

We wanted improved security, resilience and always-on connectivity



We got it!

“**adapt** were able to respond to a demanding brief, quickly, efficiently and within budget. We continue to work together on additional projects and I look forward to a continued relationship.”

Mark Shuttleworth Canonical Ltd



Business challenge

Support for the developments of multiple open-source software products

Need for high-level security and resilience

Storage requirements for increasing volumes of data

Requirements for data storage and internet access solutions

adapt solution

Secure colocation and internet access solution

Initial provision of multiple colocation cabinets within a secure colocation suite at **adapt**'s Goswell Road data centre

Provision of resilient dual-power inputs for each cabinet

Internet access via GigE ports

Provision of expert consultancy and ongoing technical support

Business value

Peace of mind that data is secure and managed

Robust security and disaster recovery procedures

Freeing up of valuable space, capacity and resource

World leading IP connectivity on the Level 3 backbone

Overview

Canonical sought to improve security and resilience in addition to maintaining always-on internet protocol (IP) connectivity to support their continued development and distribution of open source software products.

To provide centralised services, Canonical needed their equipment to be colocated directly on a Tier 1 internet backbone, within a proven facility that could deliver the highest levels of security, resilience and additional services, such as remote hands and ISP services.

Canonical chose to work with **adapt**, recognising them as the industry's leading managed services provider who were able to provide expert and independent consultancy along with access to the broadest choice of next generation technologies in order to overcome their specific business challenges.

Business value

As a leading Level 3 partner, **adapt** were ideally placed to provide Canonical with a complete, robust, solution. Following comprehensive data centre tours, bespoke suite design, planning and detailed information regarding **adapt**'s Level 3 facility and backbone capability, Canonical chose **adapt**'s London Goswell Road Level 3 data centre because of its comprehensive security levels and industry-leading Tier 4 data centre standards.

adapt initially provided multiple colocation cabinets within a secure colocation suite, installing resilient dual-power inputs for each colocation cabinet. Internet access was provided via GigE ports, allowing Canonical to benefit from world leading IP connectivity on the Level 3 backbone.

By working with **adapt**, Canonical was afforded the confidence that their vital business data was managed effectively – with robust security and disaster recovery procedures. By colocating, Canonical was able to free up valuable space, capacity and resource – allowing them to focus on their key business priorities.

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