# NIST Strategy to Build a Cloud Computing Roadmap

#### **Overview**

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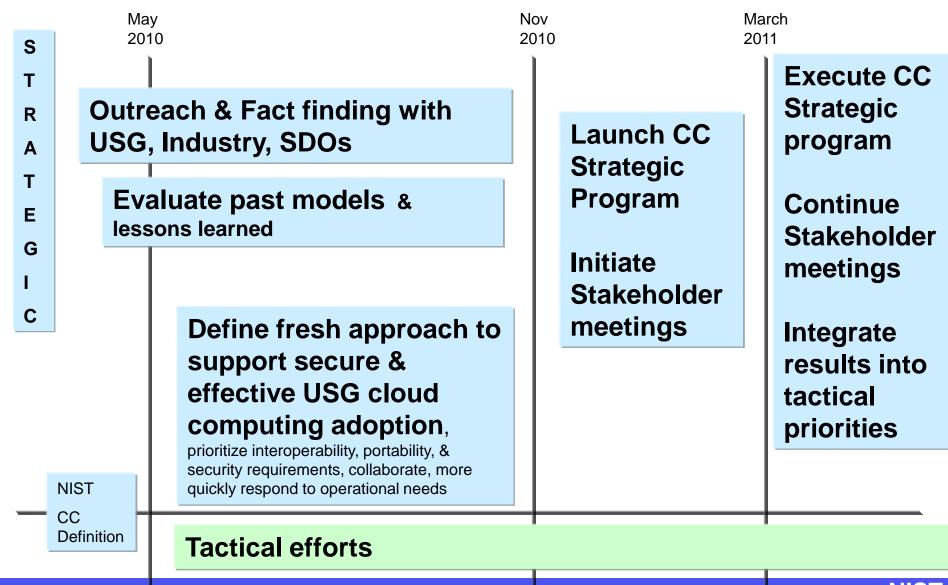
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#### **NIST Strategic Cloud Computing Initiative**

Goal:

Collaborate with Federal Chief Information Officers, Industry and Standards Developing Organizations to define a USG Cloud Computing Roadmap

#### **NIST Strategic Cloud Computing Program Timeline**



#### NIST Strategy to Develop a USG Cloud Computing Roadmap

1. Define Target
USG Cloud
Computing
Business Use
Cases

priorities risks

obstacles

3. Generate Cloud
Computing Roadmap
-- iteratively Translate
Define & Track
Cloud Computing
Priorities

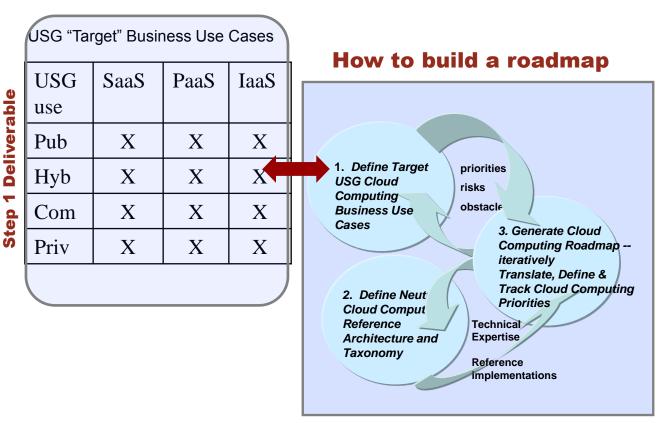
2. Define Neutral
Cloud Computing
Reference
Architecture
& Taxonomy

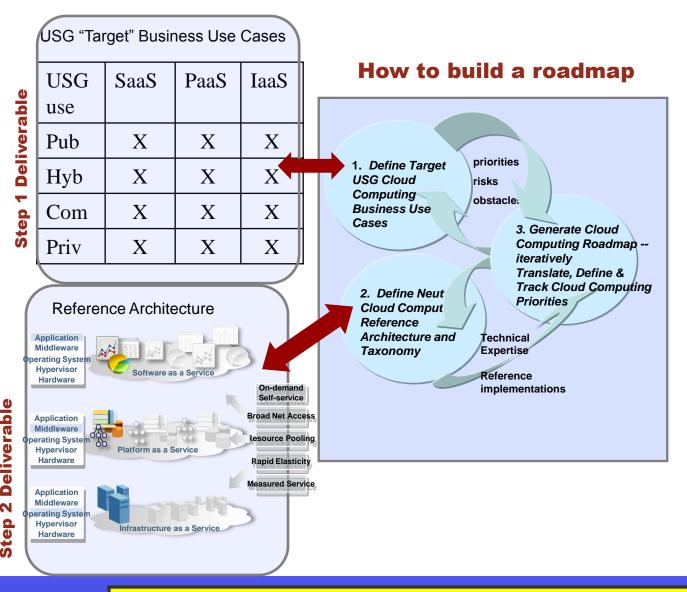
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ref. architecture

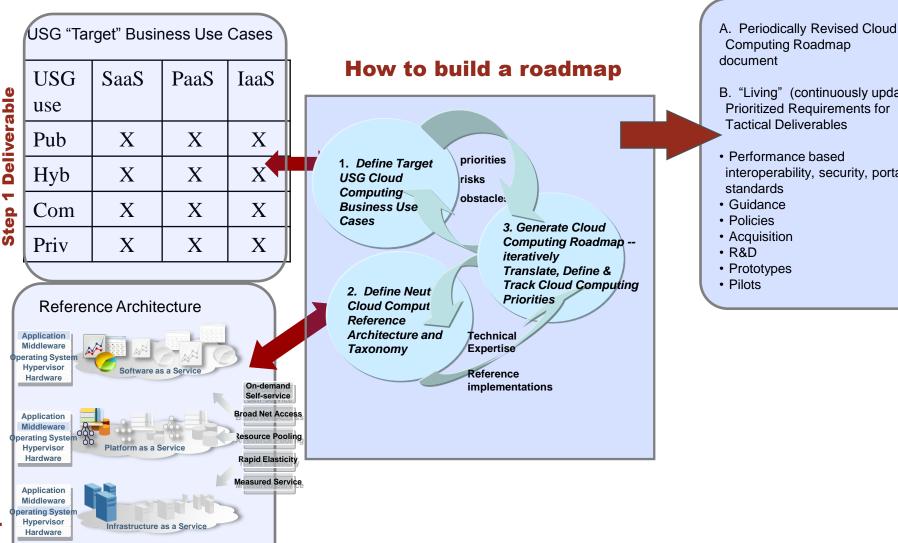
Reference implementations

## Prioritized Tactical Requirements & Deliverables

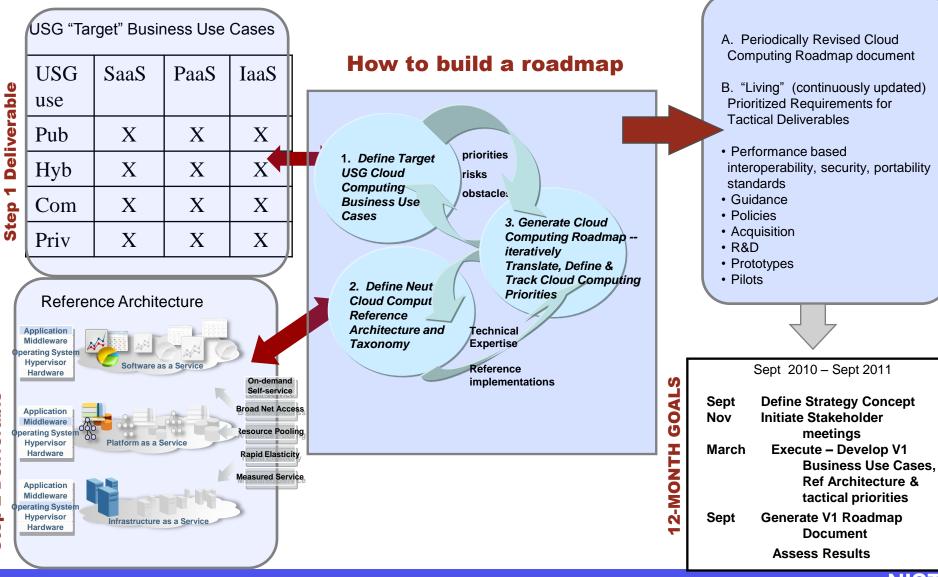
- Performance based interoperability, security, portability standards requirements (SAJACC)
- Guidance
- Prototypes
- Pilots
- R&D priorities
- Policies







- B. "Living" (continuously updated) Prioritized Requirements for
- interoperability, security, portability



**Information** 

#### **Getting to Work -- November 5 Workshop**

### All of the breakout sessions relate to a strategic or tactical effort

TRACK	AM	PM
Strategic	USG Business Use Cases	Reference Architecture
Standards	Cloud Standards	SAJACC
Adoption Considerations	Security	Applications & Issues

### Getting to Work – Proposed "Rules" of Engagement based on Lessons Learned

- **Voluntary Participation –** working groups meet weekly (telecon); facilitated by NIST, email list, NIST published minutes; NIST hosted TWiki site
- Initial Working Groups focused on USG Target Business Use Cases & Neutral Reference Architecture
- **Sub-groups formed** based on discussion topics raised in stakeholder meetings; sub-group leads not limited to NIST staff
- "Roadmap" will be NIST issued document; public domain; all participants credited and listed in document
- Work and deliverables driven by consensus; general scope (goal is set of tactical priorities for standards, guidance, R&D); USG agency coordination under the cognizance of the Federal CIO Council CC exec steering committee, CCAC working groups
- Please don't hesitate to make suggestions & ask questions in the two key stakeholder meetings today (NIST lead for USG Target use cases Kirk Dohne; NIST lead for Reference Architecture Bob Bohn)

### **Future Contact and Information**

- Main Site: <a href="http://www.nist.gov/itl/cloud/">http://www.nist.gov/itl/cloud/</a>
- Slides from 11/4 and 11/5: <a href="http://www.nist.gov/itl/cloud/cloudworkshopii.cfm">http://www.nist.gov/itl/cloud/cloudworkshopii.cfm</a>
- Sign up sheets for cloud based activity mailing lists at registration desk.
- Twiki Signup at registration desk or send email to: <u>cloudfeedback@nist.gov</u>