Container Pricing for IBM Z

Application Development & Test Solution



Problem

Today, many DevTest environments are being severely capped.

This makes DevTest inconvenient, often forcing it off hours and sometimes even bypassing critical pre-production testing.



Wouldn't it be nice...

To run whatever DevTest workloads you need to run.

Whenever and wherever you need to run them.

At prices that anybody would be happy to pay.



About the DevTest Container

Container Pricing for IBM Z provides the infrastructure that delivers a standalone price points for DevTest workloads.

The Application Development and Test Solution offers dramatically increased capacity for no additional MLC costs.



How it works

Highly discounted full-capacity pricing, for standalone DevTest workloads.

Up to a 3x peak
DevTest capacity,
with no additional
IBM MLC costs.

IBM OTC DevTest licenses offered at uniquely discounted prices.

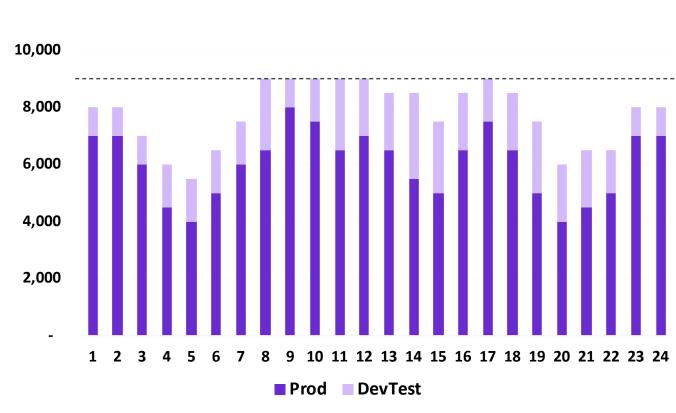


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Consider this typical 24-hour period.

The total workload is capped at 9,000 MSUs.

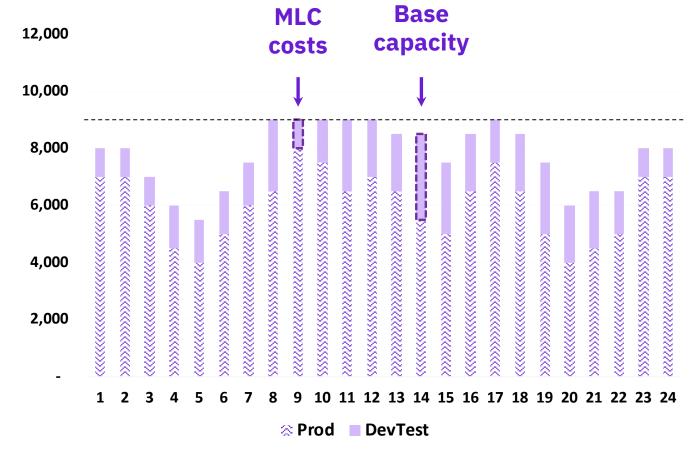
DevTest is capped in for multiple hours.





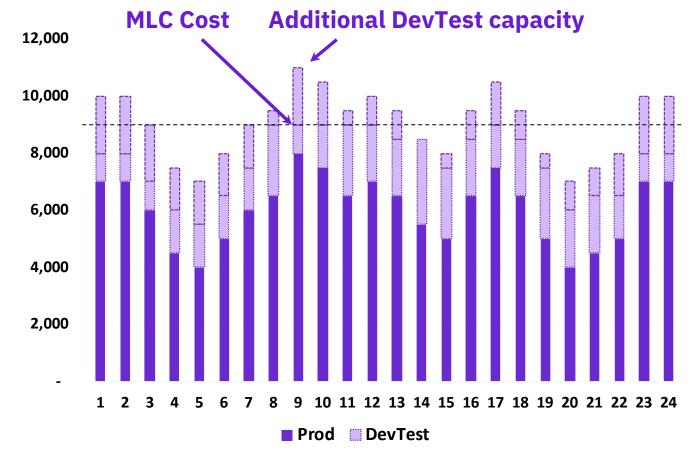
Initial DevTest MLC costs are derived from their exiting R4HA contribution.

DevTest base capacity is taken from the existing DevTest peak.





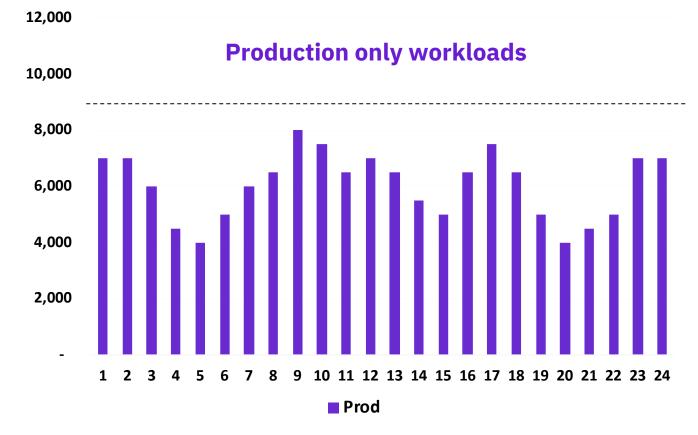
The base DevTest capacity can now be run at any time, without increasing MLC costs.





Production workloads are still sub-capacity.

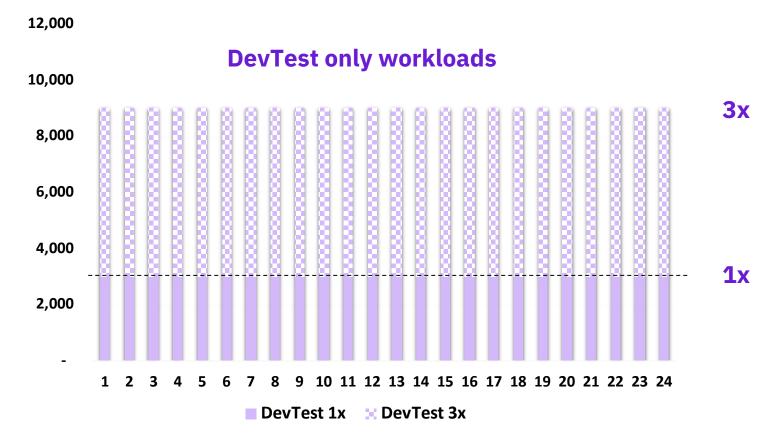
DevTest is now a completely separate, full capacity pricing container.





The container size can increase up to 3x with no extra MLC costs.

Even above 3x, the MLC is charged at a highly reduced rate.

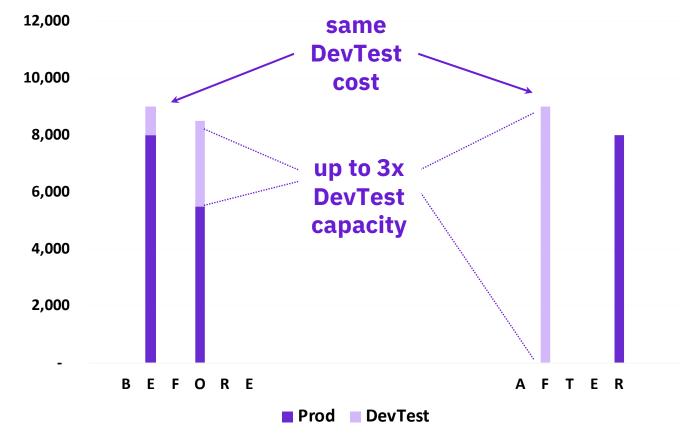




Summary

The DevTest container offers substantially more capacity without increasing MLC costs.

Typically, a 3x container allows clients to match production capacity in DevTest.





Remember...

Healthy production environments require healthy DevTest environments that fully support modern DevOps pipelines.

With a DevTest container, you can build modern, healthy DevTest environments, without worrying about MLC costs.



DevTest Containers let you

Run whatever DevTest workloads you need. Whenever and wherever you need to run them.

At a price point you are happy to pay.





Questions?

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