



WindowsVirtualDesktop™

No matter the size of your company, reduce your IT costs by up to 50% and let your staff focus on your business by using WindowsVirtualDesktop™, a Cloud Computing Service from Alchemy Systems.

WindowsVirtualDesktop™ replaces the “traditional” office network environment with a virtual desktop, “**Desktop in the Cloud**”. This will look and feel **exactly the same** as a normal Windows desktop PC.

Alchemy can host and manage all your IT services in a highly secure, cloud data centre. Users will need secure internet access to communicate with the cloud data centre, access devices (PC's, Laptops, thin clients and mobile devices) and local peripherals such as printers and scanners. With minimal up-front costs and a simple pay per user, per month billing model, Alchemy provides you with an enterprise-class, cloud proven IT infrastructure that **significantly reduces your IT costs**.

We can manage the migration of your data into our hosted environment and help make this a seamless and pain-free transition.

Features:

- Low fixed costs per user per month
- Microsoft Office Applications
- Microsoft Exchange email
- Data backup
- Email Spam and Antivirus protection
- Access to your data and applications from anywhere
- Disaster recovery solution



Desktop in the Cloud

Why buy at a glance?

- Save up to 50% on your IT costs
- Zero infrastructure capital costs
- Reduced IT headaches
- Help overstretched IT Teams
- Work from anywhere, at any time
- Data Backup and Restore
- High Availability
- Data Security
- Disaster Recovery
- Have an enterprise class IT infrastructure
- Excellent IT Support

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What is Included

WindowsVirtualDesktop™ delivers a complete business productivity solution based on Microsoft Office, Microsoft Outlook and Internet Explorer web browser run in our cloud data centre. In addition we provide access to your applications, typically ERP, CRM and finance systems. It includes:

Latest Microsoft Office - All Hosted Desktops include Outlook, Word, Excel, Powerpoint as standard with PDF reader.

Plenty of storage - A massive 10GB per user allowance for all your documents and files.

Business grade Exchange email 1GB or 2GB Microsoft Exchange email account. Access shared calendars and email on the go with webmail. Mobile device support is available for Windows Mobile and optionally Blackberry with our hosted Blackberry Enterprise Server or **FREE** Express service.

Peace of mind – Enterprise class Anti-Virus and Anti-Spam is provided with SHELL-IX. Comprehensive data Backup is standard with VStore4.

Workgroup friendly - Everyone can access shared network drives no matter where they are in the world.

Most applications supported - Run the applications your business needs. Alchemy can host most databases and Window applications such as accounts packages, practice management suites and graphic design software

Disaster Recovery ready - Save £1000's and leverage our resilient server infrastructure.

Remote Access – Have secure access to your virtual desktop via any Internet connected computer.

Why Buy?

Reduce Total IT Costs

Businesses are looking to reduce overheads and IT costs can be significant. Alchemy can help you to reduce these costs by up to 50%. All costs become a predictable, monthly operational expense, based on a cost per user per month.

Zero Infrastructure Costs

IT infrastructure requires the purchase of servers, switches, software etc. Alchemy Hosted platform eliminates this capital cost.

Reduce IT Headaches

All IT infrastructures can create significant problems. Alchemy removes these and we support, patch, manage, backup and look after all components of your hosted solution for you, all from the cloud data centre.

Help Overstretched IT Teams

IT managers are being asked to do more with less. Alchemy, by managing all or part of your IT infrastructure, lets you focus on your core business critical projects.

Remote Working

Alchemy empowers travelling, remote, and telecommuting workers to work from wherever, securely.

Data Backup and Restore

Alchemy's comprehensive SHELL-IX standard backup and data restoration service gives you the comfort of a true 'belt-and-braces' approach to data protection.

High Availability

Alchemy provides a resilient infrastructure with no single point of failure.

Improved Data Security

As employee data is stored as standard in the cloud data centre - not in a PC or vulnerable laptop—data is safe even if devices are stolen or destroyed.

Disaster Recovery

90% of organisations do not have adequate disaster recovery or business continuity plans. For example, if your offices flood, can you continue your business operations seamlessly from another location? You can with Alchemy hosted services.

Enterprise class IT Infrastructure

Most companies cannot afford enterprise level infrastructure. Alchemy is able to deliver this in a cost effective manner, as the infrastructure costs are shared by many hundreds of users.

Excellent IT Support

Our excellent online services helpdesk is fully inclusive with your service, at no extra charge.