



# Driving Government Efficiency

## The Role of Enterprise Architecture

Government inefficiency is holding back service delivery, security, and public trust. Outdated IT systems, siloed operations, and resource constraints continue to hold agencies back. With the Department of Government Efficiency (DOGE) in place, the need for rapid federal transformation has never been more urgent.

### The cost of inefficiency in government IT

Federal agencies are spending billions to maintain outdated systems – leaving little room for innovation or agility.

**\$100 billion**

\$100 billion is spent annually on **legacy IT**

**80%**

80% of the federal IT budget goes to maintaining **outdated systems**

**25+ years**

Critical government applications rely on **25+ year-old technology**

**\$337 million**

It costs \$337M/year to maintain just the **top 10 most critical legacy systems**

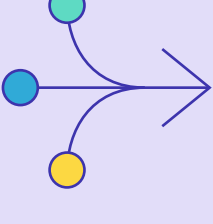
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One in three government applications could be **retired or consolidated**

Without structured transformation, inefficiencies will continue to drive up costs, slow service delivery, and threaten national security.

### Why EA is the key to rapid government transformation

EA provides a structured approach to modernizing IT, optimizing resources, and improving service delivery across federal agencies.



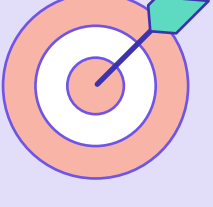
#### Streamlines IT portfolios

Reduces redundancy by identifying outdated or duplicate applications.



#### Optimizes costs

Standardizes software and infrastructure to eliminate inefficiencies.



#### Enhances decision-making

Provides a clear view of IT assets to support data-driven planning.



#### Improves security and compliance

Facilitates secure cloud adoption while meeting federal cybersecurity standards.

Implementing EA enables agencies to cut costs, accelerate transformation, and improve service delivery without disrupting critical operations.

### The efficiency gains of EA

By leveraging EA, federal agencies can achieve:

**95%**

**95% time savings** on decision analysis

**20%**

**20% reduction in applications** through IT portfolio management

**80%**

**80% time savings** on architecture artifact creation

**50%**

**50% efficiency boost** in resiliency planning

**50%**

**50% less time spent** on application portfolio analysis

**85%**

**85% faster** executive reviews

**95%**

**95% reduction** in training time

**70%**

**70% faster onboarding** for new architects

Source: Forrester Research – Total Economic Impact (TEI) Report on OrbusInfinity

## Interested in learning more?

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