Master Thesis - Security Aspects in Virtual Networks SITREP 17

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1 Infrastructure

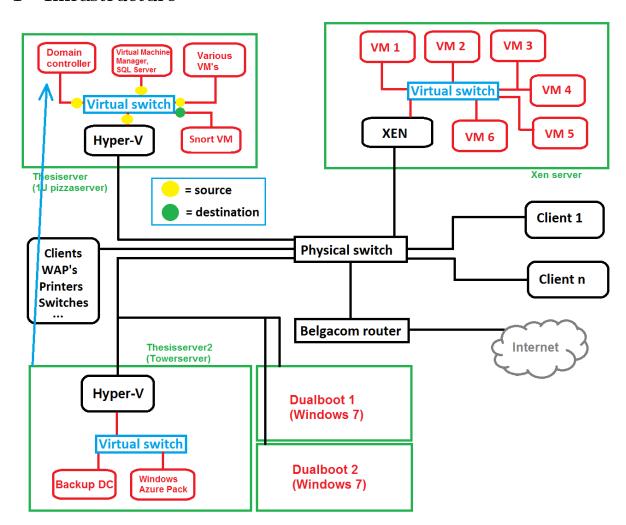


Figure 1: Current infrastructure. On the Windows Azure Pack VM, a dedicated MSSQL Server is installed, the SQL Server of the VMM VM is not re-used.

2 Work done

- Deployed the Windows Azure Pack on a dedicated VM. Therefore, I performed the following steps: installed IIS, installed some additional Windows Features, installed SCVMM Console, installed Service Provider Foundation, made some changes to the domain, made a certificate, installed MSSQL Server 2012 and finally Windows Azure using the Web Platform Installer.
- Created a VM cloud.
- Created a private plan. This is done for sakes of completeness. First, I configured some hardware profiles and VM templates in VMM.
- Registered myself on the Juniper website to obtain an appliance of their vSRX.

2.1 Deployment of Windows Azure Pack

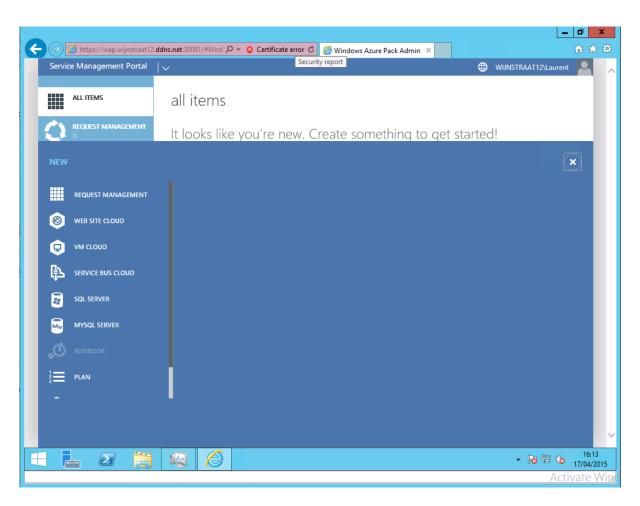


Figure 2: The installation of Azure has succeeded.

2.2 Creation of the VM cloud

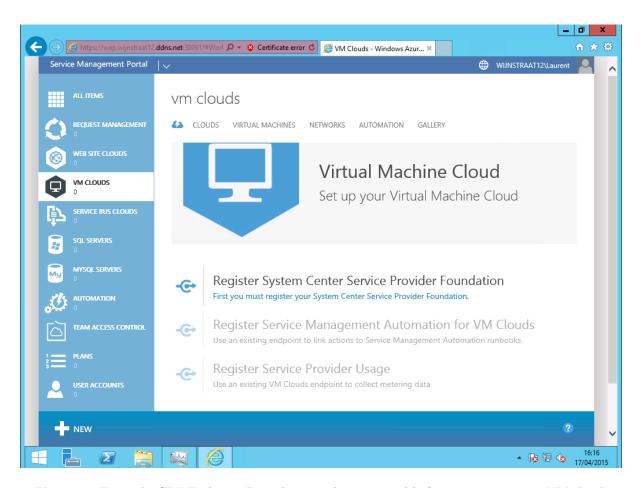


Figure 3: First, the SPF Endpoint Provider must be registered before we can create a VM cloud.

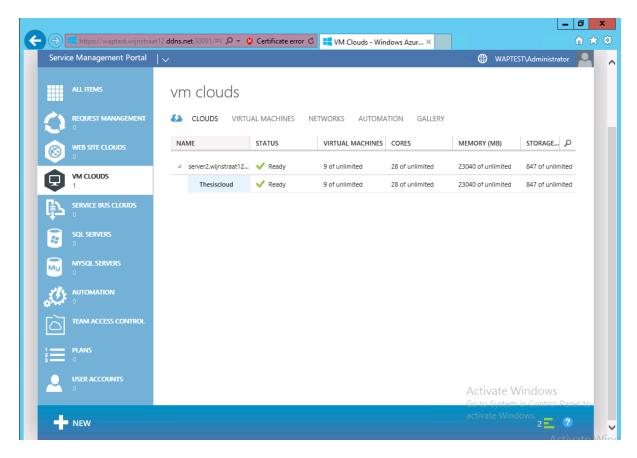


Figure 4: The "Thesiscloud" in VMM is imported in Azure.

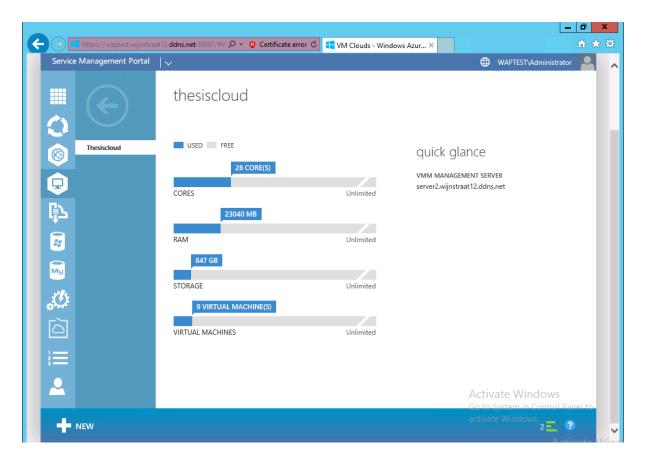


Figure 5: A brief overview.

2.3 Creation of the private plan

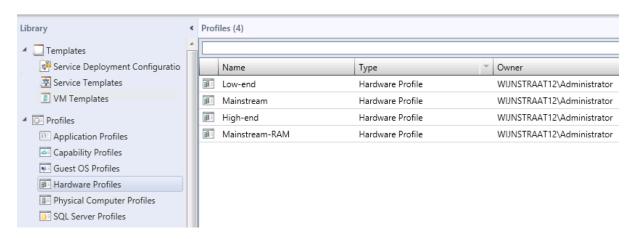


Figure 6: First, hardware profiles have to be made ...

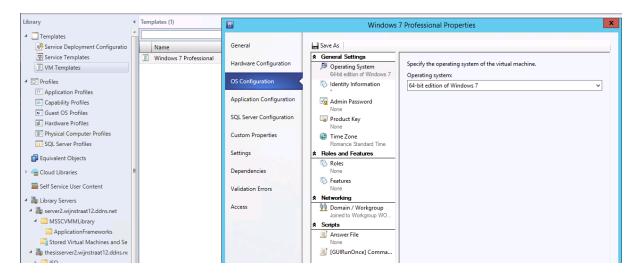


Figure 7: ... as well as VM templates.

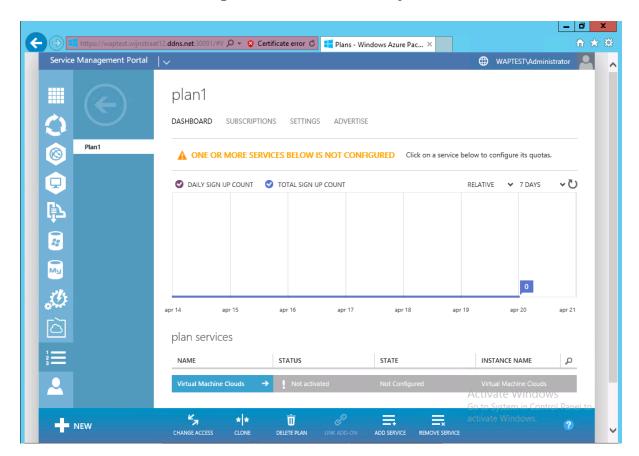


Figure 8: The raw, unconfigured plan.

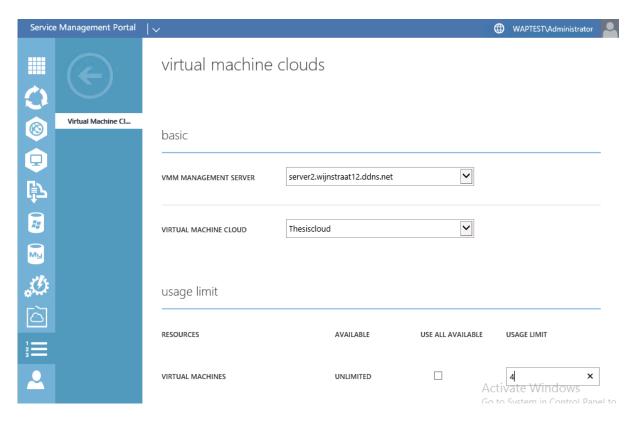


Figure 9: The configuration of the plan - step 1.

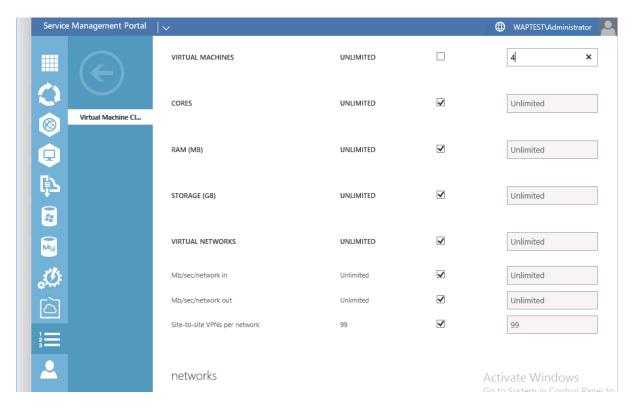


Figure 10: The configuration of the plan - step 2.

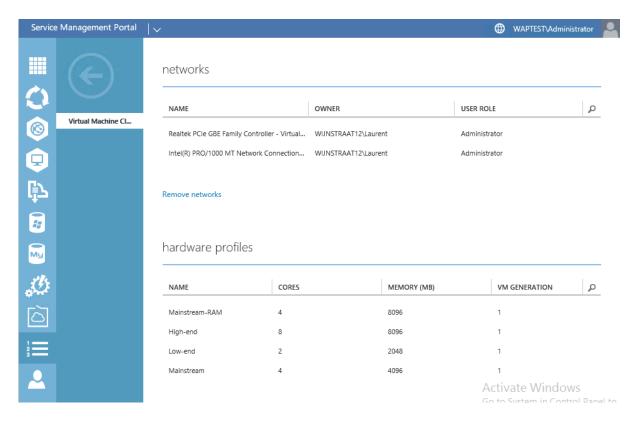


Figure 11: The configuration of the plan - step 3.

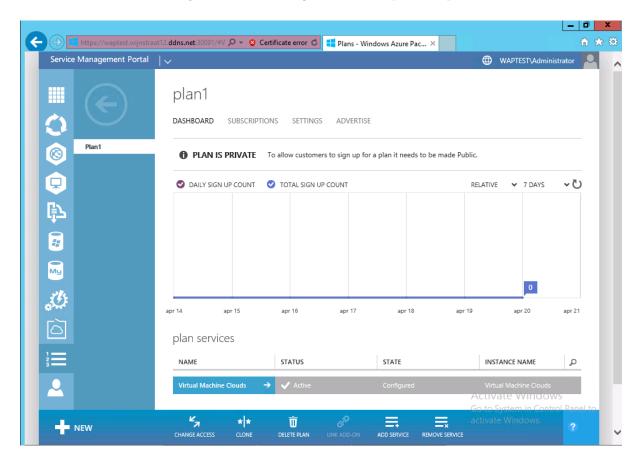


Figure 12: The configured final plan.

Planning

With de vSRX appliance dowloaded, I will begin testing the virtual firewall.

Problems

The first time I deployed the Windows Azure Pack, I ran into an issue I could not resolve. So I threw away the VM and started over. This time, the same error occured again, but I was able to resolve it after a long-lasting search in the Event Viewer.

Issues

Assistance

While deploying the Windows Azure Pack and creating additional VM's, I ran short of memory, so I had to squeeze down some VM's in order to ensure the deployment of Azure.

However, I already mailed Fei and she will order 16GB of RAM.