

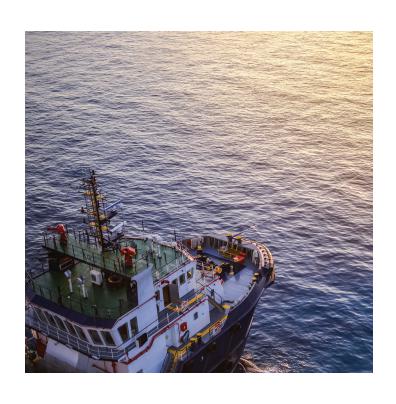
## **POWERFUL DATA STORAGE**

ABS Nautical Systems'® NS-as-a-Service delivers powerful state-of-the-art infrastructure while easing the cost and effort involved in service delivery and IT staff training. Get the services you need at a price you can afford.

# NAUTICAL SYSTEMS AND MICROSOFT AZURE

NS-as-a-Service is delivered on the leading edge Microsoft Azure® platform, delivering performance with the quality and compliance standards you expect from Nautical Systems.

- Security and privacy are at the heart of Azure and backed by the global resources of Microsoft
- The Azure platform has EU, US and other regional compliance standards built in
- A global network of Microsoft data centers delivers high-performance solutions and deployment options
- · Disaster recovery is embedded
- Bundled NS services deliver a full-service software experience





## NS CLOUD SERVICE TIERS

#### **Silver**

- Hosting
- Disaster Recovery
- Initial Deployment
- Annual One Patch Upgrade
- Microsoft Data Security
- EU Data Privacy Compliance

#### Gold

- Customized Proactive System Heath Monitoring Including:
  - Replication Monitoring
  - Database Monitoring
  - Interface Monitoring

### **Platinum**

• Customized Application Services

NS Cloud scales with the growth of operations. The NS Project Management organization and Customer Care teams ensure service delivery.



## COMPARISON CHART

Component	Cloud	On-Premise
✓ Licensing	✓ Only pay for what you use	✓ Upfront license fees required
✓ Maintenance, Health Monitoring	✓ Services included	✓ Resources required
✓ Hardware, Database, OS	✓ Managed by NS	✓ Upfront IT costs and ongoing risks
✓ Implementation	✓ Rapid Implementation	<ul> <li>Customer responsible for installation and implementation resulting in months long wait-time</li> </ul>
✓ Technical Skills	✓ NS and Cloud Skilled Resources	✓ Requires IT or contractor staff to maintain and support
✓ Backup & Recovery Uptime	✓ Managed by NS	✓ Customer bears all responsibility
✓ Ownership	✓ NS accountable for software, hardware, DR, innovation and data ownership	✓ Customer owns hardware and is 100% responsible for upkeep



