

# Three Ways Consolidating Apps Helps Businesses Save On Costs

## All-in-one means less expense, less time wasted

The days of multiple, fragmented apps are over. Say goodbye to multiple apps from different vendors, and hello to the Microsoft 365 productivity platform. It's perfect for small and mid-sized businesses.

- It's easy to find all your projects.
- Say hey to your teammates.
- Join your meeting without leaving this app.
- Here's your files. Don't waste time hunting for them. They're right here.
- This is where people working on the projects can chat about it together. Saves so much time.
- This is where all the files for this project are stored. Get to them quick.
- Unlimited video conferencing right here. Travel less, video more.

**\$1,377**

saved per employee using Microsoft Teams over three years as Teams reduces the total number and duration of meetings.<sup>1</sup>

**2 hours**

saved every month per employee because of easier meeting setup and improved call quality.<sup>1</sup>

## Get more of what you need

- Eliminate costly multiple apps with a unified platform
- Real-time collaboration in Word, Excel, PowerPoint
- Whiteboarding
- Unlimited video conferencing with no time limits on meetings
- Multi-factor authentication built in
- Secure messaging
- Simplified deployment, tech support, and IT management
- All project files, calendars, communications, and management in one place
- One solution, one invoice

### 1. It's easier to collaborate and work remotely

**4 hours** saved per week from improved collaboration and information sharing.<sup>7</sup>

Having these features in one place enables information workers to more effectively and efficiently collaborate in real time:

- Coauthoring
- Searching conversations
- Searching names
- Searching documents
- Version control

**5X** Companies that promoted collaborative working were five times as likely to be high performing.<sup>2</sup>

**99%** of people would choose to work remotely, at least part time, for the rest of their careers.<sup>3</sup>

### 2. File storage and sharing is quick and easy

**1.8 hours every day** Time employees spend searching for and gathering information.<sup>4</sup>

**1 Terabyte** of OneDrive cloud storage (included in your Microsoft 365 subscription): 6.5 million document pages, commonly stored as Office files, PDFs, and presentations.

**14.6%** reduction in employee downtime when resources are available in one cloud-based location.<sup>7</sup>

### 3. Stop worrying about security

**1,000+** security and privacy controls in Microsoft 365 to help you meet key international, regional, and industry-specific standards and terms.

**58%** of security breaches happen at small businesses.<sup>5</sup>

**62%** of SMBs lack the skills in-house to deal with security issues.<sup>6</sup>

**100%** control over who has access and when to your business information with Microsoft 365.

## Get started with Microsoft 365 today

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<sup>1</sup> Forrester Consulting Total Economic Impact of Microsoft Teams, commissioned by Microsoft, April 2019.

<sup>4</sup> McKinsey, "The social economy: Unlocking value and productivity through social technologies," July 2012

<sup>2</sup> Forbes, "New study finds that collaboration drives workplace performance," Adi Gaskell, June 2017.

<sup>5</sup> Verizon, Data Breach Investigations Report, 2018.

<sup>3</sup> Buffer, "State Of Remote Work," 2019.

<sup>6</sup> Vanson Bourne for Continuum, Underserved and Unprepared: The State of SMB Cybersecurity in 2019.