

IBM Software Services for DB2 Competitive Migrations



With over 20 years of migration experience, our consultants have helped customers reduce both risk and downtime using the Migration Center “best practices” methodology.

What is the IBM DB2 Migration Service?

Developed to deliver cost-effective migrations backed by IBM experts and Support, the Migration Center can develop a customized migration plan for your organization. Using an IBM proven and standardized methodology, our consultants can migrate your database environment and help accelerate performance with DB2.

What’s Involved

Our Migration Service begins with an application and database migration needs assessment. Then, a gap analysis is performed to determine any re-engineering needed to meet business requirements. An architectural review, analysis of required resources, and ongoing project management is also provided.

The IBM Migration Center delivers:

- Migration Assessment
Gather conversion metrics, acquire and verify the inventory of objects to be migrated, project planning, identify training needs, assistance with planning post-migration testing, and research to identify conversion issues that may affect the migration effort.

Highlights

- **Benefit from IBM Worldwide DB2 Migration Center “best practices” methodology**
- **Customized migration process using automated tools to reduce cost and speed migration**
- **Reduce risk and downtime by utilizing our highly specialized migration experts**

In today’s competitive IT market, leading organizations continue to evolve their IT infrastructure, applications and hardware to reduce costs and remain competitive. With the help of IBM Information Management Software Services, customers worldwide have successfully migrated their application and database environments for business success.

The IBM DB2® Migration Center will migrate your database environment to DB2 from many databases including Oracle, Sybase, Teradata, SQL Server, and many others. Our consultants can migrate your internally developed applications and third-party applications like SAP to DB2. Our SAP-certified migration experts bring their experience from numerous collaborative SAP migrations to DB2 for a smooth migration experience.



- Migration Strategy Development
Prepare the migration strategy to minimize risk and disruption to your business. Identify gaps in DB2 compatibility with third party applications.
- Application Migration
Migrate applications to DB2, managing version control, until your team is ready to start developing in DB2. Apply our Quality Assurance process every step of the way to ensure delivery of high quality results.
- Database Conversion
Leverage, where possible, automated conversion tooling, to reduce error and streamline the delivery.
- Data Migration
Develop and comprehensively test data migration scripts for each table at IBM labs to help you implement the scripts for populating your DB2 databases.
- Acceptance Testing
Provide technical support during the entire acceptance testing process to resolve migration issues identified during testing.
- Implementation
Deliver comprehensive post-migration documentation and prepare you to fully support and maintain your new DB2 environment.

The Migration Center provides unparalleled DB2 migration experience with a proven methodology to decrease the amount of staff training, risk, and duration of a migration project. This offering will help your organization gain the maximum benefit from an advanced DB2 feature set, while minimizing disruption to your business.

Supported Migrations

IBM migrates all of the following source databases, including many others:

- Teradata
- SQL Server
- Oracle
- Computer Associates
- Progress
- MySQL
- SAP
- Sybase
- XBase
- Adabas
- Supra/Total

IBM also migrates application and database objects written in most software development languages, including all database vendor specialty database languages and C, C++, Java, 4GLs, COBOL, Natural, and others.

For more information

To learn more about IBM Software Services for Information Management and this service offering, please contact your local IBM sales representative or send an e-mail to dmskills@us.ibm.com.

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