

The goal for the Trace3 Cloud Adoption Framework (CAF) engagement is to facilitate conversation between key stakeholders of an organization on their preparedness to address common obstacles, and proactively avoid pitfalls found during the early stages of cloud adoption.

The CAF contains ten pillars across both business and technical domains to analyze your organization's Cloud Operating Model and provide a prioritized list of recommendations which can be used to create an action plan toward unobstructed cloud adoption.



CLOUD ADOPTION FRAMEWORK METHODOLOGY

DISCOVERY WORKSHOPS

Set of workshops to jointly align vision and outcomes, preparedness to address common obstacles, and proactively avoid pitfalls found during the stages of cloud adoption.

- Strategic Context
- Financial Framework
- Ten Pillars of Cloud Ascension
- Technology Baseline
- Capability Assessment

STRATEGY AND DESIGN

Synthesis and refinement of gathered information, target design, and execution considerations into a coherent technical and operational cloud vision.

- Gap Analysis
- High-Level Reference Architecture
- Design Reviews
- Cloud Operating Model
- Cloud Ascension Approach

ROADMAP

Iterative development, sequencing and review to define an actionable roadmap to present a clear path forward.

- Prioritization / Milestones
- Program Delivery Model
- Dependencies
- Resourcing
- Financial Elements
- Timeline Projections

TRACE3 WILL PROVIDE

- A list of operational improvements to the Cloud Operating Model
- A Findings and Recommendations Log detailing all workshop decisions
- A sample high-level reference architecture for the future Cloud environment
- Recommendations to improve Cloud Adoption within the organization
- A strategic roadmap which includes recommendations from all CAF pillars

FOCUSED TIMELINE: (8-10 WEEKS)



CLOUD ADOPTION FRAMEWORK OBJECTIVES

1

ALIGNMENT

Facilitate conversations between key stakeholders of your organization (Business, Technical, and Operational)

2

EXPLORATION

Gather, assess, and analyze across ten pillars of cloud ascension

3

DEFINITION

Synthesize your goals, technology, and organizational maturity into an actionable strategic roadmap, informed through gap analysis for each pillar

4

MOMENTUM

Collaborative process to articulate a clear vision and an approved roadmap to achieve success

ORGANIZATION FOCUS



LINE OF BUSINESS

- Model App Analysis, Risk Management
- Establish Future State, Business Drivers



FINOPS

- Cost Framework, Shared Accountability
- TCO Models, Cost Optimization



PEOPLE

- IT Org, Org Change Mgmt, Skilling Strategies
- Elevation Program, Cloud Center of Excellence Org



GOVERNANCE

- Current State of Policy Framework
- Future State Compliance and Policy



CULTURE

- Org-wide Cloud Mission Statement
- Bi-modal Alignment System, Sustainability

TECHNOLOGY FOCUS



PLATFORM

- Cloud Architecture, Provisioning, Automation
- Cloud Native Capabilities, App Development



SECURITY

- Security Road Map and Maturity
- Infra Security, Data Protection, Detective Control, IAM



OPERATIONS

- APM, Service Monitoring, Naming, Service Catalog
- Release/Change Mgmt, Reporting, Analytics, DR



QUALITY

- QA Controls, CI-CD, Approval Automation
- Experience Designers, OKRs, KPIs



DATA

- Data Platform, Analytics Use Cases, ETL, EDW
- Data Transformations and Cloud Drivers

BUDGETARY PROJECT ESTIMATE

Trace3 Cloud Adoption Framework Engagement: \$115-145k*

**Investment dependent on initial requirements and SOW*

Our certified architects and engineers, partnered with your company's team, will utilize our proven methodology to and deep Cloud architecture experience to deliver a successful project outcome.