CGI's IT Asset Management -Creating a cost-effective and compliant IT landscape



Information technology is critical for effective business operations and plays a key role for companies looking to strategically manage and optimize systems, hardware, processes and data.



Your organization is likely to have accumulated large amounts of hardware and software over the years, including assets acquired through mergers and acquisitions. As a result, it is easy to lose track of what you have. Additionally, your organization may not be using these assets to their full potential, and the assets may no longer provide the value you expect or need for quick response to a changing market.

This means your business is at risk - from the loss of operational efficiencies, to the addition of unnecessary costs, to missed opportunities for driving innovation. In many cases, the costs of the total IT landscape is unpredictable and considerably higher than necessary. Moreover, you may face legal, financial or reputational damage if contracted licenses do not match what is actually used.

CGI's IT Asset Management can help

CGI's IT Asset Management (ITAM) consists of a framework and corresponding processes that strategically track and manage all financial, physical, licensing and contractual aspects of your IT assets throughout their life cycle.

ITAM is part of our overall IT modernization approach. It maps your existing application landscape and compares it with your contractual license position to give you an overview of how and to what extent your organization and employees are using software. The results enable you to better manage your IT landscape. It also brings to light any risks caused by outdated software versions or poor license compliance.

Together, these insights form the foundation for developing and implementing an effective and cost-saving management model for your IT assets and help you make the right choices regarding the modernization of your IT landscape.



CGI's ITAM in brief:

- Integrated and results-oriented IT asset management solution
- · Clear insight into IT asset use
- Optimized IT operations to drive performance, innovation and modernization
- Significant cost reductions; typically up to 30% direct savings in the first year
- Direct return on investment that enables improved internal reallocation of IT costs
- Greater focus on your business and faster response to market opportunities
- Compliance with regulatory and audit requirements
- Control over procurement and improved bargaining with suppliers
- Minimized security risks
- Strategic roadmap for continuous IT asset management improvement

CGI's ITAM solution provides the strategic insight you need

ITAM is an integrated and results-oriented solution. It covers all critical business functions - finance and procurement, HR, IT product and service management, internal regulations, etc. - to help you to uncover value. We work with you to understand where you are today and assist in developing a roadmap to identify what you need to do to enhance your IT asset management.

We offer a comprehensive ITAM assessment to gauge the effectiveness of your IT asset management capabilities. We also carry out vendor-specific scans of software usage and compliance. The findings serve as a basis for recommendations and follow-up actions. Leveraging CGI's ITAM Framework, which includes standard processes, policies and governance models, you can roll out an ITAM program quickly and efficiently. We support your organization during the change process, helping you to select the relevant tools, and we pass on our ITAM knowledge to your employees.

Take advantage of the benefits that CGI's ITAM offers

- Substantially reduces operating costs (up to 30% in the first year)
- Provides clear insight into the use of IT to prevent high and unpredictable costs
- Optimizes IT operations to drive performance, innovation and modernization
- Minimizes the risk of claims due to improper use of software
- Provides a more efficient IT landscape through rationalization, simplification and consolidation
- Allows you to regain control of procurement and hardware/software usage
- Strengthens your bargaining position with suppliers
- · Reduces security risks

In other words, your investment in CGI's ITAM will pay for itself, significantly improving your agility and reducing your time-to-market for new products and services.

Contact us today for more information on how to get started on your ITAM journey.

Learn more about CGI's ITAM portfolio



Our global team can provide all of the insights and best-fit services you need to get more value from your spend on software and hardware assets. We can help you balance value and risk at every step of your journey. We provide the services in our ITAM portfolio on an expert consultancy basis, on a project basis, as a managed service, or through a combination thereof.

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We are insights-driven and outcomesbased to help accelerate returns on your investments. Across 21 industry sectors in 400 locations worldwide, our 77,000 professionals provide comprehensive, scalable and sustainable IT and business consulting services that are informed globally and delivered locally.

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