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Amber Labs

Secure Transformation, Without Compromise

AN INTRODUCTION

INTRODUCTION TO AMBER LABS

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SME Digital Transformation Consultancy - Amber Labs are a specialist consultancy helping Public Sector deliver technology change at a pace

Robust and Transparent Delivery & Governance - our processes align to the Service Manual and Technology Code of Practice

Rapid Consultant Deployment Framework - our deployment framework ensures we provide value in weeks rather than months

Diverse Presence & Capability - we have 100+ Consultants deployed across a range of Government departments, with over 80% of our staff living outside of London

CLIENTS



TECHNOLOGY



GOVERNMENT ALIGNMENT



Our work follows
Government Service
Standards



Cyber Essentials Plus
Certified



100% of staff are BPSS
& majority Security
Cleared

OUR CAPABILITIES

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DATA ENGINEERING	AI & ANALYTICS	CLOUD ENGINEERING	DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION	DELIVERY
Data Quality	Business Intelligence	DevOps	Front End Development	Testing
Data Architecture	Generative AI	Cloud Provisioning	Back End Development	Business Analysis
Data Governance	Data Mining	Cloud Security	Full Stack Development	PMO
Data Integration	RPA	Deployment Automation	Enterprise Architecture	Resource and Budget Management
MDM	Predictive Analytics	Cloud Monitoring	UI/UX Design	Agile/Scrum Delivery
Data Lake & Warehouse	Machine Learning	Cloud Architecture	Solution Architecture	
	Data Science		Business Architecture	
			Software Engineering	

FINOPS & CLOUD COST OPTIMISATION

SERVICE DEFINITION

FINOPS & CLOUD COST OPTIMISATION

We help public sector organisations understand and control cloud spend, so they can improve value for money without undermining service performance. We provide assessment and ongoing optimisation support that fits multi-team and multi-supplier environments.

SERVICE FEATURES

- Cost discovery assessment.
- Tagging and allocation model.
- Dashboards and reporting.
- Budgets and alerts.
- Optimisation backlog.
- Unit cost measures.
- Governance cadence.
- Evidence artefacts.
- Delivery integration.
- Run support options.

SERVICE BENEFITS

- Improved cost predictability.
- Better value for money.
- Reduced overspend risk.
- Clear spend accountability.
- Improved decision-making.
- Reduced waste.
- Improved service continuity.
- Better auditability.
- Reduced supplier dependency.
- Faster anomaly detection.

SUMMARY

- We help public sector organisations improve cloud cost control and value for money without undermining service performance.
- Work often starts with a Starter phase to baseline spend, agree allocation and identify quick wins, with an optional Run service to track progress and manage an optimisation backlog.
- This service can be delivered alongside platform and operational teams to ensure recommendations are acted on.

APPROACH

- Starter baseline of cloud spend drivers, risks and improvement opportunities; Define tagging and allocation model to improve accountability.
- Produce a prioritised optimisation backlog and delivery plan.
- Set up dashboards and reporting aligned to governance needs.
- Embed cost review into delivery and run rhythms where possible.
- Optional Run service to manage optimisation, reporting and continuous improvement.

GOVERNANCE

- Cost reporting pack with trends, risks and recommendations.
- Decision log for prioritised optimisation actions and trade-offs.
- Controls mapping inputs for budget, alerting and governance evidence.
- Unit cost measures where useful (e.g., cost per transaction) with clear assumptions.
- Run (if purchased): MI reporting, service reviews and prioritised optimisation backlog.
- Transition-in/out (2–6 weeks) for Run including baseline setup, reporting cadence and exit plan.

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