

Citrix XenDesktop Factsheet



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The Virtual Desktop Revolution Is Here ... for Everyone!

XENDESKTOP® – ANY USER, ANYWHERE, ON ANY DEVICE

Citrix XenDesktop® transforms Windows desktops into an on-demand service that can be accessed by any user, on any device, anywhere – with unparalleled simplicity and scalability. Whether workers are using the latest tablets, smartphones, laptops or thin clients, XenDesktop can quickly and securely deliver virtual desktops and applications with a high-definition user experience.

Re-Think Your Approach to Desktop Computing

XenDesktop provides a more flexible, people-centric computing experience for users and helps your organization address key business priorities. Easy access to complete virtualized desktops, applications and data – from any location, from any device – enables more productive and mobile virtual work styles and inspires innovation. Fast, flexible desktop delivery helps IT adapt quickly to business changes and supports work shifting, branch expansion, M&A and other initiatives. Centralized desktop management, delivery and control let you re-think your entire approach to desktop computing to enable new levels of mobility, security and cost reduction.

Simple, Secure, Personalized Desktop Experiences

Innovative technologies in XenDesktop enable you to turn your vision for a more flexible, mobile and agile desktop computing environment into a reality. Citrix Receiver,™ a lightweight universal client, enables any PC, Mac, smartphone, tablet or thin client to access corporate applications and desktops – easily and securely.

- Citrix HDX™ technology delivers a rich, complete user experience that rivals a local PC, from optimized graphics and multimedia, to high-definition webcam, broad USB device support and high-speed printing.
- Going far beyond the limitations of VDI-only solutions, Citrix FlexCast™ delivery technology gives each type of worker in your enterprise the virtual desktop that's right for them, hosted or local, online or offline, standardized or personalized – through one single solution.

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- Members of your workforce can access any Windows, web or SaaS application on demand through a single interface. Simple, self-service provisioning reduces desktop management costs and complexity.

Built on an open, scalable, proven architecture, XenDesktop gives you the simplicity, flexibility and scalability to meet any requirement, while fully leveraging current and future investments.

XENDESKTOP – HOW IT HELPS

Give your workforce unprecedented flexibility and mobility. Citrix XenDesktop lets you deliver on-demand virtual desktops and applications, to any type of device, anywhere your users work. XenDesktop unlocks the full productivity and creativity of every worker while helping the entire organization adapt rapidly to new challenges and opportunities.

Enable Productivity for Any User, Anywhere

To put the best talent to work for your organization, you need to be able to deliver desktops to people wherever they are, wherever they go – any time, day or night. With XenDesktop, your users can take advantage of virtual workstyles such as teleworking and home-sourcing to integrate computing more seamlessly into their lives, and never lose productivity just because they're away from the office.

Increase User Choice and Flexibility

Today's workers are savvier than ever when it comes to the latest mobile devices. XenDesktop empowers them to use smartphones, tablets and personal laptops as a seamless part of their corporate desktop experience. That makes your organization the kind of place the best workers of the digital generation want to be! And by saying "Yes!" to their preferences, you inspire them to drive further innovation in everything they do.

Improve Business Agility

Competitive advantage depends on your ability to get work done the right way, in the right place, at the right time. Fast, flexible, virtual desktop delivery with XenDesktop helps you adapt quickly and cost-effectively to a variety of business changes, from mergers to growth initiatives to strategies like workshifting and offshoring. As global markets demand more fluid and responsive virtual organizations, XenDesktop lets you deploy full desktop computing resources wherever they're needed – in seconds.

Make Desktop Management Simpler, More Secure and More Cost Effective

By transforming complex, distributed desktops into a simple, on-demand service, XenDesktop frees you from the costs and constraints of traditional computing architectures. Centralized delivery, management and control of virtual desktops bring new levels of efficiency to your IT organization while streamlining security and compliance. Self-service application provisioning, simplified helpdesk support and support for mobile and virtual workstyles give you a foundation to leverage a new generation of IT models and strategies.

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XENDESKTOP—HOW IT WORKS

Citrix XenDesktop lets you quickly and easily create virtualized desktops, then make them available, on demand, through any device. Citrix HDX and FlexCast technologies ensure an outstanding user experience for any type of virtual desktop your users need.



CENTRALIZE DESKTOPS

FlexCast delivers the right combination of performance, personalization and cost for every user by providing a comprehensive range of hosted-shared, VDI, streamed and local VM virtual desktops.



DELIVER APPLICATIONS

Single sign-on gives users seamless self-service access to any Windows, web or SaaS application according to their role and permissions.



DELIVER VIRTUAL DESKTOPS TO ANY DEVICE, ANYWHERE

Citrix Receiver lets users access their virtual desktops and Windows, web and SaaS applications on demand using any PC, Mac, thin client, smartphone or tablet.



PROVIDE A RICH USER EXPERIENCE

Citrix HDX technology delivers high-performance and complete desktop capabilities to any device, over any network, while minimizing bandwidth requirements.

Expect a Smooth Transition

The Citrix Desktop Transformation Model gives you a proven, staged approach for making the transition from complex, distributed desktops to a simple, on-demand service. Step-by-step best practices help you prioritize business initiatives, identify user requirements and build a transformation plan that starts with low-risk, high-impact desktop virtualization measures, then expands according to your own priorities.

Rely on a Complete Ecosystem of Implementation Partners

To facilitate your transition to a more flexible, people-centric computing environment, Citrix has assembled an ecosystem of strategic system integrators, infrastructure vendors and desktop transformation tools. In conjunction with Citrix Consulting, Citrix business partners offer complete services for requirements assessment, design and implementation, and managed services and cloud offerings to support and extend your next-generation architecture.

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