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LARGEST HOUSTON-AREA TECHNOLOGY CONSULTING FIRMS (Ranked by 2008 Local Gross Sales)

Rank	Company Name Address Telephone Web Site	2008 Local Gross Sales	Full Time Local Employees	Local Consultants	Total Number of Offices	Offer 24-hour Support?	Operating Systems Serviced	Industries Served	Other Services Offered	Sample of Clients	Top Local Official and Title
1	MRE Consulting Ltd. 3333 Richmond Ave., Suite 300, Houston 77098 713-844-6400 www.mre-consulting.com	\$32,100,000	108	148	1	DND	ETRM	energy and banking	professional services firm, experienced engineers and management professionals	DND	K. Michael Short, president and CEO
2	Net Matrix Solutions Inc. 10235 W. Little York Road, Suite 435, Houston 77040 281-598-2600 www.netmatrixsolutions.com	\$24,370,000	170	145	1	yes	SAP, Oracle, Peoplesoft, Microsoft	oil and gas, public sector, health care, finance, chemical, manufacturing	DND	Monsanto, Haas, Heidelberg, DAK Americas, Energiizer, Evergreen, Champions Technologies, Wells Fargo, HSBC	Pankaj Maheshwari, president and CEO
3	Bluware Inc. 9801 Westheimer, Suite 950, Houston 77042 713-335-1500 www.bluware.com	\$8,100,000	59	48	1	yes	Linux/Unix, Windows, Solaris	financial services, oil and gas, utilities, transportation, services, manufacturing, government	staff placement	DND	Rick Jones, president and CEO
4	ERGO5 Technology 1717 St. James Place, Suite 320, Houston 77056 713-621-9220 www.ergos.com	\$6,960,000	52	35	2	yes	Microsoft	all	managed services, IT outsourcing, architecture and design, cloud computing, and staff augmentation - flat-fee worry-free IT	DND	Steve M. Winter, president and CEO
5	Dyonix 1235 N. Loop West, Suite 1220, Houston 77008 713-830-5900 www.dyonix.com	\$5,866,000	55	7	3	yes	Windows 2003/2008, ESX/vSphere, RedHat RHEL, UNIX, LINUX, MAC OS/X	city, state, federal agencies, energy, health care, financial, transportation	outsourced support services include managed services, hosting, virtualization, systems integration and migration, LAN/WAN/VPN design and support	El Paso Electric, City of Houston, Division of Immigration Health Services, Corpus Christi Army Depot, National Grid	Chuck Orrico, president; Fred Pratt, CEO
6	Al-Razaq Computing Services 6001 Savoy, Suite 505, Houston 77036 713-839-9613 www.al-razaqcomputing.com	\$5,000,000	40	5	5	yes		government, commercial	resources management	NASA	Idrisa Iscandri, president and CEO
7	Techcess Group 3100 Timmons Lane, Suite 350, Houston 77027 832-533-9670 www.techcessgroup.com	\$5,000,000	35	8	1	no	ESX/VMWare, Windows, Oracle, Unix/Linux	all	managed services, hosting, backup, remote helpdesk support, monitoring	Preimum Drilling, CAP Point, HFBE, Mahindra Tractors USA, Gazprom	Hugh Sazegar, CEO
8	The Weston Group 10101 Southwest Freeway, Suite 500, Houston 77074 713-797-0068 www.weston.com	\$2,483,000	25	25	1	yes	all Windows, Unix, DOS, Novell	health care, finance, small business	software support, support most OS, user training, connections to the Internet, web page development, hardware/software	Fondren Orthopedic Group, Houston ENT, Hillcroft Medical, Colon & Rectal Clinic, Texas Surgical Association	Wes Spears, CEO
9	Waypoint Business Solutions 10555 Cossey Road, Houston 77070 281-378-7710 www.waypointsolutions.com	\$2,400,000	13	11	1	yes	Microsoft	energy, energy services, construction, manufacturing	application hosting, colo hosting and managed services	DND	Paul Neyman, president; Mauro Perez, vice president
10	Entrance Software 1001 McKinney St., Suite 750, Houston 77002 713-357-4930 www.entrancesoftware.com	\$2,100,000	13	9	1	yes	Microsoft	oil and gas, manufacturing, health care, energy services, utilities and retail energy, legal	custom software development and consulting, custom SharePoint development, custom Web application development	StatoilHydro, Petrobras, Strike Construction	Nathaniel Richards, president
11	S&R Professional 12123 Millstream Way, Houston 77041 713-983-9913 www.sr-professionals.com	\$2,000,000	5	22	3	no	Windows, Peoplesoft, SAP	DND	provide IT contractors on full-time or on contractual basis, provide IT solutions, undertake projects	MDAnderson, KinderMorgan, Calpine, HISD	Rama Gorjala, executive manager
12	The Griffing Network 11011 Richmond Ave., Suite 600, Houston 77042 713-789-3323 www.griffingnetwork.com	\$1,700,000	11	6	1	no	Microsoft	accounting, nonprofit, general business, legal	computerized billing and accounting assistance	DND	Nancy J. Griffing, president
13	PennComp 4660 Beechnut St., Suite 239, Houston 77096 713-669-0965 www.penncomp.com	\$1,700,000	9	7	1	yes	Microsoft XP	various	strategic IT, infrastructure management, project management and disaster recovery	DND	Scott Young, president
14	eXcellence in IS Solutions Inc. (X-ISS) 2190 N. Loop West, Suite 415, Houston 77018 713-862-9200 www.x-iss.com	\$1,529,000	12	8	1	yes	Linux, Windows	all	managed services	Dell, Microsoft, ION Geophysical	Deepak Khosla, president and CEO
15	IAG 1415 S. Voss Road, Suite 110-146, Houston 77057 713-624-4242 www.infoadvisory.com	\$1,400,000	17	DND	1	yes	Microsoft	legal, financial, medical	IAG ProServ, spam filtering, custom programming, office relocations, e-mail and Web site hosting	DND	H Lamar Curtis III, president
16	TrueNorth Compliance, Inc. 5715 White Mills Drive, Houston 77041 713-466-0829 www.truenorth.net	\$1,300,000	?	?	2	yes	proprietary compliance application	energy, health care, construction, utilities, transportation, retail, manufacturing	safety, health and environmental compliance management services	Waste Management, Key Energy Services, Rush Enterprises, Kelsey-Seybold, Stericycle, Lafarge	Pamela E. Harris PhD, president
17	Amsys Innovative Solutions LLC 8300 Bissonnet, Suite 570, Houston 77074 713-484-7786 www.amsys.ws	\$1,100,000	8	5	4	yes	Windows	legal, medical, industrial, engineering, manufacturing	voice and data cabling, VOIP and business phone systems, hardware, software, peripheral sales	DND	Khalid Ken Parekh, president and CEO
18	Thotbox Solutions 410 Pierce Street, Houston 77002 713-222-0277 www.thotbox.com	\$895,000	8	4	2	yes	Microsoft, Linux	health care and legal	IT construction and architecture/design	Louisiana Primary Care Association, Texas Dental Association, Athlete's Foot, Harris County Hospital District	Remy Fredson-Cole, founder and CEO

When tied by local sales, the secondary criteria is number of full-time employees.
DND=Did not disclose this information.

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