 'Cloud' operating model
- Understanding of organisational state of readiness to transition
- Integration into broader Government ICT strategy and standards e.g. PSN/CESG

- High-Level Design including clear technical, operational and commercial considerations
- Contribute towards and support the business case for required/desired change
- Training and strategy roadmap - who needs to be enabled
- Cloud strategy that fits the organisations target IT operating model
- Prioritise which applications and infrastructure is ready to transition
- Sustainable Cloud Architecture to support current and future workloads

Planning

Planning service

Yes

How the planning service works

Trustmarque has adapted industry leading approaches to develop a best in breed methodology to planning cloud and hosting migrations. Based on simple good practice rules, tempered by our customers unique business needs they capture requirements from business and technology stakeholders, agree priorities and produce designs and plans that reflect them. These are brought together with Trustmarque's experience in delivery to ensure lower risks and better rewards.

Planning service works with specific services

No

1.5 Setup and migration

Setup and migration

Setup or migration service available

Yes

How the setup or migration service works

Trustmarque has extensive experience in assisting organisations transforming and modernizing their IT estate using cloud technologies. Trustmarque's cloud architecture teams can lead and support transition to cloud-based working, and work with you once you are live to ensure that you gain maximum business benefit from your investment in cloud services. Trustmarque has developed several methodologies including the Cloud Application Readiness Assessment (CARA) and Cloud Application Transformation (CAT) programme that can guide you through the assessment of, transition and transformation of workloads to the cloud and

can help you to drive down the cost of managing your infrastructure, freeing you to maximise the business value from your IT.

Setup or migration service is for specific cloud services

No

1.6 Quality assurance and performance testing

Quality assurance and performance testing

Quality assurance and performance testing service

Yes

How the quality assurance and performance testing works

By using the initial business, functional and non-functional requirements as a baseline, Trustmarque can help customers validate through best of breed automated tooling and practices that solutions meet the requirements and specifications needed to deliver the required outcome. Trustmarque's team of specialist business analysts, developers, testers and IT professionals provide expertise and work within industry recognised frameworks to ensure services are delivered to the required quality and are scaled appropriately to meet the performance characteristics required.

1.7 Security services

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Yes

Security services type

- Security strategy
- Security risk management
- Security design
- Cyber security consultancy
- Security testing
- Security incident management
- Security audit services

Certified security testers

Yes

Security testing certifications

- CHECK
- CREST

1.8 Training

Training

Training service provided

Yes

How the training service works

Training can range from knowledge share as part of professional service implementation, to full classroom training engagements.

Training is tied to specific services

Yes

Services the training service works with

Microsoft Azure

1.9 Ongoing support

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Ongoing support service

Yes

Types of service supported

- Buyer hosting or software
- Hosting or software provided by your organisation
- Hosting or software provided by a third-party organisation

How the support service works

Trustmarque is able to support cloud hosting or software services either directly through its established service desk, or as part of its Azure service wrap. Hosting and software services supported vary.

1.10 Service scope

Service constraints

Particular constraints would need to be further understood as part of service scoping and project take-on.

1.11 Reselling

Supplier type

Supplier type
I'm not a reseller

1.12 User support

Email or ticketing support

Email or online ticketing support
Yes

Support response times
Subject to an agreed SLA

User can manage status and priority of support tickets
Yes

Online ticketing support accessibility
WCAG 2.1 AA or EN 301 549

Phone support

Phone support
Yes

Phone support availability
9 to 5 (UK time), Monday to Friday

Web chat support

Web chat support
No

Support levels

For professional services engagements, Trustmarque does not typically provide support. For any resultant managed service that may be needed subsequent to the professional services engagement, support levels will be discussed whilst scoping said service.

1.13 Staff security

Staff security clearance

Staff screening performed but doesn't conform with BS7858:2019

Government security clearance

Up to Developed Vetting (DV)

1.14 Standards and certifications

ISO/IEC 27001 certification

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Yes

Who accredited the ISO/IEC 27001

Lloyd's Register

ISO/IEC 27001 accreditation date

06/03/2020

What the ISO/IEC 27001 doesn't cover

Anything that is NOT covered in the following: Information Security for the provision and support of the end-to-end IT services; software, cloud, cyber security, managed services and datacentre solutions; including strategy, planning and integration, licensing, deployment, and management of third-party service providers. In accordance with Statement of Applicability version 5.n.

ISO 28000:2007 certification

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No

CSA STAR certification

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No

PCI certification

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Yes

Who accredited the PCI DSS certification

PCI Security Standards Council

PCI DSS accreditation date

21/07/2021

What the PCI DSS doesn't cover

Trustmarque is PCI-DSS Level 4 Compliant.

Cyber essentials

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Yes

Cyber essentials plus

No

Other security certifications

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Yes

Any other security certifications

- ISO22301 (Continuity and Data Recovery)
- PSN

1.15 Social Value**Social Value**

Social Value

- Fighting climate change
- Covid-19 recovery
- Tackling economic inequality
- Equal opportunity
- Wellbeing

Fighting climate change

Trustmarque's Environmental Policy and Carbon Reduction Plan include delivering and supporting actions on reducing our carbon footprint and our impact on climate change. We have set a target to achieve net zero by 2035. Our policies include 'Virtual First' meetings, energy reduction plans, flexible working, green software solutions and associated services from innovative suppliers to promote digital environmental innovation, promoting sustainable procurement. Please contact Trustmarque to discuss the provision of Social Value. Any Social Value deliverable must be agreed with Trustmarque and be proportionate to the contract value and scope.

Covid-19 recovery

Trustmarque can provide re-training for those left disadvantaged by Covid-19 through skills training, CV and interview workshops. We promote employment and skills by working with Buyers to identify individuals who

can benefit from our incentives, which can include workshops to develop and help those who face barriers to employment and increase digital accessibility for communities and hard to reach groups. We can also provide access to apply for apprenticeship and work experience opportunities. Please contact Trustmarque to discuss the provision of Social Value. Any Social Value deliverable must be agreed with Trustmarque and be proportionate to the contract value and scope.

Tackling economic inequality

Trustmarque tackles economic inequality through operating a diverse supply chain including many SMEs and micro businesses. Our access to a broad range of suppliers ensures both resilience and capacity.

Trustmarque is continuously refining our supply chain to meet the ever-changing needs of our customers and to ensure we can always offer the best solution through capability, capacity and resilience at the best price. Our vendor agnostic approach among suppliers allows us to support innovation and disruptive technologies to deliver lower cost and/or higher quality goods and services to customers. Please contact Trustmarque to discuss the provision of Social Value. Any Social Value deliverable must be agreed with Trustmarque and be proportionate to the contract value and scope.

Equal opportunity

Trustmarque operates an Equal Opportunities policy that outlines our commitments including creating a workforce that reflects the diversity of our communities. Other initiatives include supporting disabled people to develop skills and supporting in-work progression. Trustmarque is a Level 1 Disability Confident employer, demonstrating our commitment to employing a diverse workforce so all can flourish. We are committed to a policy of treating all its employees and applicants equally. We are committed to creating an environment where diversity is valued and respected and where our people can bring their different perspectives, and whole selves to work. Inclusivity and equal opportunities for all colleagues are paramount. Trustmarque is a Living wage employer, and we offer 14–18-month apprenticeships. In February 2024 we launched Encircle our DEI network – made by colleagues, for colleagues to support Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in the workplace. Please contact Trustmarque to discuss the provision of Social Value. Any Social Value deliverable must be agreed with Trustmarque and be proportionate to the contract value and scope.

Wellbeing

We align our approach to mental wellbeing to the six standards in the Mental Health at Work commitment, including staff work and wellbeing sessions, flexible working, speak-up policy, etc. We have a dedicated team of qualified Mental Health First Aiders who offer support to all Trustmarque Group Colleagues to offer advice regarding how to support and signpost – this is linked to the ALGEE mental health action plan. The Work+Wellbeing team also facilitate workshops or share resources to support wellbeing within the workplace, this can be found on our Work+Wellbeing team via the Trustmarque Hub. We have an Employee Assistance Programme which is available 24/7 to all Trustmarque Group Colleagues. Please contact Trustmarque to discuss the provision of Social Value. Any Social Value deliverable must be agreed with Trustmarque and be proportionate to the contract value and scope.

1.16 Pricing

Price

£450 to £1,250 a person a day

Discount for educational organisations

Yes