

Electronics Manufacturer Reduces Costs By Replatforming to Cloud

FORTUNE 500 CONSUMER ELECTRONICS MANUFACTURER

CASE STUDY

Executive Summary

A Fortune 500 Consumer Electronics Manufacturer needed to reduce IT costs, and wanted to take advantage of the features and savings offered by the modern cloud Microsoft Azure™ SQL DW. However, a replatforming effort would be extremely expensive and time consuming: it would take several years and cost tens of millions of dollars to rewrite their critical business intelligence applications.

This was unacceptable, as their Teradata[®] licenses were nearly up for renewal, and failing to complete the project in just a few months would result in the company incurring massive costs.

Challenges

The Fortune 500 Consumer Electronics Manufacturer was facing the following challenges:

- An imperative to reduce IT costs, and a short timeframe to do so due to impending license expirations.
- An unacceptable level of cost, risk, and time investment required to complete a data warehouse replatforming project and rewrite all mission-critical business intelligence applications.

Using Datometry Hyper-Q, the customer was able to replatform their existing business intelligence applications to Microsoft Azure SQL DW in just a few weeks, without having to rewrite any of the applications.

Solution

- Datometry ran an automated analysis of the application workloads and found that Hyper-Q[™] provided full coverage of the enterprise workloads, removing the need for rewriting the applications.
- The enterprise simply pointed their existing applications at Datometry Hyper-Q as-is and began running mission critical reports and batch workloads on Microsoft Azure SQL DW instantly.
- Hyper-Q enabled their business intelligence applications to communicate natively with Azure SQL DW, allowing the customer to completely replatform their applications several years ahead of schedule.







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Why the Data Architect Chose Datometry



Instant Compatibility

Hyper-Q enabled the customer to run their existing applications on the new cloud data warehouse instantly, without rewriting or reconfiguring them.



Fast Deployment & Simple Implementation

Hyper-Q can be deployed instantly and requires a testing phase of just weeks. The software does not require tuning and provides complete visibility into its operations.



High Concurrency & Workload Management Capabilities

Hyper-Q supports high concurrency and workload management capabilities in mixed workloads.

Why the Business Chose Datometry



Reduce Cost of Ownership

The customer was able to leave their expensive, long-standing data warehouse for a more economical data warehouse, cutting CAPEX and OPEX by up to 80%.



Accelerated Time to Value

Using Datometry Hyper-Q, the customer was able to reduce the time required to replatform by 85%.



Preserve Business Investment

Hyper-Q removes the requirement of rewriting applications—a long, expensive, and risk-laden process for enterprises—thus allowing the customer to protect their long-standing investments in the development of custom business logic.



Decreased Risk

Hyper-Q leaves existing applications unchanged which means projects can be fully tested in advance.

About Datometry

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