Wine Australia

Type of Industry: Government Number of Employees: **100** Solution: Microsoft Azure Azure App Service

Wine Australia is an Australian Government statutory authority that fosters and encourages profitable, resilient, and sustainable Australian wine grape and wine businesses. They focus significantly on regulatory compliance and marketing. They ensure that all wine that leaves Australia reaches their recommended quality criteria level, evangelising information that will promote Australian wine production and exportation. Professional Advantage ran a series of workshops that kicked off with the complimentary 2-day Azure Migration Readiness Engagement. It provided Wine Australia the confidence to work with Professional Advantage to migrate their external data centres and legacy Kentico content management system (CMS) to Microsoft Azure. The project resulted in the following benefits:



Needed to maintain expensive hardware and software refresh costs using external data centres.

\$20,000 savings a month in IT spend.

Moving 6 virtual machines and 7TB of file shares to Microsoft Azure enabled them to cut unnecessary IT costs.



Kentico's end of life posed security risks such as SQL injection or cross-site scripting.

Tightened application security.

Their CMS is now better protected against common exploits and vulnerabilities with Azure's Web Application Firewalls (WAF).



Poor website loading time and overall performance.

Improved web page loading time.

Migrating Kentico to Azure App Service extended its app support and significantly improved the website's performance.



Opdates in Kentico are published directly into production.

Mitigated risks.

Updates are now promoted in Kentico through test and staging environments first using Azure DevOps.