# National Data Regulations Are Driving Adoption of Sovereign Cloud

# DECISION MAKERS IN REGULATED INDUSTRIES SAY



**63%** It's essential to have a cloud solution with complete jurisdictional control and authority over data



**35%** Have already repatriated all data and workloads from commercial, public clouds - with more planned<sup>1</sup>

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An increasing number of VMware Cloud Providers are qualified sovereign cloud providers who have training and expertise in relevant areas, including:

- Data sovereignty and jurisdictional control
- · Data access and integrity
- Data protection and compliance
- · Data independence and interoperability

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Want to learn more about VMware Sovereign Cloud or if a sovereign cloud is right for you?

Please visit www.cloud.vmware.com/ providers/sovereign-cloud for more information or reach out to your trusted VMware Cloud Provider. The increasing regulations governing data protection, residency and governance drive enterprises to pay more attention to security and compliance than ever before. National rules are going beyond data residency to cover data protection, governance, disclosures and reporting. National regulations include the *PATRIOT Act* (USA), *Digital Privacy Act* (Canada), *GDPR* (EU) and *LGPD* (Brazil).

# Regulatory compliance is more complex than meets the eye



#### Struggling with frustration?

You are not alone. 75% of enterprises make meeting regulatory compliance their top priority.<sup>2</sup> Compliance covers protection, governance, audits and reporting.

## Short on expertise?

75% of enterprises consider lack of skilled resources a top priority. The skillset gap is likely to get more acute soon.<sup>2</sup>

### Sovereign Cloud meets national data rules

Having a robust data security and compliance strategy is critical in achieving higher standards of data protection demand by today's laws and regulations. VMware Cloud Providers offering sovereign cloud can help you attain integrity, security, and availability of information systems and sensitive data. Sovereign Cloud providers can protect your systems and data from security risks by adhering to the following:

- Data remains under sovereign control and avoids compelled access by foreign authorities
- Prioritize security against evolving attack vectors to protect your data and apps
- Sovereign cloud protection and compliance services exceed commercial, public clouds
- Capitalize on your data that you can share with trusted parties to vitalize national commerce
- Be prepared for evolving security and regulatory requirements
- Offer a secure and resilient cloud that leverages national economies and business growth



 $<sup>1.\ \</sup>mathsf{IDC}, commissioned \ by \ \mathsf{VMware}, \ \mathsf{``Deploying \ the \ Right \ Data \ to \ the \ Right \ Cloud \ in \ Regulated \ Industries.'' \ \mathsf{June \ 2021}$ 

<sup>2.</sup> Flexera 2021 "State of the Cloud Report."