Cloud Data Migration Testing

Stage 1

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Agenda

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Why Cloud Data Migration Testing and How it's different?



Why is Cloud Data Migration Testing Important?

We understand Cloud Data Migration is a Massive Undertaking with very high enterprise level visibility, and migration testing appears to be afterthought or undervalued thus leading to significant data issues and user dissatisfaction

Transformation Office Initiative

- Urgency to move to cloud
- · Compete and Grow
- Data Democratization



Multiple Technology Stack

- · Legacy appliances going out of support
- Hybrid cloud architecture
- Continue to support legacy till cloud data migration completes

Multiple Stakeholders

- Data Analytics/Data Science
- Organizational bandwidth constraints
- Ever increasing total cost of ownership



Typical problems in Cloud Data Migration Testing?

Data Migration testing is an AFTERTHOUGHT and is often considered POST MIGRATION INADEQUATE
testing resulting
in Data
inaccuracy and
loss thus leading
to customer
dissatisfaction

Automation tools
available for
data testing
are rudimentary
with limitations
and only validate
certain aspects

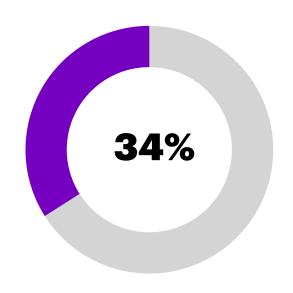
Lack of skills
required for
Data migration
validation,
data warehouse,
involving high volume
and disparate
data sources

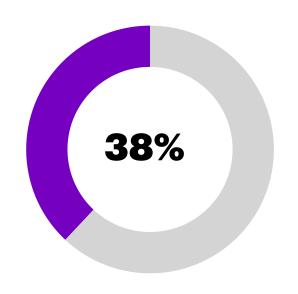


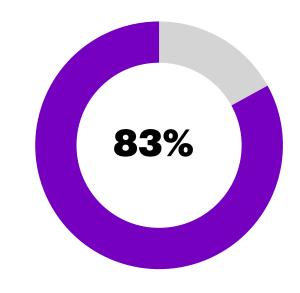
COMPREHENSIVE Migration
TEST STRATEGY

To reduce risk and ensure that the data has been migrated and transformed, you need to implement a thorough validation and testing strategy.

CLOUD DATA MIGRATION DRIVES MODERNIZATION FOR MANY BUSINESSES







of migrations have missing or lost data (Source: QuerySurge)

have some form of data corruption (Source: QuerySurge)

of data migration projects either fail or exceed their budgets or schedules

(Source: Gartner)

and they tend to involve a high level of risk due to the volume and criticality of the data



Inadequate data migration testing leads to poor quality data

Cause

customers.

Bad data undermines digital initiatives and contributes to wrong decision making, weakened competitive standing and customer distrust.

Financial Impact



\$3.1 Trillion/year businesses lose annually due to poor quality data

(Source: Gartner)



\$9.7 Million/year the average financial impact of poor-quality data



Sparse testing and **Data Loss in cloud** data migration can lead to the loss of confidence from the end-users and

To strengthen their practices, data and analytics leaders must measure quality, staff key data testing roles, establish governance and adopt flexible deployment models.

Solution

(Source: Gartner)



Why is Cloud Data Migration Testing Different?

Cloud Migration Testing encompasses various flavours of conventional BI testing (ETL, Data Testing, BI/Reporting, App Integration) with layer of complexity added by additional aspects like DevOps/CI-CD, Security, Performance, Cloud Skills, Automated data validation.

Data Knowledge

- Niche skills required for data migration validation and testing
- Data domain knowledge
- High number & variety of disparate data sources/targets on a variety of environments
- High volume of data –forced to do aggregation, sampling or minus query testing

Cloud Skills

- Understanding of both legacy and cloud data platforms
- Understanding of Cloud Data Warehouse/Data platforms, storage and architecture
- Hybrid Cloud Testing
- · Data Security Testing
- Access Validation
- Data Retention and Purge Compliance

Testing Focus

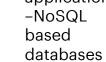
- Data Warehouse/ Data Lake/ETL/BI Testing Skills
- No Industry standards / framework / models for Cloud Data Testing
- Agile/Continuous testing, DevOps CI/CD
- Concurrent usage and enhancements on legacy platforms adds complexity
- Performance Testing
- System and Application Integration Testing

Automation Enablers

- Large number of ETL, database, report objects require high degree of automation
- Automated data validation for bulk volume and disparate data sources/targets
- ETL/Data Warehouse, BI/Report test automation tools
- Regression Automation
- Test Data Generator tools
- Test Scenario/case generators
- Performance testing tools
- Integration with DevOps CI/CD tools



Typical Data Migration Errors aws Microsoft Azure Google Cloud Data Sources **Users** Load data into Data | Applications Images marts Leadership Object Storage Text BI/Analytics Customers (a) Databases Data Transformithe **DWH** Processina Processina data as per Machine (Curated Zone) Batch Data (Raw Zone) Data sets App Data mapping specs Learning identified for ingestion and Analysts **Data Protection** curation Data IoT & Sensors Science Streaming **Schema Conversions/Data Type Conversions** Data **Data Scientists Bots & Devices {**;} JSON **SOURCE OF POSSIBLE ERRORS/LOSS JSON ACQUIRE RAW SEMANTIC CURATE & TRANSFORM DATA MARTS** Raw events, duplicates On-Prem Duplicates Schema conversion from **Data Loss Prevention** Schema conversion from source databases -File to BQ, data types do Lack of consistency (DLP) Oracle/SQL to target, data types do not not match 1:1 Data Ambiguity Lack of Unified, match 1:1 Digital Impreciseness consolidated view of **Impreciseness** Data loss, missing instances applications | Lack of consistency data Erroneous transformation rules



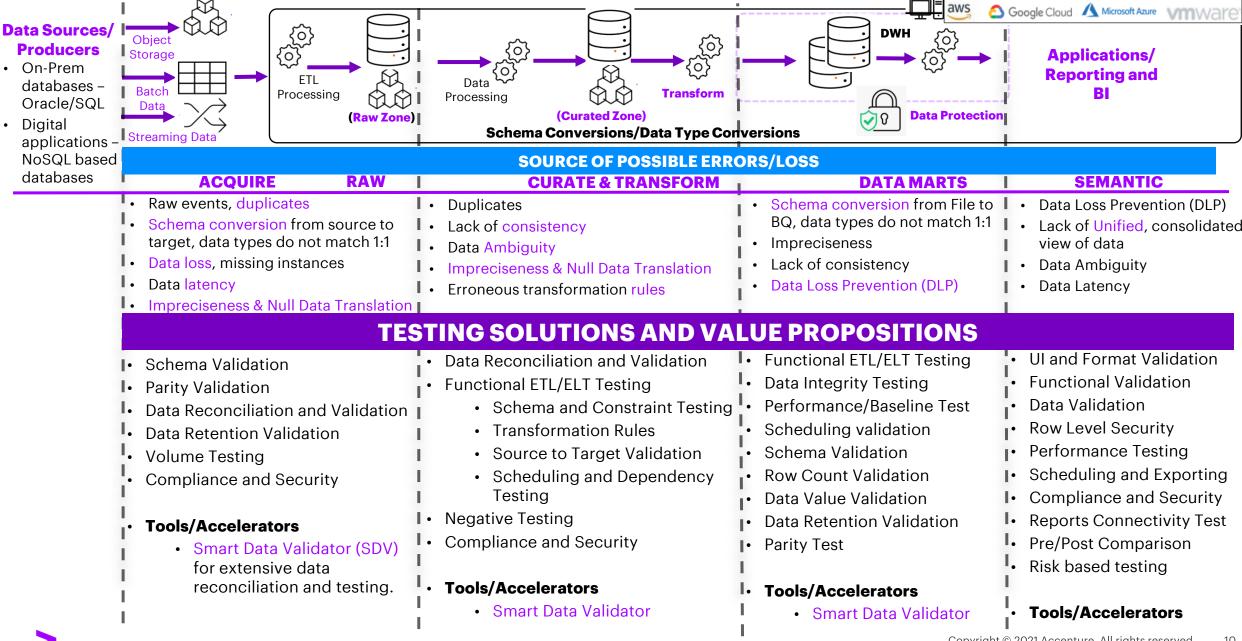
- Data latency
- **Impreciseness**
- **Null Data Translation**

Null Data Translation

- Data Loss Prevention (DLP)
- Data Ambiguity
- Data Latency



Addressing Typical Data Migration Errors Through Validation and Testing



Recommended Data Migration Testing Coverage

Migration Approach Re-Platform				
	Hot Data	Cold Data		
Data Reconciliation				
Functional ETL Testing				
Volume				
Schema				
Historical				
Incremental				
Security				
Performance				

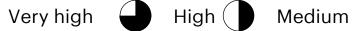
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Very low

Cloud Data Migration Testing Strategy



Cloud Data Migration Testing Pillars

Cloud Data Migration Testing

Data

Historical

- Data Validation and Reconciliation
- Schema Validation
- Data Retention Validation
- Compliance and Security

Incremental

- Data Validation and Reconciliation
- Parallel Run Validation
- Parity Validation

Code (ETL/ELT)

Code Conversion

- Data Validation and Reconciliation
 - Row Count Validation
 - Data Value Validation
- Source to Target Validation
- Parallel Run

Re-engineered

- Functional ETL/ELT Testing
- · Schema and Constraint Testing
- Transformation Rules
- Source to Target Validation

Report/BI

Re-point

- Connectivity Test
- Pre/Post Comparison
- Parallel Run
- Risk based testing

Re-engineered

- UI and Format Validation
- Functional Validation
- Data Validation
- Row Level Security



Various Migration Testing Approaches

Pattern 1: **Test Everything**

 All migrated components

Pattern 2: **Ad-Hoc Testing**

- Depending on
 - Use case
 - Business user

Pattern 3: **Systematic Testing**

- **Testing Critical data**
- Business use case

Pattern 4: **Specific Testing Types**

- Security
- Performance

Our Recommendation

Pattern 5: **Structured Approach**

- Complexity Assessment
- Framework driven
 - People
 - Process
 - Technology



Our Framework to approach Comprehensive Test Strategy for Cloud Data Migration

From Migration Testing Scope

- Testing scope defined based on decision flow
- Migration archetypes
- Requirements
- Data Validation (Historical, Conversions, Incremental)
- Data Pipeline Testing (ETL, ELT)
- Application Testing (BI/Reporting and Integrations)
- Performance
- Security

Test Planning and Management

Test Data and Environment

Test Automation Tools

Specialized Test Team

Schedule

To Comprehensive Migration Test Strategy

- Source and Target Environments
- Test Data
 Requirements
- PII data v/s non-PII data
- Structured v/s unstructured
- Historical v/s current
- Batch v/s streaming

- Select tools for automated data validation
- Select tools for automated ETL/Pipeline and Report testing
- Test Case
 Management
 Tools

- Identify and form test team with relevant Cloud skills
- Experience with Datawarehouse, ETL/BI and migration testing.
- Knowledge of Data Architecture
- Functional expertise

- Timelines
- Agile methodology
- Wave approach
- Risk Based Testing
- User acceptance testing
- Efficient and effective data migration testing combines a systematic approach, prescient risk minimization techniques, and holistic test coverage.
- Enterprises must heavily leverage testing automation in order to reduce the time, cost and risk of data migrations.



Various Cloud Migration Approaches

Database Lift and shift, ETL Lift and shift

Database re-platform, ETL Lift and shift

Database re-platform, ETL re-platform and re-factor

Re-Host Database Lift and shift, ETL re-platform **Re-Platform Database and ETL,** re-platform **Database and ETL** re-platform and re-factor **Re-Factor**

Cloud Migration Approach and Archetypes

What's Next

Pre-Requisites for Defining Testing Approach

Factors Guiding Testing Approach

Migration Approach

 Technology Stack – ETL/DB

Data Architecture

- Data Pipelines
- Encryption

Source and Target

- Structured
- Unstructured

Data Migration

- Historical
- Incremental

Outcomes

Define
Migration
Testing
Approach

BI/Reporting

- Approach
- Tools/Technology

Timelines

- Fast Track
- Multi-year

Deciding Migration Testing Scope? - Decision Matrix

- Document schema differences
- Understand data architecture and pipelines
- Source of possible error/loss
- Data Profiling, identify special character, null translation

- Functional ETL Testing
- Data Integrity
- ETL/BI Test
 Automation Tools
- Test Data
 Management

- Automated Data Reconciliation
- Automated Testing Tool
- Test Data
 Management

- BI/Report Testing
- Document and Test both external and internal integrations
- (e.g., API's, external files, events)

- Performance Testing Tools
- Baseline
- Load/Stress Testing
- Query optimization

- Security Testing
- Access Validation
- Data Retention and Purge Compliance
- Industry specific comprehensive testing approach

Define Migration Testing Scope YES

Schema Conversion?

NO

 Automated Data Validation



Mapping Transformation Rules?



- Automated Data Validation
- Automated data reconciliation



Volume Testing? (Historical & Incremental)



- Risk Based Testing •
- Intelligent Sampling
- Data Integrity (parent/child)
- Critical Data
- Metrics that matters
- Business use case



Inbound/
Outbound
Integrations
?



- Downstream BI/Reporting Connectivity
- Sample reports validation (pre and post)
- Sample extracts.



Performance Testing?



Performance and local cost efficiency of local most frequent queries



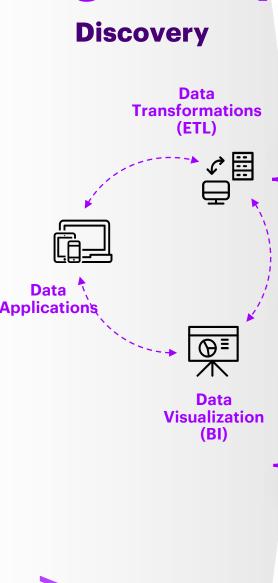
Regulatory Data? (SOX, GDPR, CCPA)

NO

- Automated Data Validation
- Risk Based Testing
- Intelligent Sampling



Identify the best testing approach based on migration path to realize value quickly



Migration approach



Re-Host

Move apps as is to realize immediate value



Re-Platform

Move apps to new platform to gain performance, stability and lower cost



Re-Factor

Leverage Cloud native services to gain scalability and reliability

Testing approach

Validation

Validation automation helps with the data migration lastmile. It can help to

- · Automate data reconciliation
- TB/PB scale Volume
- Intelligent sampling
- Schema conversion
- Historical & Incremental
- Security
- Performance
- · Tools and Accelerators

Testing

Requires a comprehensive strategy in order to reduce risk and deliver a successful migration.

- Automate data reconciliation
- TB/PB scale Volume
- Intelligent sampling
- Schema conversion
- Data Testing
- Risk based approach
- Functional ETL Testing
- BI/Report Testing
- Historical & Incremental
- Security
- Performance
- Tools and Accelerators

Target State







Data on Cloud

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KEY PILLARS FOR MEASURING EFFECTIVENESS OF TESTING

Parameters considered for measuring success of Testing











Accuracy

Degree to which data conforms to correct value or a standard

Completeness

Degree to which data is present in its entirety

Precision

Degree to which data is being represented with exact precision required by business processes and data model

Validity

Degree to which data integrity is maintained and conforms to the defined business rules/requirements

Uniqueness

Degree to which data is distinct based on how it is identified.



Timeliness

Degree to which data is updated with sufficient frequency to meet business requirements



Data Security

Degree to which PII/Sensitive/Internal data attributes are secure



Regulatory Compliance

Degree to which data is stored and processed as per applicable regulations.



Cloud Data Migration Testing Approach



Testing Program Phases

CLOUD DATA MIGRATION TESTING LIFECYCLE

Blueprint/ Discovery/ Solution

- Scope identification
- Finalize Migration approach
- Inventory validation

Test Planning

- Develop Test Strategy
- Onboard
 Automation Tools including SDV

Test Data Management

- Align on Data Masking requirements
- Test Data generation/setup

Test Execution

 Run Multiple Iterations as per plan

Production Parallel Run

Data Validation

Historical Data validation

- Intelligent sampling
- Security/ Data Masking testing

Regression Testing -ETL Workloads (Code conversion) Functional
Test Execution
-ETL
Workloads (Refactor/reengineered)

Incremental Data Testing

 Security Testing

Integration Testing

- Scheduling/ Dependency
- Performance

Reports/ Extracts Testing

 Regression or Functional User Acceptance Testing (UAT)

Test Data Management throughout Test Execution lifecycle

Migration Testing Phased Approach

Pre-Migration Data Testing

Intelligent Sampling

- Include data to be included as well as excluded
- Risk based testing approach
 - Boundary value analysis, equivalence partitioning and error guessing
- Business and Compliance Rules
 - Scope of source systems (Financial-SOX compliant, transactional, legal)
 - · Industry specific
- Define the source to target high-level mappings
- Verify destination system data requirements
 - Schema level testing
 - · Data level testing
- Data Cleansing requirements
- · Critical business use cases
 - Identify BI reports
 - · Metrics that matters
- Existing system documentation
- Identify Inbound/Outbound Interfaces
- Automated Testing tool
 - Configuration, mappings, queries

Data Migration Design Review

- Full vs partial volume
- Mapping between legacy source and destination cloud system
- Migration plan and timing
- Data Cleansing
 - Fix the data issues
 - Fix errors –bad characters, blank fields, too long data lengths
- Referential Integrity
 - Data dependencies, parent/child relationship
- Historical data migration
- Incremental data load
- Performance Testing
- Security Testing
 - PI, PII, PHI, PCI, review security requirements, GDPR, CCPA compliance
- Non-Functional Testing
 - Efficiency of high frequency queries

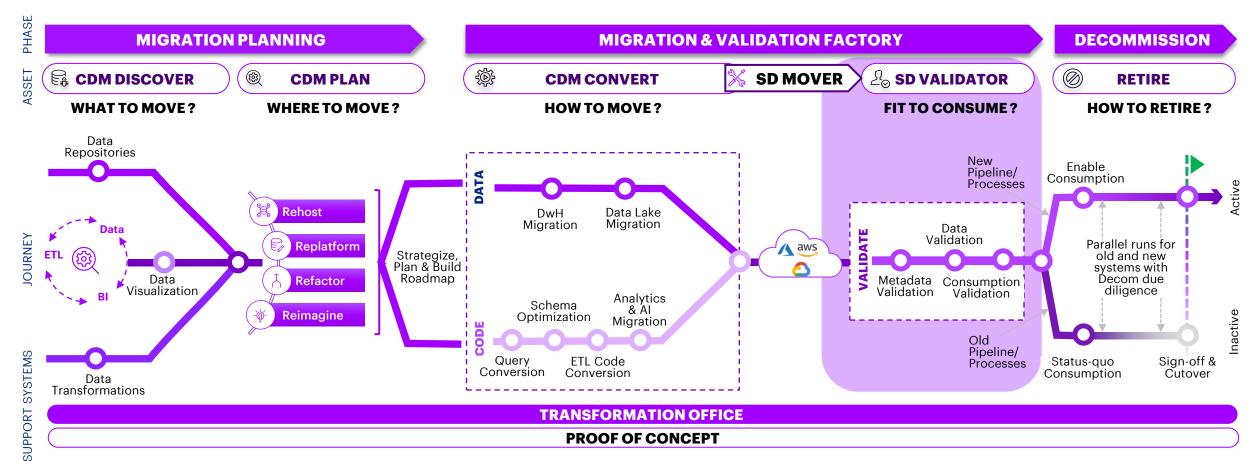
Post-Migration Data Testing

- Summary Verification and Validation
 - Record count
 - Checksums
- Data Validation and Testing
 - Full/Partial
 - Record count check
 - Completeness
 - Preciseness
 - Consistency
 - Accuracy
 - Schema and Data Type
- Data Integrity
- Data Security
 - Sensitive identified data tokenized, encrypted?
- Use Acceptance Testing
- Critical business case testing
 - BI reports for accuracy
 - Metrics
- Inbound/Outbound Interfaces testing
- Usability:

Identify Data Sources Data Mapping Data Cleansing Data Conversion

Automated Testing Tool Migration Testing

Our systematic Cloud Data Migration Validation approach



The approach is structured in a way that maximizes the benefits and minimizes the risks. It offers:

1. Discover

: For automated discovery of the workloads

2. Plan

- : For strategizing a value driven migration plan
- 3. Convert/Validate
- : For smooth conversion, migration & validation of data on cloud
- 4. Transformation Office
- 5. Proof of Concept

- : To manage the program to reduce budget and risk
- : Lab environment to perform a pilot for the client's business case

Cloud Data Migration Testing Checklist



Testing Scope

(Representation only)

Database

- Tables:
- Views:
- Stored Procedures:
- Macros:
- Triggers:

ETL/ELT

- Lift/Shift components:
- Re-factor:
- Re-engineering:

Historical Data

- Volume:
- Iterations:
- Environments:

Test Data

- Test Data Approach
- Tool
- Data Masking
- PII/Sensitive columns:
- Volume/% selection:
- · Sources/Data Producers:
- Incremental Data needs:

Reporting

- Reporting Tools
- Number of Reports
- Number of extracts/files
- Number of external integrations
- Repoint
- Refactor
- Re-engineer

Integration

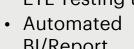
- Schedules
- Upstream/Down stream systems:
- Environment:

Automation

- Automated Data Validation and **ETL Testing tools**
- BI/Report Validation tools
- Tool Installation and Setup

- User Acceptance
- Parallel run validation of ETL and Data

Parallel Run



- Baseline performance testing

Testing Approach: Scope & Environment Matrix

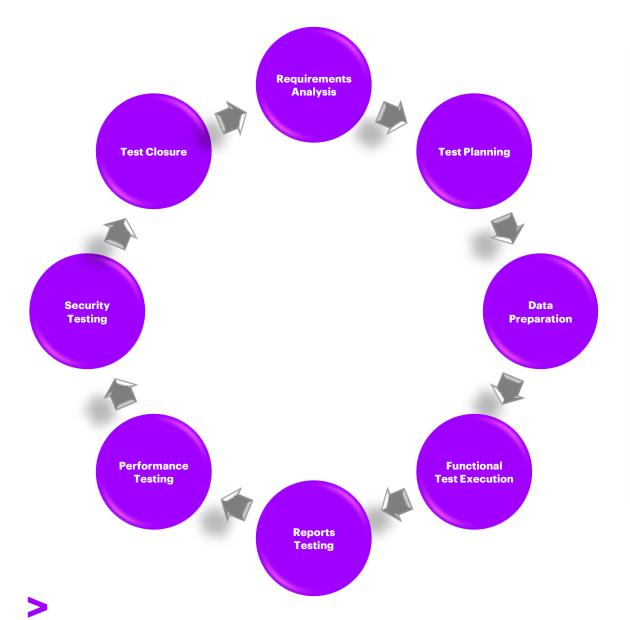
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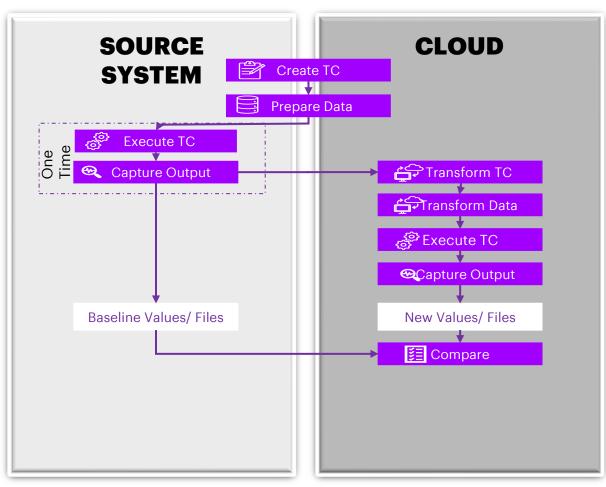
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Cloud Data Migration Testing Lifecycle and Activities



Cloud Data Migration Testing Lifecycle





FUNCTIONAL TEST APPROACH

Data Validation- Activities

Adequate historical data migration testing to avoid data loss and inaccuracy on the modern data platform.

Parity Validation

Ensures parity between output data from Source Platform and Target Platform

- Usually applicable to Re-host and Replatform data migration
- Baselining the source data (before migration) then compare it to new migrated data.

Schema Validation

Validates the schema conversion between source and target databases

- Table and Columns specifications
 - Data Type
 - Length
 - Nullability
- Key constraints
- Data Integrity constraints.
- Partitioning/Indexing Constraints.

Data Reconciliation and Validation

Validates the consistency, accuracy, completeness and correctness of data value across data warehouse:

- Row count Validation
- Threshold testing
- Column level validation
- Audit column validation like timestamps.
- Data Integrity
- Intelligent sampling
- Risk Based Testing

Volume Testing

Validate TB/PB scale volume data validation

- 75TB compressed data detailed validation in Production
- Intelligent sampling (~20% of Production volume) data validation in Non-Production environment
 - Critical Data
 - Metrics that matters
 - Business use case

Compliance and Security

Validates the systems function on archiving and removing of data.

- Scheduled Data Purging
- Scheduled Data Archiving

Ensure the safety and integrity of data stored on cloud

- Data Security
- Tokenization / Masking



ETL/ELT Testing - Activities

Comprehensive testing of a Datawarehouse is needed in order to assure that data completeness, accuracy and quality are maintained throughout the data lifecycle.

Schema and Constraint Testing

Validate ETL Processes that are developed to validate constraints around data while loading data warehouse

- Table and Columns specifications
 - Data Type
 - Length
 - Nullability
- Key constraints
- Data Integrity constraints.
- Partitioning/Indexing Constraints.
- Data attributes and views descriptions

Transformation Rules Testing

Validates the Data in target per the rules in design specification.

- Business Rules testing
- Transformation logic
- Aggregation specifications
- Data Conversion specifications
- Design specification

Source to Target Validation

Validates the expected data loaded from source(s) system to a specific target system

- Row count Validation
- Threshold testing
- Field to Field validation
- Initialization testing
- Boundary conditions
- Duplicate testing
- Audit column validation like timestamps.
- Error recording tables and data loss mechanisms

Scheduling and Dependency Testing

Validate sequence of process of delete, updates Inserts

- Validate downstream dependencies
- Validate Data Integrity
- Validate restart capability
- End to End Testing
- Performance Testing
 - Run time SLE/SLA
 - Baseline

Negative Testing

Test System behavior with error producing conditions like

- Out of boundary scenarios.
- Invalid counts and amount values
- Business logic violation
- Meta data errors like Null values
- Empty Files



BI/Reporting and Extracts Testing - Activities

Ensuring seamless experience for deriving insights from data for both internal and external consumers.

UI & Format Validation

Validates the look and feel of the report

- Layout, color and design (dashboard and Graphs)
- Use of legends & Dynamic Plotting Range
- cross browser validation
- Navigation and links on chart
- Validate File Format and naming conventions
- Header validation
- File encoding and special character handling

Functional Validation

Validate the data and aggregation functionality of report

- Sharing and exporting of reports
- Column level Data Formatting and round
- Row level data comparison with source
- Data Drill Up/Down functionality of the report
- Dynamic Slicing and Dicing of data set.
- Dynamic Filtering of dataset

Data Validation

Validates the accuracy of data report/extract to the data in the original source

- Aggregated or calculated metrics
- Data comparison in drill down mode.
- Filter condition and Transformation during extraction
- Cardinality of dataset
- Data aggregation comparison from marts
- Date range of data set
- Special character handling
- File delimiters and data encapsulation

Scheduling and Exporting

Validates the visibility or accessibility of data to users

- Report/Dashboard role-based access (read only, download/extract)
- Extraction path access based on network, department.
- Handoff/notification to end user (Push or Pull)
- Integration strategy and scheduling mechanism (event based/time based)

Performance Testing

Validates the performance of the report generation and data/size limits on reporting server.

- Consistency and report availability of report overtime
- Run time SLE/SLA
- Extraction time duration
- Frequency of extract
- Cache testing First pull vs subsequent pulls.
- Connection Timeout validation



System Integration Testing - Activities

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Performance Testing

Incorporates stress and load testing to gauge the application's performance during heavy batch loads. Storage, Processing, Bandwidth and Amount of Data to be considered to implement in cloud environment.

TYPES



Baseline test



Volume test



Stress test

BENEFITS





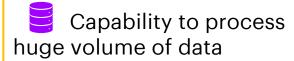


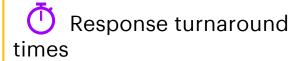
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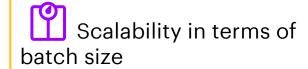


Reduces Overall Cost

VALIDATION POINTS







Security Testing

Cloud security is to secure your data hosted on cloud/infrastructure associated with the cloud. It involves the latest techniques and programs to ensure the safety and integrity of data stored online against stealing, leakage, and omission.

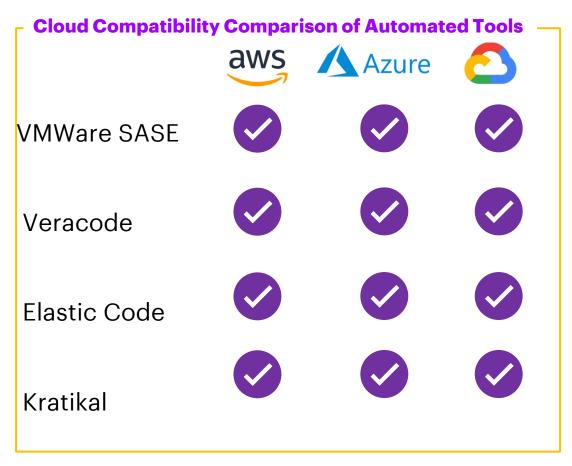
VALIDATION POINTS

SQL Injections - Inject malicious SQL statements into an application to modify or extract data stored in databases.

Access Control Management - Ensure applications are accessible only by authorized users and are only accessible to them

Check Server Access Controls - Ensure Data Integrity and Privacy during transit and at rest

Data Encryption/Tokenization-Ensure the safety and integrity of data stored on cloud



Parallel Run – Validation

Parallel run validation activities will be performed after Release for a period of X number of weeks

$ightarrow \parallel$ entry criteria ||| ightarrow exit criteria **PARALLEL RUN** Compare and validate jobs on target cloud platform • Successful validation of jobs, columns User Acceptance testing completed, and reports (wherever applicable) and criteria met with on-prem • Successful migration to production Run automated checks on key columns (numeric and All critical issues resolved Determine columns for manual checks non-numeric) to ensure errors are within defined Determine Reports/extracts for tolerance thresholds Perform manual checks on other defined columns validation Run automated/manual checks on selected reports/extracts **TIMELINE** WFFK 2 WFFK 5 WFFK 1 WFFK 3 WFFK 4 WFFK 6+ Release Go-Live **PARALLEL RUN** Migration to production Job validation Automated checks on key columns Automated sums on numeric columns for threshold % Automated hashes on non-numeric columns for threshold % (if applicable) Manual checks on columns Transition to operations (Hypercare) **DECOMMISSION** (define decommission plan)



Automation Tools and Accelerators



Accenture's Accelerators/Assets

Smart Data Validator (SDV)

Utility that accelerates post migration data reconciliation & validation process.

BENEFITS:



Lightweight Standalone Accelerator



Automated Data Validation



Elaborate Validation Report Generation



Extendable to Supported Source/ Target



Row & Column Level Verification

4 STEP AUTOMATED VALIDATION:

1. Source & Target Connection

Connect to source and target databases

2. Download Files

- Download the concerned tables as a flat files to a local destination where SDV is installed (Unixbox)
- Order the tables before download. For files from S3, GCS etc. an intelligent sorting mechanism is used

3. Comparison

- Row-by-row comparison usingMD5
- Drilldown on a particular failed column to identify the mismatch

4. Report Generation

- Consolidated Summary Report is the output file with row count summary
- Detailed difference, a json file contains the column level mismatch between the data

Reconcile the Data using SDV

Our **Smart Data Validator** utility is a unique product to validate and reconcile data at the cell level and across heterogeneous systems





Metadata Checks

Data Checks

Smart Data Validator

- ✓ File Availability Validation
- ✓ File Size validation
- ✓ Partial File Validation
- ✓ Special Characters Validation
- ✓ Metadata Store
- ✓ Okb/1kb validation
- ✓ content md5, file name
- ✓ Count validation
- ✓ Structure Validation

- ✓ Rule base Validation
- ✓ Data availability validation
- ✓ Duplicate data validation
- ✓ Column Aggregation/Summation Validation
- ✓ Data Completeness validation

- ✓ Date Column validation
- Default Value Validation
- ✓ Primary key validation
- ✓ Column validation
- ✓ Count Match
- ✓ Row-wise MD5 Match
- ✓ Cell level validation

Our Approach





Industry Tools



Third Party Software and Tools used in Cloud Data **Testing**

Test Management









File Transfer





Database









Automation





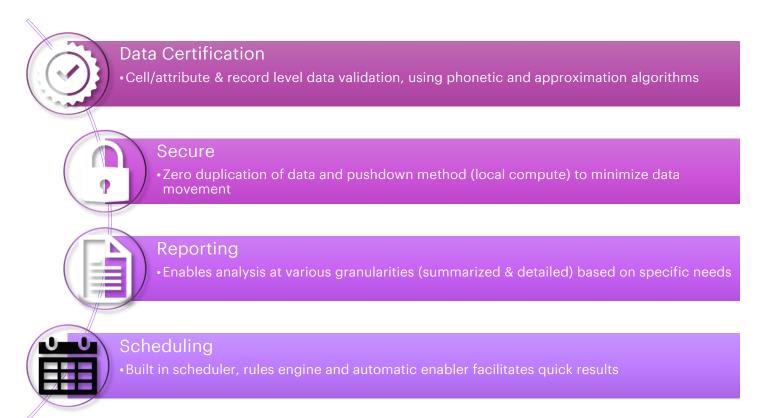


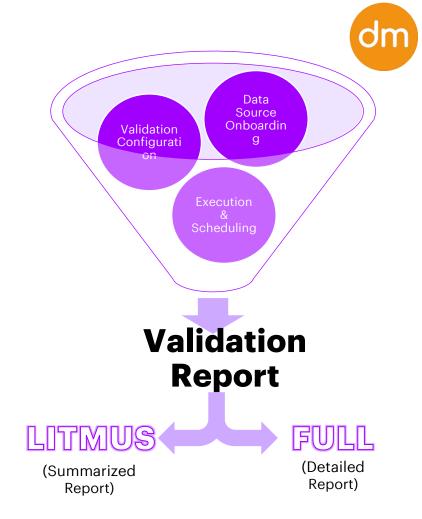




Pelican

Automatically **compare and certify datasets** at the cell level across heterogeneous data stores, thereby increasing confidence in decommissioning of the legacy solutions.





Supported Technologies:

- BigQuery
- DB2
- MS SQL Server

- Oracle
- Snowflake
- Synapse

- Hive
- Netezza
- Teradata

Datagaps



DataOps Dataflow is a browser-based solution for automating **Data Reconciliation tests** in modern Data Lake and Cloud Data Migration projects using **Apache Spark**











Data Reconciliation

 Compares data and finds differences between source and target data

On-Premise or Cloud

 Data Flow is engineered to suit almost every kind of topology - be it onpremise (Standalone, Hadoop) or Cloudbased (AWS, Azure, Google) deployment

Component-Based

 Dataflow uses a component-based approach to indest. process, validate. transform and synchronize data

Data Observability

 Data Flow continuously profiles the data being ingested and uses Machine Learning to detect anomalies in your latest data automatically

Enterprise Collaboration

 Capability to assemble and schedule test plans. Email notification. web reporting and JIRA integration enables sharing of test results.

Supported Technologies

- Cassandra
- MongoDB
- Teradata
- PostgreSQL
- Hive
- Greenplum
- DB2 for iSeries
- DB2 for LUW
- DB2 for ZoS
- MySQL
- Oracle
- SQL Server
- Netezza
- Apache Drill
- Athena
- Snowflake
- Redshift
- SAP HANA
- Azure SQL Data warehouse
- Salesforce
- CouchDB







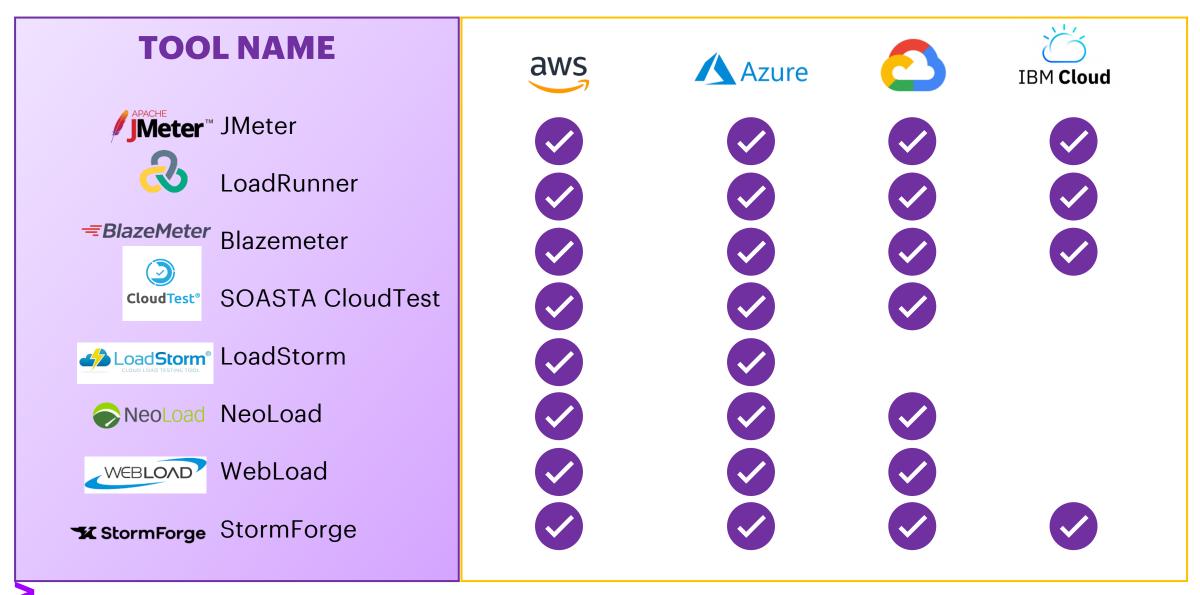




Data Sources

File formats

Cloud Compatibility Comparison of Automated Performance Tools





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Quality Engineering for the Cloud

















Cloud Services Testing – Serverless Test Automation

Solution to generate test automation scrips that can be deployed on cloud architectures to test serverless functions



Cloud Services Testing - Container Testing

Framework on common failure modes to assure container quality, resiliency and reliability

Infrastructure as a **Code (IaC) Testing**

Validate the cloud formation templates and environments using automated IaC tools like Terratest or Chef Inspec. Automatically spin infrastructure, test it and tear it down

Cloud Monitoring & Restoring

App & Infra post migration monitoring and restoring capability to ensure that business processes are running effectively - Heartbeat, Resource utilization, Broken link & API monitoring















Performance at the Edge

To test cloud specific features like scalability, elasticity, multi-tenancy, multizone, load balancing, efficient resource sharing



Resiliency **Testing**

Testing for application and architecture resilience; graceful recovery and identifying failures before it occurs through failure injection, Chaos engineering and observability



Security Testing

Vertical scaling of applications can introduce security risks. Tests are executed for vulnerabilities under increased loads.

Lift & Shift **Mainframe/COBOL Testing**

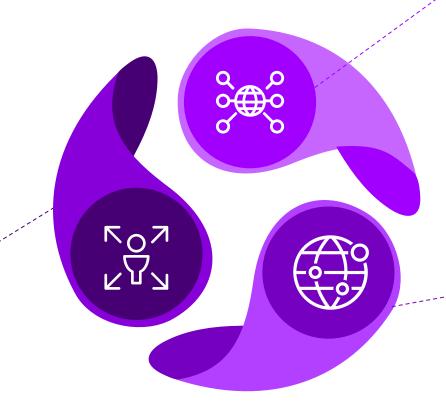
Our BET tool conducts parity testing where Legacy code is transformed. BET tool is an accelerator for Batch processes and DB compares between before and after outcomes.



People. Process. Technology

People

- → Data Testing Acumen
- → Cloud Skills
- → Data Architecture Knowledge
- → Data Product Skills
- → Functional /Industry Expertise
- →**Specialized Team**
- → Performance Testing Skills
- **→Security Testing Skills**
- → Automation Testing Skills



Process

- → Agile Ways of Working
- → Shift Left Testing
- → Data Driven/Lifecycles
- → Framework Driven Approach
- → Risk Based Approach
- → Grey Box Testing Approach
- → Hybrid Cloud Testing Solution

Technology

- → Automated Testing Tools
- → Automated Data Validation Tools
- → Test Case Management Tools
- → Test Data Management Tools
- → Enablers -Tools/Assets
- → Regression Test Frameworks
- → Automated BI/Report Testing Tools