

Data Migration Readiness Assessment

Informatica Professional Services

Duration: 15 days

IPS Staff Level: Three consultants

Description

Implementing a new ERP application or migrating to a new business-critical CRM system can be a challenging and expensive proposition. The Data Migration Readiness Assessment demonstrates the value of leveraging your investment in Informatica enterprise data integration software for data migration. This assessment is designed to help you understand the challenges of data migration projects, mitigate their risks, and effectively scope and plan data migration projects to be able to complete them on time, within scope, and on budget. The Data Migration Readiness Assessment prepares your organization for large data migrations by demonstrating how to execute a best practices-based data migration using Informatica tools, methodology, and technologies.

This assessment uses a sample of *your data* as a prototype for a data migration project. Multiple source data sets are loaded into a target application using a project-proven, pre-built development and test strategy. Data profiles, standard exception reports, migration mappings, and a Migration Readiness Report are created. The prototype also provides a collection of Informatica transformation objects commonly used on data migration projects.

At the conclusion of the Data Migration Readiness Assessment, a Data Migration Readiness Report is prepared. The Migration Readiness Report:

- Documents common data problems and provides specific examples found in your specific migration engagement
- Demonstrates common mapping problems
- Outlines probable project management challenges
- Documents a data migration strategy for your unique implementation so you can make your next data migration a success

Value

- Jump-start data migration development with experienced guidance
- Leverage Informatica's experience in data migration projects
- Implement the optimal Informatica architecture for a data migration project
- Learn about best practices for structural and development strategies
- Gain an in-depth understanding of Informatica data integration technology and methodology

Areas of Focus:

- Baseline architecture, including Informatica software configuration
- Data migration database usage
- Development best practices and integration strategy
- Data cleansing
- Audit needs
- Load strategy
- Typical challenges

Deliverables:

- Data Migration Readiness Assessment project review document with:
 - Data exception reports
 - Project management reports
 - Developer metadata reports
 - Data profiles
- Sample load strategy examples
- Audit/balancing examples
- Data lineage reports

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