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A team of passionate individuals who can help you manage and optimise your cloud usage.

# **aws** Well Architected Framework Reviews

Are you using AWS but are not sure that you're getting the most out of it?

As members of the AWS Well-Architected Partner Program, Fitzroy IT can perform a Well-Architected Framework Review (WAFR) of your existing servers and applications to identify areas for improvement and provide advice on how to achieve your business goals with AWS. **Contact us to find out more.** 

# Why should I perform a Well-Architected Framework Review?

A review is a chance for your business to take stock of their situation. Whatever your cloud journey has been, you probably have niggling questions:

- Are we secure?
- Are we spending too much?
- · Are we using the best technology for the job?
- How could we be better?

Fitzroy IT specialise in answering these questions and identifying what needs to be done to align your business with current best practice, as defined by the AWS Well-Architected Framework (WAF).

#### What is a Well-Architected Framework Review?

A Well-Architected Framework Review is a discussion between one of Fitzroy IT's AWS Certified Solutions Architects and one or more of your staff. The Review evaluates your business processes, applications, and infrastructure to see where they are strong and where improvements can be made.

The Well-Architected Framework Review does not examine the specific configuration of your AWS environment / Account. Rather it is a Q&A session that establishes a baseline of how well you believe your environment complies with best practice, what you want your AWS infrastructure to be and how you want it to work for you.

The process is structured, and specific questions are asked that examine the 6 Pillars of the AWS Well-

Architected Framework (operational excellence, security, reliability, performance efficiency, cost optimisation and sustainability), as they relate to your business.

The review takes approximately 2 hours to complete, and upon completion of the process, you will receive the final report in your AWS Console.

The report outlines areas that need improvement, prioritised into High, Medium, and Low-risk items.

With the results in-hand you can then proceed to remediate the identified issues.

### What benefits can I expect to see from a review and remediation?

The main benefit of a review is confidence; confidence that your AWS environment:

- conforms to current best practice.
- is flexible enough to grow as your business grows.
- will handle unexpected demand, without overspending.

## What can I do beyond a Well-Architected Framework Review?

If risks are identified during the review, Fitzroy IT can:

- login to your AWS account and examine the configuration of your infrastructure, potentially identifying additional risks
- prepare a remediation plan, which if implemented, can attract funding credits from AWS
- implement and document remediation fixes
- assist you with support and infrastructure management

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