



G-Cloud 15 Service Definition

**Accenture Trusted Research Environment
Services**

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1.0 Scope of our services

The Trusted Data Environment (TDE) Solution is a bespoke data platform developed to address the specific data handling requirements of public sector entities, providing a secure area for researches for the processing and analysis of sensitive data. TDE facilitates seamless collaboration between data custodians, researchers, and analysts within a secure ecosystem, ensuring the privacy and confidentiality of data while enabling valuable insights to be derived from complex datasets. Key features of the TDE Solution include secure data storage, data manipulation tools, access controls, audit trails, and advanced analytics capabilities tailored to the needs of public sector clients.

Key features of Trusted Research Environments include:

- **Data Security:** Robust security measures are implemented to protect data from unauthorised access, breaches, or misuse. This may involve encryption, access controls, and monitoring mechanisms to ensure data integrity.
- **Privacy Protection:** Strong privacy safeguards are in place to anonymise or de-identify sensitive data, minimising the risk of re-identification or disclosure of personally identifiable information.
- **Access Controls:** Access to data within the environment is carefully managed, with permissions granted only to authorised researchers who have undergone appropriate training and certification.
- **Governance Frameworks:** Legal and ethical frameworks govern the use of data within Trusted Research Environments, ensuring compliance with regulations such as GDPR (General Data Protection Regulation) or HIPAA (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act).
- **Collaboration Support:** TREs can facilitate collaboration among researchers while maintaining data security and privacy. Collaboration tools and workflows are designed to enable efficient and secure sharing of data and insights.
- **Audit and Monitoring:** Comprehensive auditing and monitoring capabilities are often implemented to track data access and usage, detect potential security breaches, and ensure compliance with data governance policies.

Approach:

Our approach to developing the TDE Solution is grounded in a deep understanding of the unique challenges faced by public sector organisations in managing and leveraging sensitive data effectively. We combine cutting-edge technology with domain expertise to create a comprehensive solution that meets the highest standards of security, compliance, and usability. Key elements of our approach include:

- **Customisation:** We work closely with our public sector clients to understand their specific requirements and tailor the TDE Solution to meet their individual needs, ensuring seamless integration with existing infrastructure and workflows.
- **Security-First Design:** Security is at the forefront of our design philosophy, with robust encryption, access controls, and audit mechanisms implemented throughout the TDE Solution to safeguard sensitive data from unauthorised access or breaches.
- **Compliance Assurance:** We ensure that the TDE Solution complies with relevant regulatory frameworks and standards governing data privacy and security in the public sector, providing our clients with peace of mind and confidence in their data handling practices.

- **Collaboration and Support:** We provide ongoing support and guidance throughout the implementation and deployment of the TDE Solution to ensure its successful adoption and integration into their operations.

Benefits of Approach:

The approach taken in developing the TDE Solution delivers numerous benefits to our public sector clients, including:

- **Enhanced Data Security:** By implementing industry-leading security measures, the TDE Solution provides a secure environment for the processing and analysis of sensitive data, reducing the risk of unauthorised access or data breaches.
- **Improved Collaboration:** The TDE Solution facilitates seamless collaboration and knowledge exchange among stakeholders, enabling more effective decision-making and policy development based on reliable data insights.
- **Compliance Confidence:** Our clients can have confidence in their compliance with data privacy and security regulations, knowing that the TDE Solution adheres to the highest standards of security and regulatory compliance.
- **Operational Efficiency:** By streamlining data handling processes and providing advanced analytics capabilities, the TDE Solution enables our clients to derive actionable insights from their data more efficiently, driving operational improvements and cost savings.

Assets and Tools:

The TDE Solution leverages a range of assets and tools to deliver exceptional service, including:

- **Secure Data Storage:** Robust encryption and access controls ensure the confidentiality and integrity of data stored within the TDE Solution, protecting it from unauthorised access or tampering.
- **Access Controls and Audit Trails:** Granular access controls and comprehensive audit trails provide visibility and accountability over data access and usage within the TDE Solution, enabling our clients to maintain control and compliance.
- **Advanced Analytics Capabilities:** Powerful analytics tools and algorithms enable our clients to derive valuable insights from their data, supporting evidence-based decision-making and policy development.
- **Integration with Existing Infrastructure:** The TDE Solution seamlessly integrates with existing infrastructure and workflows, minimising disruption, and maximising efficiency for our clients.
- **Cloud infrastructure:** Leveraging leading cloud service providers, the TDE Solution utilises secure and reliable cloud infrastructure to host data and applications, ensuring high availability and scalability to meet the evolving needs of our clients.

2.0 Pricing

Please refer to the associated pricing document/ rate card relevant for this service.

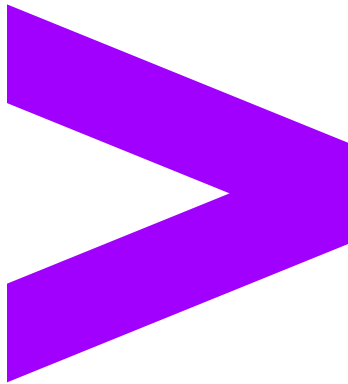
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