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AZURE GOVERNANCE: FROM ZERO TO HERO

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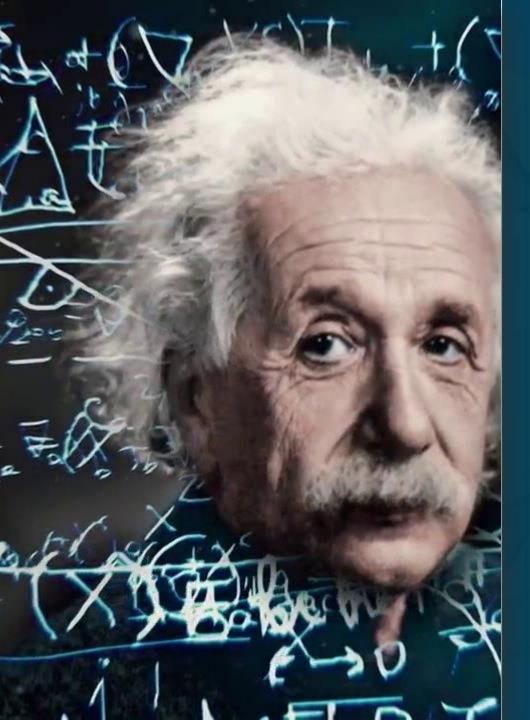
Microsoft MVP Cloud Datacenter Management www

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Insanity

is doing the same thing over and over again and expecting a different result.

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Albert Einstein



Public Cloud: a double-edged sword



Self service

Delegation could lead to a complete lack of control



Consumption based billing

Everything is billed per consumption. This self service and scalability could lead to bill shocks



Flexibility & scalability

Self service, flexibility, hundreds of solutions, hybrid connectivity open up new security threats



Compliance

While the Cloud provider has tens of certifications, new technologies and solutions could be hard to reconcile with compliance requirements



Cloud Technical Governance

- Cost management and predictive model
- Security baseline and compliance
- > Identity Baseline
- Deployment Acceleration
- Resource Consistency



Embracing the cloud with governance!



Designing the «right» architecture on azure is a moving target



The challenge is evolving and optimizing the architecture while



... Keeping the costs as low as possibile



The Journey...

Diverse infrastructure













Design & standardize

- Azure Cloud Adoption Framework
- Azure Blueprints

Keep consistent

Azure policies

Keep secure & compliant

Azure Security Center

Keep otimized & cost effective

- Azure Advisor
- Azure Cost management
- Tags

Hybrid and multi-cloud









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DESIGN AND STANDARDIZE

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Microsoft Cloud Adoption Framework for Azure



Azure Blueprints



Centralize environment creation through templates

Add resources, policies and role access controls

Track blueprint updates through versioning



Enable compliant development

Empower developers to create fully governed environments through self-service

Create multiple dev-ready environments and subscriptions from a centralize location

Leverage the integration with Azure Policy on the DevOps lifecycle



Lock foundational resources

Ensure foundational resources cannot be changed by subscription owners

Manage locks through a centralize location

Update locked resource through blueprint definition updates





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KEEP CONSISTENT

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Azure Resource Locks

All resources within that scope inherit the same lock



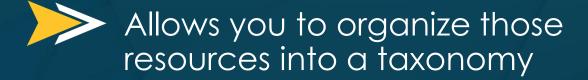
- CanNotDelete means authorized users can still read and modify a resource, but they can't delete the resource.
- ReadOnly means authorized users can view a resource, but they can't delete or update the resource.





Azure Tagging





Includes a tag and a value

Allows you to view resources based on tag and value





Azure Policy

Active control and governance at scale for your Azure resources



Enforcement & compliance

Turn on built-in policies or build custom ones for all resource types

Real-time policy evaluation and enforcement

Periodic & on-demand compliance evaluation

Policy integration for AKS



Apply policies at scale

Apply policies to a Management Group with control across your entire organization

Apply multiple policies and & aggregate policy states with policy initiatives

Exclusion Scope

Policy as Code with Azure DevOps



Remediate & automate

Remediate existing resources at scale

Automatic remediation resources at deployment time

Trigger alerts when a resource is out of compliance



Azure Policies



A rule that will be enforced

Initiative:

A collection of policies

Assignment:

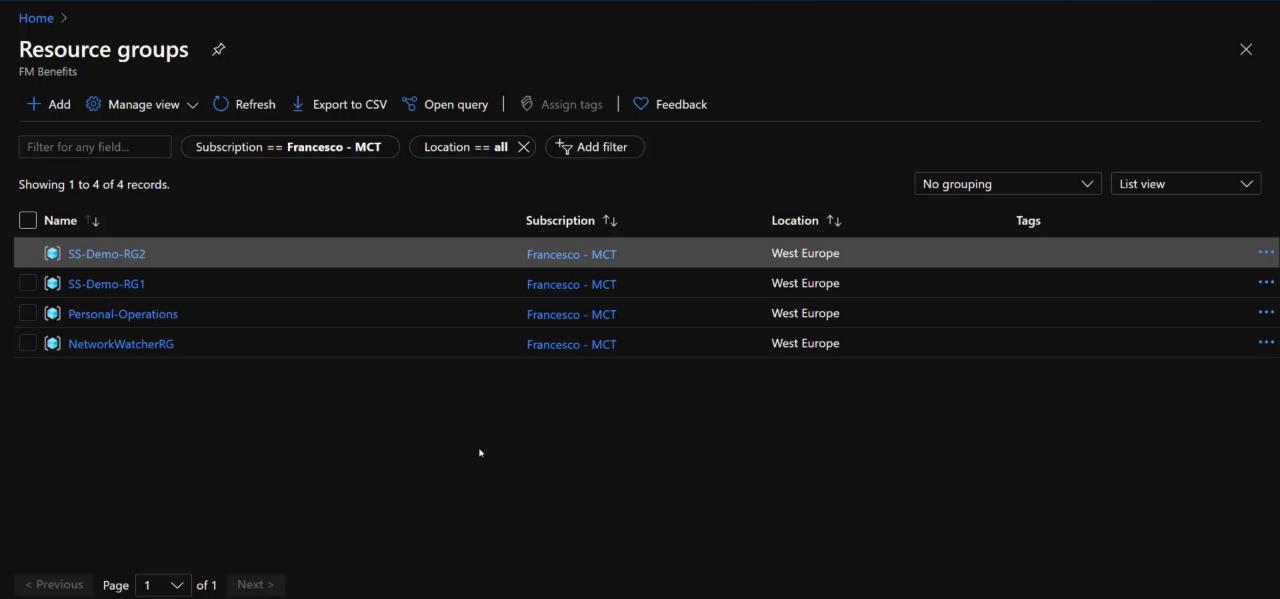
The scope where the policy applies





DEMO: Azure Resource Locks, Tags & Azure Policy









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KEEP SECURE AND COMPLIANT

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Define your own security requirements

A practice by itself

Identity baseline

- >> Tenants
- Secure your Identities

Administrative roles

- > Azure RBAC
- >> Azure Roles and custom roles

Security Posture and Compliance

Azure Security Center



Azure Security Center



Strengthen security posture

Cloud security posture management
Secure Score | Policies and compliance



Protect against threats

For servers

For cloud native workloads For databases and storage



Get secure faster



Workload protection for hybrid environments

Central management

Automatic onboarding & extending to hybrid cloud

Server security hygiene

File integrity monitoring

Azure

Reduce attack surface

Cloud native network security controls

Adaptive application control

Built-in vulnerability Assessment Data center

Detect advanced threats

Built-in EDR with Microsoft Defender ATP Detect and block advanced threats for servers

Cloud-native detections

Other clouds



ASC Highlights







Microsoft
Defender for
Endpoint
Windows & Linux



Compliance assessment

PCI DSS 3.2.1 | ISO 27001 SOC TSP | Azure CIS 1.1.0 NIST SP 800-53 R4 SWIFT CSP CSCF v2020



Response
Automation with
Az Logic Apps



Cloud native & aware detections and remediations



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KEEP OPTIMIZED AND COST EFFECTIVE

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Azure Cost Management



Design with billing and costs in mind



Azure has structures to help

How many tenants? When do I need a subscription?



Azure has tools to help

How can I use tags? How can I configure my budget and alerts?



... but planning and process are not an option

What and how do I migrate?



Azure Cost Management

Monitor cloud spending

Track resource usage and manage costs across all your clouds with a single, unified view, and access rich operational and financial insights to make informed decisions.

Increase organizational accountability

Implement governance policies for effective enterprise cloud cost management, and increase accountability with budgets, cost allocation, and chargebacks.

Optimize cloud efficiency

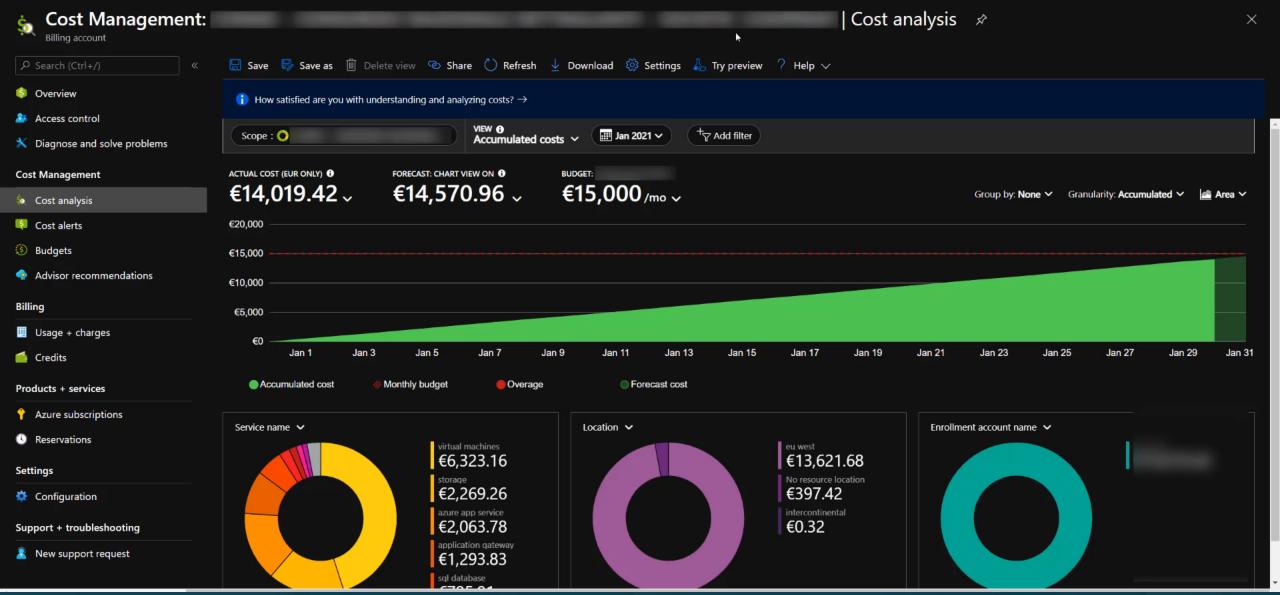
Improve the return on your cloud investment by using continuous cost optimization and industry best practices. Profiling, off-peak scheduling





DEMO: Azure Cost Management







Different ways to pay for Azure services



Types of workloads

Always running
Running at specific times
Bursting workloads
Spot workloads
Azure Region



Always running

Reserved Capacity **Azure** Hybrid benefit



Running at specific times

Allocate/Deallocate logic

VMSS with Autoscaling

Break even based on resource type



Azure Reserved Instances



Reserve resources in advance for significant savings

- 1 or 3 years
- Automatically applied to running workloads



Reserve Azure capacity

For volume-based services



Significant cost savings up to 72% over pay-as-you-go models



Budget predictability and prioritized compute capacity



Flexibility to modify reservations and simplicity of purchase



Azure Hybrid Benefit









Cost Savings



Leverage software to reduce costs in Azure

Flexibility



Use software commitments to run onpremises or in Azure, and shift over time

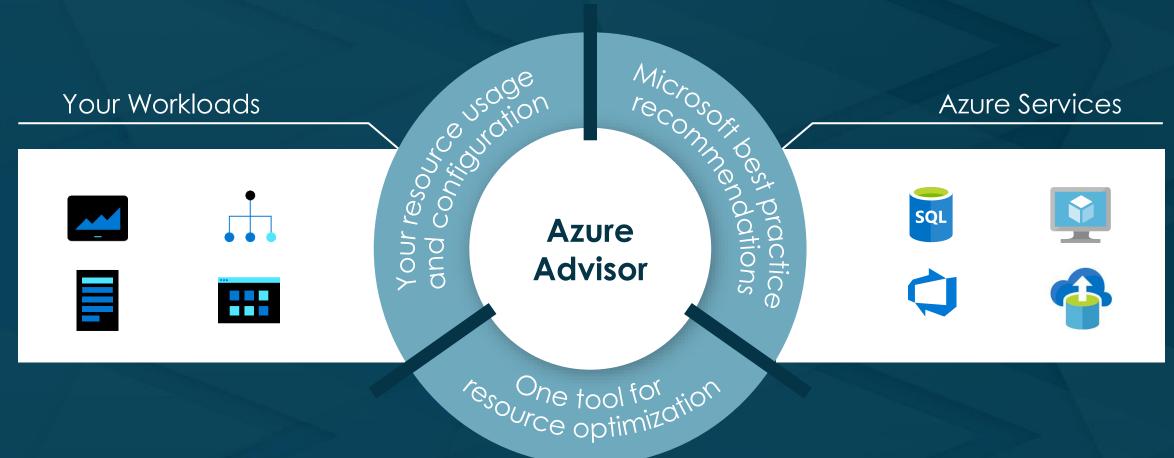
Unique to Azure



Achieve savings unmatched by other cloud providers



What is Azure Advisor?





Azure Advisor

Your free, personalized guide to Azure best practices











Cost

Maximize the return on your Azure investment



Protect your Azure resources from security threats



Performance

Boost speed and responsiveness of your resources



High availability

Increase uptime of your business-critical apps



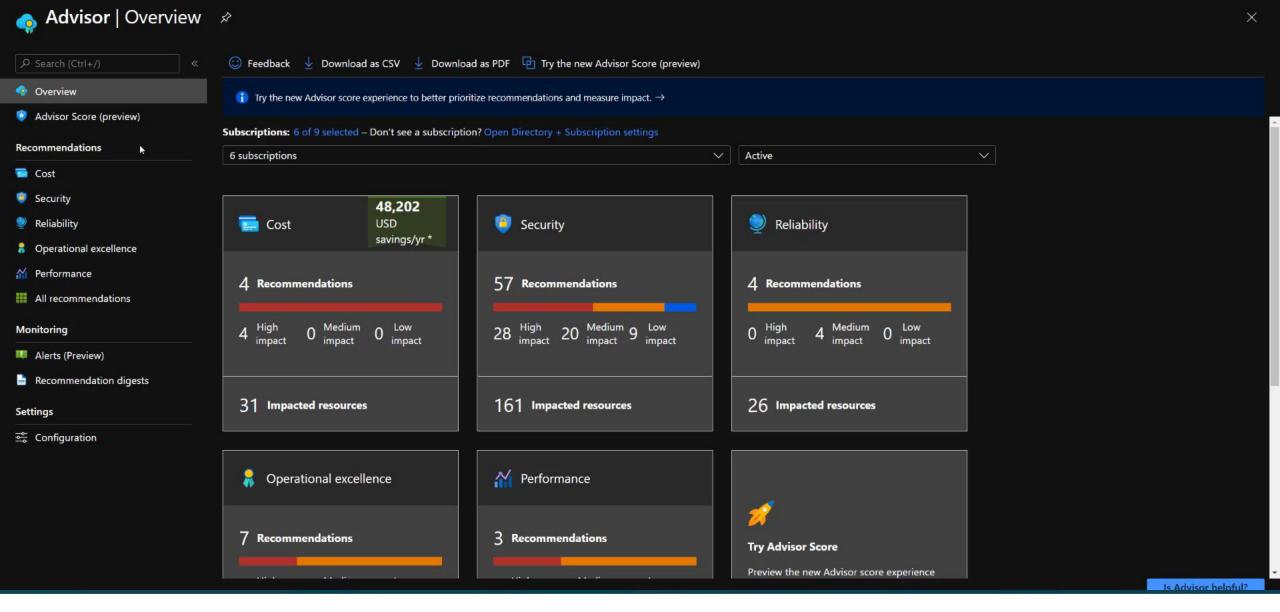
Operational excellence

Process and workflow efficiency and manageability



DEMO: Azure Advisor









INNOVATE ACROSS HYBRID AND MULTI-CLOUD WITH AZURE ARC

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Customer environments & application requirements are evolving

100's-1,000's of apps





















Diverse infrastructure















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Azure Hybrid: innovation anywhere with Azure



Single control plane with Azure Arc



Bring Azure services to any infrastructure



Modernize datacenters with Azure Stack



Extend to the edge with Azure IoT



Azure Arc: extend Azure management and services anywhere

Gain central visibility, operations, and compliance



Build cloud native apps anywhere, at scale



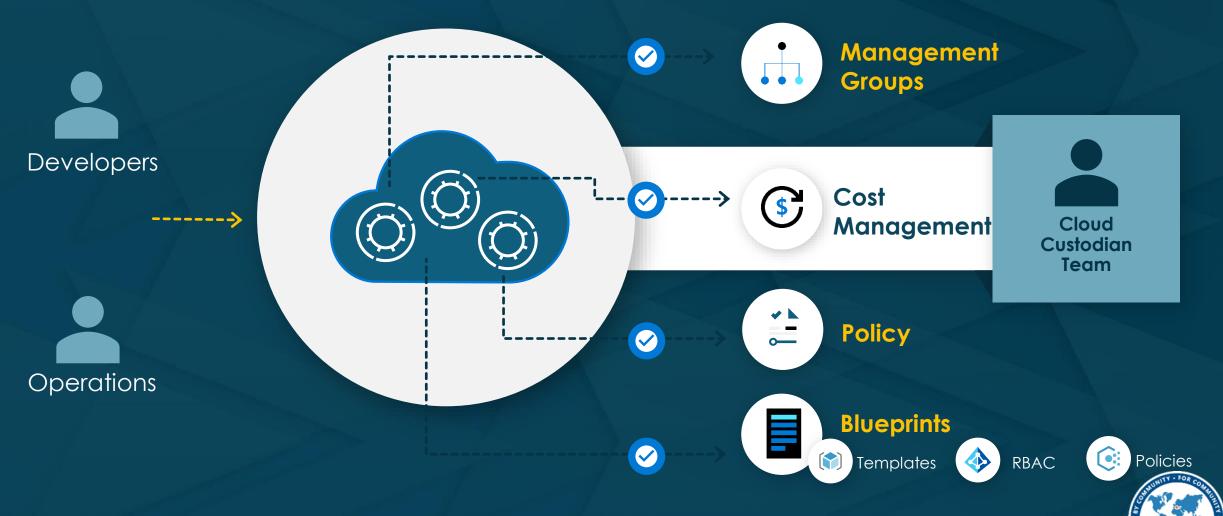
Run Azure services anywhere

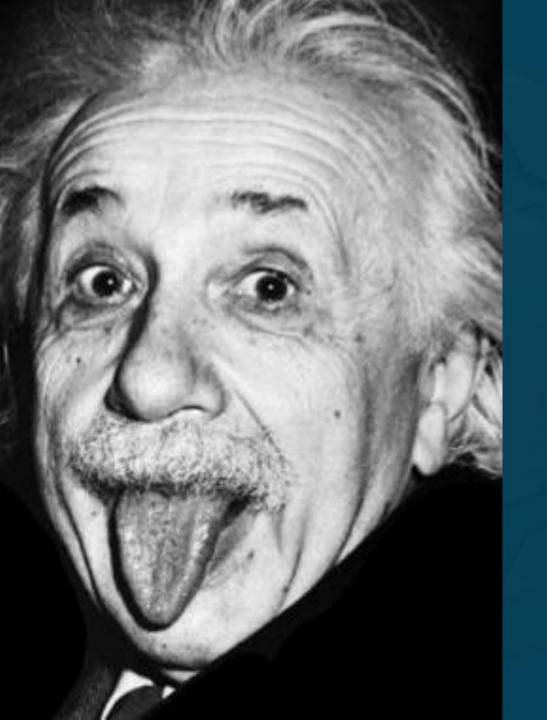




Speed and control

Cloud-native governance: Removing barriers to compliance and enabling velocity





If you want different results, do not do the same things.

Albert Einstein



Thank you!

