

CURRENT STATE ASSESSMENT

UNDERSTAND YOUR ENVIRONMENT BEFORE YOU CHANGE IT

WHAT IT IS

Align's Current State Assessment (CSA) provides a comprehensive view of your IT environment by identifying applications, infrastructure, dependencies, and system ownership across the data center.

WHY IT MATTERS

Over time, IT environments grow more complex as applications, servers, and infrastructure are added, modified, or retired. Without a validated understanding of how applications and systems interact, organizations face increased risk during migrations, consolidations, and modernization initiatives. This IT assessment restores that visibility so teams can plan with confidence.

HOW IT WORKS

Align will:

- **Collect & Review Infrastructure Data:** Analyze available data sources including server inventories, virtualization platforms, CMDB records, monitoring systems, DNS records, and storage documentation.
 - **Discover Applications & System Relationships:** Identify logical application groupings and relationships between servers, infrastructure components, and services.
 - **Validate with Stakeholders:** Use structured discovery surveys and stakeholder engagement to confirm application purpose, business criticality, ownership, dependencies, and operational requirements.
 - **Map Ownership & Support Structure:** Identify application owners, support teams, and vendor responsibilities to establish clear operational accountability.
 - **Analyze Risk & Classify Systems:** Evaluate systems based on business criticality, lifecycle status, ownership clarity, and operational risk.
 - **Deliver Findings & Strategic Recommendations:** Provide a consolidated report highlighting risks, ownership gaps, undocumented dependencies, and recommendations to support migration or modernization initiatives.
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WHAT YOU GAIN

- ✓ A validated inventory of applications, systems, and infrastructure across the environment
 - ✓ Clear visibility into application ownership, vendor responsibilities, and support contacts
 - ✓ Identification of undocumented system dependencies and infrastructure relationships
 - ✓ Reduced migration and modernization risk through dependency and ownership validation
 - ✓ Improved governance of legacy, unsupported, or underutilized systems
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