Making the Move from Citrix® XenApp® to XenDesktop®
It’s Smart and Affordable to Upgrade

For years, XenApp has been a popular choice among Symitar® credit unions when deploying Virtual Desktop Infrastructure (VDI). Although XenApp provides advantages in terms of security and maximizing hardware resources, it also comes with complications.

With XenApp you are limited to deploying serial devices, which are becoming harder to find with the availability of USB devices. In addition, configuring devices and setting up peripherals can be challenging. Another concern with XenApp is that multiple employees logging on to and sharing the resources of one server can be a management headache. A single user can cause a drop in performance for everyone else.

If these issues sound familiar to you, now is a great time to consider moving from XenApp to XenDesktop. The cost of an upgrade license has been greatly reduced, so don’t delay and take advantage of this discount*.

THE BENEFITS OF XENDESKTOP
With XenDesktop you get all the advantages of XenApp while eliminating drawbacks.

- Users have the ability to have a truly personal and fully customizable desktop experience. They won’t even know they aren’t using a traditional desktop.
- It ensures optimum performance for each user by making each virtual desktop independent, with its own virtual central processing unit (CPU), memory, and disk. This avoids the performance problems generated by having multiple users sharing a single Windows® server.
- USB support is native to XenDesktop virtual machines, enabling you to run signature pads, receipt printers, and even ID scanners without having to deal with complicated device mapping. You can also manage USB connections to prohibit devices such as flash drives and USB hard disks.

MAKE IT HAPPEN
Do you want to simplify VDI management at an affordable price? No matter how you deploy VDI at your credit union, this upgrade can make it easier to manage. Get more information by asking your Infrastructure Sales Executive or emailing askus@symitar.com

* The discount of XenApp to XenDesktop licenses is provided by Citrix to its current XenApp clients. For more information, you can visit the Citrix website at: http://www.citrix.com/products/xenapp/buy/trade-up.html.