THE HYBRID CLOUD SURVIVAL GUIDE
Lessons from those with experience

MODELS AND BENEFITS

- Integration of remote and local applications
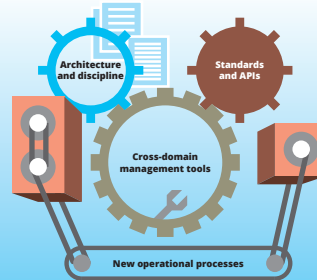- Migration of workloads across boundaries
- Bursting and over-spill to handle spikes in demand

Delivery Flexibility

ESSENTIAL MECHANICS

- Architecture and discipline
- Standards and APIs
- Cross-domain management tools
- New operational processes

CREATING THE RIGHT ENVIRONMENT
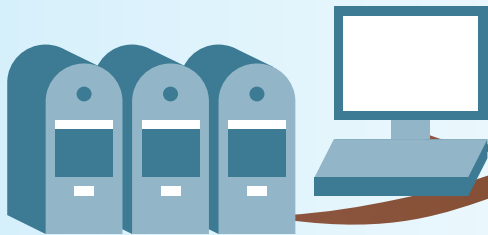
'CLOUD-SAFE'
Provider due-diligence and management
Clear demarcation of responsibilities
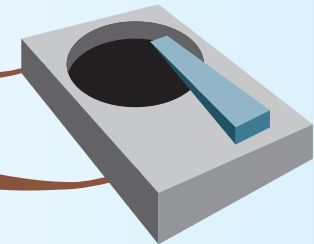Cross-domain security management

'CLOUD-FRIENDLY'
Service-centric delivery approach
New budgeting and accounting models
Prioritisation of shared infrastructure

PERCEIVED ROOTS

VIRTUALISATION AND MANAGEMENT

TRADITIONAL HOSTING

PRIVATE CLOUD

+ Viewed as strategic within the data centre

– Concerns about business case and need for transformation

EVOLUTION OF VIEWS AND ACTIVITY

Public and private cloud regarded as separate today

The Service-centric IT delivery approach will naturally bring them together over time

PUBLIC CLOUD

+ Viewed as tactical convenience for service delivery

– Concerns about trust, security and integration