

EXTENDING CITRIX TO AZURE

Whether you want to support an existing or planned public cloud migration or to offer burst capability, running Citrix delivery services in Azure offers performance, scaling and management advantages.

Our Extending Citrix to Azure service is for organisations who want to use the world class capabilities of Citrix to deliver applications or desktops as part of their Azure adoption. Whether you have moved your management layer to the Citrix Cloud or you are running an on-premise layer, virtual desktops and applications can be moved or extended into the Microsoft Cloud. This will increase efficiency, security and flexibility.

This service moves or installs the delivery components of Citrix to sit next to your application services hosted in Microsoft Azure or other public clouds. As you move more systems and services into a mixture of public and vendor clouds you can use this service to present your users a seamless and secure service.



For any organisation looking to expand its use of cloud and wants security, flexibility and execution speed of Citrix this is a great option.

Why extend Citrix to Azure?

Extending Citrix to Azure benefits to different parts of the organisation.



IT MANAGER

- Unblocking troubled/stalled deployments and providing consistency of delivery through a proven methodology
- Provides Azure and Citrix skills to support the existing team
- Reduces operational risks by rightsizing components, and ensuring that the design uses current best practices



IT LEADER

- If key applications are moving to Azure, this offers a way to provide good quality application delivery, especially to remote workers
- When OpEx is preferred over CapEx. Citrix Cloud and Azure are paid annually services
- Identifies the investment needed to make a desktop virtualisation programme a success early

How we'll Extend Citrix to Azure

A Trustmarque architect will design a solution in Azure to deliver application or desktop virtualisation to meet your needs. This can be as part of an overall Citrix deployment plan, or as a standalone engagement. The solution will include costs and tasks associated to your requirements to ensure that you have a good understanding what is needed. It will also include Citrix Cloud and on-premises components if needed.

Once the planning and design has been agreed with your key project stakeholders our team will work with you to support and assure the implementation of services. This can be a complete project delivery or simple guidance and troubleshooting support. The key benefits of using Microsoft Azure include the ability to rapidly scale up or down, compute and storage resources as needed, whilst providing service from Enterprise Tier-1 class datacentre facilities. By placing services within Azure, customers can help mitigate the risks of downtime with current datacentre facilities. Switching to a 'pay as you use' model, helps offset the large capital expenditure costs that would be needed refresh the on-premises datacentres and associated infrastructure components.

Why Trustmarque?

Trustmarque Solutions is uniquely placed to assist you with your Azure project. We are able to boast a first-rate Azure Service delivery practice whilst simultaneously being Microsoft No.1 Cloud Provider to the UK Public-Sector. As such Trustmarque Solutions can not only design and deploy a leading Azure platform conforming to industry best practice but we are also available to continually update and advise on the best ways to minimise your spending utilising a combination of both technical and licencing expertise in the solutions we deliver.

Other Citrix Services

Alongside Extending Citrix to Azure we offer other related services. For example:



Citrix Management through Citrix Cloud – which can start your Citrix journey just using the Citrix Cloud for management.



A **Citrix Health Check** to ensure that existing Citrix services are run efficiently and in line with best practices.



Learning to manage Azure resources effectively through the Trustmarque **Azure Operations Framework** (AzOps)