IBM InfoSphere Professional Services
Information Server Migration Offering

- *A seamless migration from one ETL environment to another, including in-depth planning and testing*

- *Fully realize the benefits of your application on our new Information Server technology*

- *Migration plan tailored to your environment from an experienced consultant*

- *Guidance through standard practices and test procedures to safeguard production system*

- *Learn valuable skills and gain hands on experience*

Introduction
The InfoSphere Services Migration offering provides you the assistance you need to successfully migrate existing applications developed with DataStage, Information Server, or other applications to the Information Server parallel framework.

Information Server leads the industry in performance and scalability for data integration. By leveraging the parallel platform, organizations are able to reduce processing windows and maximize their hardware investment. Through this offering, we expedite the transition moving your existing server jobs to the new paradigm. This will allow you to leverage your existing investment and is a key step in establishing a standardized Information Server Version 8.X environment across your organization.

InfoSphere Services Migration Assessment Services
To complete a migration activity and to take full advantage of the new architecture available with IBM's InfoSphere Information Server product, a thorough understanding of the differences

in jobs across the different versions of Data Stage, Information Server, as well as any other applications you may have is required. The Migration Assessment Services Offering will allow InfoSphere Services to quickly assess this information, which will drive the definition of the overall scope required to complete your migration initiative. Upon the conclusion of the assessment, you will have an understanding of what it will take to complete your migration, cost, as well as recommendations for next steps to take in order to execute your migration.

Migration Implementation Services
Upon completing the Migration Assessment, the next step is to execute the Migration. There are two different approaches that can be taken to complete a Migration implementation: Accelerated or Custom Migration Services.

- **Accelerated Migration Services:** This reduced cost approach will require a combination of both on and offsite work for InfoSphere Services resources. Once

jobs have been selected for migration, InfoSphere Services will arrive onsite to complete any remaining analysis and design work. The jobs will then be sent offsite to be converted to the new parallel framework by IBM resources. Unit Testing will also be conducted offsite. Once complete, the jobs will be delivered back for you to complete any systems integration and user acceptance testing in preparation for production rollout. You as the customer will then take the necessary steps to roll these jobs into a production environment. IBM will provide support as required during the system integration, user acceptance, and production rollout of these jobs.

- **Custom Migration Services:** The InfoSphere Services Custom Migration service is an IBM lead turn-key, complete migration of a customer's DataStage, Information Server, or other application server jobs to the parallel platform, including any re-architecture requirements. The execution of the offering includes all necessary testing and production rollout activities, and will leverage standard practices and advanced optimizations practices.

IBM looks forward to working with you on determining and executing upon an approach to your migration initiative.

IBM InfoSphere Services

IBM offers a broad set of services offerings designed to maximize success with the InfoSphere product suite through standard practices developed across numerous successful deployments. Intended to establish a foundation of product knowledge and guidelines, these strategic workshops and offerings are customized to the customer's existing environments, standards, and methodologies.

IBM's objective is to provide the most cost effective and expedient means of achieving project goals through the utilization of the IBM InfoSphere product suite, repeatable processes, and consistent deliverables. To achieve these goals and ensure the continued success of our initiatives, IBM leverages standard methodologies, proven consulting expertise and experience refined throughout hundreds of successful client engagements.

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