

# Are you really “Cloud-Ready”?

A majority of organisations are still struggling to answer this question. A closer look at your IT infrastructure, cloud strategy, and application lifecycle, among other factors, will indicate where you lie on the cloud maturity spectrum. Take this survey to find out how cloud-ready you are.



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## The survey will enable you in your cloud adoption journey, by offering you

 An assessment of your current cloud maturity level based on 6 key pillars of cloud-readiness: Cloud strategy, hybrid cloud, governance, application lifecycle, infrastructure readiness, and IT service management.

 A personalised recommendation report based on the analysis of your responses to accelerate your move to the cloud.

## What’s your Cloud maturity model?

-  **Cloud Explorer**  
You’re just getting started on the cloud and are exploring opportunities, but your infrastructure and cloud strategy aren’t ready to take on the cloud.
-  **Cloud Transformer**  
You’ve taken initial-steps towards cloud adoption and exploring ways to automate process, but lacks unified cloud strategy to seamlessly leverage cloud.
-  **Cloud Pacesetter**  
You’re well and truly on the cloud. You are ready to leverage the power of the Hybrid Cloud, but you need direction to take on emerging cloud-driven technologies.

**60%** of IT leaders are adopting cloud to enhance their business agility. 35% are focused on reducing costs and total cost of ownership (TCO).

**62%** of IT leaders have partially implemented their cloud strategy. 74% of them faced difficulty in forming a clear cloud adoption strategy, or they lack in-house cloud expertise and skills.

**25%** of IT leaders said that they are trying to come up with a cloud strategy. 2/3<sup>rd</sup> of them accept the need to conduct a workload assessment.

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**65%**  
of IT leaders are building cloud-native workloads to host them on public cloud, while more than half of them want to integrate public and on-premise workloads.

**68%**  
of IT leaders use a mix of both private and public clouds. Nearly half require both in-house IT teams and managed services partners.

**57%**  
of IT leaders agree some workloads or data could move to the cloud. Close to half are planning to use containers wherever feasible.

**61%**  
of IT leaders mentioned most of their IT processes and frameworks are standardised. 92% have implemented some service automation for provisioning infrastructure.

**59%**  
of IT leaders highlight their application deployments in the cloud were partially successful, and nearly 1/3<sup>rd</sup> agree there is lack of in-house cloud expertise and skill sets.

**68%**  
of IT leaders use a mix of both private and public clouds, and nearly 2/3<sup>rd</sup> have IT governance process in place.

Source: Insights and analysis are based on responses from 181 IT leaders across industries who participated in the Cloud CMM survey conducted by Tata Communications.