BoardVantage

Frequently Asked Questions

On-Premise FAQ

1. **What is On-Premise?**
On-Premise is a customer-deployable instance of the BoardVantage platform.

2. **In what cases should On-Premise be considered?**
At times, customer policy stipulates in-house hosting for a particular class of data. This is not uncommon in financial services or other industries where confidentiality is a critical consideration.

3. **What other reasons are there to consider On-Premise?**
In the absence of a company policy, customers with larger and more diverse implementations may prefer going on-premise. This is often the case when customers deploy BoardVantage beyond the board room for secure collaboration initiatives where implementations can grow to hundreds of users and dozens of TeamSpaces, many of them with disparate business objectives and alpha processes. For projects of this scope, there may be efficiency gains and financial benefits to hosting the software on-premise.

4. **Are there any drawbacks?**
If the software is delivered as a service (SaaS), there is no need for server installation and configuration in the customer network. Depending on procurement cycles and resource availability, those factors can be time consuming. In that case, the on-premise implementation will likely be slower than a SaaS solution. Customers who prefer on-premise but are on a tight schedule might consider starting with BoardVantage hosting and switching to On-Premise at a later date.

5. **How do the economics compare?**
An annual subscription for the SaaS delivery option lets customers avoid the initial cost of on-premise servers as well as annual maintenance costs, but that advantage diminishes as the deployment grows. When companies rely on the platform for a greater number of users, it makes sense to avoid recurring subscription costs and incur the one-time cost of a perpetual use license.

Have other questions?

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