Case study
Leisure & Entertainment

Renowned leisure group prepares for global desktop transformation

Assessment of 120 Citrix servers ahead of move to VDI - preparation is key to success

Challenge

- Carry out detailed assessment of customer's existing Citrix XenApp environment across global operations to enable planning and design of desktop transformation
- Workload profiling performed as part of defining new target size and state
- Full discovery and assessment of the existing application portfolio

Solution

- Defined overall project approach and key components
- Data discovery and capture from 120 Citrix XenApp Servers
- Data captured and analysed with automation tooling to generate workload profiling reports for design and planning of compute, storage and networking requirements
- Current state analysis, roadmap and project framework together with what-if modelling to assess final selected solution

Result

- Clear recommendations made to prepare the existing environment and associated dependencies ahead of the transformation programme
- Transparency of existing environment enabled optimised, correctly sized design to ensure accurate programme budgeting
- Comprehensive programme plan to ensure robust foundation from which to launch project, while reducing risk

Customer

This UK-headquartered FTSE 100 company operates over one hundred leisure attractions, hotels and holiday villages in more than twenty countries. The customer-facing teams are supported by central services operating from two offices in southern England.

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