IBM Resiliency Orchestration delivers a single dashboard that combines automation and analytics for faster, more cost-effective disaster recovery

At a glance

IBM® Resiliency Orchestration provides:

- **Business benefits that include:**
  - Reduced risk. Orchestration simplifies disaster recovery through pre-packaged patterns and intelligent workflow automation. This significantly improves reliability of the disaster recovery (DR) solution and data Recovery Point Objective (RPO) and Recovery Time Objective (RTO) Service Level Agreements.
  - Validated DR readiness. Automated, non-intrusive DR testing and validation can reduce testing times and failover and failback.
  - Increased efficiency and reduced costs.

- **IT benefits include:**
  - Reduction in DR exercise time
  - Reduction in dependency on experts
  - Real-time monitoring by using an integrated dashboard view
  - One-click failover and recovery
  - Extensive, enterprise interoperability to support heterogeneous environments
  - Comprehensive disaster recovery audit and compliance reports
  - Lower total cost of ownership and faster return on investment realization

Overview

In 2016, IBM announced the acquisition of Sanovi Technologies, a privately held company that provides hybrid cloud recovery, cloud migration, and business continuity software for enterprise data centers, and cloud infrastructure. By adding these capabilities along with advanced analytics, IBM can better bolster its Software Defined Resiliency strategy and delivery of Business Continuity and DR services for clients who undergo digital and hybrid cloud transformation.

With the Sanovi software, IBM further empowers clients to redefine their DR strategy in the face of unprecedented industry change. The addition of the Sanovi orchestration technology to the existing IBM Resiliency portfolio offers a solution to help:

- Simplify and automate the DR process.
- Manage recovery workflows.
• Reduce recovery time, operating costs, and DR drill testing time.

IBM Resiliency Orchestration, an on-premise IBM software offering, features a management solution for aligning DR infrastructure and capabilities with Recovery Time and Recovery Point objectives. This software offers disaster recovery monitoring, reporting, testing and workflow automation capabilities of complex, hybrid cloud environments in a scalable solution that is built on industry standards. In contrast to IBM Cloud Resiliency Orchestration, which provides ongoing fully-managed services, this new offering allows clients to purchase the on-premise software and optional implementation services. The result is a unified, DR management solution that delivers real-time, DR readiness validation and offers clear business and operational advantages.

The software combines automation and analytics for faster, more cost-effective disaster recovery to help keep daily business operations running and to proactively avoid disruptions that lead to lost revenue, brand damage, and dissatisfied clients. Resiliency Orchestration can simplify disaster recovery automation with real-time readiness validation that can reduce DR test times and disaster recovery failover time. This results in a more cost-effective disaster recovery experience that is smarter, more tailored and more agile than ever before.

Key prerequisites

Resiliency Orchestration requires:

• Workstation with a minimum:
  - Intel Xeon™ processor of 2.27GHz
  - 8 GB of memory
  - Four processor cores
• Red Hat Enterprise Linux™ (RHEL) 7.3
• MariaDB 10.1.19
• Apache Tomcat 7.0.55

For specific requirements, refer to the Technical information section.

Planned availability date

October 6, 2017

Accessibility by people with disabilities

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Section 508 of the US Rehabilitation Act

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For implementation services available for Resiliency Orchestration, see Services Announcement 617-016, dated October 3, 2017.

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**Technical information**

**Specified operating environment**

**Hardware requirements**

Resiliency Orchestration requires:

- Disaster recovery management requires:
  - Workstation with a minimum of:
-- Intel Xeon processor of 2.27 GHz
-- 8 GB of memory
-- Four processor cores

• Site Controller with remote agents only requires:
  – A minimum of 8 GB of memory and 2 processor cores
• Site Controller with local agents only requires:
  – A minimum of 8 GB of memory and 4 processor cores

**Software requirements**

Resiliency Orchestration requires:

• Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) 7.3
• MariaDB 10.1.19
• Apache Tomcat 7.0.55

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