

Assessment of your disaster recovery solution's capabilities

Assess your ability to meet business continuity objectives with your IT recovery plans



Highlights

- Evaluates your IT, disaster recovery and business continuity processes to identify gaps in your existing recovery solution
 - Measures your technical ability to meet business continuity requirements
 - Recommends improvements in your IT environment to meet availability and recovery objectives
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To maintain continuous business and IT operations, your organization needs to be prepared to address potential risks that may adversely affect your business. You need to have confidence that your IT disaster recovery plans are capable of meeting your business recovery objectives, and that you have the necessary skills, tools and knowledge to maintain a robust resilience program. Designing, implementing and maintaining the right disaster recovery solution can be error prone and cost intensive without the right expertise.

The IBM Resiliency Consulting Services recoverability assessment evaluates your IT disaster recovery plans and strategies to help determine your ability to meet your business continuity requirements.

We can identify vulnerabilities in your current recovery solution, help measure your ability to meet recovery objectives for crucial processes and provide insights on how to improve your abilities to meet availability, recovery time and recovery point objectives. Our skilled consultants provide recommendations on what is needed to recover from virtually any kind of business disruption and help optimize spending on your resilience program.

Identifying weaknesses in your current IT disaster recovery solution

We evaluate your current IT environment and recovery processes to help identify gaps in your abilities to meet your business continuity objectives. Our consultants conduct a series of in-depth interviews and documentation reviews of your disaster recovery solution and work closely with you to fully understand your business continuity objectives and assess the overall recoverability capability of your organization.



Measuring your technical ability to meet business continuity requirements

Our recoverability assessment helps evaluate and measure the technical capability of your organization's disaster recovery plan to meet and manage business objectives, risks and outages. We systematically determine your ability to meet the recovery time objectives and recovery point objectives of your crucial business processes based on our best practices and in-depth industry knowledge of defining comprehensive resilience strategies. Our Business Resilience Framework provides an effective and comprehensive approach to assessing and managing IT risk to your business.

Recommending improvements in current IT disaster recovery environment

We make a detailed evaluation of your current recovery environment capabilities and provide recommendations that can enable you to better meet your business recovery objectives cost effectively. Using our detailed analysis as the basis for assessing the overall capability of your recovery solution, we make suggestions for improvement in your technology, network, infrastructure and processes. We review your existing backup and data restoration processes—and recommend cost-effective actions to help you get your operations up and running smoothly, quickly and accurately.

Why IBM?

IBM's approach to making your business resilient is comprehensive, covering strategy and vision, organization and human resources, business processes, applications and data, technologies and facilities. With over 40 years of experience in helping businesses improve their resilience, IBM is a leader in addressing business-, data- and event-driven risks. We use unique proprietary consulting methods, intellectual capital and provide access to hundreds of skilled resources to help you implement a sound resilience solution.

For more information

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