MIDDLEWARE MIGRATION ASSESSMENT
REDUCE COST AND UNLOCK PROPRIETARY CHAINS BY MIGRATING TO JBOSS

WHAT IS IT?
In a short term engagement, a Middleware Migration Assessment performs an intensive on-site review of your platform and application requirements, high-level architecture, application code, build and deployment processes, testing practices, and development and runtime environments. A Middleware Migration Assessment covers possible migration of proprietary solutions to JBoss, other open source solutions to JBoss, and even prior versions of JBoss to current versions.

WHAT DOES IT DO?
A Middleware Migration Assessment ensures a successful migration project by combining proven best practices and methodologies with the experience and expertise of JBoss consultants to thoroughly assess your current middleware environment and provide a road map detailing the resources, time, and costs required to migrate to JBoss Enterprise Middleware.

WHY SHOULD I CARE?
JBoss Enterprise Middleware maximizes the value of your IT investment and the value of IT to your business. Many of your peers, and some of your competitors, are already benefiting from the lower total cost of ownership, increased flexibility, and greater productivity delivered by JBoss Enterprise Middleware.

A Middleware Migration Assessment by JBoss consultants is the first and most important step in any migration project, as they mitigate risk and speed time to deployment. When you have a clear, accurate road map on what must be done, and what resources will be required, you can be confident that your migration project will be successful. And if you then go on to leverage Red Hat to implement your migration project, you can be sure our consultants will complete the job with minimal disruption to your IT operations.

SCOPE
A Middleware Migration Assessment evaluates the level of effort for the migration of one application. More complex or multi-application environments may require additional time. A JBoss consultant with open source and middleware expertise will perform the work at your site, manage all stages of the engagement, provide full knowledge transfer, and complete any necessary documentation.

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- Migration Assessment Report: a report detailing the current platform and application environment, high-level architecture, application code, development and run time environment. It also covers the build and deployment process and testing practices, application development skills on staff as well as an estimate on the time and resources required for successful migration.
- Knowledge Transfer: JBoss consultants provide full knowledge transfer, review Migration Assessment Report findings, and make recommendations for additional training in order to ensure full operational efficiency for your JBoss Enterprise Middleware environment.
- Confidence: knowing the approximate duration and cost of a migration project enables you to accurately and confidently project net improvements to total cost of ownership and return on your IT investment.

1 This is not a fixed-term engagement. The exact time required depends on the complexity of your environment and the number of servers and applications included in the assessment.
REQUIREMENTS
To ensure a smooth service delivery the following people from your organization should be available to work with the consultant during the engagement:

- Sponsor. As your ultimate sign-off authority, the sponsor provides guidance and an escalation point, should one be necessary.

- Project manager. This person manages your day-to-day activities related to this engagement, and ensures the timely delivery of information required for the project.

- IT and other staff. Successful delivery of our service requires access to competent professionals who provide relevant information about your IT infrastructure.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
For more information on the Middleware Migration Assessment or on any other Red Hat consulting offering, visit

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OUTLINE PLAN
1. Inventory: to allow maximum visibility of your current environment.
2. Define target architecture: taking into account customer needs and constraints.
3. Select the best pilot application.
4. Risk assessment.
5. Define a migration strategy and a roadmap.
6. Final Report: Provides the synthesis of all of the above activities.