

# ATEC Virtualization Assessment Services



A virtualization assessment gives you a clear view of server consolidation opportunities within your existing physical IT infrastructure. We assess your current server landscape to determine your potential costs and savings and better prepare you the project ahead.

## Benefits:

- Estimate potential server consolidation cost savings
- Estimate required server hardware and virtualization licenses
- Use the capacity planning tool for data collection, scenario creation and optimization analysis

## Deliverables:

- Up to 30 days of system and performance data for existing Windows® servers in your environment. To do this, we will need to install a client at your site.
- Data analysis for up to 200\* existing Windows® servers.
- Server consolidation and virtualization assessment report, including a preliminary TCO analysis and recommendations

## Target Audience:

Companies planning server consolidation projects, who need guidance on sizing requirements and justification of expenditures to facilitate consolidation via virtualization.

## Roles & Responsibilities:

As the Certified Professional Consultants, ATEC will:

- Lead assessment efforts
- Provide best-practices knowledge of ongoing datacenter and infrastructure issues

As the Customer and Infrastructure Management, you will:

- Provide the coordination efforts for all assessment-related activities
- Share all information and communications to applicable internal staff needed to properly support the assessment

## To get started:

- Tell your ATEC representative that you will like to have a virtualization assessment - they will be happy to help you.



## Requirements:

In order to perform the assessment specified in this document, you the client will need to provide:

- Dedicated, networked (including Internet access) Windows 2000 Server SP3 or higher machine, with at least 500 MHz CPU, 256MB RAM and 2GB free disk space
- Provide best-practices knowledge of ongoing datacenter and infrastructure issues
- Local and domain administrator (root) access to existing servers, to gather data for use in analysis



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\*This number may be adjusted based on the current configuration of your infrastructure.