

VMware Infrastructure with Virtual Desktop Manager Jumpstart

Overview

Customers new to virtual infrastructure can learn more about its use in creating and managing virtual desktops. Virtual desktops enable companies to provide end-users operating systems, business applications and productivity tools centrally from datacenters. This results in overall end-user satisfaction and improved data security while reducing administrative costs. In this workshop we provide knowledge transfer on VMware Infrastructure (VI) and demonstrate potential use of VMware Virtual Desktop Manager (VDM) in conjunction with VI. Participants will learn how to efficiently create, provision and manage virtual desktops in a prototype setting.

Deliverables

- An interactive proof-of-concept workshop that provides knowledge transfer on virtual infrastructure and its use for structuring and deploying virtual desktops
- Best practices guidance on installation, configuration, and management of components used for Virtual Desktop Infrastructure (VDI)
- Proof-of-concept environment installed and configured

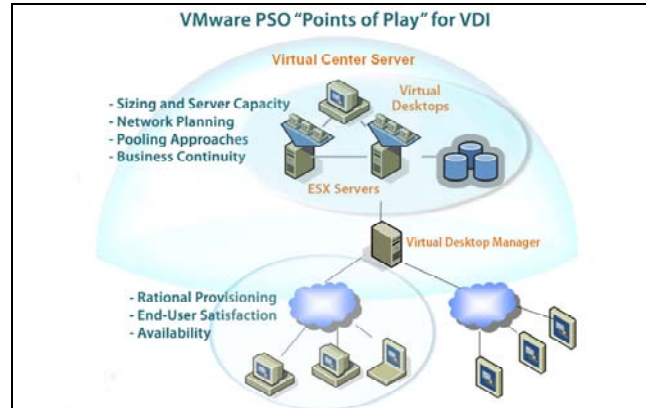
Target Audience

Customers new to VMware Infrastructure 3 (VI3) want the benefits of virtual desktops. Companies that want to improve end-user productivity while reducing costs of administering physical desktops would be interested in this offering.

Roles and Responsibilities

- VMware Certified Professional Consultant: Conducts workshop, provides best practices and knowledge transfer about configuration and management of VI and VDM
- Workshop Participants: IT staff responsible for end-user support, desktop resources, architecture, storage, network, servers and services management

Professional Services Best Practices



Benefits

- Understand benefits and cost savings of virtual desktops
- Understand effort and approach required to implement and manage virtual desktops
- Learn best practices and implementation considerations for virtual desktops

Pricing and Scope

- 4 days onsite
- Up to 5 participants
- VMware VI with Virtual Desktop Manager Jumpstart is delivered by a Certified Professional Consultant from VMware or by a VMware Authorized Consulting (VAC) partner
- Contact your local VMware representative for pricing.
- Credits are redeemable for this offering
- SKU Name: CON-ESXVC-VDM-JS

Requirements

- VMware ESX Server and supporting hardware and operating system environment
- Minimum 60 GB of local space free, support for NAS, iSCSI or SAN Storage
- Conference room with projector and networked computers running MS Windows 2000, or higher

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