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5 Ways VERDE VDI™ Desktop Virtualization is the Simple, Smarter Solution

If you are looking at desktop virtualization for your organization, you have probably seen solutions from a number of providers, and you have run across the good, the bad and the ugly. Desktop virtualization can be a homerun, career-advancing move, or it can take a decidedly different turn. We know that you have choices, and we want you to be confident in choosing VERDE VDI. So here it is: 5 Ways VERDE VDI Desktop Virtualization is the Simple, Smarter Solution.

"VERDE VDI helps us reduce capital expenses by providing support for Windows thin clients running virtual Linux desktops. In addition, by enabling our department to move desktops into the secure data center and isolate access based on need or clearance level, the solution significantly improves security."



U.S. Department of Defense Representative, Military US DoD Case Study

#1—Savings Superiority

Purpose-built for Desktop Virtualization, VERDE VDI Delivers Lower CapEx. Really.

Unlike other providers, *NComputing* doesn't approach desktop virtualization as an afterthought or an add-on to server virtualization. We built **VERDE VDI** technology from the ground up for desktop virtualization, which has resulted in tremendous opportunities for us to reduce costs and pass the savings on to you. In fact, the average cost savings of **VERDE VDI** is 60%, and your storage costs can be up to 90% less when compared to other solutions.

One of the key ways we lower your costs is through our Storage Optimizer technology. Storage Optimizer (<u>Deep dive into how our SO technology works</u>) lets you avoid the cost of expensive, third-party, tier-1 storage. **VERDE VDI** works with Direct Attached Storage and any external Network Attached Storage (NAS) or Storage Area Network (SAN) while still delivering a highly desirable user experience.

VERDE VDI can also help you lower costs by allowing you to repurpose older hardware. A dated machine that can't handle current operating systems may be the perfect vehicle to serve as a thin client connecting your users to their modern, robust virtual desktops.

#2—Desktop Domination

Only VERDE VDI Natively Delivers Windows and Linux Desktop Operating Systems

VERDE VDI supports all major versions of Windows desktop, from Windows 7 up through Windows 10. In addition, **VERDE VDI** provides equal support for Linux desktops distributions, including Red Hat, Ubuntu, and more. Enabling Linux desktop virtualization is complex, so it is not surprising that other providers—if they try to support Linux at all—fall short.

VERDE VDI, however, is an end-to-end solution for Linux desktop virtualization. We designed it specifically to support Linux natively, without the need for third-party add-ons, and our testing encompasses both Windows and Linux environments.

The result of all of this is that, whether your desktop environment is Linux, Windows or both, you can manage all your virtual desktops from a single **VERDE VDI** console (Read this paper about how we manage Linux and Windows seamlessly).

#3—Security Supremacy

VERDE VDI Gives You Exclusive, Value-Added Security Capabilities

VERDE VDI desktop virtualization has all the security advantages inherent to virtual desktops, but also allows you to bring additional security benefits to your organization.



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"Virtualizing our desktop environment and using thin clients has reduced operating costs by 30 percent before you factor in the value of energy savings and simplifying operations."



IT Architect,
Gruppo api Case Study

"It was important for us to maintain good performance even when 200 guests were launched concurrently."



University Vice President, Chuo University Case Study For example, **VERDE VDI** offers the option of using two layers of authentication. One layer is MAC address filtering, a **VERDE VDI** exclusive capability, which allows admins to ensure that only specific client devices can connect to your virtual desktop infrastructure regardless of authentication method.

The second layer is the login/password authentication you expect from any solution, but even here, **VERDE VDI** stands out with support for multiple LDAP services including OID, eDirectory and Active Directory from MS.

In short, if security is a top priority, **VERDE VDI** should be at the top of your list (<u>More: how VDI secures your data</u>).

#4—Masterful Multi-Tenancy

ONLY VERDE VDI Enables DaaS with Segregated Multi-Tenancy

If you need to manage multiple branches or LOBs but don't need a multi-installation headache, **VERDE VDI** has you covered. **VERDE VDI** lets you manage multiple departments from one console, but assign each their own individual hardware platform

Exactly how you set up your environment is up to you. You can manage a server cluster from a central console and then allow each organization to have administrators, or not. **VERDE VDI** centralizes management and lets you apply role-based administration to assign different managers within different organizations.

As a result, no matter how large your enterprise, you can always segregate workloads based on users and still build holistic reports from a central management engine and a single pane of glass.

#5—Exceptional Experience

VERDE VDI Delivers a Guaranteed User Experience for End-users and Administrators

A common concern for end users is that their virtual desktop will fail to deliver snappy performance. The good news is that we designed **VERDE VDI** to deliver a great experience to users and administrators alike.

For example, **VERDE VDI** lets administrators limit the bandwidth of the virtual interface, which is another way of saying you can put a cap on the maximum overhead allowed for each physical interface per user. You can drill this down to a specific user or specific group, and ensure that everyone gets a fair share of the performance pie.

Similarly, **VERDE VDI** lets administrators regulate network traffic from the virtual machine level. This effectively does away with the classic problem in a virtualization environment, "Noisy Neighbor Syndrome."

Admins worried about audit trails, compliance and similar issues will be pleased at the extremely granular capabilities **VERDE VDI** delivers in Role-Based Access Control (RBAC). Like most solutions, **VERDE VDI** everyone allows you to limit access to resources based on basic roles such as administrator, master administrator, operational user and end users.

However, **VERDE VDI** takes it a step further, allowing you to segregate specific functions based on the role. For example, you can define different levels of access for different administrators. **VERDE VDI** delivers desktop virtualization the way administrators want it.

It may not be every day that you get to be the smartest person in the room, so don't pass up this opportunity. When it's time to grow, you WILL be the smart one, because VERDE VDI offers easy licensing with no additional costs when you add servers. So go ahead, be the smartest. Get in touch and get VERDE VDI today.

