Software Asset Management Baseline Service

Partner with Data³’s award-winning Asset Management team.

The Data³ Asset Management team works with our customers to assess how they manage their current software environments.

A Data³ Software Asset Management (SAM) Baseline Service delivers a complete and comprehensive assessment. We demonstrate how software deployments and usage compare with license contracts, as well as highlighting any potential licensing variances.

Through our clear management summary report, we help customers to identify any risks and realise the benefits of their software assets.

The Data³ SAM Baseline is fully resourced by Asset Management Specialists who are accredited against ITIL and Microsoft’s certification process.

The Data³ SAM Baseline Service assists customers to:

- Minimise the risk of non-compliance
- Effectively manage valuable software assets
- Discover what software is not being utilised properly
- Improve software budgeting and reduce unnecessary expenditure
- Achieve greater license and contract management efficiency
- More readily justify software investments.

A Data³ SAM Baseline Service includes:

- The development of a software asset register containing active license entitlements
- Analysis of active license entitlements against deployments to determine current point of compliance
- An executive de-brief report and tailored recommendations based on findings of the SAM Baseline service review.

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Looking for additional services to create a customised SAM solution?

To compliment the Baseline Service, Data#3 works closely with customers, to provide additional options as required to help deliver total software asset management control.

Additional services include:

- **License Review** to capture in-house license records which vendors may not have listed in their records. A License Review can include:
  - An Electronic License Review
  - A Physical Onsite Review

- **Auditing Tool Management** including installation, configuration and reporting if customers do not have an auditing and metering tool

- **SAM Policies and Processes** can be reviewed or completely customised to suit customer organisations. These can include:
  - ITIL-based Processes Consulting
  - Policies and Compliance Statements

- **Media Management** includes cataloguing and indexing volume license media

- **Hardware Asset Management** to gain visibility and confidence in a customer’s hardware asset baseline. This can improve hardware asset budgeting and reduce unnecessary expenditure

- **Software Rationalisation** to identify used and unused software application installations on your network. This assists with reviewing current procurement procedures, identifying cost reductions and the ability to reharvest licenses.

A SAM Baseline Service recognises the importance for customers to effectively manage their software assets. Asset Management is an ongoing process that ensures customers benefit from significantly improved licensing management capabilities and reduced software management costs.

The Data#3 Asset Management team has the proven software auditing expertise and experience to assist our customers in the implementation of software asset management solutions. We help our customers to meet best practice and industry standards to ensure total software asset management control.

**The Next Steps**

To request more information on the SAM Baseline Service, please contact the Data#3 Asset Management team by email (samservices@data3.com.au) today!

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