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HC3 CASE STUDY

# Medium Enterprise Agriculture Company

#### Introduction

This case study of a medium enterprise agriculture company is based on a July 2019 survey of HC3 customers by TechValidate, a 3rd-party research service. The profiled company asked to have their name blinded to protect their confidentiality.

"Scale has been great to work with; they've really taken the complexity out of managing a server infrastructure."

# Challenges

The business challenges that led the profiled company to evaluate and ultimately select HC3:

Solved the following operational challenges after deploying HC3:

- Enabled virtualization without complexity
- Reduced time spent managing Infrastructure
- Improved availability of critical workloads
- Improved disaster recovery
- Solved single vendor support of Infrastructure

Purchased their HC3 system for the following reasons:

- To support higher uptime SLAs for critical workloads
- To support business growth expectations or new business initiatives

Purchased HC3 over the following vendors:

- Hypervisor VMware
- Hypervisor Microsoft Hyper-V
- Dell Servers / SAN
- HP Servers / SAN
- EMC
- Nutanix

# Use Case

- Has 2 IT personnel responsible for infrastructure.
- Runs Less than 10 Virtual Machines on HC3.

# Results

The surveyed company achieved the following results with HC3:

Rated the following HC3 capabilities in terms of how they differentiated from the competition:

- Single vendor support: extremely differentiated
- Scalability: extremely differentiated
- Reliability: extremely differentiated
- Ease of implementation: extremely differentiated
- Ease of use: extremely differentiated

Sees the following as the biggest benefits of Scale Computing HC3:

- Ease of use
- Ease and speed of implementation
- High availability of Virtual Machines
- Reliability
- Scalability

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Single vendor support

Decreased the time spent recovering from a hardware failure running a critical workload from 8-24 hours to less than 10 minutes (97-99% reduction in recovery time) with the high availability built into HC3.

Source: TechValidate survey of a Medium Enterprise Agriculture









The company featured in

Company Profile

this case study asked to have its name publicly blinded because publicly endorsing vendors is against their policies.

TechValidate stands behind the authenticity of this data.

Company Size: Medium Enterprise

Industry: Agriculture

# **About HC3**

Scale Computing integrates storage, servers, and virtualization software into an all-in-one appliance based system that is scalable, self-healing and as easy to manage as a single server.