

Fast Track Your Cloud Migration Journey with Cognizant Duck Creek On-Demand (DCOD) Cloud Accelerator Offering

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Introduction

Insurers who are running their businesses on Duck Creek's self-hosted solution often experience significant challenges including upgrading to the latest capabilities, managing higher maintenance costs, addressing security threats, and scaling the platform to meet their growing business needs. As a fully hosted solution on Azure, Duck Creek On-Demand (DCOD) provides carriers with the tools and resources to drive innovation, launch products faster, and deliver hyper-personalized customer experiences.

Duck Creek On-Demand offers a fully hosted and continuously updated "evergreen" SaaS platform with high availability, auto-healing, disaster recovery, ransomware defense, and application monitoring and alerting. Insurers have complete visibility into application performance via On-Demand's "single pane of glass" operations dashboard.

Avoid the Challenges of **Using Self-Hosted Solutions**

Migrating to a cloud-based solution can foster agility and efficiency across your organization while helping you avoid the challenges of utilizing a self-hosted solution including:

- Upgrading to the latest capabilities
- Managing higher maintenance costs
- Addressing security threats
- Scaling the platform to meet growing business needs

Make the Move to Duck Creek On-Demand (DCOD)

Cognizant brings deep Duck Creek solution expertise, robust Azure capabilities, and a strong partnership with Duck Creek to ensure a successful migration to Duck Creek On-Demand.

Our cloud migration offering encompasses all aspects of the On-Demand journey including developing a value realization roadmap, remediating the application stack within the ecosystem, remediating and migrating the core DCOD components, and integration of DCOD into your ecosystem.

Two Migration Paths Purpose-built for Your Business Needs

Cognizant offers two options to migrate to Duck Creek On-Demand. We collaborate with you to select the best option for your business based on factors such as risk-appetite, in-flight projects, level of customization required, and insights from an enterprise cloud adoption roadmap.

• Option 1: Migration

This entails executing an On-Demand migration program as a single release to remediate all components and migrate at once.

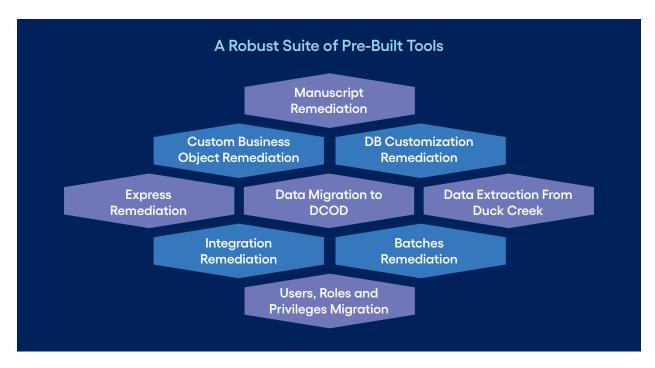
• Option 2: Incremental Remediation and Migration

In this approach, we remediate all nonconformance Items in the Duck Creek On-Premises solution incrementally and migrate to Duck Creek On-Demand at the end.

Cognizant's Cloud Migration **Solution Offerings**

Cognizant's comprehensive set of tools and frameworks bring capabilities together to accelerate the end-to-end DCOD migration journey and ease the transition to a modern technology operating model. The framework guides the team through the inception phase to assess cloud readiness and define a roadmap, through implementation, validation, and deployment.

Cognizant has pre-built tools to accelerate the identification and remediations needed in Duck Creek components to migrate to Duck Creek On-Demand. Cognizant has also developed tools and frameworks for data migration, validation of peripheral systems, and DCOD integration into the client ecosystem.



Business Benefits

Cognizant's cloud-first approach accelerates migration and reduces risk

- delivering better business value, faster.
- Automated diagnostic tools identify customizations and create DCOD migration roadmaps quickly.
- Comprehensive remediation tools facilitate faster migration to DCOD.
- Automated DCOD regression testing framework streamlines quality checks.
- Customer on cloud operating model
- DCOD-enhanced capabilities to improve agility, efficiency, and customer experience.



Why Cognizant?

A self-hosted Duck Creek platform migration journey is complex and requires deep Duck Creek technical expertise, knowledge of Duck Creek On-Demand, and proven Azure capabilities. Cognizant offers the following benefits:

- A mature Duck Creek practice with deep experience across On-Premises and On-Demand versions.
- Best practices developed from multiple Duck Creek version upgrades including Express 2 to Express 3 migration.
- A comprehensive solution playbook with pre-built tools and frameworks for migration to DCOD.
- Strong knowledge of the On-Demand environment and associated DevOps CI/CD pipelines, tools (On-Demand Control Hub, On-Demand Workstation, etc.), and processes.
- Cognizant On-Demand migration estimation model along with vast experience in migrating customer applications to Azure cloud, ensuring delivery excellence.



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