

Citrix[®] Solution

THINK Telework

Solution Components

Citrix[®] Access Suite provides secure, on demand access to critical information and applications to any device, over any connection, to local, remote and mobile Federal employees.

The Access Suite enables Federal IT Managers to deliver secure remote access for telework with the following critical features:

- Universal client access
- 128-bit SSL encryption, 128-bit SecureICA™ encryption, ticketing and smart card support
- FIPS-140 Compliance
- Compliance with numerous multi-factor authentication tools
- Minimal bandwidth requirements
- GSA Price: \$362.10 /seat

With legislative mandates pressing on both telework initiatives and the Federal Information Security Management Act (FISMA) requirements, Federal IT managers need a secure, rapidly deployable telework solution.

More than two-thirds of Federal government employees utilize home personal computers to telework, and more than 40 percent still use dial-up to connect to the Internet. Citrix enables teleworkers to access critical applications and information on demand, from any Web-enabled machine and over any type of network connection – including wireless and dial-up. At the same time, Citrix complies with Federal information security requirements, providing for 100 percent identity management with centralized access control and user-level provisioning.

Solution Benefits:

- Deploys critical applications and information to employees connecting from home or from a telework office. Regardless of client device or network connection, Citrix provides 24x7 on demand access.
- Ensures the security of information at remote locations with multi-factor authentication, SSL-level encryption and user-level provisioning. Using a consolidated server infrastructure, Citrix transmits screen images, mouse clicks and keystrokes – the data never actually leaves the data center.
- Enables IT managers to retain complete control over access to applications and data, with the ability to monitor usage of system resources for each individual user.
- Harnesses built-in conferencing tools to facilitate rapid, seamless collaboration between remote workers at any location.

Beyond providing secure, on-demand access to applications and information resources, Citrix provides a low Total Cost of Operation for agencies looking to implement telework solutions in a tight budget environment. The Office of Personnel Management projects telework costs of between \$1,270 and \$1,760 per seat. Citrix can deliver a telework solution for as little as \$362.10 per concurrent user.

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Benefit	Standard Federal Telework Solution	Citrix® Access Suite
Price	\$1,270 Per User	\$362.10 Per concurrent user
Access	Access tactics – Every user connects in a different way	Access strategy – Local or remote, users connect to the network using a single, standard interface
Security	67 percent of Federal employees use home PCs to telework, creating numerous security gaps	No data ever leaves the data center. Data images, mouse clicks and keystrokes encrypted with 128-bit SSL or SecureICA encryption. Supports Multi-factor authentication and FIPS-140
Admin Control	Administrators have limited control over what applications and data leave the network	Administrators retain total control over the entire local and remote computing environment – including file access and resource usage monitoring
Network Requirements	OPM specifies agency-subsidized broadband connections	Any connection to the internet including wireless, cable, DSL or dial-up
Client Requirements	OPM specifies agency-provided laptops or desktops	Any client machine – including Apple® or Unix® machines – will be able to securely access information, with no residual information left on the client machine
Architecture	Multiple, non-standard architectures in multiple locations	Consolidated enterprise architecture with unified strategy for application deployment and access
Collaboration	No standard collaboration package included	Standardized collaboration component included in the Access Suite to enable real-time Web-conferences between workers at remote sites Add voice, video and data over IP with Access Gateway

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