



### PATechCon - Service Management Track

**Integrated Demand & Capacity Management** 

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#### **Integrated Demand and Capacity Management Process**



**Challenges faced through Cloud Adoption** 

Starting with the Basics – Service Catalogue

**Establishing the Integrated Demand & Capacity Management Process** 

**Key Success Factors** 

# Data Centers have along with the Infrastructure Platforms evolved over time and with the introduction of Cloud has created greater challenges

The underlying challenge that the CIO & Head of Infrastructure are facing is one of complexity

- Cloud is another disrupter that increases the potential complexity which is increasing and challenging the IT Organization grip over usage.
- Infrastructure Platforms have been implemented often due to Application considerations and not due to a standard Infrastructure blueprint this has led to TCO pressures and complexity
- Compromising Security extending the traditional security parameter to include external Cloud Services

Governance and an integrated Service Management solution to control demand, usage and ensure stability and operational efficiencies

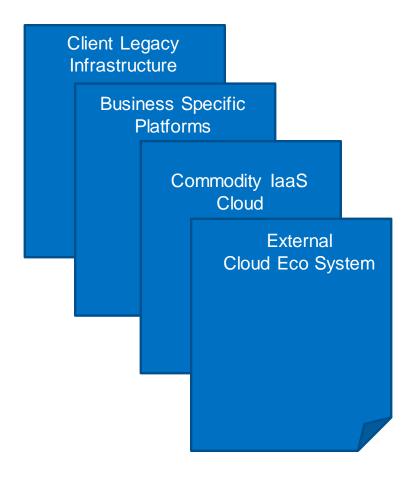
Structured Platform Architecture that preserves existing compute, protect mission critical application performance – yet leverage the benefits of the Cloud

Developing a Hybrid IT Blueprint and platform to control Traditional IT Systems and the Cloud

This is driving organizations to rethink their Demand and Capacity Management approach



## A key step in establishing robust demand Management and resultant Capacity Planning is the Service Catalogue



- A single Portal that provides the simplified Service Catalog.
- Aligned to Technology Platforms
  - Client Legacy
     individually defined and specific aligned SLAs. Typically non dynamic and static and very specific technologies that require a 'ring fenced' support structure. Service provided through a minimum commit based pricing model
  - Business Specific Platforms

     based upon the Cloud Commodity Service Catalogue, but with Business specific configurations. Priced on a P\*Q basis.
  - Commodity Infrastructure Cloud commodity based, standard service descriptions and P\*Q based. No variations allowed from Service Description.
  - External Cloud Eco-system priced on a Cloud Provider basis and through a P\*Q basis that include required Governance and Management of the Cloud Provider



#### **Bringing together Demand and Capacity Management**

#### **Demand Management**

Demand Management detects and influences the demand for IT Services by the IT Service

- Consumers by analysis of consumption by the IT Service
- Consumers anticipating future demand of the IT Service Consumers
- influencing the consumption of the IT Service Consumers by appropriate technical and economic means

#### **Capacity Management**

Capacity Management ensures the capacity of the IT Services and the IT Infrastructure in a way that all components of the IT Services:

- IT Infrastructure
- IT Processes
- IT Resources

support the achievement of agreed capacity- and performance goals even regarding future requirements of the IT Service Consumers.

#### Integrated Demand & Capacity Mgt.

Bringing together the required demand for IT services and equating this to the required capacity to fulfil



## What does the current challenges mean to Demand and Capacity Management?

#### **Demand Management**

**Short Term** 

- Opportunistic Short Term Requirements
- Test or Development Environments
- Burst Capacity Requirements

Mid/Long Terms

 Planned Requirements



#### **Capacity Management**

Responsiveness

- Timely Provisioning of new request
- Archiving and reuse against scheduling
- Decommissioning when not required
- Availability
- Capacity being available to bring seamless provisioning
- Standard Service availability

Transparency

P\*Q based metering



#### **Establishing the Integrated Process**

There are a number if elements to consider when looking at Demand and how it results in Capacity requirements

Category of Demand	Disc/Non Disc	Consideration
Mandated Projects	Non Discretionary	The business will mandate certain projects that have to be executed, these need to have a committed capacity plan established.
New Initiatives	Discretionary	Both the Business or IT will on a periodic basis have need for new projects or initiatives that require funding and will result, in the most, to additional capacity. However, b nature these initiatives can be deprioritized.
Continuous Improvements	Discretionary	As part of continuous performance review and technology advancements, there will be a need to factor in additional capacity requirements
Business As Usual Growth	Non Disrectionary	Maintaining the correct level of capacity to maintain required levels of service



#### Questions that the process should address

What is the strategy that is driving the Business?

How should the IT Strategy support the Business objectives?

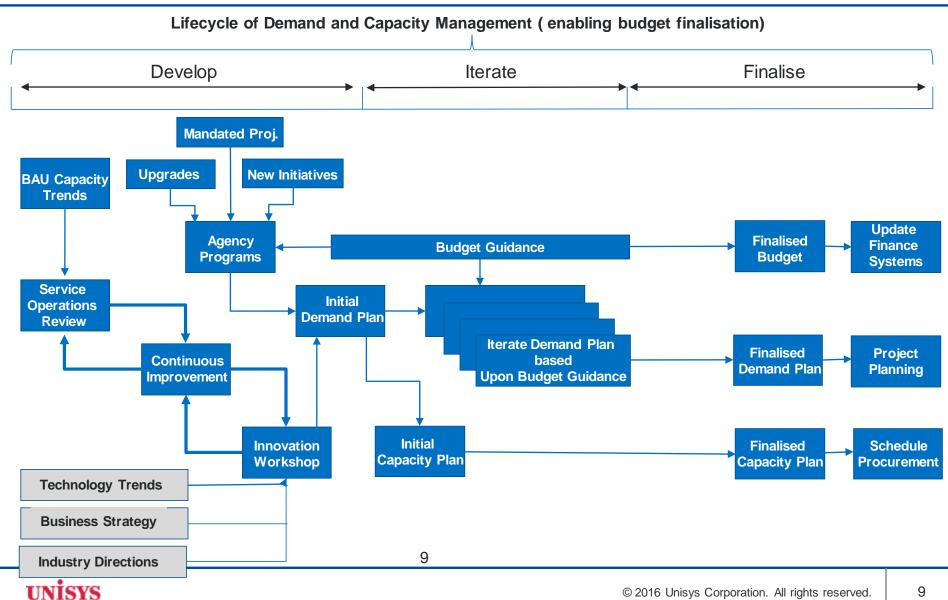
Is the current IT performance meeting requirements?

What are the projects planned for the coming fiscal year?

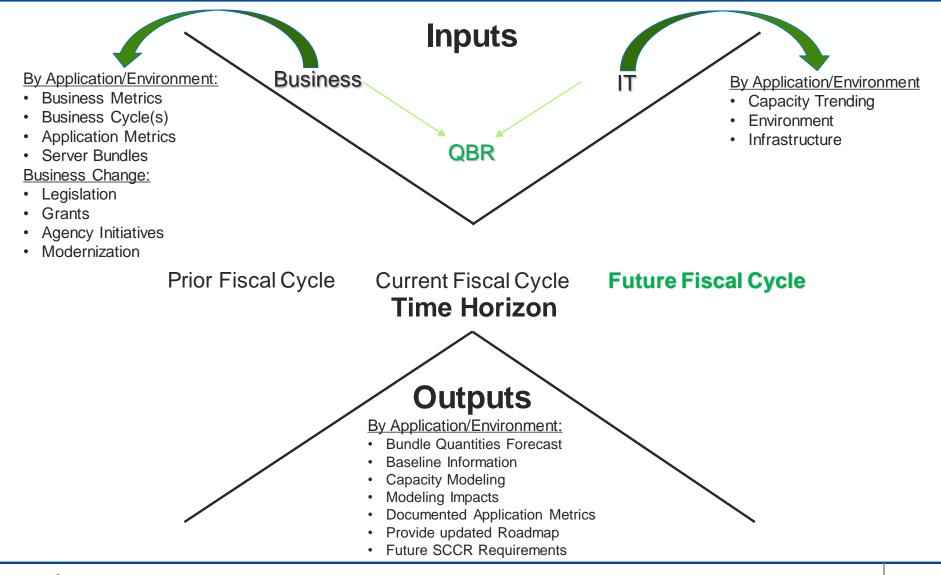
What changes are required?
Continuous Improvement,
Technology Evolution .....



#### **Integrated Demand and Capacity Management Process**



#### **Baselining and Continuous Review**



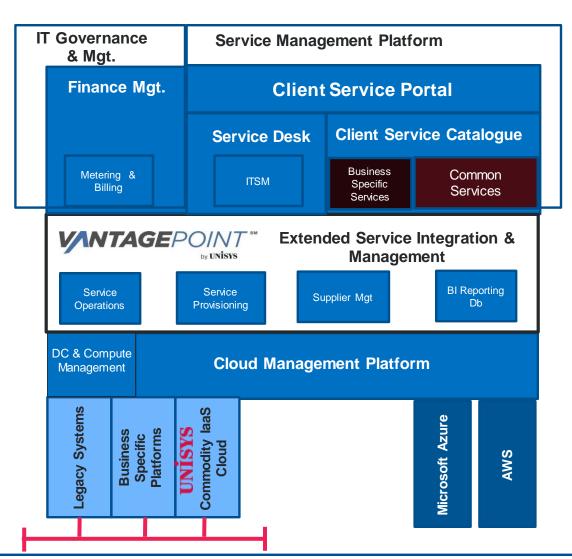


#### **Critical Success Factors**

- Collaborative Effort
- Structured Implementation
- Workshops Surface and Shape Inputs
- Agencies Provide Business and Application Metrics
- Capacity Utilization Modeling only for Production Environments
- Quarterly Business Reviews (QBR) Mature BDP Process



### **Bring things to life -** Integrating Cloud Environment within the context of the full IT Landscape



- Single 'Pane of Glass' to Request full range of Compute Services
- Simplified Service Catalogue for Common Services and ability to customize Catalogue for Business Unit Specific Services
- Extended Service Integration & Management:
- Service Operations End to End Management of Core Enterprise Computing and all Cloud Services
- Service Provisioning & Orchestration single point for the Business to request Compute and Cloud Services – can be extended for all IT Services
- Supplier Management Operational management of 3<sup>rd</sup> parties to deliver service to agreed functional and service levels
- Service Analytics and Reporting Big Data for Infrastructure. Comprehensive reporting and analysis capability
- Finance Mgt taking information from the BI Engine to feed Metring information in order to Bill

