SharePoint Pre-Migration Check & House Cleanup

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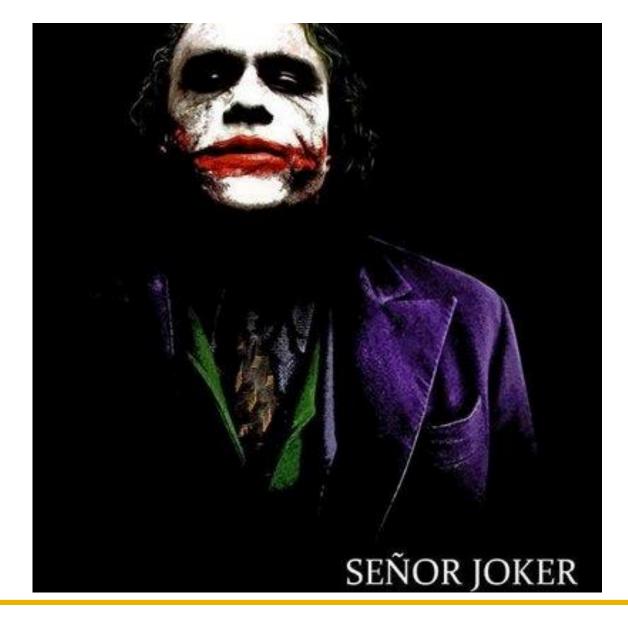
- SharePoint Focused 11+ years of SharePoint Implementations
- 100's of SharePoint\ Office 365 Migrations
- 100's of SharePoint application development projects
- SharePoint Focused Managed Services Practice
- System Integration
- Legacy Modernization





SharePoint Pre-Migration Check & House Cleanup

- Chaos at the bottom means order on the top ... chaos is never fair.







Agenda

Pre-Migration checks

Pre-Migration cleanup

Intro to Microsoft free tools

Review other 3rd party tools

A Migration use case





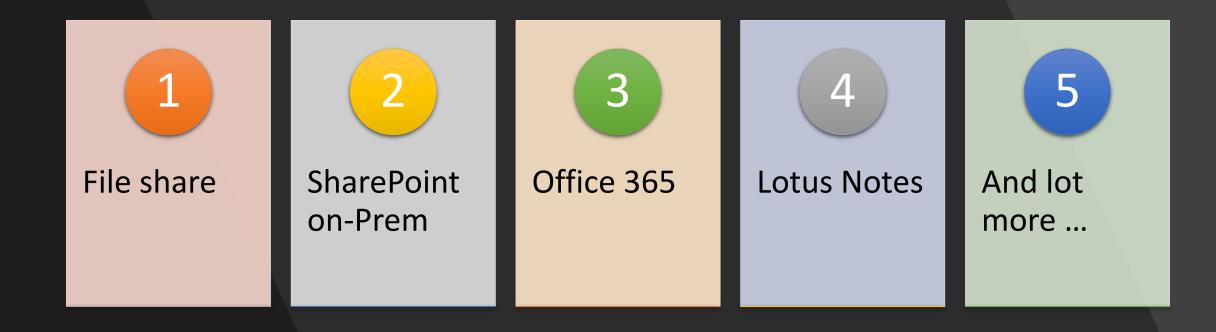
Pre-Migration Checks







Different Data Sources



Type of Reports

Environment Assessment Reports

Cleanup Reports



File share Reports

- Inventory Size
- Large files
- Count of files
- File Type Report
- Permissions on the folders\ drives
- Health of the file share server









SharePoint Server Reports

- Farm & Health Analysis Report
- SharePoint Services Report
- Content Report
- 3rd Party Products Report
- Customizations Report
- Database Backups







Farm & Health Analysis Report

- Farm topology
- Service Pack/ Patches
- Language Packs
- Current Farm Usages
- Health Report
- Event & SharePoint logs





SharePoint Services Report

- SharePoint Service Applications
- Line of Business Integration services like BCS
- Custom Search Scopes
- UserProfile & My Sites
- And more about services.





Content Report

- List of Web apps, Url, port
- Application pool
- Trusted Identity Providers
- Authentication types
- Anonymous
- SSL
- AAM
- Database Size

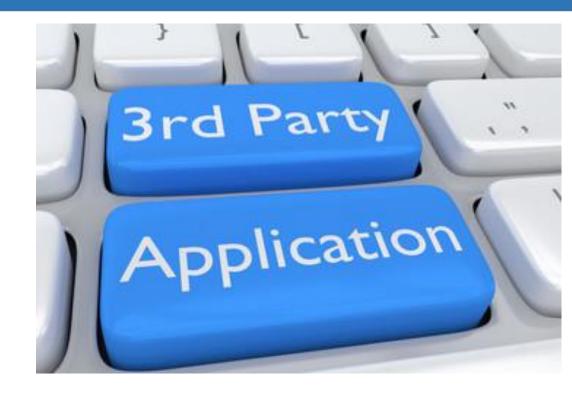
- # of site collections
- Sites with basic details likes size, last used
- Deprecated site Templates





3rd Party Products Report

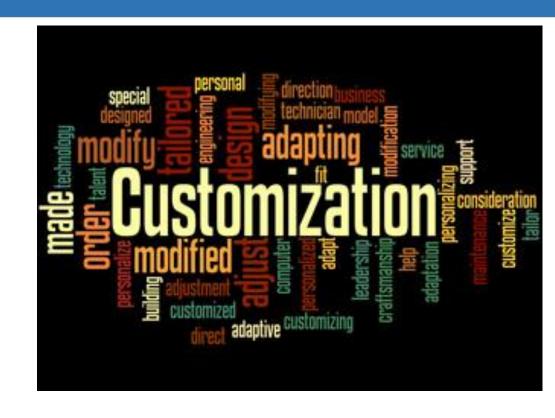
- Externalized Blob storage
- Forms Nintex, K2 etc
- Workflows Nintex , K2 etc
- Any others?





Customizations Report

- WSPs, Apps
- Active Features & webparts
- Custom JavaScript
- Custom CSS
- Custom Authentication providers
- Web.config file
- Custom Folders in Hive\ Root







Database Backups

- Verify the Database backup plan
- Test a complete farm restore
- Repair data issues
 - Check databases for corrupted data
 - Check databases for duplicate or orphaned site collections
 - Check variations







Few Cleanup Reports

Document

- Larger than 50 MB
- Unchanged in last 6 months
- Anonymous guest links enabled
- Custom permissions
- Explicit permissions to users

User

- External Users
- Orphaned users

List

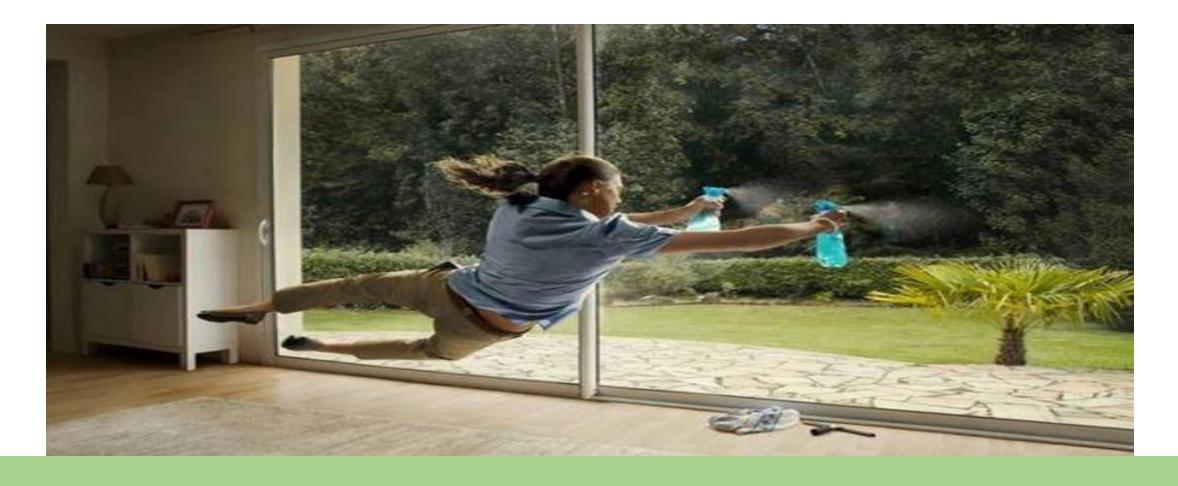
- Explicit permissions to users
- Unchanged in last 6 months
- With custom permissions
- More then 5K items
- With workflows
- Without major version limit

Site

- Number of Subsites per Site collection
- Site Collections Reports
- Sites unchanged in last 6 months
- sites with Anonymous access
- Sites with custom permissions







Pre-Migration Cleanup





Guiding Stakeholders for Cleanup

- Follow the ROT Principal Redundant Outdated Trivial content
- Have sessions with the stakeholders to cleanup files
- Delete\ Archiving any thing that is not required
- Prefer a Phased Approach
- Give at least 2 weeks to review and make consolidation decisions
- Setup Recurring meetings
- Lastly, educate the users on the benefits





Moving to Modern UI?

- Are you moving to modern UI?
- Lets not forget SP2019 supports Modern UI
- Lot of UI customizations don't work in Modern UI
- It has to be SPFx customization only





Sites & Site collections Cleanup

- Delete Stale sites and webs
- Breakup Site collection
- Consider moving site collections into separate databases
- Finish Visual Upgrades in SharePoint 2010 Products
- Find Small site collection & demote to subsite





Users & Security Cleanups

- Orphaned Users
- Remove unused SharePoint Security Groups
- Remove orphaned AD Groups
- User permissions VS group permissions







List\ Libraries Cleanup

- Delete excess columns from wide lists or remove wide lists
- Remove extraneous document versions
- Remove huge lists not being used
- Find large sites & try promoting to site collections
- Huge Workflow history Lists
- Checked Out Documents
- Remove Duplicate Files





Customizations

- Remove unused web templates
- Remove unused features
- Remove unused Web Parts & App parts





Folder to Flat structure

- Consider converting folders to flat structure.
- Categorize documents
- Users will need to specify attributes of every document
- Map them to destination List\ Libraries
- Use Term Store & Managed Metadata Columns if needed





Cleanup Permissions

- Keep them simple
- Re-evaluate the permissions
- Try converting Individual permission to Group permissions
- Leverage AD & Azure Security Groups





Pre-Migration Check & Clean up Tools





Custom PowerShell commands

Pre-Upgrade Check & Test-SpContentDatabase

Microsoft free Tools

Sharegate

Metalogix

AvePoint

FolderSizes





Microsoft Tools

SMAT

- Assessment
- Identity Mapping

SPMT

Migration





SMAT - Assessment Reports

List

- IRM Enabled Lists
- Email Enabled Lists
- External List
- Checked-out files
- Large Excel Files
- Large List Views
- Large Lists
- Managed Metadata Columns
- Publishing Pages
- Workflow Associations 2010
- Workflow Associations 2013
- Workflow Running Solutions 2010
- Workflow Running Solutions 2013

Sites

- Large Sites
- Locked Sites
- Publishing Sites
- Unsupported Site Templates

Customizations

- Master Pages
- Customized Pages
- Sandbox Solution
- Apps
- Full Trust Component Results
- InfoPath
- · Custom Permission Level
- Custom Profile Property Mappings

General

- Alerts
- BCS
- Browser File Handling
- File Versions
- Long OneDrive URLs
- Secure Store
- Site Template Language
- Web Application Policies





SMAT - Identity Mapping Reports

- Full Identity Report
- Identity Mapping Report





- Supports file share & SharePoint 2013 to SharePoint Online & OneDrive Migrations.
- Providers a Wizard like experience.
- Generates Post-Migration reports

Move your files to SharePoint Online



Select a source

Folder share, On-premises SharePoint, or CSV file for batch migration

Choose a destination

Existing or new SharePoint Site

Go!

See detailed progress, pause and resume at any time.

Learn more about migration

Sign in to get started!

Next

Cancel





Other 3rd Party Tools





Comparison of 3rd Party Tools

	Sharegate	Microsoft Tools	Metalogix	Avepoint
Farm Assessment Report	Few	No	Yes	Yes
Cleanup Reports	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
SharePoint Migration	Yes	To O365	Yes	Yes
File Share Migration	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Assessment Tool Cost	Trial	Free	Free	Trial
Migration Tool Cost	\$3999/-	Free		





Migration Use Case





Data sources

Files share size in several countries

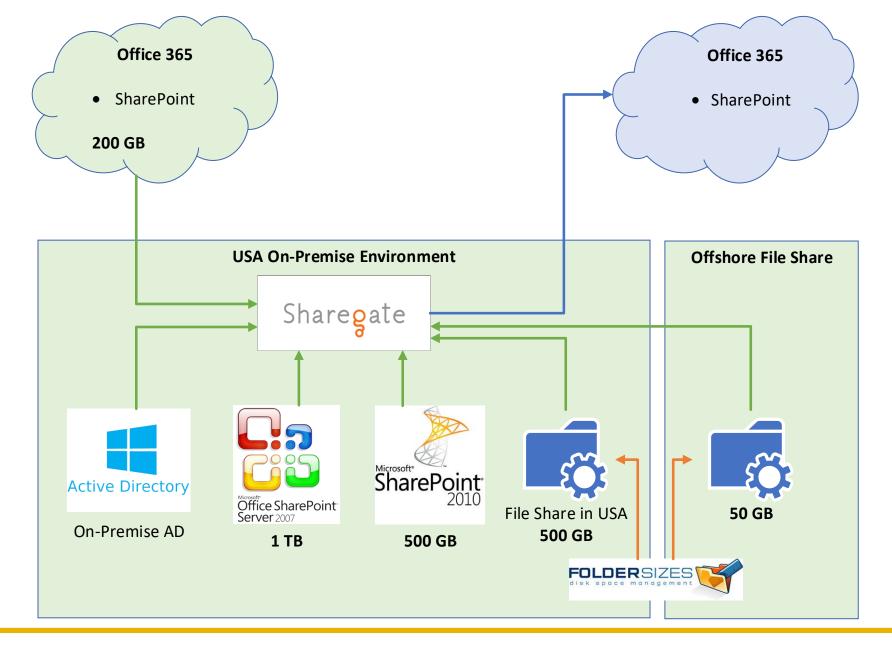
Office 365 Tenant

SharePoint 2007

SharePoint 2010











SharePoint Deployment Planning Services

 Program gives you vouchers for assessments.

Activity	Engagement length					
Activity	1-Day	3-Day	5-Day	10-Day	15-Day	
Pre-engagement Questionnaire	х	х	х	Х	Х	
Customer Workshop	х	х	х	х	х	
Demo	х	х	х	х	х	
Summary Report	х	х	х	х	х	
Technical Upgrade Assessment			х	х	х	
Initial Functional Assessment			х	х	х	
Proof of Concept (POC)				Х	Х	
POC Findings Report				х	Х	





FREE Promotions from AQL

1. Free 4 hour SharePoint Farm Diagnostic assessment.

2. Free 4 hour SharePoint premigration farm assessment.







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