



Novell® Teaming Deployment

Novell® Teaming improves workplace collaboration by bringing people, projects and processes together to increase your organization's productivity. The easiest and quickest way to deploy Teaming is with help from Novell IT Consulting and its partners. Start realizing the benefits of our next-generation collaboration tools by engaging our highly skilled professionals today.

Novell Teaming

Novell Teaming is the next-generation collaboration tool that will help customers connect people to performance and business possibilities. In addition, it will improve productivity, lower business costs, ensure security and integrate with your mixed environment.

What Is a Novell Teaming Deployment Engagement?

Whether you are just starting out or attempting to migrate your existing solution to Novell Teaming, Novell IT Consulting and its partners can assist you. If you are new to Teaming, deployment is critical to your success, especially with demanding end users. If you are migrating from an existing solution, legacy products or other collaboration vendors may not provide tools to easily move your data.

Planning and expert advice can help you mitigate risk and avoid pitfalls in either of these scenarios. A Novell Teaming Deployment consulting engagement allows you to quickly realize the benefits of the product, such as

team workspaces, blogs and wikis and document sharing.

Stages of a Novell Teaming Deployment Engagement

Novell Teaming Deployment consulting engagements vary from simple to complex. This depends on the size of your implementation, whether you're migrating data from another collaborative platform, the degree of customization and/or integration required and other factors. All deployments follow the same successful process, and are outlined in the following stages.

Requirements Assessment

Subject matter experts will identify your current use cases, business requirements and needed functionality. Experts will meet with key individuals to identify business goals and technical requirements, and the following steps will be used to plan the deployment:

- *Work with your project manager to identify and interview staff who will support the Teaming deployment*

- **Solutions:**
Collaboration
- **Products:**
Novell Teaming

Novell and its partners can craft a Teaming deployment approach that's tailored to your specific situation—providing help when you need it, where you need it.



Contact your Novell representative or partner, or your Novell Services Executive to learn more about how Teaming deployment services can benefit your organization. Together, we can craft a Teaming deployment approach that is tailored to your specific situation—providing help when you need it, where you need it.

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- *Discuss IT considerations, such as compliance with corporate security policies, and server sizing and scaling*
- *Leverage Teaming functionality to facilitate use case(s), such as:*
 - Workflows and custom forms tailored to your business processes
 - Workspaces and folders configured to meet specific business functions
- *Review needed customizations or integrations, such as:*
 - A tailored user interface, or skin, to match your corporate look and feel
 - Integration or data exchange with third-party systems
 - Custom Teaming applications that leverage the robust API and development environment
- *Develop a deployment review report, including a project schedule*

Construction and Transition

After an agreement is reached on the deployment scope and schedule, Novell IT Consulting or partners will perform the deployment. This stage includes the following steps:

- *Novell Teaming software installation and configuration*
- *Develop, test and execute required data migration tools*
- *Configure, test and deploy Teaming use case(s)*
- *Develop, test and deploy Teaming customization and/or integrations*
- *Hold a post-deployment review meeting*

Deliverables

Novell Teaming deployments typically yield the following deliverables:

- *A deployment review report that:*
 - Summarizes the results of our interviews and questionnaires
 - Identifies issues that may impact the success of your deployment
 - Includes a high-level architecture diagram
- *A healthy Teaming environment preconfigured for desired use case(s)*
- *Novell Teaming customizations and/or integrations if any were identified in the requirements assessment phase*

Novell IT Consulting and Novell Partners

Novell Teaming deployments are conducted by a combination of Novell partners and consultants, and can include:

- *Senior technical consultants, architects, project leaders and support resources*
- *Novell engineering resources*

Novell knows how to complete your Teaming deployment on time and on budget. Your complex collaboration solutions require skills and expertise, and no one has more experience deploying Novell products than IT Consulting and our partners.



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