Data Center: In House – Outsource – Optimize Options

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The data center presentation provides an overview of the recent trends (2013/2014 and beyond) of the overall considerations associated with maximizing a short/long term data center solution. Should the data center function remain "in house"? Should the data center function be "outsourced" (co-location/cloud)? How valuable is my data center and what guarantees do I need for security? How does the private sector, university, non-profit, medical, and/or government agency optimize the overall data center solution? What are the trends? Learn the contributing Capex vs. Opex thought processes.

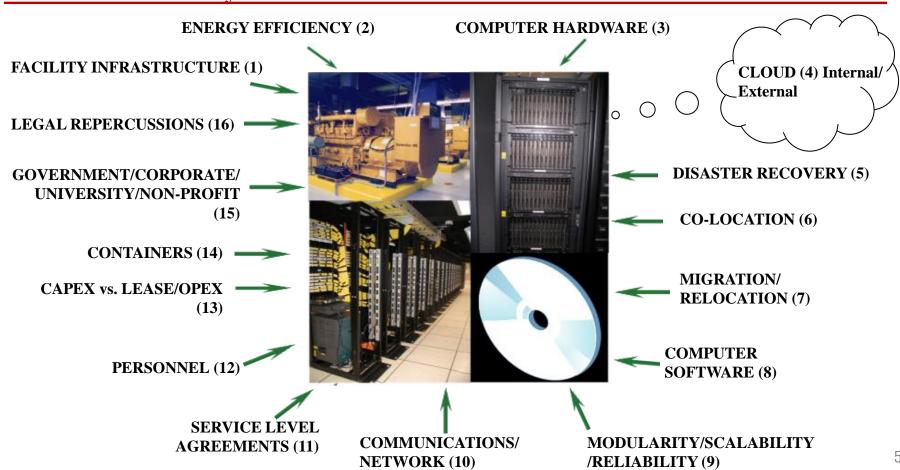
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Part I

Defining the Mix of "Elements" (16) Considered in the Data Center Solution

The BRUNS-PAK Hybrid "2014 Transformation" Efficient Data Center Elements



1) Facility Infrastructure

- A. Architectural
- B. Civil
- C. Electrical
- D. Fire Protection (EPO Code Change) Update NEC/NFPA vs. Factory Mutual
- E. Mechanical CFD Models
- F. Security
- G. Site
- H. Structural
- I. Geographic Regional Considerations... i.e. southwest hurricanes, west earthquakes, etc.

2) Energy Efficiency

- A. ASHRAE 9.9 Higher Inlet Temperatures
- B. Why pay for electrical consumption for mechanical cooling?
- C. CFD Models
- D. Heat Wheel
- E. 400v AC/DC
- F. DCIM
- G. Virtualization of Servers
- H. Higher efficiency computer equipment
- I. March 14, 2014 Federal data center efficiency legislation passes US House of Representatives



- J. LEED New data center guidelines
 - ✓ Written to save "dollars" and be more green
 - ✓ Office of Management and Budget to create a strategy
 - **✓ DOE** and **EPA** to study server and data center efficiency trends
 - ✓ New "data center energy practitioner program"
 - ✓ New "metrics"
 - **✓** Data center LEED guidelines New

3) Computer Hardware

- A. Higher Efficiency
- B. "Flash" storage announcements
- C. Virtualization
- D. High performance computing impacts All critical?
- E. Scalability/Modularity/Flexibility
- F. Water cooled to the chiller



4) Cloud

- A. Managed services
- B. Internal vs. external
- C. Migration to the cloud
- D. Impact of returns
- E. Moves/adds/changes
- F. Trouble shooting
- G. True "partner" of equal financial stability San Diego 2013 cloud provider "30 day notice to vacate"
- H. Downtime: Who Pays?
- I. Security Breach: Who Pays?
- J. Terms and conditions (Legal Beagles!!!) 2014+



- K. Senator Menendez New Jersey Sponsoring new legislation 2014 fines
- L. Speed to delivery of applications
- M. "Candidacy" of applications
- N. The 2014 / 2015 / 2016 contract language for cloud contracts
- O. Critical vs. non-critical data
- P. Moves/adds/changes



5) Disaster Recovery

- A. Hot or cold
- B. Recovery time
- C. Internal disaster recovery data centers vs. external "leased" disaster recovery centers
- D. Lease terms and conditions for availability
- E. Government regulations for uptime banking/healthcare/etc.
- F. Active testing
- G. Guarantee of "space" when needed?



6) Co-Location

- A. Leased data center constructed space
- B. Capex schedule of delivery minimized
- C. ROI see total cost of ownership 3+?
- D. Other tenants? Impact of security
- E. Downtime: Who pays?
- F. Security Breach: Who pays?
- G. Terms and conditions (Legal Beagles 2014!!!)
- H. Senator Menendez New Jersey sponsoring legislation 2014 and beyond
- I. Financial strength of service providers see Cushman Wakefield survey of "economics" 2014 report.
- J. Moves/add/changes



7) Migration / Relocation

- A. Move existing or buy/lease new?
- B. Asset swap outs
- C. General hardware life cycle \pm 3-4 years?
- D. Maximize uptime
- E. Multiple phases
- F. Consolidation strategies
- G. Physical cost vs. planning costs
- H. Impacts of the network
- I. Move it? Plan to migrate back? Resume update



8) Computer Software

- A. Large scale corporate "procurement" effort to leverage one (1) massive licensing agreement vs. "two hundred" division licenses
- B. Single point of failure considerations vs. mirroring
- C. Impacts of hardware platforms
- D. Downtime
- E. Impact of licenses at cloud and/or co-location
- F. Cost changes 2014 / 2015 / 2016



- 9) Modularity / Scalability / Reliability
 - A. Optimize
 - **✓** Computer hardware
 - **✓** Computer software
 - **✓** Telecommunication (network)
 - √ Facilities
 - ✓ Service level agreements

Scale with growth!

- B. Defray CAPEX dollars until needed across the board
- C. Scale without interruption
- D. Reliability past/present/future
- E. In house vs. outsource

10) Communications / Network

- A. Redundant / isolated paths?
- B. Multiple carriers
- C. Data breach? Who pays? Significant dominant focus 2014/2015/2016
- D. Data security? Who is responsible?
- E. The power of the cloud $iPhone \otimes 5S/6/6Plus WOW!!$
- F. Impact of network loss
- G. Who manages the network?



11) Service Level Agreements

- A. Internal vs. external (client) based
- B. Government imposed guidelines/performance (i.e. HIPPA, etc.)
- C. Co-Location / Cloud 2014 transformation fine print who pays? how much? damages (Legal Beagles 2014!!)
- D. What does 99.999 availability mean to me when "I go down?"
- E. Moves/adds/changes without interruption!
- F. New "fines/penalties" by external agencies being processed 2014 / 2015 / 2016

12) Personnel

- A. Employee vs. contract personnel
- B. Mr. Snowden contract person? Who is liable?
- C. Client worldwide "as the world turns" personnel solution United States/Europe/Singapore payback 18 months
- D. Efficiency metrics
- E. Data Breaches?
- F. Banks recent statements limited liability



13) CAPEX vs. OPEX

- A. CAPEX Capital dollars spent to build/deploy data center across (16) elements
- B. OPEX Operating dollar "expense" to financial statements very attractive
- C. New trend of internal "OPEX" data center solution 2014 / 2015 / 2016
- D. Cloud/co-location OPEX?
- E. 2008 2014 economics crises worldwide leads to bottom line

14) Containers

- A. Portable
- B. Speed of delivery?
- C. Local zoning regulations regarding deployment of permanent structure?
- D. Pre-fabricated structure compliance with local building codes / approvals
- E. Work flow
- F. Saves building addition
- G. Government exempt
- H. ADA compliance



15) Government/Corporate/University/Non-Profit

- A. The new "data center energy efficiency" (March 2014) and Senator Menendez Initiative
- B. The cost and liability of data infringement
- C. Worldwide government are experiencing the impacts of data processing issues
- D. Currently US regulations exist for banking, healthcare, financial etc.
- E. The board or directors and trustee (university) responsibility and liability
- F. Insurance

16) Legal Repercussions

- A. The most dominant theme of 2014/2015/2016 data center optimization impacting in house vs. outsource
- B. Government fines
- C. Stockholder lawsuits
- D. Individual lawsuits
- E. Fiduciary responsibility
- F. "Non-disclosed" trends



Part II

Critical Considerations to be Evaluated when Assessing Whether to Keep a Data Center Operation "In House" or to "Outsource"

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- 1) Type of data processed
- 2) Type of applications utilized
- 3) Type of computer platforms utilized across the enterprise
- 4) Uptime requirements both short and long term
- 5) Impacts to the enterprise of:
 - A. Downtime
 - B. Data security breach
 - C. SLA's
 - D. CAPEX vs. OPEX mission
- 6) Impact of pending legal legislations if it changes can you move back? Force existing contracts to change with liabilities?



Part III

How to Optimize the Overall Data Center Solution Recommendation

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- 1) The BRUNS-PAK belief of the 2014 / 2015 / 2016 sixteen (16) element data center "hybrid solution"
- 2) One "size" does not fit all!
- 3) The major components of hybrid:
 - A. Physical internal data center
 - B. Cloud external
 - C. Cloud internal
 - D. Co-location
 - E. Network
 - F. Disaster Recovery
 - G. Container

- H. Internal finance OPEX vs. CAPEX
- I. Legal liability
 - ✓ Breach
 - **✓** Downtime
- J. Application and hardware "candidacy"
- K. Flexibility to change based on current legislation!! (Unless new opportunities are sought)

Part IV

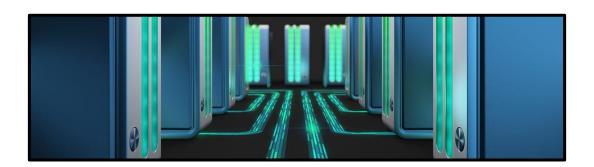
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- 1) Outsource no thinking required
- 2) Co-location vs. cloud
- 3) Critical data/platforms/applications staying "home"
- 4) Legal language/penalties/liabilities in new co-location and cloud contracts for:
 - A. Downtime
 - B. Data breaches
 - C. Financial guarantees of 3rd party providers
 - D. Accommodation of future "unknown" legislation
- 5) Internal data center cloud and co-location solutions with OPEX cost models

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- 6) Tremendous focus on total cost of ownership for all sixteen (16) elements prior to decision
- 7) TCO considerations with risk





Part V

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- 1) Liability, Liability, Liability
- 2) If corporate, what are the board of directors responsibility to the stockholders?
- 3) If academic/university, what are the trustees responsibility?
- 4) If non-profit, what are the board members responsibility?
- 5) If government, what are the administration members responsibility?
- 6) Hospital / healthcare:
 - A. Patient care records?

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7) Recent sample examples:

- ✓ Home Depot
- ✓ Target update from spring 2014 CIO, President, and Board of Directors removed.
- ✓ JP Morgan Chase
- ✓ Dairy Queen
- ✓ Fire Department (specific)
- ✓ US Government and Wiki leak national security
- ✓ The Cyber attack
- ✓ Numerous other financial institutions
- ✓ Apple / iPhone



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- 8) Reported by cyber security breach data. The attacks were up 20.5% last year and expected to significantly grow in 2015 / 2016 / 2017 +++ Identity Theft Resource Center
- 9) Confidential examples:
 - A. Client co-lo
 - B. After seminar disclosed "in confidence" lost \$56,000,000 attack. Non-disclosed

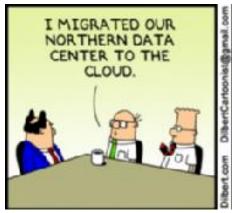


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Thank You

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