

Information Management, Analytics & Optimization Services

IMS Security Implementation Service Offering



understand what resources are being secured currently. After this, IBM will come on-site to implement a similar level of security, utilizing modern SAF solutions. After that, a detailed written report will be created off-site; documenting the implementation and resultant security environment. The final written report is delivered two to three weeks after the conclusion of the on-site visit.

Duration

Variable, depending on the requested scope.

Requested involvement from the client

It would be expected that representatives from a relevant subset of the following groups be available during certain periods of the study:

- IMS application team leaders for identified applications of interest
- IMS DBAs
- IMS System Programmers
- Security Administrators
- Lead problem and change control coordinators

Highlights

- ***Service from the IMS Laboratory Technical Specialist group***
- ***Mandatory SMU to RACF conversion required when migrating to IMS Version 10***
- ***Migrated environment will be documented in detail for ease of administration and operations***
- ***Findings delivered as paper report including management summary***

The IMS Security Implementation service offering from the IMS Laboratory Technical Specialist group is now available. With IMS Version 10, the IMS supplied Security Maintenance Utility (SMU) is no longer supported, and Clients must migrate to SAF based security systems. The skills to perform this migration may not be available to you. Therefore this offering is designed to help you design and implement an effective security strategy when moving from the traditional SMU (IMS security maintenance utility) to a System Authorization Facility SAF based solution.

Implementation Approach and Deliverables

The engagement consists of initial reviews of documentation provided by you on your existing IMS security environment in order for IBM to

Next Steps

Your first step is to get your initial project up and running and quickly document the current security environment in the IMS area.

Our consultants can assist with both the installation and configuration of the suggested changes. Our consultants will guide your staff through the required steps and in combination with the Temporary Staffing Service Offering a full implementation service for the customers security environment is possible.

For more information

To learn more about IBM Software Services and this service offering, please contact your local IBM sales representative or send an e-mail to jhook@us.ibm.com.

In addition the manager of the IMS Laboratory Technical Specialist Group will be happy to help.

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