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IBM WebSphere DataPower Migration Services

Migrate from Cisco® ACE Web Application Firewall to WebSphere® DataPower SOA Appliances

What are the services?

- A migration offering to move from your Cisco ACE XML Gateway and ACE Web Application Firewall products to the IBM WebSphere® DataPower appliance family

- A no-charge migration assessment performed by our technical team and 80 hours of services that will assist you to perform the following tasks:

    – Set up and install the WebSphere DataPower appliance in a test environment with mentoring on configuration and security

    – Migrate existing configurations from the Cisco products to the IBM DataPower products.

Business context

- Cisco has announced the End of Life (ELA) of their ACE XML Gateway and ACE Web Application Firewall, scheduled for January 2012.

- IBM WebSphere® DataPower SOA appliances provide the capability to replace the Cisco equipment, with updated WS-* and security standard support.

- DataPower appliances are purpose-built, easy-to-deploy network devices that can simplify, help secure, and accelerate your XML and web application deployments.

Business results

The IBM DataPower Migration service offering mitigates risks of upgrading to a new WebSphere DataPower appliance:

- **Deep experience** with the appliance and knowledge of best practices from many successful client deployments

- **Mentoring** for your IT staff on how to configure the appliance and **best practices** for managing the configuration

- Capture of field and deployment feedback for **improvement of future products** to protect your investment

- **High customer satisfaction through use of best practices and experience**

Typical activities

Our IBM DataPower technical professionals will perform an interactive evaluation assessment and an 80-hour services engagement with an IBM Software Services for WebSphere (ISSW) expert, tailored to your needs. As part of this offering, IBM will perform the following services:

- Assess and evaluate current your use of the Cisco products and where and how these can be replaced by the IBM DataPower product family

- Install and configure your new WebSphere DataPower appliance

- Review the configuration of your existing Cisco ACE XML Gateway and apply similar configuration settings to the new DataPower Appliance

- Address any known issues related to migrating to the DataPower appliance and recommend a testing strategy for deployment into the production environment

- Mentor your staff on features and functions on the new appliance

- Recommend best practices for configuration management, security, and other topics tailored specifically for your needs

Deliverable

ISSW will deliver an Assessment Summary Report. Depending on the level of detail discussed, the summary may also include recommendations for education and additional services.

Resources

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