

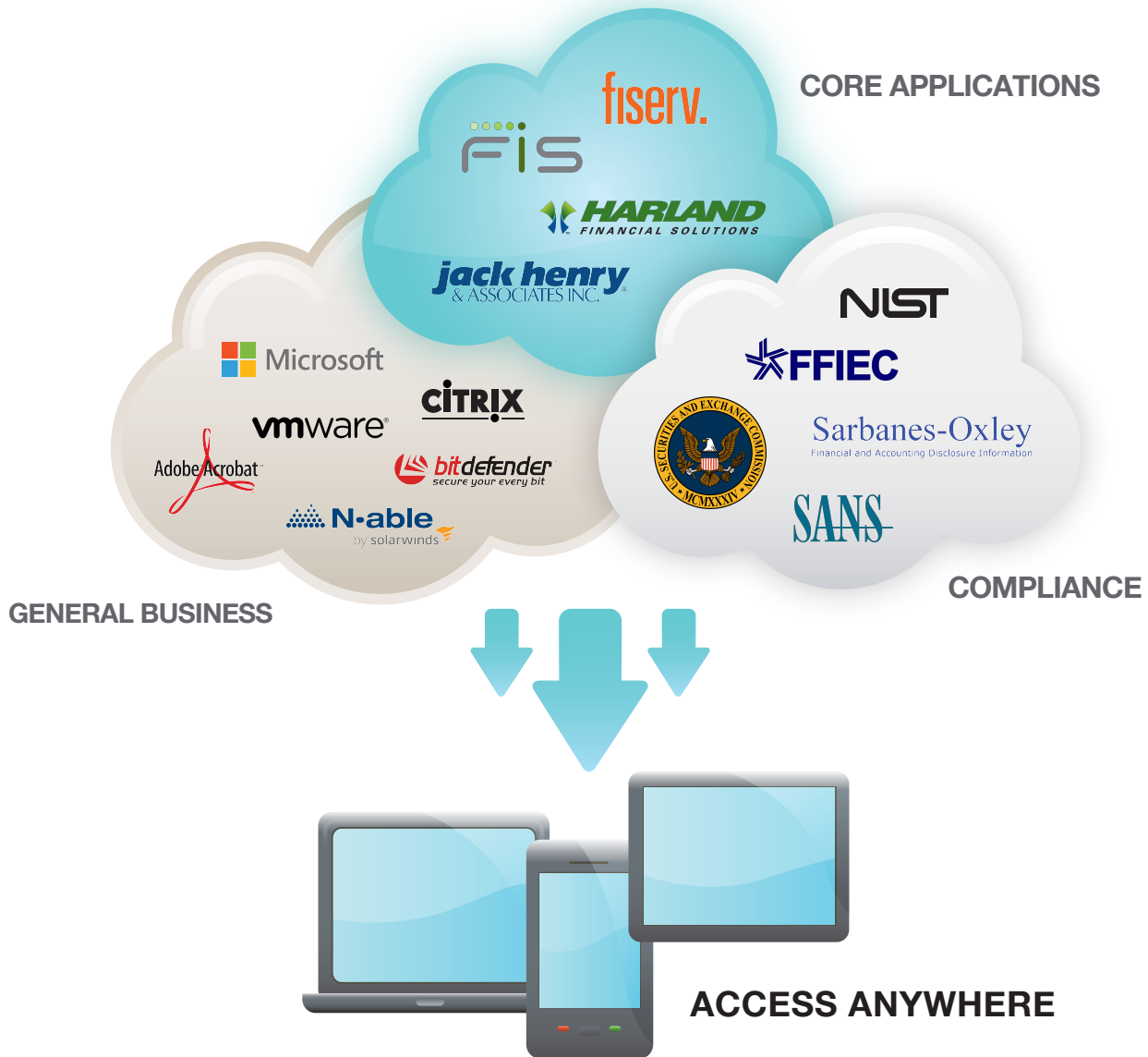
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Service Bureau IT

Cloud Client Computing for Financial Institutions

Financial institutions can now outsource their entire IT infrastructure to All Covered. Our Service Bureau IT offers a combination of expertise in people, technology and process providing the IT infrastructure to operate your financial institution from our secure private cloud. Our Service Bureau IT platform provides your institution with the hardware, software, networking, security, and end user support delivered as a holistic service. All Covered hosts your computing infrastructure in a fully redundant private cloud environment specifically designed to meet the security and regulatory requirements of financial institutions. Service Bureau IT removes the hardware refresh cycles and software management requirements allowing your institution to meet your IT, security and compliance needs.



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Our Service Bureau IT platform allows you to predictably scale your IT operations as your organization grows and your technology needs change. Service Bureau IT will reduce the complexity of your operating environment by consolidating all technology into secure data centers. Using state-of-the-art technology including system virtualization and Thin Client computing, we will provide your institution better controls to ensure compliance with FFIEC regulations.

Benefits of Service Bureau IT

Access to work files and enterprise applications	Thin Client computing enables increased productivity by allowing workers to work from anywhere. Employees can access their personal desktop from a fat client or notebook, making it easy to telework from the office, at home or while on the road. Workers attain secure and instant access to enterprise applications and data from any device.
Business continuity and disaster recovery	Your data is more secure and easier to backup. If a terminal fails, important data isn't lost since it is stored on the server. Having a centralized storage system allows for faster and easier backups as well as efficient disaster recovery.
Reduce capital expense on computer hardware	Thin Client devices are less expensive to purchase than PCs. You don't need much processing power and you can use the hardware for a longer period of time (on average, 7 years instead of 3 years). You can also choose to extend the lifespan of your current computers by converting them to Thin Clients (even a Pentium II could make an acceptable Thin Client!).
Easy licensing management and conformance to legal requirements	Due to the centralization, software licensing becomes far easier to monitor and manage. Only the servers need to be audited, not the Thin Client itself. Legal conformance with data protection laws such as GLBA and HIPPA is also made easier due to the data being centralized. Protecting personal records and privacy becomes much simpler than with traditional distributed client/server data. It is also easier and less expensive to respond to any legal questions or cases since potential evidence is centralized.
Reduced administration and end user support	Thin Clients are far simpler to manage since the Thin Client OS is deployed centrally and only includes a remote terminal client. Having a single point of administration reduces overall administration costs and saves on maintenance time. Domain wide changes can now be pushed out to all terminals in less time and more accuracy.
Adding or replacing Thin Clients is easy	In a Thin Client based computing environment, adding desktops for new employees can be done in a matter of minutes. Also, should a Thin Client device fail, the desktop can be restored in minutes simply by replacing the Thin Client device. (Thin Clients are inexpensive allowing you to stock a few at your office for emergency)
Increased reliability and Longer MTBF	Thin Client devices don't have moving parts or fans, and therefore have a MTBF (mean time before failure) which is far longer than a normal PC. Gartner, Inc., reports the average Thin Client MTBF is about 175,000 hours, compared to 25,000 hours for PCs.
Lower power consumption and save on electricity and heat generation	A Thin Client device uses only a third of the power a PC uses and generates far less heat and noise, resulting in substantial savings. Smaller footprint: Save on space - Thin Client devices are usually smaller than PCs - the size of an external modem or small VCR. Their compact size allows Thin Clients to be hidden under desktops or even mounted on walls or under desks. No longer will you be required to power an in house data center with power hungry Servers, UPS's and separate air conditioning units.
Increased security and less risk of viruses	A server operating system is proven to be more secure than a desktop OS. Thin Clients do away with hard drives and floppy drives and administrators can restrict the access to USB sticks and CD ROMS. This in turn prevents users from loading foreign applications onto the devices, thus increasing security levels and virtually eliminating viruses. It is also a secure approach for home working, as no corporate data is downloaded to virus prone home computers.
Lessens the risk of data theft	Having all data stored on central servers eliminates the risk of important company data falling into the wrong hands should a fat client or notebook be lost or stolen. When working from home, there is also no need for corporate data to be transported between office to home on disks or memory cards.
Predictable costs	Subscribing to technology as a service will allow your institution to predict IT costs for years to come, allowing your organization to plan for future growth having known incremental operating costs.
Third party integration	All Covered will work with your existing vendors to ensure a smooth transition to a fully hosted cloud model. Eliminating as much cultural shift as possible on end users, by keeping in place the applications they know.