Questions for UBC IT Desktop Services:

Hi,

Our Human Resources department is looking to upgrade our existing workstation hardware, and I have some questions about VDI and desktop computer offered and supported by UBC IT.

1. How much is the VDI thin client nowadays if it is purchased through UBC IT?
2. How much is the annual fees for the VDI software?
3. Could you send me a list of micro form factor desktop computer that can be purchased through UBC IT and their prices?
4. For purchase of VDI thin client, software or the desktop computer, is there any group discount? If there is, what is the discounted price for each?
5. What are the pros and cons of implementing VDI as compare to desktop computers?

If you need further clarifications, please contact me at joyce.wu@ubc.ca.

Thank you,

-Joyce