When it comes to desktop virtualization, one size does not fit all.

Putting your business’s best foot forward begins with making use of technology that can both trim your budget and give all of your users the tools they need to excel. Client virtualization can help you look sharp. It reduces costs, simplifies management and dramatically improves data and application security. But when some of your users need more powerful compute resources than others, a one-size-fits-all approach is bound to leave some users feeling underdressed.

To extend the range of client virtualization options, HP and Citrix have teamed up to offer the HP Blade PCs with Citrix XenDesktop designed for professional users and knowledge workers whose productivity is critical to your business — users who require dedicated computing resources. This solution provides the benefits of virtualized desktops, combined with the computing power needed for business applications. HP can show you how to implement this as part of a mix of HP Client Virtualization Solutions to fit the needs of a wide variety of users like a custom-tailored wardrobe.

**Dressed for success**

This HP and Citrix Client Virtualization Solution for knowledge workers is based on HP Blade PCs bundled with Citrix XenDesktop software, energy-efficient HP Thin Clients, and HP servers and storage. This solution provides users with personalized desktops delivered via Citrix XenDesktop to a dedicated HP Blade PC in a secure data center. Users can access their personalized environments, applications, and data from almost anywhere they can connect to their network. But because they are accessing a HP Blade PC, they always have the dedicated performance they need.

To support your Citrix XenDesktop powered solution from HP, you can choose from a wide selection of HP servers, storage and software for a complete virtual desktop infrastructure that fits your current needs and is ready to scale as you grow. Using Citrix Provisioning Server with the HP Blade PCs, gives you the most streamlined and easy to manage XenDesktop environment. HP BladeSystem allows you to virtualize network, storage and power infrastructure. HP StorageWorks storage can also be used to securely store user data and includes such scalable solutions as the HP StorageWorks Modular Smart Array (MSA) or Enterprise Virtual Array (EVA). And you can complete your Citrix solution with HP Insight Control Environment (ICE) for server management and HP Storage Essentials for storage management.

This solution is integrated and tested through the HP and Citrix partnership, meaning you have the assurance of an easy-to-manage XenDesktop solution that can address users from task workers to power users. The powerful XenDesktop software suite, containing Citrix HDX technology, provides a ‘high-definition’ user experience — the same experience as a physical PC. XenDesktop lowers your support costs by simplifying operating system image management, application and user personalization settings. And because the solution is based on end-to-end infrastructure from HP, system administrators can manage the entire environment with the same proven, powerful tools from Citrix and HP used by the other Client Virtualization Solutions.

It’s time to contact your HP sales representative. They’ll meet with you to analyze your needs, and propose a virtual client solution that makes sense for your organization and budget.

You’ll look so good you’ll never buy off the rack again.
HP Blade PCs
- Provide dedicated PC resources for your knowledge workers
- Citrix XenDesktop included for easy management
- Centralize desktop computing resources into easily-managed, highly-secure data centers
- Enable single-console control of end-user administration, provisioning and automatic failover
- Significantly reduce the risks of viruses, theft and data loss with centralized control of hardware and end-user data

Dynamic deployment
- Automatic failover eliminates support calls
- Redirected data ensures integrity
- Image consistency simplifies management

Static deployment
- Fast and easy to deploy
- No additional external storage required
- Centralized simplified management

HP Blade Workstations
- Provide workstation class performance and graphics in a secure blade environment
- Provide compelling user-experience when using Citrix
- Ideal for engineers, designers and traders with applications requiring performance and more demanding 2D/3D graphics and/or support of more than two displays

HP Thin Clients
- Validated as Citrix Ready
- Supports Citrix Desktop Appliance specifications
- Easy out-of-the-box deployment with Citrix Receiver pre-installed
- Compatible with Citrix SpeedScreen
- Extensive portfolio including Microsoft® Windows® Mobile™ thin clients
- Includes secure USB compartment and Quick Release option for easy mounting

HP StorageWorks MSA2000
- Reliable storage consolidation for small and medium business, departmental, and remote office environments
- Fibre channel, iSCSI and SAS host interface options
- Grow capacity up to 48 TB
- Browser based management
- Protect your data automatically at regular intervals with optional snapshot and clone software

Technology for better business outcomes

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