Modernize and Manage Your Exadata, Your Way

Oracle Exadata customers, both on-premises and in a cloud model, experience extreme performance, scalability, and the flexibility of a *chip to click* integrated software and hardware solution. The seamless compatibility between deployment models can help ensure a smooth transition to cloud when ready, and an efficient hybrid strategy.

Oracle Advanced Customer Services can help keep Oracle Exadata environments optimized, secure, and running smoothly. With offerings that range from advanced assistance to a fully managed solution, services align to varying customer confidence and skill levels.

**Why Review Your Oracle Exadata Estate?**

**Future proof today to reduce cost and accelerate your long-term goals**

Of the Fortune 100 companies, 86% of them run Oracle Exadata. Many of these customers now find themselves at a crossroad. Should they upgrade aging on-premises systems, modernize by moving to cloud, or take a hybrid approach? Oracle Advanced Customer Services has supported these customers since the inception of Oracle Exadata in 2008. With proven expertise, experience, and flexible service portfolio, Oracle Advanced Customer Services can help customers run and operate their environments enabling them to maximize their technology investment and ensure the ongoing success of their business.

**Thousands of Global Deployments**

**Three (3) destination options**

Is it time to upgrade older Oracle Exadata machines? Do you plan to stay in the data center or are you ready to capitalize on next-generation computing and the innovation that Oracle Cloud can deliver?
Oracle Exadata is unique in the marketplace as it runs in three (3) different models where customers can easily move between environments without fear of incompatibility.

1. Oracle Exadata Cloud Service—if you want out of the data center
2. Oracle Exadata Cloud at Customer—to keep cloud behind your firewall
3. Oracle Exadata Database Machines—for your on-premises deployments

Regardless of deployment approach, Oracle Advanced Customer Services can partner with you to help you run and operate your workloads with confidence, control cost, and achieve optimum levels of performance, availability, and security.

**Modernize Management of Your Business Workloads**

**Flexible services that align with your timeline and choice**

Even though some customers are not yet ready, moving to the cloud is inevitable and essential to the longevity of most organizations. Oracle Advanced Customer Services has global expertise and flexible service options to help you in managing critical infrastructure, and database and application workloads across on-premises, cloud, and hybrid cloud deployments.

You choose the options that cover your requirements

- Self-management with advanced assistance—Use your internal resources to take on nearly everything and benefit from personalized technical support to improve efficiency and availability.
- Manage it together—Engage supplemental help to fine-tune solutions and extract maximum value with flexible proactive system monitoring and resolution.
- Let Oracle manage it—Spend time on tasks that drive your business results by leveraging a fully managed 24/7 lifecycle service.

So, how will you modernize the management of your Exadata workloads?

**Advanced Assistance**

**Elevated support targeted where you need it most**

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<td>Advanced level of support including a designated team of experts to assist with the ongoing execution, effective use, and expansion of your Oracle solution</td>
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<td>Oracle Priority Support</td>
<td>Personalized, proactive support delivering faster problem resolution and priority handling of incidents and service requests</td>
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<td>Oracle Engineered Systems Quarterly Patch Deployment</td>
<td>Proactively maintain patch levels and keep up to date on bug and security fixes to</td>
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**Partner with Oracle Advanced Customer Services to Accelerate Oracle Exadata in the Cloud**

- Move from CAPEX to OPEX
- Reduce database costs
- Improve security and availability
- Access to the latest features and functionality
- A future-proof platform that grows with your business

**Oracle Advanced Customer Services Can Help Drive Your Imperative Business Outcomes:**

- Decreased cost through simplified and standardized architectures and processes reducing total cost of ownership
- Improved operations leveraging automation, unique tooling, and flexible tenancy management
- Enhanced security tailored to your needs including standardization across delivery models and solution governance
- Transformation through expert guidance and recommendations for
derive optimal performance, reduce risk, and correct security vulnerabilities.

| Installation and Configuration for hardware and software | Recommended practices and proven technology are used to audit the installation environment, configure the system to your requirements, and integrate and test servers and storage | • On-premises machines |

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### Managed Services

**Managed 24/7 comprehensive lifecycle support**

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| Oracle Managed Exadata Database Cloud Service | Customers with Oracle Exadata Database Cloud Service subscriptions can take advantage of this fully managed 24/7 lifecycle service to keep databases properly maintained, running smoothly, and secure | • Exadata Cloud Service  
• Exadata Cloud at Customer |
| Oracle Advanced Monitoring and Resolution | This comanaged service can be tailored to your environment providing 24/7 diagnostic and resolution support, as well as monitoring of performance, availability, capacity, and fault detection to help predict and analyze events | • All models |

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### Data Security

**Combat security challenges and manage controls**

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| Oracle Managed Vulnerability and Threat Prevention Services | Help protect your infrastructure and web applications against malicious attacks. These offerings provide detailed scans and penetration testing designed to identify misconfigurations introduced by change events, and put controls and monitoring in place allowing only valid requests to access the system | • All models  
• Penetration testing only for Exadata Cloud Service |
| Oracle Managed Database Security Services | Protect your data with Oracle Database managed security solutions. These offerings provide ongoing security compliance monitoring and audit management as well as support for Database Encryption, Database Vault, Audit Vault, and Data Masking. | • All models |
| Oracle Managed Identity and Access Management Services | Improve identity visibility and identity management across hybrid cloud and increase access controls. These services provide management, reporting, and operational guidance for your Oracle Identity and Access Management solution. | • All models |

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Data Security Challenges Introduced by Digital Transformation

- Growing volume of critical data in distributed environments
- Complexity of hybrid/multicloud and risk of misconfigurations
- New vulnerabilities through rapid deployment of changes
- Increased sophistication of cyberattacks
- Fast evolving regulatory landscape
- Handle growing security demands with lean IT and security teams
Embrace the Full Potential of Your Oracle Exadata Investment

As an Oracle Exadata customer, you have choices. Stay on-premises with Oracle Exadata Database machines, move to a modern cloud operational model behind your firewall with Cloud at Customer, or fully embrace Oracle Cloud by moving directly to Oracle Exadata Cloud Service. Oracle Advanced Customer Services has global expertise in managing business critical infrastructure, and database and application workloads—keeping hybrid and multicloud businesses running smoothly. Partner with Oracle Advanced Customer Services to manage your Oracle Exadata Database workloads while your IT team focuses on innovation and moving your business forward.

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