Testumgebung leicht gemacht mit Azure DevTest Labs

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Your DevTest investments are significant

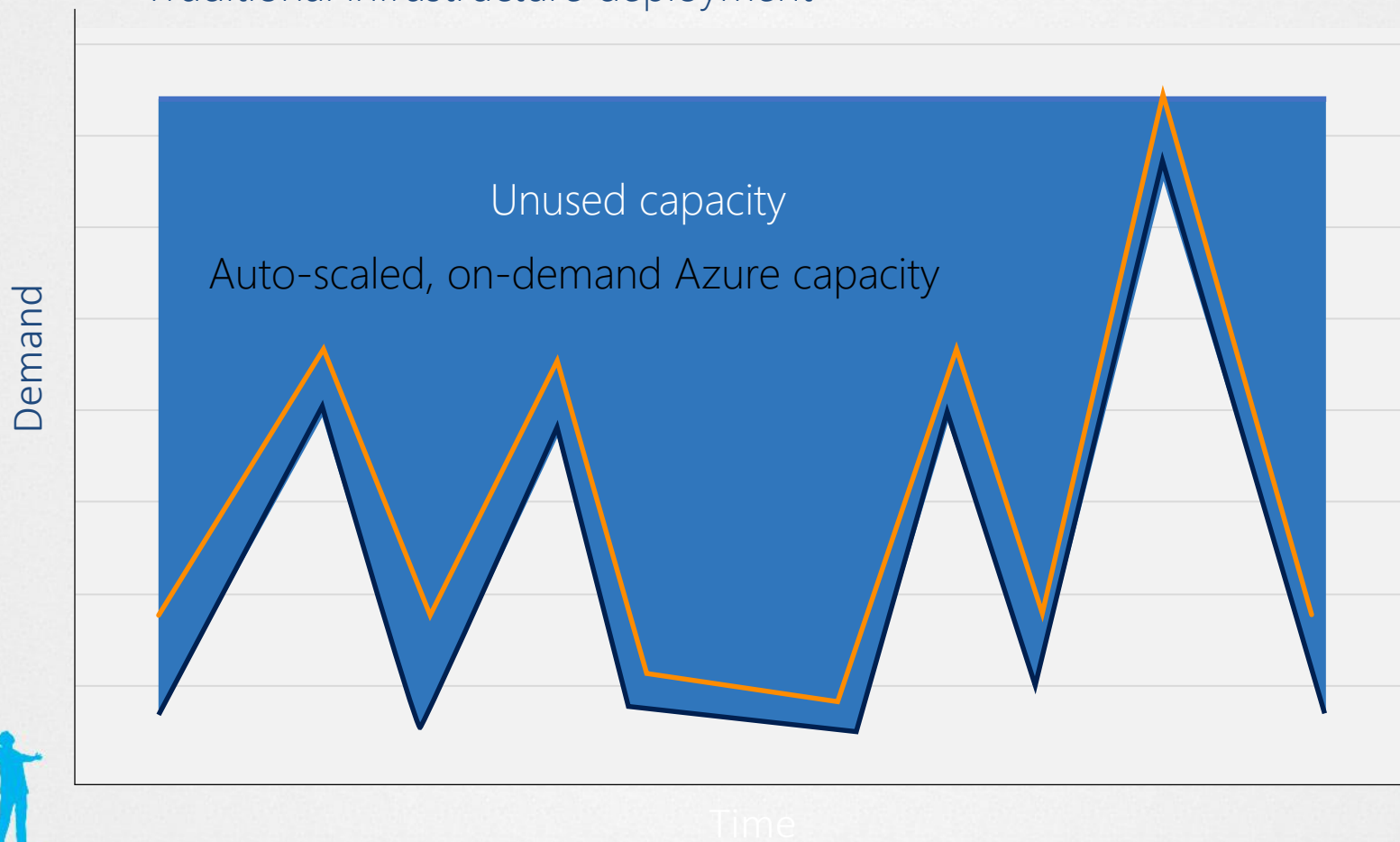## 50%
of infrastructure spent on non-production

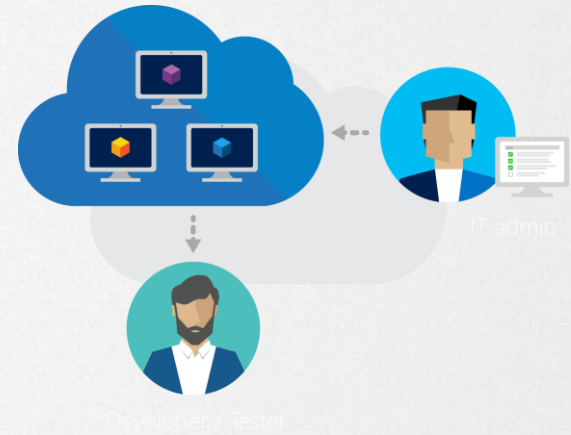Traditional infrastructure deployment

Unused capacity

Auto-scaled, on-demand Azure capacity
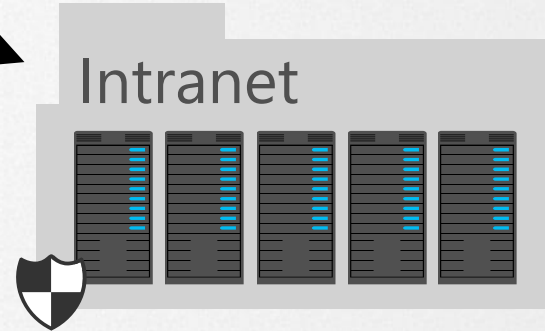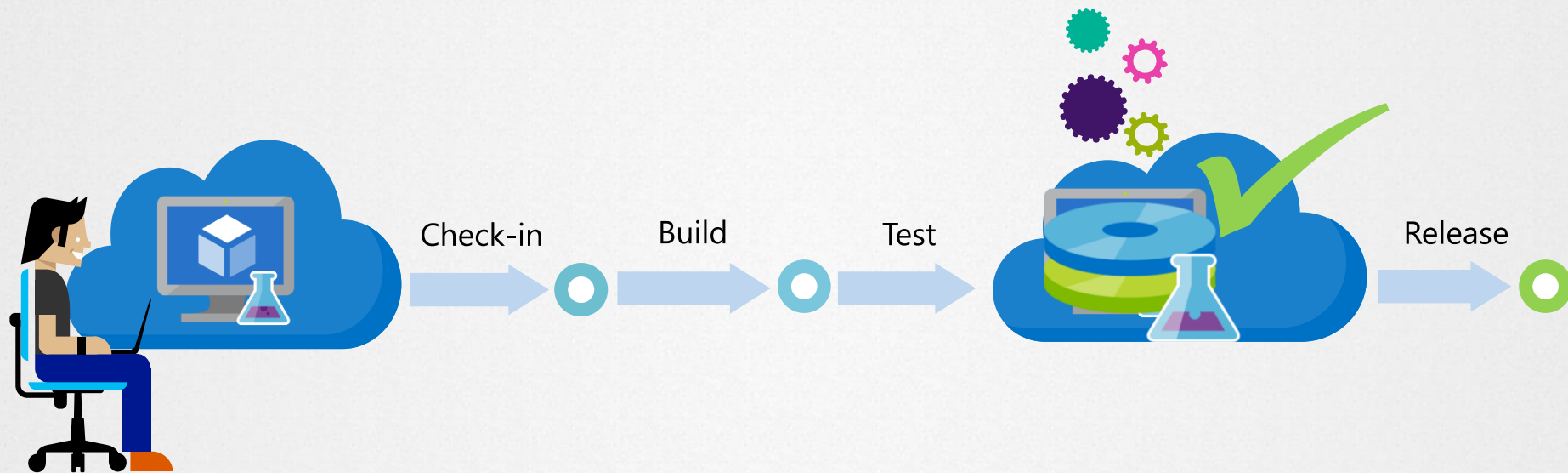
Demand

Time

Azure DevTest Labs

- Solution for fast, easy, and agile dev-test environments in Azure.

- Fast provisioning

- Automation & self-service
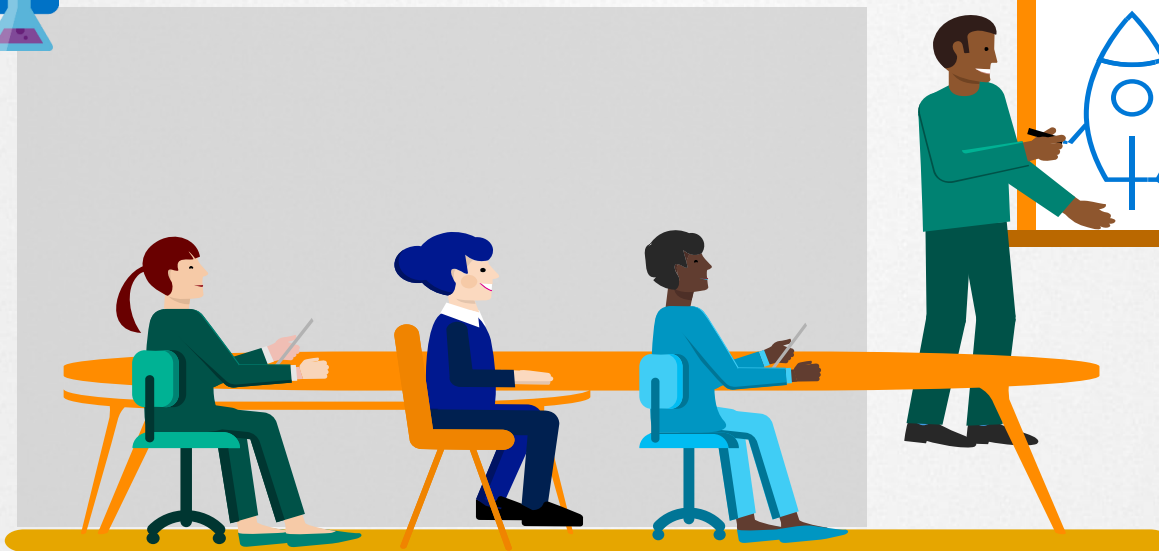
- Cost control and governance

IT admin

Developer / Tester

Developer Machines

Intranet

Test environments
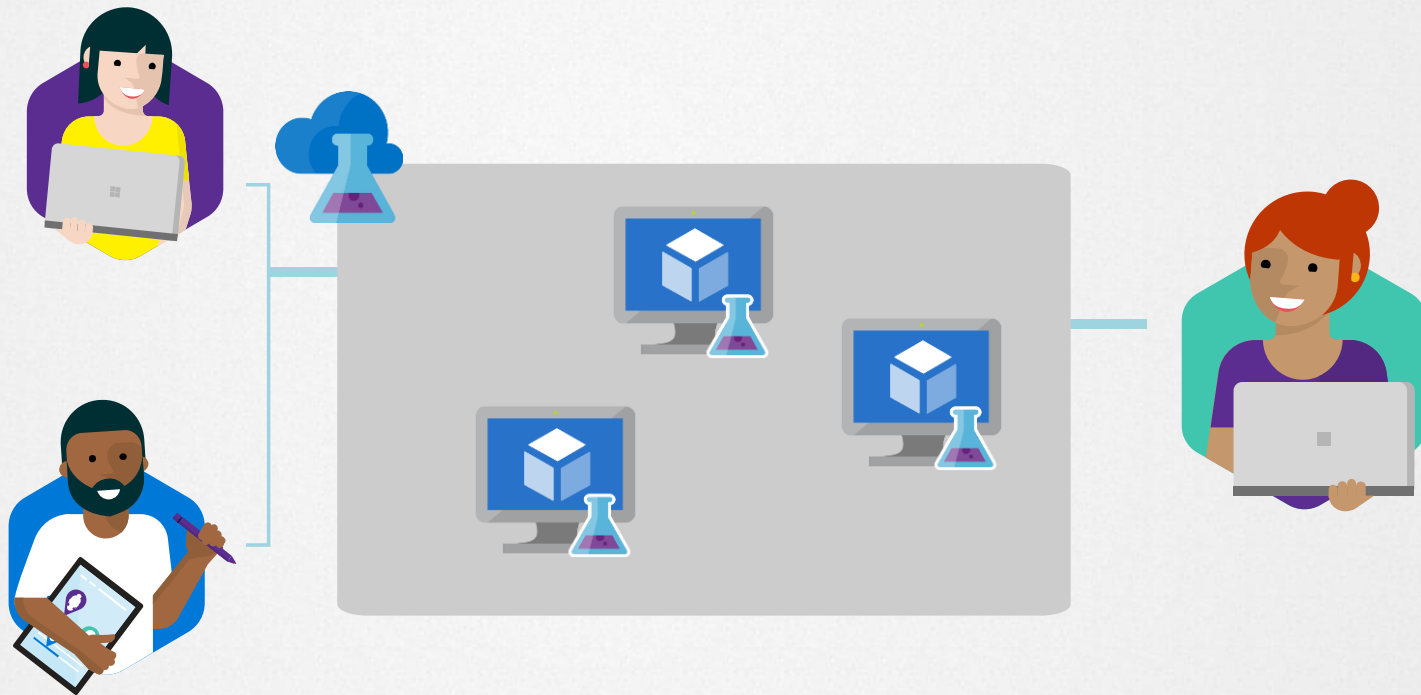

Check-in

Build

Test

Release

Training / Education

Trial / Demo

Behind The Scenes

Control your lab

Virtual machine

Virtual machine

Virtual machine

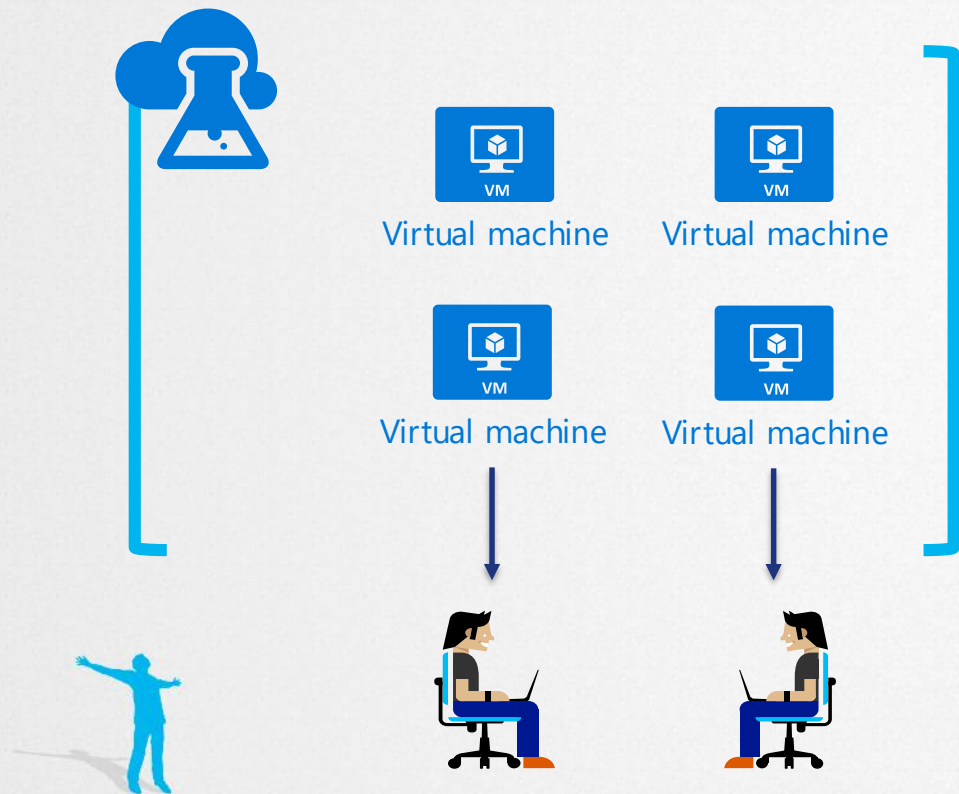Virtual machine
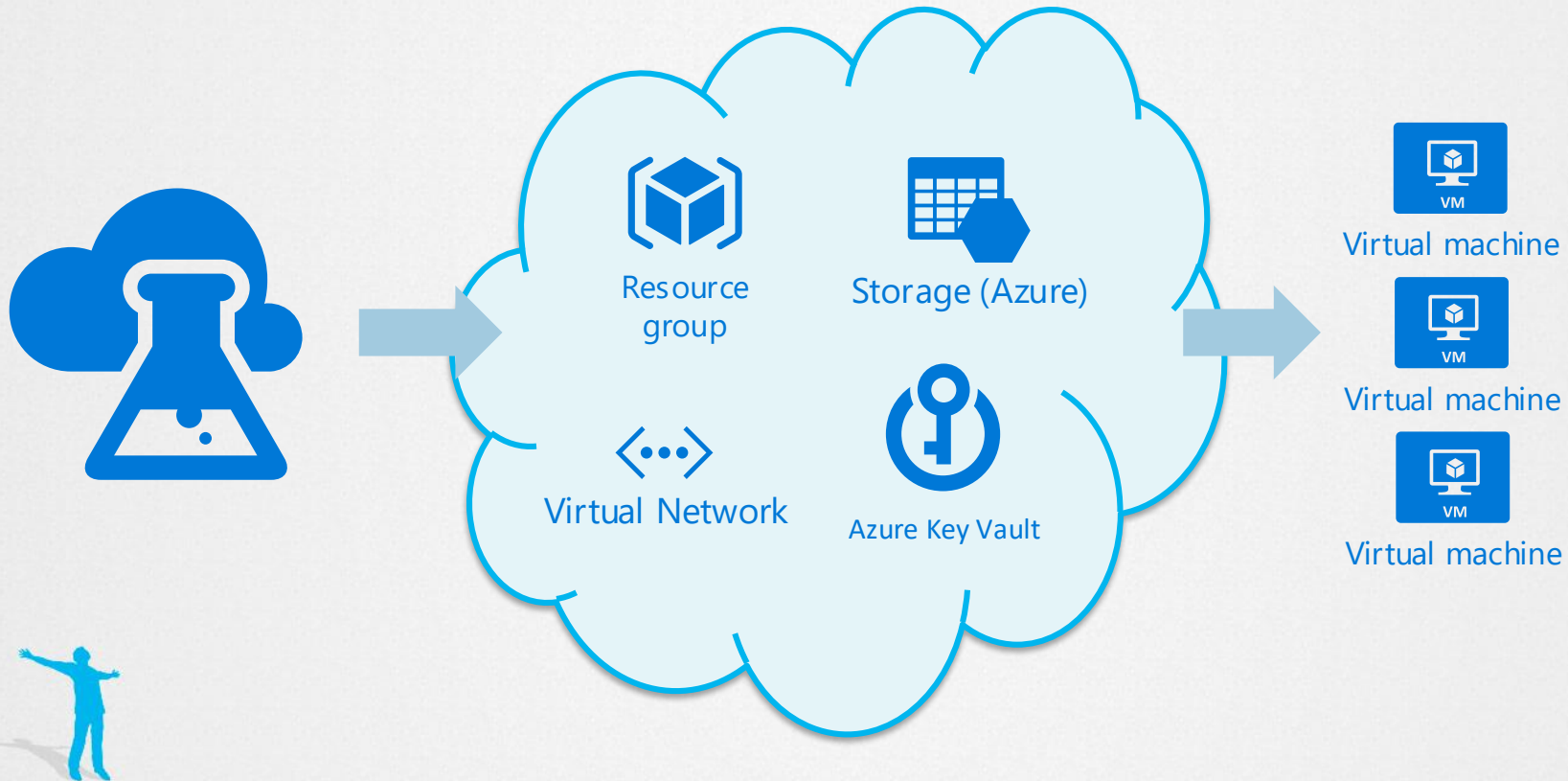
- Access
- Images
- VM Sizes
- Number of VMs
- Auto-Start/Shutdown
- Virtual Networks

Demo
How to control your lab

Problem

How to provision?

- Marketplace provides Base Images
- Custom Images (create or upload)
- Add tools & software customizations via Artifacts
- Predefine dynamic images using Formulas
- Multi-Service environments using ARM templates
- Integrate into CI/CD tools like Visual Studio Team Services

Custom Images

Bright side:

- VM provisioning from a custom image is fast
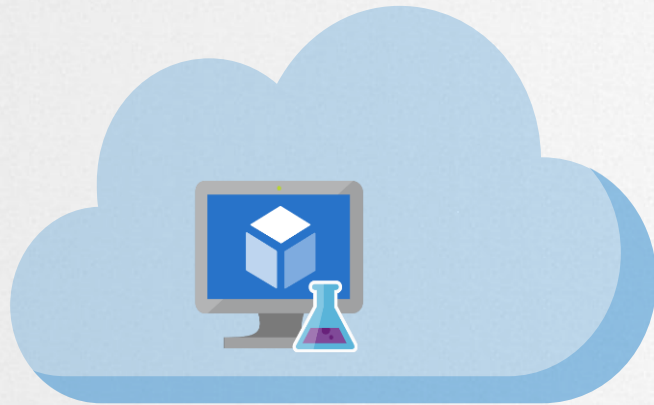- VMs created from a single custom image are identical.

Down side

- If you need to update some aspect of the custom image, the image must be recreated.
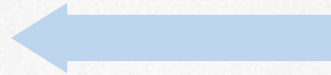
Artifacts

Default Repo

Other Repos

GitHub

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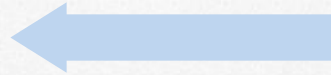
Formulas

Bright side:

- Changes in the environment can be captured on the fly via **artifacts**.
- Formulas can define default settings - such as VM sizes and virtual network settings.
- The settings saved in a formula are shown as default values, but can be modified when the VM is created.

Down side

- Creating a VM from a formula takes more time than creating a VM from a custom image.

Environments

Use ARM templates to deploy solutions

- Deploy multiple resources repeatedly
- Can contain PaaS resources
- Appear in cost tracking
- No Auto-Shutdown for PaaS

CI/CD Pipeline Integration

DevTest Labs Tasks are build/release tasks which allow you to integrate with Azure DevTest Labs

- Create VM
- Create Custom Image
- Delete VM

Power of Combo

- Auto-deploy VMs for Testers when releasing new build

- Use Artifacts and Custom Images together with VSTS

Demo
How to provision

Why DevTest Labs

- Quickly be «ready to test»
- Azure DevTest Labs service is free
- Don't worry about VNets, Resource Groups, etc.
- Control dev/test environments with ease
- Integrates with your existing toolchain

How to get started

- Azure DevTest Labs
  http://aka.ms/adt
- DevTest Labs Team Blog
  https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/devtestlab/
- DevTest Labs Documentation
  https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/devtest-lab/devtest-lab-overview
- DevTest Labs MSDN Forum
  https://social.msdn.microsoft.com/Forums/en-US/home?forum=AzureDevTestLabs
- Azure DevTest Labs artifacts, scripts and samples
  https://github.com/Azure/azure-devtestlab

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