



Fast Track to a Comprehensive Identity Management Roadmap

A solid identity management roadmap can help address many of your biggest security and regulatory compliance challenges. But where do you begin? What's the best way to approach this complex undertaking? Novell® has the answers: an Identity Management Fast Track consulting engagement will help you develop a tailored identity management vision and roadmap for your enterprise.

Solving Your Identity Management Puzzle

Identity management can address many tough business challenges—from helping to manage security policy enforcement and facilitating regulatory compliance to streamlining provisioning and access management processes. But implementing effective identity solutions is a complex task with potential implications for virtually every system, process and person in or connected with your organization. That's why building a unified, effective identity management roadmap requires sound methodology, careful planning, implementation best practices and the effective integration of technology infrastructures and business processes.

Choosing the Fast Track

The Fast Track to an Identity Management Roadmap from Novell is a rapid consulting engagement designed to help with your identity management vision, strategy and implementation plan. This onsite engagement leverages our extensive identity management

planning and implementation experience and proven methodologies, all tailored to the unique requirements of your business. We will work with key stakeholders in your organization to develop a shared identity management vision, identifying the technology and business capabilities you'll need to achieve that vision and recommending the specific identity management initiatives that will provide those capabilities. At the conclusion of the engagement, you'll have a clear, prioritized roadmap that will enable you to reach your identity management objectives quickly and successfully.

With the Novell Fast Track to an Identity Management Roadmap engagement, your organization can:

- *Develop a deep, shared understanding of identity management and its benefits*
- *Create a consensus on identity management concepts, issues, opportunities and priorities*

■ Solutions:

- Compliance and Regulatory Challenges
 - Sarbanes-Oxley
 - HIPAA
 - HSPD-12



“Novell Consulting has helped us lay a solid foundation for our strategic identity management initiative.”

Samuel Pierre-Louis

*Director, Information Security
MD Anderson Cancer Center*

As a recognized leader in identity, Novell can offer you the extensive experience, proven methodologies and global resources you need to maximize the potential of identity management in your organization.

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- *Define potential opportunities and capabilities for the future*
- *Document the scope, priorities and desired outcomes of your identity management initiatives*
- *Learn critical success factors and proven best practices for implementing identity management*

The Novell Fast Track to an Identity Management Roadmap engagement considers both the IT and business implications of identity management, including strategy, architecture, process, organization and people. The engagement features interconnected business and technology architecture tracks, which seamlessly converge into a final integrated roadmap. This process includes three distinct phases: assessment, analysis and planning.

Phase I: Assessment

Novell business and technology consultants work with you to gather data about your business drivers, current processes and technology, and identity management vision. In this phase, we conduct a project kickoff and interview key stakeholders to distill identity management business drivers and goals. Our team then assesses your current technology infrastructure, with special attention to identity data stores and identity-related processes.

Phase II: Analysis

After the assessment is complete, Novell consultants analyze the findings to determine

key technology and process gaps in your organization. During the analysis phase, we also:

- *Identify any new technology and business capabilities you will need*
- *Analyze key technology integration points and strategies*
- *Identify identity management initiatives that match your goals and vision*
- *Develop preliminary business and technology recommendations*

Phase III: Planning

In the planning phase of the engagement, our consulting team prepares a set of key recommendations that prioritize identity-related initiatives and creates a high-level definition of the required identity services architecture. Finally, we develop a phased identity management implementation roadmap and conduct a final readout of findings and recommendations.

Moving Forward

By the time your Fast Track to an Identity Management Roadmap engagement is complete, you'll have a thorough understanding of the identity management challenges and opportunities that face your organization. You'll benefit from a shared identity management vision that crosses technical and business boundaries. You'll know exactly what technology and process gaps you need to fill to reach your identity management goals. And you'll have a detailed, actionable plan for moving forward with confidence.



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