

Guidance for a True IT - Disaster Recovery

- For a true DR, a recovery site should be outside of a blast radius this means if a primary site locate in Kigali a recovery site should be outside of Kigali
- Distance between sites should not be ≤ 45 km.
- Both Data centers (primary and recovery site) should be Active-Active.
- Based on distance policy for a long distance replication should be asynchronous.
- Maintenance and monitoring of infrastructure should be done regularly and to ensure a good performance, a target system should not be an old.
- Go for cloud.

Common Mistakes

- Lack of understanding of needs (Compliance, Due Diligence, “Never Happen to Me”).
- Never Getting Started
- Inadequate planning
- Failure to bring the business into the planning and testing of your recovery efforts

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