

The CIO's Cookbook End Point Management and Collaboration



Leading Thoughts

Heterogeneity of end points has compounded the challenges of performance and security expectations (Windows, Mac, Chrome Books, Android, iOS and many more)

Decentralization of data and applications necessitates integrated data loss and threat management ecosystem

Rapidly updating SaaS functionality necessitates up levelling of IT operating model to enhance end user experience

Multi-vendor best in class collaboration solutions provide for exemplary user experience compared to single vendor based bundled solutions that mitigate cost/risk

Asset management is a gourmet recipe which brings together budgetary prudence, inventory efficacy, usage compliance, and timely disposition

Considerations



Manage endpoints using unified solutions (MSFT InTune, VMWare Workspace One) to include PCs, Smartphones, Tablets and DaaS

Leverage innovative workplace services — such as AI enabled: virtual personal assistants, chatbots or intelligent automation platforms

Build a long term architecture for Multi Factor Authentication (MFA), Privileged Identity Management (PIM) and Identity Protection

Now enable auto-pilot deployments, JIT (zero) endpoint inventory and zero-trust access

Implement a single vendor-based collaboration solution: mitigate cost/risk and build an integrated experience (ex. Cisco, Microsoft, Google)

Build DevOps (CI/CD) framework and methodology for patch management (Intune/SCCM) and Data Management (DLP)

Evaluate and introduce ML based auto-detect/auto-resolve capabilities for service improvement

Solicit user experience feedback, measure performance, enhance services and communicate improvements. Repeat



