

# Thailand Data Center Direction 2020

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# Government Data Center (GDC) Modernization

**1** Adoption of cloud technology

**2** Maturity of cloud computing services

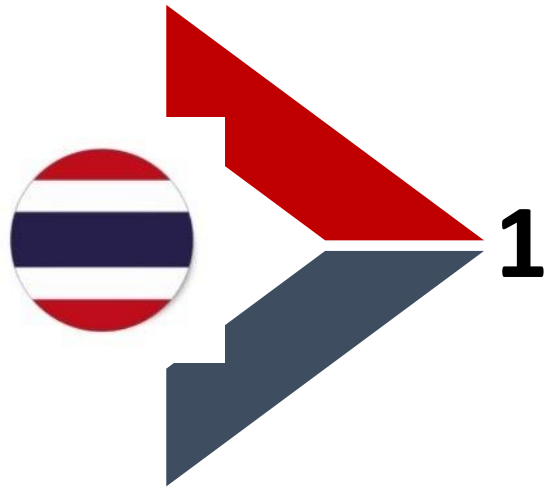
**3** Investments in security technologies

**4** Cross-agency infrastructure sharing and shared services

**5** Cost optimization

**6** Handling of high security data

# Thai GDCM is a strategic initiative to help the agency data infrastructure align better with Thailand Digital Economy



## THAILAND OPPORTUNITY

- 70 mn population
- Strong internal demand for data center
- Data center requirements to grow 30% YOY till 2020



## DIGITAL THAILAND

- Digital technology to develop infrastructure, innovation, data capability, human capital, and other resources
- 6 Strategies to implement goals: Build high-capacity digital infrastructure, Boost economy with digital technology, Create equitable society through digital technology, Transform into digital government, Develop digital workforce, and Build confidence in use of digital technology



## DATA CENTER INFRASTRUCTURE

- Data center infrastructure an important component of Digital Economy
- A modern data center infrastructure is the most crucial element to accommodate growing demand for data, services, quality and digital economy

# GDCM issues



**Data Security based decision making**



**High volume and growth of data**



**Efficient operations**



**Data Availability at all times**



**Multiple standards and adherence**



**Hiring and retaining right employees**



**Aging infrastructure**



**Outsourcing decisions**

# GDCM Strategies

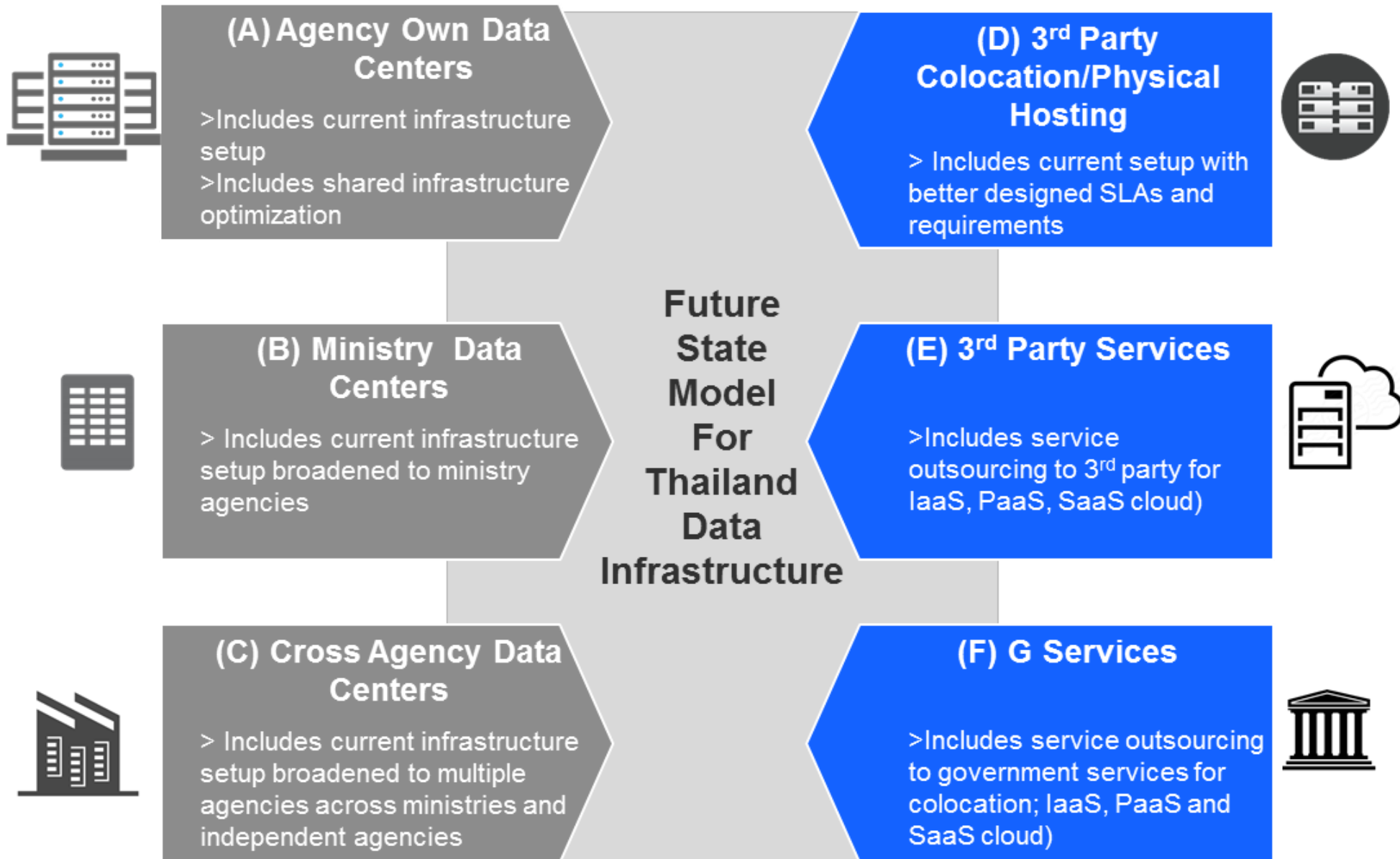
**1** Alignment with Digital Economy and Prime Minister's vision for Government Infrastructure and Modernization

**2** Utilizes the key improvements in technology via standards and SLA adoption

**3** Consideration of skillsets, people development, human capital availability, and technology transfer

**4** Accountability for agencies and ministries to realize overall objectives.

# Future GDC Models



Note: (E) 3<sup>rd</sup> party services does not include 3<sup>rd</sup> party colocation, which is captured as a separate service that's being also used currently as (D)

# Summary

- **Thailand needs more data centers in years to come due to increase in data, population and economic growth.**
- **Thailand DCM needs strategies to make the transformation agile, secured, cost effective and environmental friendly.**
- **6 available models to support GDC infrastructure modernization: Agency Own Data Center, Ministry Data Center, Cross Agency Data Center, 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Colocation/Physical Hosting, 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Services and G-Services depending on the types of data(public, important, national security)**

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