

Amazon WorkSpaces: Transition to a Remote Workforce

What is Amazon WorkSpaces?

Amazon WorkSpaces are secure, fully managed cloud-based desktops that give users easy access to applications, documents, and resources, from anywhere and on any supported device. This service simplifies and improves data security, as all company data remains securely inside the corporate AWS infrastructure while still allowing individual users easy access for accomplishing their work.

With Amazon Workspaces, businesses give their workforce the flexibility and power to work from anywhere with an internet connection, with seamless access to the applications they need.

Contact Mission for a 30-50 minute consulting session on how to leverage Amazon WorkSpaces for your business:

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Case Study

Mission Helps Ultivue Run More Efficiently Using Amazon WorkSpaces

Problem

As end users connected through a virtual private network (VPN) tunnel, the Ultivue IT team needed to enable quick and secure file access while keeping the environment simple to manage.

Solution

Mission implemented Amazon WorkSpaces with the key objective to ensure the solution would be cost effective while also providing the performance and power needs of the organization overall.

Results

- Provided end users with their own virtual desktop in Amazon WorkSpaces, so when one user accesses an application, other users are not impacted.
- Created a secure way to access AWS remotely from any location-office, home or on the road-so end users can work productively at all times and have the same experience no matter where they are located.
- Enabled IT to easily manage desktops, with the ability to update, patch and restore images for groups of users at scheduled times to avoid hampering end-user productivity.
- This solution enabled each unique user profile to leverage the right-sized image complete with only those applications required. Mission segregated these profiles so that overall costs would be minimal for casual vs. full-time users. **This approach reduced estimated costs by 40%.**

“Mission helped us learn how to use Amazon WorkSpaces so end users can work efficiently in our cloud environment. When passwords change in one environment, it takes place in the other environment automatically. Mission also set up workgroup permissions so we have appropriate access with a strong security posture.”

- Doug Wood, Principal Software Engineer, Ultivue

Next Steps:

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