**Architecting Hybrid Solutions**

**RemoteApp Demo**

# Objective

This demo shows a cloud deployment of RemoteApp with the Microsoft collection of Office applications. Showcasing the ability to offer Office applications to an information worker with network connection being able to access MS Office applications anywhere.

The big idea behind RemoteApp is customers can significantly cut down Office productivity software cost, user computing hardware cost, related maintenance, and support effort.

# Prerequisites

1. Azure subscription

# Preparation

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| Step | Description | Action/Instructions | Screenshot |
| 1 | Create a RemoteApp Collection | Select **RemoteApp** on the **Azure Management** portal. At the lower left, click **+New**. That leads you to this screen. Choose **Create with VNET**, Enter your collection name (your choice). No need to join a demain. Click **Create RemoteApp collection** |  |
| 2 | Link to an existing template image | Click on the last option. This links you to a collection of apps provided by the MS RemoteApp team |  |
| 3 | Choose the template. The provisioning of a template collection take about 30 min |  |  |
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# Demonstration

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| Step | Action | Screenshot |
| 1 | Start the Azure RemoteApp desktop application you downloaded |  |
| 2 | Double click on **Word** to create a test document. |  |
| 3 | You can save the doc to a cloud service or to the **Computer** repository**.** This repository is a personal storage area provision for every RemoteApp user with 50GB of capacity to store docs. |  |
| 4 | When you try to open a document, the accessible locations are cloud and your RemoteApp personal storage. Attempting to connect to ‘**This PC**’ will direct you to the RemoteApp personal **Documents** folder |  |
| 5 | Double click on the **CMD** icon to launch a RemoteApp CMD prompt. The distinguishing mark for the RemoteApp CMD is its icon on the task bar. When you **change directory** (cd command) to the directory **C:\Users\<username>\Documents**, you will find your documents there |  |
| 6 | Check the Management portal for live sessions. That is an indication you connected to RemoteApp instead of your desktop. For an administrator, that’s the way you tell how active your RemoteApp service is |  |