

# EMC Assessment for Microsoft Exchange Server 2010 Upgrade/Migration

## The Big Picture

- Understand business impact and risk of migrating
- Understand the primary business and technical drivers toward Microsoft Exchange Server 2010
- Assess readiness of the current server environment in preparation for a transition to Microsoft Exchange Server 2010
  - Perform discovery of the current messaging and supporting environment
  - Receive analysis and recommendations based on discovery findings to drive required modifications and enhancements

## Business challenge

New features of Microsoft Exchange Server 2010 bring clear benefits to your business. However, upgrades and migrations of any type introduce risk into your environment. Avoiding business disruption and unforeseen delays requires understanding your organization's current IT infrastructure and business objectives, quantifying the risk of migrating too quickly or not migrating at all, and developing a methodology and resource plan.

## Service description

The EMC® Assessment for Microsoft Exchange Server 2010 Upgrade/Migration performs a discovery of your current messaging environment. Analysis of the discovery findings produces recommendations for modifying your environment to ensure a smooth migration from your current version of Microsoft Exchange or other messaging system to Microsoft Exchange Server 2010.

Employing a combination of automated tools, best practices, and subject matter experts, EMC works directly with you to prepare the following:

- An objective analysis of the health and performance of your messaging environment
- A written deliverable that contains a detailed assessment of your environment and its ability to meet readiness criteria for Microsoft Exchange Server 2010
- A high-level transition and migration roadmap
- High-level recommendations for addressing assessment findings
- A service delivery that meets your business needs

## Summary of benefits

The EMC Assessment for Microsoft Exchange Server 2010 Upgrade/Migration ensures that your organization is prepared to realize the advantages of migrating to Microsoft Exchange Server 2010. Specifically, this service delivers the following benefits:

- An objective analysis of the health and performance of the current Microsoft Exchange, IBM Lotus Notes, Novell GroupWise, or other messaging environment
- Scope the migration length and complexity to minimize business disruption and ensure adequate resource deployment
- Refined alignment and integration of your IT infrastructure with enhanced Microsoft Exchange features including unified messaging of voicemail, fax, e-mail, "Exchange-everywhere," compliance enhancements, and more

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