



What is Cloud Computing?

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- Cloud Definitions
- Cloud Maturity and adoption
- Questions and Answers

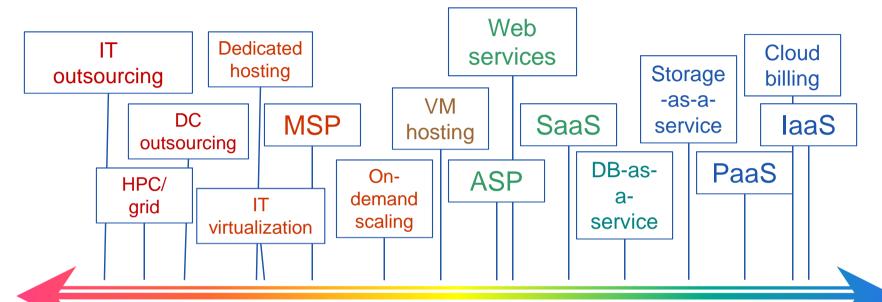


Definition: cloud computing

 A standardized IT capability (services, software, or infrastructure) delivered in a pay-per-use and self-service way



Not everything is cloud . . . and shouldn't be



Traditional computing

- Fixed cost/terms
- Varied deployments
- Single tenant
- More manual
- High control
- High customization

Cloud platforms

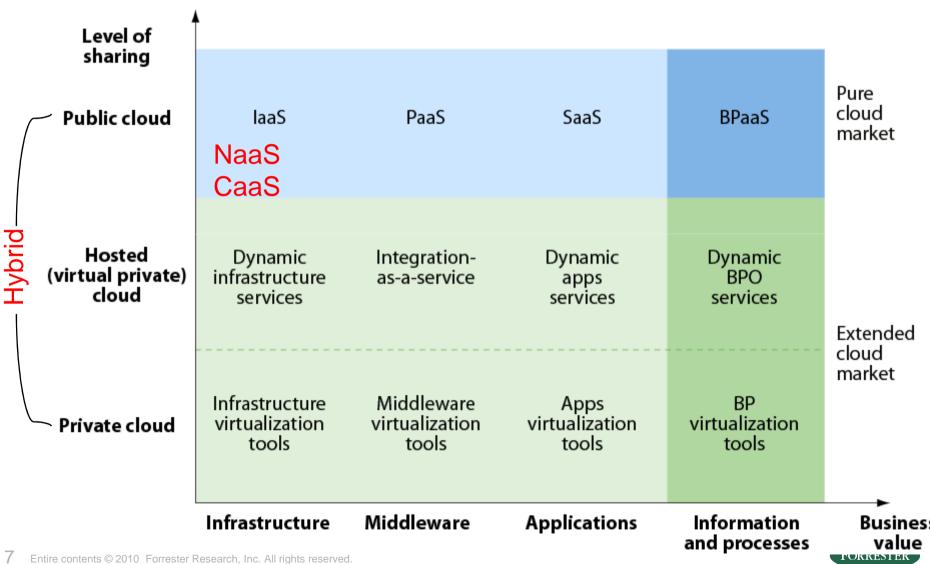
- •laaS, PaaS
- Pay-per-use
- Resource tracking

Cloud computing

- Variable costs/terms
- Standardized deployments
 - Multitenant
 - Highly automated
 - Low control
 - Limited customization



Forrester's Full Cloud Computing Taxonomy



The personal cloud: a definition

An Internet-based digital service for individuals and their employers that acts as a permanent and flexible resource to:

- 1. Organize and preserve personal information, documents, media, and communications.
- 2. Deliver that information on demand to any device or service.
- Orchestrate the integration of personal information across all digital devices and services.



Personal cloud offerings will:

- Coordinate digital lives across many devices, platforms, and services.
- Permanently archive a broad range of personal information from diverse devices and services.
- Host massive data volumes and transform for access to diverse and obsolete formats.
- Bridge access across work and personal domains.



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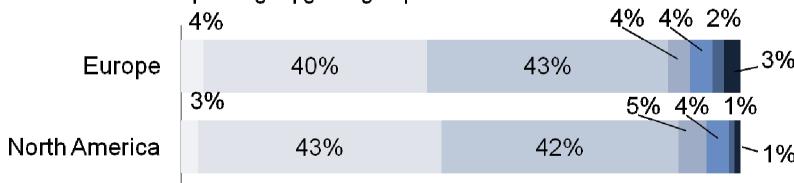
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Cloud adoption is slightly higher in Europe

What are your firm's plans to adopt pay-per-use hosting of virtual servers (also known as cloud computing) at service providers such as Amazon Web Services, Savvis, or Rackspace/Mosso?

- Don't know
- Not interested
- Interested but no plans
- Planning to implement in a year or more
- Planning to implement in the next 12 months
- Implemented, not expanding
- Expanding/ upgrading implementation



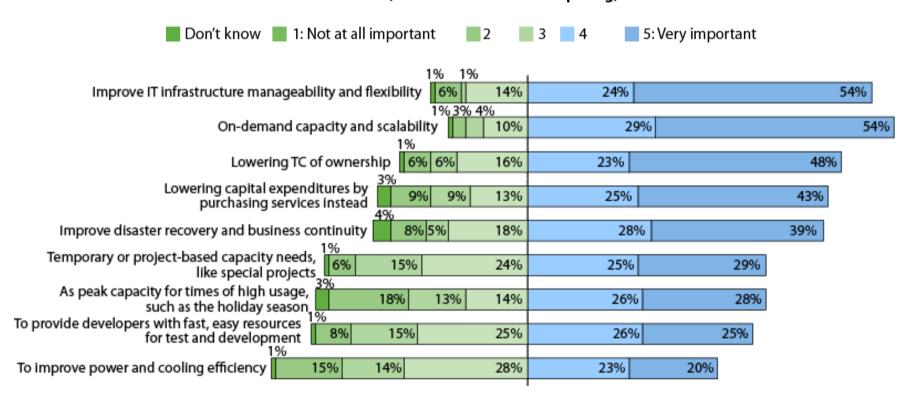
Base: 937 North American Enterprise and SMB hardware decision-makers 335 European enterprise and SMB hardware decision-maker

Source: Enterprise And SMB Hardware Survey, North America And Europe, Q3 2009



Enterprises cite flexibility and on demand over cost reasons

"How important were the following in your firm's decision to adopt pay-per-use hosting of virtual servers (also known as cloud computing)?"



Base: 80 enterprise hardware decision-makers

(numbers/percentages may not sum to the total shown because of rounding)



Some IT Professionals Remain Wary Of Cloud Computing (Cont.)

IT security professionals rank data protection top of all cloud security concerns

"How concerned is your firm about the following aspects of cloud computing platforms such as salesforce.com, Amazon Web Services, or Microsoft Azure?"

(4 and 5 on a scale of 1 [Not at all concerned] to 5 [Very concerned])



Base: 1,059 North American and European enterprise and SMB IT decision-makers

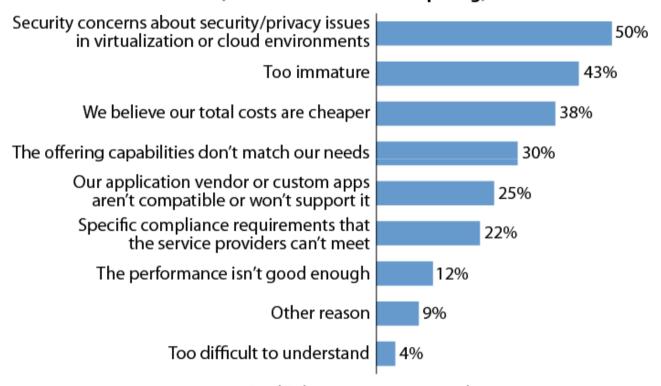
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Some IT Professionals Remain Wary Of Cloud Computing

Security and privacy issues are top concerns for data center decision-makers

"Why isn't your firm interested in pay-per-use hosting of virtual servers (also known as cloud computing)?"



(multiple responses accepted)

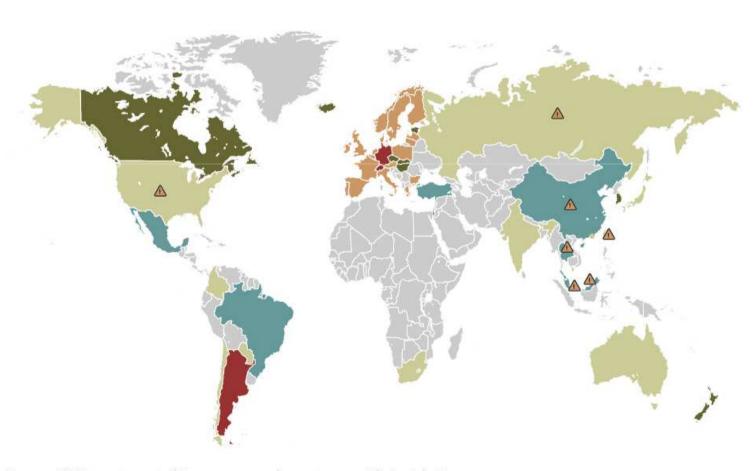
Base: 542 hardware decision-makers at companies with 500 or more employees

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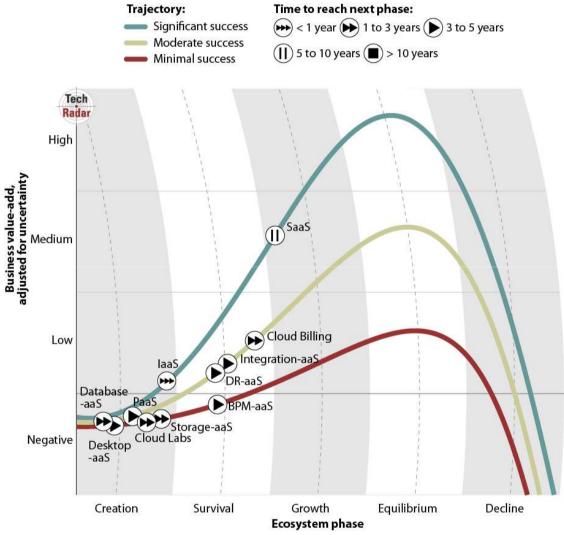
Country Level Regulations Affect Compliance Management







Forrester's cloud computing TechRadar™

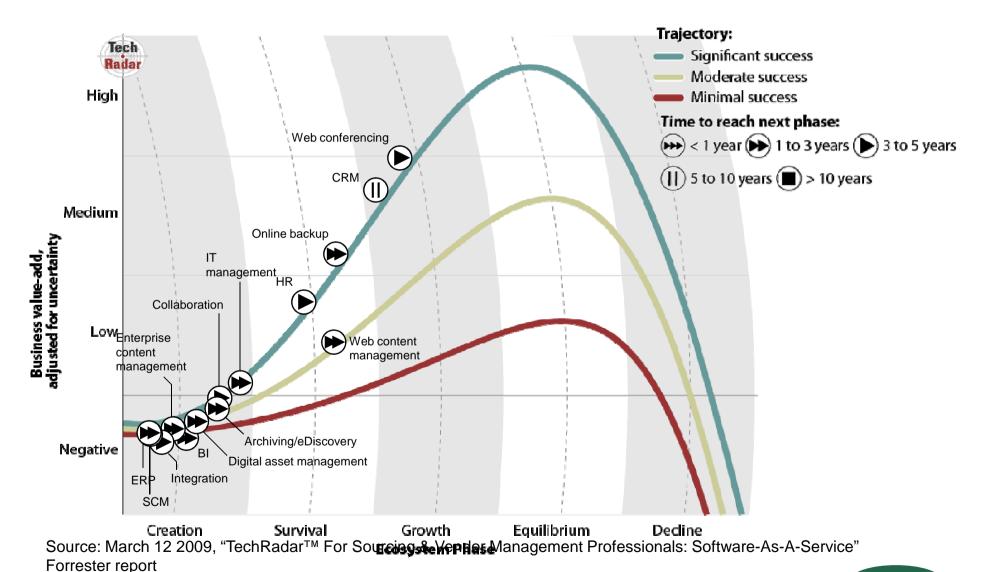


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SaaS market maturity

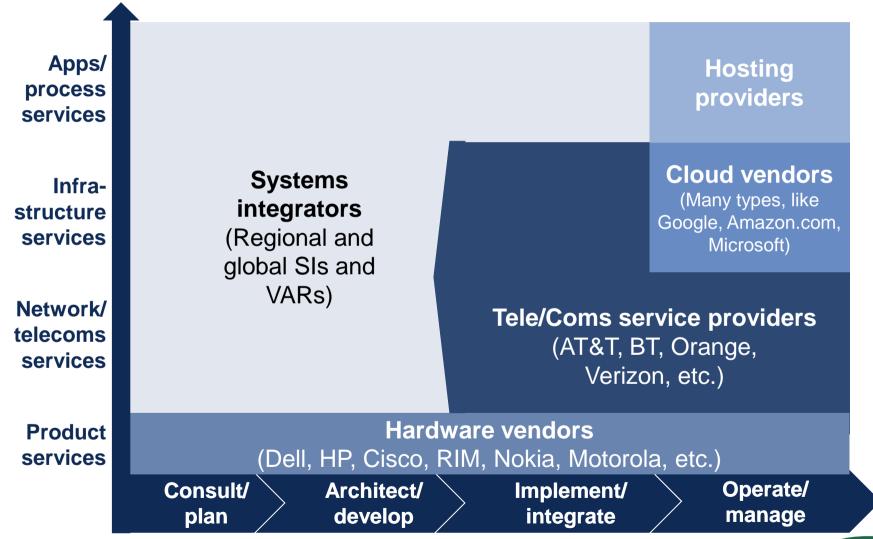


Maturity synthesis

- The customers seem ready to adopt...
- ... But different Cloud domains have different maturity...
- ... And the benefits also vary widely



Service provider landscape shifts with tele/Coms as-a-service/cloud



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