

MIGRATION FROM VITALQIP

Switching technologies has never been easier

Highlights

- **Unchallenged expertise in switching from VitalQIP, using our proven, repeatable process**
- **EfficientIP guarantees a seamless, risk-free data migration**
- **Migration to EfficientIP brings lower TCO with enhanced features and adaptive security**
- **EfficientIP enhances your ROI via a soft end-of-life policy**
- **SOLIDserver is cost-effective, easy to use, and very flexible/customizable**
- **Moving to EfficientIP ensures sustainability and future-readiness for new technologies**

EfficientIP adds security, innovative functionality and ease of use to your DDI solution. Many VitalQIP DDI customers globally have chosen to replace their legacy DDI solutions and switch to the EfficientIP SOLIDserver product.

According to Gartner's 2014 DDI report, customers typically cite the EfficientIP products as being cost-effective, easy to use, and flexible/customizable. Most customers who migrated from VitalQIP did so for several reasons, including:

- EfficientIP end-of-life policy is more soft, with no forced hardware replacements
- EfficientIP has the strongest and most advanced IPAM solution, allowing customers to scale to any environment with unmatched flexibility and reliability
- Lower TCO with advanced reporting and other features offered on same box at no additional charge for hardware or software
- Enhanced security offering to prevent data exfiltration and protect against all attack types
- One single intuitive web interface for DNS, DHCP or IPAM functions
- Fairer licensing costs, to help prepare for new technologies (cloud, virtualization etc.)

EfficientIP professional services team smoothly replace your VitalQIP DDI products, show you how to do more with your new solutions in order to maximize value from them. The EfficientIP team includes several experts who have extensive previous experience in selling & implementing VitalQIP solutions, thus is able to guarantee seamless data migration. No other vendor has the technical resources & expertise of the DDI space like EfficientIP.

« This was the best project from start to finish, the evaluation, POC, planning and migration, since I've been with the company. We used EfficientIP's Professional Services who helped us easily get the data ported from VitalQIP to EfficientIP's SOLIDserver. For the most part the change was transparent to our user community. »

From a major healthcare provider

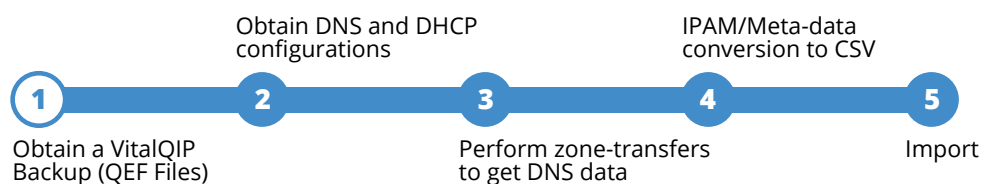
Proven Repeatable Process - Making us Experts at Migrating from VitalQIP

Trusted advisors are obligatory to help you migrate seamlessly to a new DDI solution, ensuring constant uptime of mission critical DDI services. Using our proven, repeatable VitalQIP migration process, EfficientIP excels at this. During Project Migration, the key activities conducted to control and track the project are:

- **Project Tracking** – tracking the project tasks and deliverables against the target completion dates detailed in the Project Plan.
- **Risk Management** – identifying the known risks, registering them into the Risk Log and taking the necessary actions to either reduce, avoid, accept or mitigate the risk.
- **Issue Management** – identifying issues that arise and taking the necessary corrective action.
- **Change Control** – identifying any changes to the scope of the project and ensuring that they follow the Change Management Process.
- **Project Planning** – maintain the Project Plan in line with timescale variances resulting from any issues.
- **Cost Control** – tracking the costs of the project against those detailed the Contract, ensuring that they get allocated to the correct budget, i.e. Customer or EfficientIP.

Migrating your data is risk-free, taking only five smooth steps

VitalQIP migration to EfficientIP is straightforward because the solutions have much in common in terms of design. Five simple steps to migrate your Data:



Both VitalQIP and EfficientIP DDI solutions have essentially three modules, IPAM, DNS and DHCP:

IP Address Management (IPAM) - IPAM modules of both VitalQIP and EfficientIP are hierarchical. Properties from the upper tiers flow to the lower. Properties at the lower layers can either be left the same as the upper or customized.

DNS - Both VitalQIP and EfficientIP use ISC BIND with modifications. DNS server configuration can be imported from the VitalQIP named.conf file. Resource records are imported via zone transfer from the VitalQIP DNS server.

DHCP - VitalQIP DHCP server was initially developed by Quadrotek and subsequently managed by Lucent, then Alcatel-Lucent. EfficientIP DHCP utilizes ISC DHCP and adds EfficientIP customizations. Though coming from different sources both are RFC compliant. Migration from VitalQIP to EfficientIP DHCP is done by direct import of the VitalQIP DHCP configuration file, dhcpd.conf.