

## vDefend Deploy (Greenfield) — Execution Model Snapshot

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### Service Identification

- Service Name: vDefend Deploy (Greenfield)
- ISV Name: Broadcom
- Product Name: VMware vDefend
- Service Family: Platform Security Services
- Service Type: Outcome
- Service Code: BC007



### How the Work Is Performed

This service deploys and configures VMware vDefend to provide foundational network and workload security within a VMware Cloud Foundation environment. The engagement focuses on installing vDefend components, integrating with the underlying platform, and validating baseline security functionality using supported configurations. The service does not include application-specific policy design, security operations, or ongoing tuning.

### Purpose

Defines how BC007 is executed in practice, including delivery approach, customer responsibilities, dependencies, and completion criteria, to set clear expectations and reduce delivery risk.

### Dependencies and Prerequisites

- Customer agrees to use supported vDefend deployment patterns
- Target environment is greenfield, meaning a new VMware vDefend deployment rather than an in-place upgrade of an existing vDefend environment
- Existing network and platform configurations can accommodate baseline security integration
- No requirement for application-specific security policies during initial deployment
- Stakeholders align on baseline security objectives prior to engagement
- Operational VMware Cloud Foundation environment
- Required vDefend license entitlements
- Network and identity services available for integration
- Customer participation for validation and acceptance

### Customer Responsibilities

- Operational VMware Cloud Foundation environment
- Required vDefend license entitlements
- Network and identity services available for integration
- Customer participation for validation and acceptance

## What Happens if Dependencies Are Missing

If required inputs or prerequisites are not met, delivery may be paused until gaps are resolved. Delays caused by unmet dependencies may affect overall timelines.

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### Exit Criteria

- Installation and configuration of vDefend components
- Integration with VMware Cloud Foundation platform services
- Baseline policy configuration using supported defaults
- Validation of vDefend functionality vDefend deployed and operational
- Baseline security controls available for platform use
- Platform security aligned to supported configurations
- Reduced security deployment risk

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