

#### AWS EUC INNOVATION DAY 2022

# Enabling Workforce Flexibility with Amazon WorkSpaces

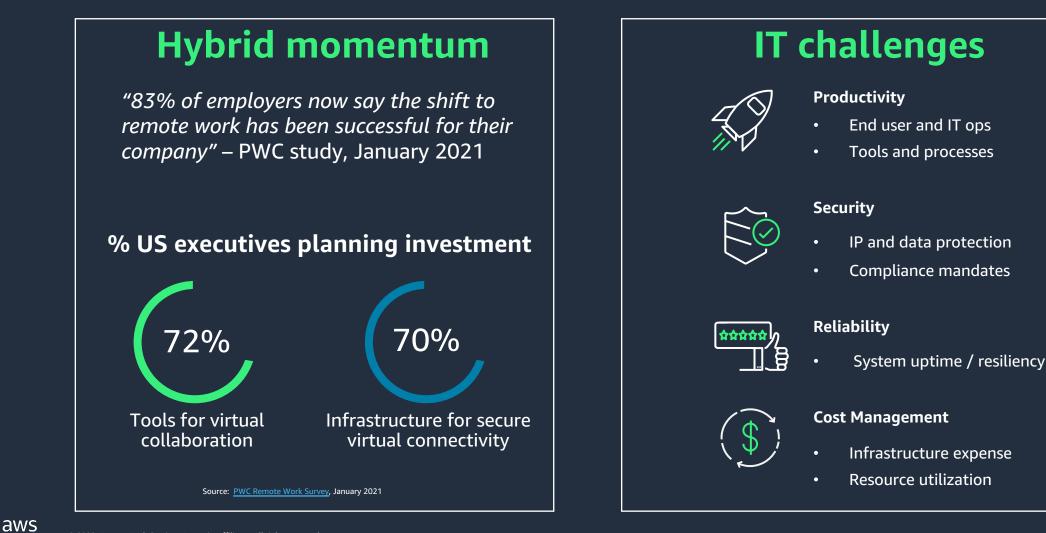
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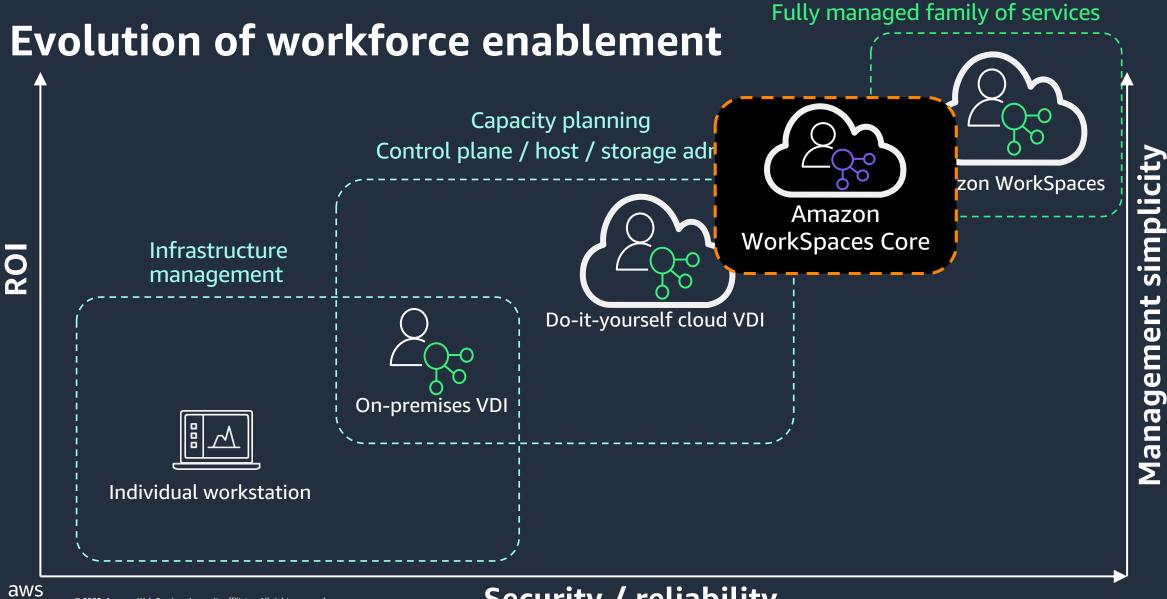
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# Agenda

- Modern workforce IT challenges and enablement evolution
- WorkSpaces Family of services
- WorkSpaces offering expansion delivering more choice
- Open Source and Ubuntu
- Use cases

### Modern workforce creates IT challenges





Security / reliability

Fully managed, secure, reliable, scalable virtual desktops for every workload

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#### Configurability

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CPU, memory, operating system, GPU-accelerated config options	

>300 enterprise policies

## Maintain a strong security / compliance posture



#### **Remoting protocol**

No app data touches the endpoint



### **VPC endpoint**

Secure private networking



### Authentication

Certificates, MFA, Identity providers



Data protection policy controls

Restrict copy/paste, printing, file download

### Key certifications

- SOC
- PCII
- ISO
- FedRAMP
- DoD SRG
- HIPPA BAA
- IRAP
- MTCS
- C5
- ENS High
- OSPAR
- HITRUST CSF

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### Amazon WorkSpaces

A WorkSpace for every Worker and Workload

### **Ubuntu Desktop (New)**

- Familiar Ubuntu environment
- Users with Ubuntu dev tool dependencies
- GPU accelerated configurations\*

#### Amazon Linux

- Lowest cost Linux solution
- For users with no Linux OS Preference
- No OS requirements by dev tool ISVs

### **Microsoft Windows**

- Familiar Windows environment
- Users with Windows dev tool dependencies
- GPU accelerated configurations

#### Productivity

Tools to react to the needs of the business and streamline IT operations

#### **Cost Management**

Bundles, billing options, and scalability to optimize resource utilization

#### Security

Data stored in AWS Cloud, multi-level access control, encryption in transit / at rest

#### Reliability

Fully managed service and reliable AWS infrastructure for 99.9% uptime



## Ideal Users - Ubuntu Desktop for WorkSpaces



Developers

- Familiar OS / tools
- Build / test / deploy in multiple environments



### **Data Scientists**

- Tools to transform data, build / manage models
- CPU & GPU performance for data processing / modeling



### Engineers

- GPU performance for visualization / rendering
- Low latency for collaborating



### **Task Workers**

- Access to applications
- Not dependent on Windows

# All require ability to work from anywhere

### Stephane Verdy - Senior Solution Architect, Canonical

## **Open Source in the Enterprise**

- **90%** of enterprise DevOps teams view open source as important.
- 60% of businesses report an increase in open source software usage over the last year.

### **Enterprise Open Source benefits:**

- Innovation and latest technologies
- Cost reduction
- Accelerates development
- Continued releases and patches

#### **Enterprise Open Source challenges:**

- Reliability and availability of support SLAs
- Project governance and security patching
- Lack of internal skills to provision, patch and harden enterprise open source

## **Ubuntu – the trusted conduit for open source**



- Common OS across desktop, server, cloud, and IoT
- Latest toolchains and libraries

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 Access to a global community of developers and contributors



#### **Data Scientists**

- The reference platform for Data Science and Al/ML tooling
- Maximize GPU performance with tools like NVIDIA CUDA\*



#### **IT Admins**

- Active Directory for mixed OS fleet management
- Rapid provisioning and deployment
- Save on high-end hardware and secondary devices



#### **Security Team**

- 10 years of patching with Ubuntu Pro
- Hardening compliance tools like FIPS and CIS
- Data secure in the cloud

### **Ubuntu – spans verticals**

#### **Financial** Healthcare Automotive Government Academic • Al workloads, rendering and • Deploy Ubuntu Pro on • High end Ubuntu Save on licensing and • Secure OS utilizes AWS workstations for R&D commercial systems AWS GovCloud hardware costs based PCI-compliant host Development and testing • FIPS compliant, CIS tools, • Reduce hardware costs in Work and learn on cutting Thin client for remote • models and DISA-STIG Healthcare centers edge Open Source workers and contractors

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### **Get started**

#### Ubuntu Desktop for WorkSpaces free tier offer

- Starting September 29, 2022 through March 31, 2023, Amazon WorkSpaces provides up to 5 Ubuntu Performance bundles with 80 GB Root and 50 GB User Volumes, running in AutoStop mode for up to 500 hours of combined use per month across all AWS regions where Ubuntu bundles are available.
- "Empowering Builders with Amazon WorkSpaces" session
  - Upcoming AWS EUC Innovation day session featuring a live demo of Ubuntu Desktop on WorkSpaces

Offer expires on March 31, 2023, regardless of when you started receiving benefits under the offer. After March 31, 2023, the WorkSpaces you launched during the promotion period will automatically be billed at the applicable hourly rate unless removed.

- This offer is valid for a total of up to 5 Ubuntu WorkSpaces across all AWS regions for all Amazon WorkSpaces customers. When calculating your use of Ubuntu WorkSpaces under this offer, we will aggregate your use across all AWS regions. You will be charged standard rates for use of Ubuntu WorkSpaces beyond 5 WorkSpaces.
- This offer is only valid for Ubuntu WorkSpaces running in AutoStop mode. You will be charged standard rates for use of Ubuntu WorkSpaces running in AlwaysOn mode.
- We may terminate this offer at any time for any reason.

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