Fedr8 Announces Argentum SaaS

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Fedr8 announces Argentum, an application analysis software-as-a-service (SaaS) the company says provides compatibility analysis and optimisation for bespoke applications prior to cloud delivery.

The SaaS is a tool suites organize use to access, analyse and optimise legacy applications, enabling the speedier design of cloud projects and application migration. Throughout analysis it provides actionable intelligence to help integrate, secure and optimise complex legacy application to the chosen cloud platform, as well as simplify the federation of services from one provider to another.

Argentum is uses machine learning and heuristics, meaning it analysis applications in any language, including .Net, Java, PHP, Python, Ruby, C++ and C#, and is platform agnostic.

Its availability comes after a 6-month beta testing period, where it found use in the analysis of open source applications developed by the likes of Netflix, Twitter and IBM.

"Industry estimates suggest that around 86% of applications are still not in the cloud," Fedr8 says. "By significantly reducing the cost of application source code analysis and identifying areas of source code that need to be re-factored in order to optimise the application for the cloud, we don't just reduce the upfront cost, but we are able to accurately identify the cost of change and reduce the time it takes to make that change, thus increasing the time to value for our customers."

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