

LinuxONE Assessment

Quantify benefits and return on investment of Linux workloads on LinuxONE™

Companies around the world are faced with the challenges of growing data center costs, server administration complexities, and security concerns. The ability to scale seamlessly for changing business demands with simplified workload and security administration is essential to business success.

Increasingly companies are consolidating their x86 workloads onto IBM LinuxONE servers to leverage the openness of Linux with the advantages of enterprise server resilience and security. The advantages of workload consolidation onto LinuxONE result in less overhead, increased responsiveness and lower IT costs.

IBM offers a no-charge IT value and cost LinuxONE assessment to quantify the benefits and return on investment of consolidating your x86 workloads onto LinuxONE. Use this assessment to evaluate your x86 Linux workload requirements and to quantify the savings of LinuxONE for your organization.

Get started

Send a request to the IBM IT Economics team at IT.Economics@us.ibm.com or ask your IBM Client Representative or IBM Business Partner.

An IT Economics consultant will provide a two hour on-site workshop to learn about your IT strategy, capture objectives for the assessment, gather information about your IT environment, and share best practices.

Your consultant will develop a business case which is delivered in two to four weeks. Your assessment will provide:

- Detailed analysis based on your customized scenario
- Recommendations to reduce IT spend and to achieve technical and business requirements

IT value and cost assessment

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What information is examined in your IT value and cost LinuxONE assessment?

The assessment evaluates technical and operational differences between your existing x86 environment and a LinuxONE solution:



Linux with open source software



Platform attributes—resiliency, security, performance, scalability



Encryption technologies



Workload consolidation benefits



Business values (KPIs)



Actual client data and/or industry average assumptions



Return on investment and payback period



Total cost of ownership