

NODE4

The Sovereign Passbook

Your Data, Safeguarded Like Savings

A building society has always known its job: look after the people who trust it with their money. That hasn't changed. What's around it has.

Members live digitally now and the demands keep stacking up: more regulation landing on small teams, thin margins where ageing systems quietly eat the budget that should go on members, and fewer people left who understand the old core.

75%+ of UK customers now bank entirely digitally. Nottingham modernised its core in April 2026. Are you ready to make your move?

And underneath it all, the question every board keeps returning to: where does our members' data actually live? Handing it to a global cloud you can't see into doesn't feel like looking after it at all.

The good news is you don't have to choose. You can modernise where members feel it, and keep the core exactly where it belongs.



Right Workloads in the Right Place

A passbook worked because it drew a clear line. The things that mattered most: your members' money, their record, their trust, were kept safe, close, and where everyone could see them. It's exactly the thinking a modern society needs when its members hand over data as readily as they once handed over savings.

So, keep what's precious where you can see it. The regulated core: member accounts, transactions, and personal data, belong in sovereign UK data centres, on home soil, under your control and costing less than the public cloud alternative. The rest, the part members live in day to day, belongs on Azure – free to be modern, fast and AI-ready.

Your Cloud Strategy Transactions with Node4

Entry				Out
Cloud run costs (steady-state → sovereign VDC)	DR		+++++	20-35% ++++++
Infrastructure spend (modernised to Azure PaaS)	DR		+++++	20-40% ++++++
Day-to-day operating effort	DR		+++++	20-30% ++++++
Vendor lock-in	DR		+++++	0.0 ++++++
Offshore & opaque supply-chain risk				Withdrawn
Entry				In
UK-owned data centres, on home soil	CR		+++++	3 ++++++
UK Security Operations, always on	CR		+++++	24x7 ++++++
Microsoft Inner Circle	CR		+++++	5 yrs ++++++
Clients trusting Node4	CR		+++++	1,700 ++++++
Net Promoter Score	CR		-----	+48 -----
Accreditations	CR		---	ISO 27001 · Cyber Essentials Plus ---

Hybrid Cloud Calculator

Every society's estate is different. So the real question is what yours would look like, kept the right way.

Map your own workloads, see what moves to the cloud and what stays sovereign, and watch the balance settle.

Open the Node4
Hybrid Cloud
Calculator.

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Sovereign, modern, secure

The Way We Keep It

Node4's promise to you rests on **three pillars**: Sovereign at the core, modern at the front, and secure all the way through.

Governed and secure

Sovereign by default

The data you're trusted with: your members' accounts, their transactions, their personal details, stays in one place you control. It's kept in UK data centres, owned and run by Node4, on home soil. Nothing sent offshore. You always know where your members' data is and you can prove it.



Modern and digital

Azure for Member Experience

While the core stays still, the part your members actually use is free to move fast. The app, online banking and everyday servicing run on Microsoft Azure, modern and improving in days, not years.

So you modernise what members feel without ever touching the core. They get the speed and polish of a digital bank; everything regulated stays exactly where it belongs.

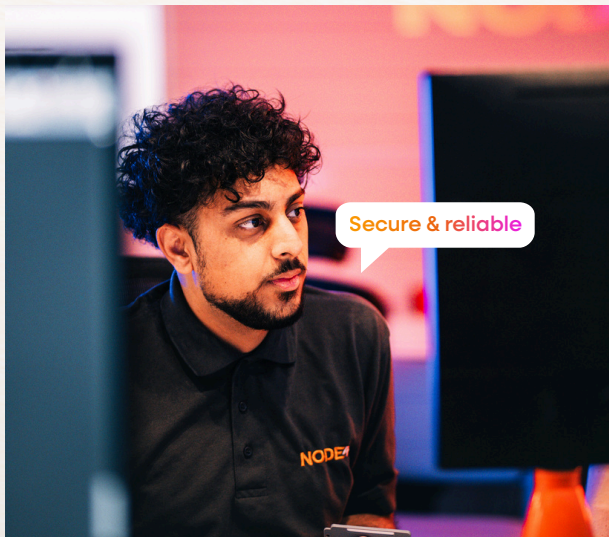


Safe and sound

Compliance and SOC Built-In

Your members trust you with their data. Trust us to keep it safe.

At Node4, Security is built in from the start. A 24x7 UK security team, ISO 27001 and Cyber Essentials Plus keep your members' data safe and certified every hour of every day.



Trusted by Societies like Yours

Customer for 6 years



Leeds Building Society

Nottingham
Building Society



Newbury
Building Society

56 years of combined expertise

In safe hands of
Our Branch Managers



Alec Fairclough



Andy Slater



Dan Wheeldon

UK Based
Branch Locations



Leeds



Derby



Northampton

Your Next Entry: Hybrid Cloud

You were never asked to choose between modernising your society and protecting your members. With the right partner, you don't have to.

Sovereign and modern at the core, members first and Node4 alongside you, every step of the way.

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