The Landscape of **Optimized Technology Cultivating Your IT Lifecycle**

It's no coincidence that

Technology enables life and can improve the world. Optimized systems can help extend performance.

is part of the IT lifecycle.

Optimizing at every stage of the IT lifecycle helps systems produce for sustained periods of time.

A bird's eye view of the IT lifecycle

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Compare the IT lifecycle to a tree's stages of development

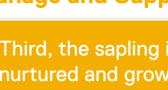


Plan and Design

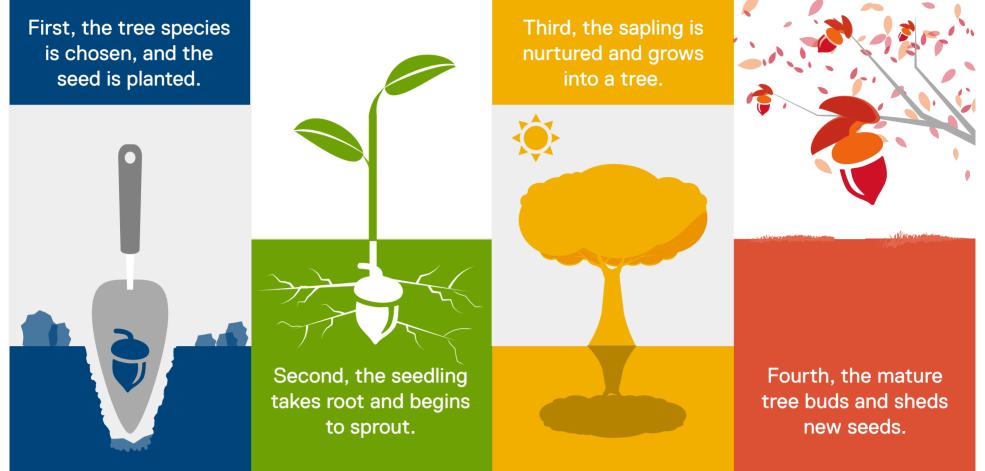
First, the tree species is chosen, and the seed is planted.



Deploy and Integrate Manage and Support Transform or Retire







Plan and Design

IT consulting spending will reach \$37.1 billion in 2019.¹

Explore the possibilities. Lay the groundwork.

Our skilled consultants can assess your current capabilities and gather new requirements. Whether you plan to optimize or transform your IT environment, we'll help you develop a well-defined plan and implement solutions without interrupting operations.

> Dell received a 93% customer experience (CE) rate for **Consulting Services.**²

Deploy and Integrate

Establish connections. Educate to enrich growth.

Our deployment experts can help with simple to complex system configuration, logistics, integration and data migration. Once your systems are up and running, we'll train IT professionals and staff to maximize

78% of enterprises worldwide use some type of deployment service.³

80% of IT managers believe effective training is critical to the success of a project.⁴

Manage and Support

Professional and support services for infrastructure and software will grow at a CAGR of 22.7%.⁵

Maintain system functions. Nurture to extend performance.

Our technical engineers paired with automated system monitoring provide the highest level of hardware and software support available. Vigilant sensors enable proactive issue detection to help take the "break" out of "break-fix."

Up to 90% less IT effort to resolve issues using ProSupport Plus with SupportAssist.⁶

Transform and Retire

Examine system performance. Assess for continued viability.

Our asset analysts can evaluate whether to repurpose, resell or recycle systems nearing end of life. When you're ready to transition from old to new, we take extensive measures to protect your sensitive information and then recycle systems responsibly.

E-waste generated globally each year expected to grow to

As the world's largest tech recycling program, Dell recovered 1.6 billion pounds in 83 countries/territories.8

With each new system, the IT lifecycle begins again.



Trust Dell's technology landscape architects to dig in.

We're so much more than hardware.

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