IMPERATIVES FOR MANAGING CLOUD WORKLOADS ECONOMICALLY

1. PLAN
You need to plan in advance for your hybrid cloud needs. Simply selecting a cloud offering without a plan will lead to problems. Understand your workloads based on performance, security, and governance will help make sure that the computing environment operates as though it were a single unified system.

2. BUY
Select a brokering service that helps you determine costs of cloud services relative to requirements. The brokering services helps matches the needs of the business to the various cloud services –both public and private..

3. MANAGE
Managing the use of hybrid cloud services over time. Organizations want and need the flexibility to select the right public, private, or managed service based on company requirements. This flexibility enables a company to move between various cloud service offerings based on price, performance, and security.

A well-managed hybrid cloud environment requires a combination of planning, buying, and managing these services. With this process, a company will be able to create a well-designed and managed hybrid cloud environment that matches the financial demands of the business.

Read a Hurwitz & Associates blog on The Economics of the Hybrid Cloud.

How Can IBM Cloud Brokerage Help Your Organization Plan, Buy And Manage A Hybrid Cloud? Click Here To Learn More.