

600 TBs of data migrated in 20 days and cost savings of millions of dollars in data center closure

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Business Need

- To rapidly reduce carbon footprint
- Drive cost improvements
- Consolidate data centers to the cloud.



Challenges Faced

- Azure data migration delays causing an expenditure of \$10s of millions of dollars
- 600 TB Data Center Closure
 Migrate data to ANF
 Maintain proper ownership and access
- 250+ volumes
- 45 days to move
- Additional challenges include manpower & migration expertise, performance lags, lack of scalability, loss of metadata/security, and complexity



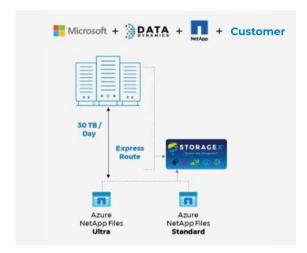
Solution Offered

Implemented Azure NetApp Files and Data Dynamics StorageX Migrations.

- Identified a set of matching shares/exports to be moved
- Facilitated the transfer or migration of SMB/NFS source files across heterogeneous storage resources
- Enabled automated access control security management for Security Identifiers (SIDs)
- Made changes to SIDs, remove orphaned SIDs, and preserve SIDs during file movement
- Provided cutover estimation estimates for the time required to move the data.



Solution Architecture





Business Impact



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- File migration to ANF Ultra
- File Tiering with ANF Ultra and Standard



Recognized data center closure savings of \$10s of millions of dollars

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