

VMware Infrastructure Planner

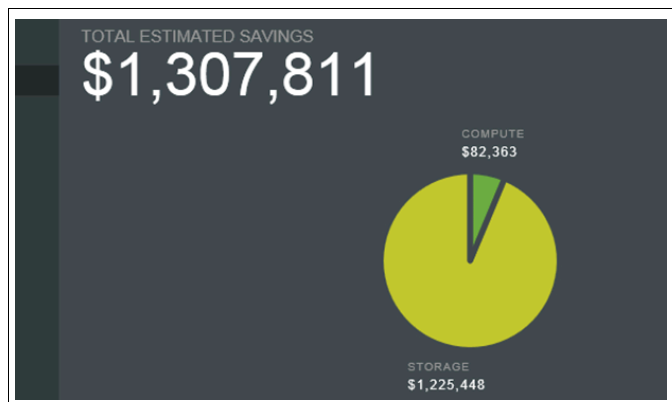
AT A GLANCE

VMware Infrastructure Planner is a free tool that gathers data on your virtual environment and displays a summary of the savings opportunities that the software-defined data center (SDDC) can bring to your environment.

VMware Infrastructure Planner will help you make smart decisions when assessing your datacenter infrastructure, based on information in your specific environment.

BENEFITS

- Easily understand what specific benefits the vCloud Suite and other products that enable the SDDC could provide in your environment
- Be armed with the collateral to be able to sell these to the decision makers in your company



VMware Infrastructure Planner – benefits and savings report

What is VMware Infrastructure Planner?

VMware Infrastructure Planner gathers data on your virtual environment, and displays a summary of the specific resources you could save if you deploy the vCloud Suite and other SDDC products.

These reports are segmented in easy-to-understand categories like compute, storage, and networking, and are backed up by more detailed reports. VMware Infrastructure Planner also provides a high level estimate of the financial benefits from deploying vCloud Suite.

How Does VMware Infrastructure Planner Work?

The VMware Infrastructure Planner process is initiated by the sales engineer, TAM (technical account manager) or partner reseller, who invites you to an assessment. Once invited, the customer follows these steps:

1. *For customers with vCenter Operations Manager installed:*
Download the bundle consisting of only VMware Infrastructure Planner Data Collector
- For customers without vCenter Operations Manager installed:*
Download the bundle consisting of vCenter Operations Manager and VMware Infrastructure Planner Data Collector
2. Deploy & configure the appropriate bundle
3. Communicate with your sales contact to adjust the assessment assumptions

After the data is collected, your sales contact will share the assessment results with you.

Key Features

Resource savings report

Understand what specific benefits the vCloud Suite and SDDC could provide in your environment. VMware Infrastructure Planner provides a summary of compute, storage and network savings across your environment, including a summary of potential financial benefits.

Downloadable collateral

Be armed with the collateral to be able to sell the SDDC to the decision makers in your company. VMware Infrastructure Planner allows you to download executive-level presentations tailored with your specific results.

Security and privacy

Only data relevant to providing the VMware Infrastructure Planner service is gathered. VMware Infrastructure Planner does not collect information that could be used to locate your environment on the public Internet, including IP addresses or hostnames. Data is transmitted securely to the online portal via SSL.

How to Get Access

Contact your sales representative to start using VMware Infrastructure Planner.

