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Microsoft Azure Fundamentals (AZ-900) Certification Course



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Course Overview





Al-900 Crash Course

- Describe Artificial Intelligence workloads and considerations (20–25%)
- Describe fundamental principles of machine learning on Azure (25–30%)
- Describe features of computer vision workloads on Azure (15–20%)
- Describe features of Natural Language Processing (NLP) workloads on Azure (25–30%)



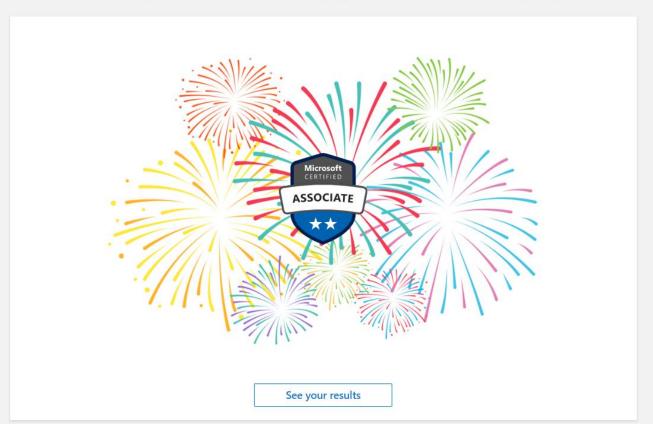
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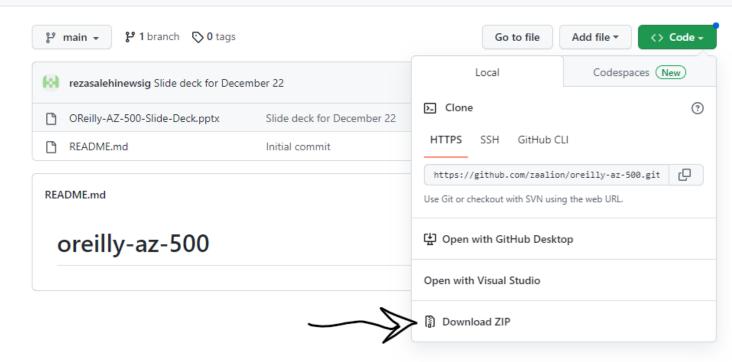
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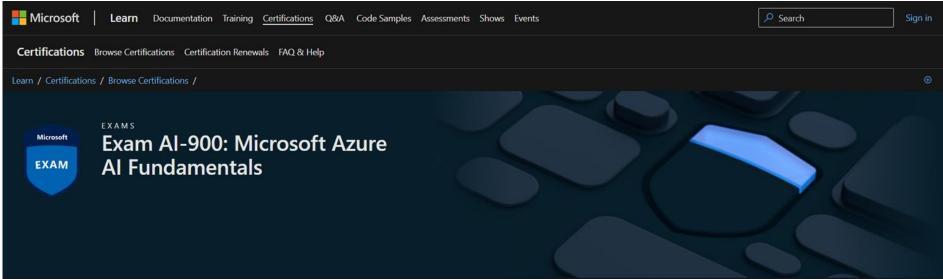


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This exam is an opportunity to demonstrate knowledge of machine learning (ML) and artificial intelligence (Al) concepts and related Microsoft Azure services. Candidates for this exam should have familiarity with Exam Al-900's self-paced or instructor-led learning material.

This exam is intended for candidates with both technical and non-technical backgrounds. Data science and software engineering experience are not required; however, awareness of cloud basics and client-server applications would be beneficial.

Azure Al Fundamentals can be used to prepare for other Azure role-based certifications like Azure Data Scientist Associate or Azure Al Engineer Associate, but it is not a prerequisite for any of them.

You may be eligible for ACE college credit if you pass this certification exam. See ACE college credit for certification exams for

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(i) Important

The English language version of this exam was updated on May 4, 2023. Review the study guide linked in the "Tip" box for details about the latest changes. If a localized version of this exam is available, it will be updated approximately eight weeks after this date. While Microsoft makes every effort to update localized versions as noted, there may be times when the localized versions of this exam are not updated on this schedule.

Passing score: 700. Learn more about exam scores.

∏ Tip

- Review the AI-900 study guide ☑ to help you prepare for the exam
- Demo the exam experience by visiting our exam sandbox ☑

Part of the requirements for: Microsoft Certified: Azure Al Fundamentals Related exams: none
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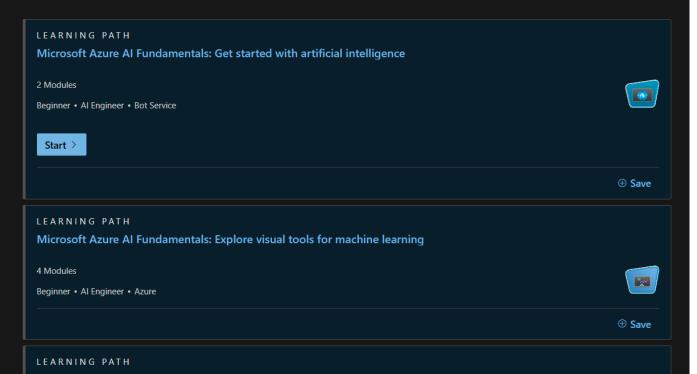


Two ways to prepare

Self-paced

Instructor-led

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Describe Artificial Intelligence workloads and considerations (20-25%)



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- Identify features of common AI workloads
- Identify guiding principles for responsible Al



Identify Guiding Principles for Responsible Al

- Describe considerations for fairness in an AI solution [see <u>1 2 3</u>]
- Describe considerations for reliability and safety in an Al solution [see 1]
- Describe considerations for privacy and security in an Al solution [see 1]
- Describe considerations for inclusiveness in an Al solution [see 1]
- Describe considerations for transparency in an AI solution [see 1]
- Describe considerations for accountability in an Al solution [see 1]





Identify Features of Common Al Workloads

- Identify features of anomaly detection workloads [see <u>1 2 3 4 5</u>]
- Identify computer vision workloads [see <u>1 2 3 4 5 6 7</u>]
- Identify natural language processing workloads [see <u>0 1 2 3 4 5]</u>
- Identify knowledge mining workloads [see <u>1 2 3 4 5</u>]

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Describe **Fundamental Principles of Machine Learning** on Azure (25-30%)





Describe Fundamental Principles of Machine Learning on Azure (25–30%)

- Identify common machine learning types
- Describe core machine learning concepts
- Describe capabilities of visual tools in Azure Machine Learning Studio





Identify Common Machine Learning Types

- Identify regression machine learning scenarios [see <u>1 2 3 4 5 6 7</u>]
- Identify classification machine learning scenarios [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]
- Identify clustering machine learning scenarios [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]



Describe Core Machine Learning Concepts

- Identify features and labels in a dataset for machine learning [see 1]
- Describe how training and validation datasets are used in machine learning [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]

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Describe Capabilities of Visual Tools in Azure Machine Learning Studio

- Automated machine learning [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]
- Azure Machine Learning designer [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]

Creating Your Own ML Model

- 1. Collect training datasets; 1000+ cat and not-cat photos
- 2. Cleanup the collected training data
- 3. Choose the right ML model for your usecase
- 4. Train the model and verify the result
- 5. Deploy the read-to-use model to your application
- 6. Start using the model with the data in question

Using Cognitive Services Models

- 1. Provision an Azure Computer Vision service
- 2. Start using the service with the data in question
 - a. Microsoft has trained the models for you
 - b. These models can be customized if needed

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Describe Features of Computer Vision Workloads on Azure (15-20%)





Describe Features of Computer Vision Workloads on Azure (15–20%)

- Identify common types of computer vision solutions
- Identify Azure tools and services for computer vision tasks

Identify Common Types of Computer Vision Solutions

- Identify features of image classification solutions [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]
- Identify features of object detection solutions [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]
- Identify features of optical character recognition solutions [see 1 2]
- Identify features of facial detection and facial analysis solutions [see <u>1 2 3</u>]

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Identify Azure Tools and Services for Computer Vision Tasks

- Identify capabilities of the Computer Vision service [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]
- Identify capabilities of the Custom Vision service [see <u>1 2 3</u>]
- Identify capabilities of the Face service [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]
- Identify capabilities of the Form Recognizer service [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]

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Describe Features of Natural Language Processing (NLP) Workloads on Azure (25-30%)





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- Identify features of common NLP workload scenarios
- Identify Azure tools and services for NLP workloads
- Identify considerations for conversational AI solutions on Azure



Identify Features of Common NLP Workload Scenarios

- Identify features and uses for key phrase extraction [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]
- Identify features and uses for entity recognition [see 1]
- Identify features and uses for sentiment analysis [see 1]
- Identify features and uses for language modeling [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]
- Identify features and uses for speech recognition and synthesis [see 1 2]
- Identify features and uses for translation [see <u>1</u> <u>2</u>]

Identify Azure Tools and Services for NLP Workloads

- Identify capabilities of the Language service [see 1]
- Identify capabilities of the Speech service [see 1]
- Identify capabilities of the Translator service [see 1]



Identify Considerations for Conversational Al Solutions on Azure

- Identify features and uses for bots [see <u>1 2 3</u>]
- Identify capabilities of the Power Virtual Agents and Azure Bot service
 [see <u>1 2</u>]

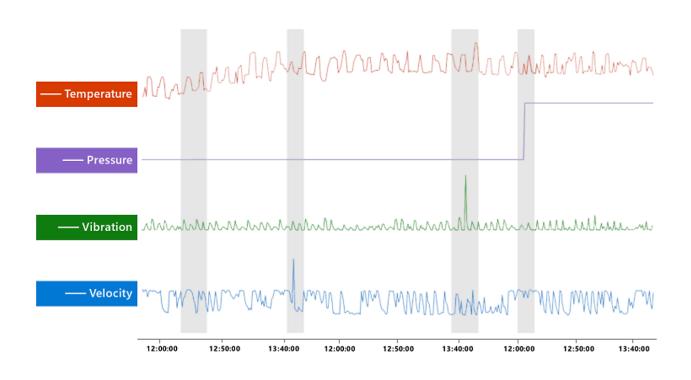
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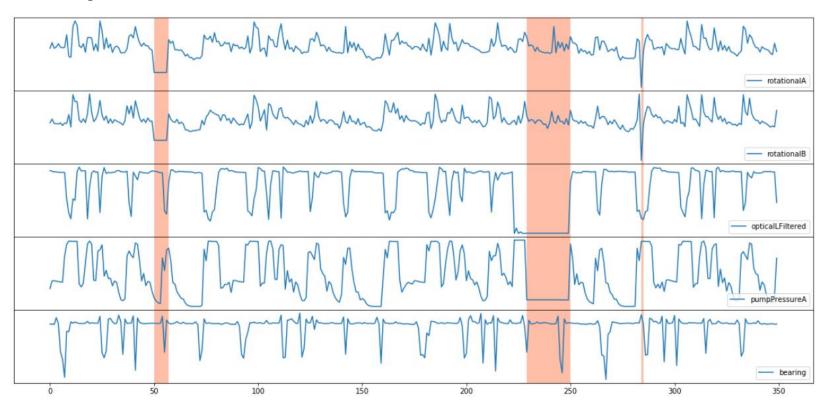
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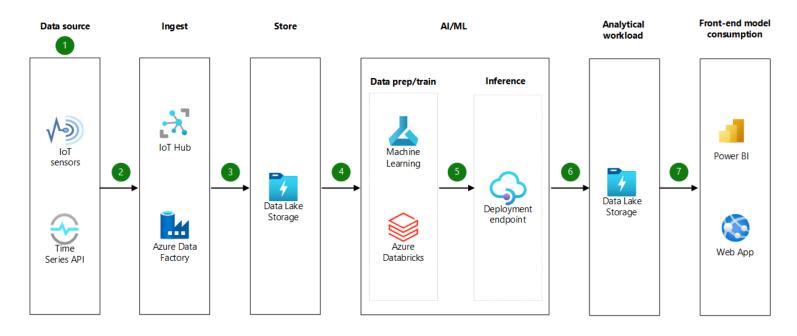
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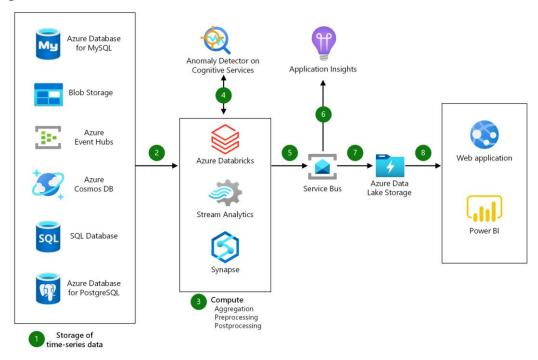








Anomaly Detection Workloads











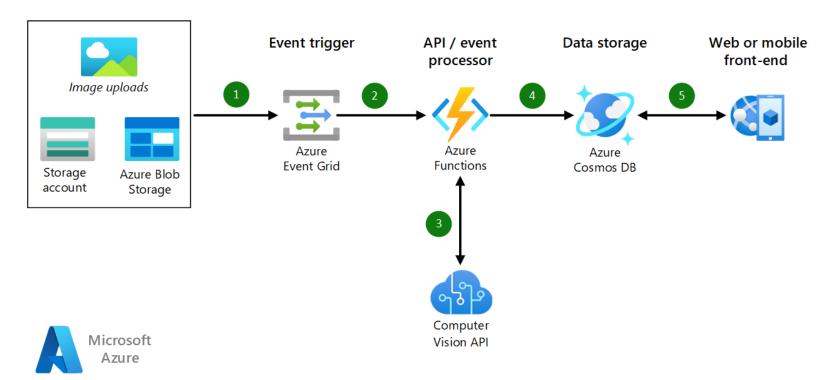




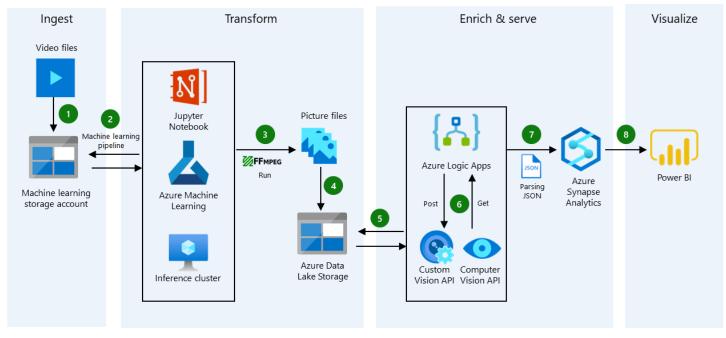








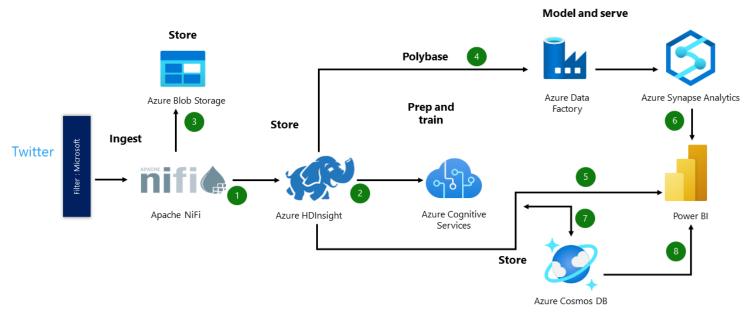








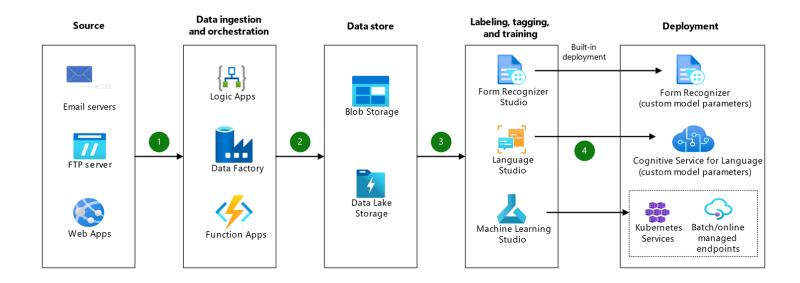








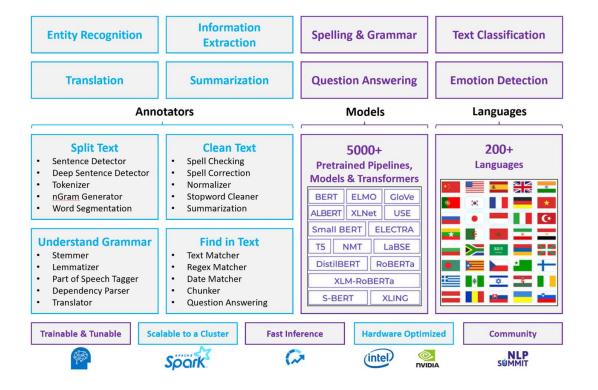








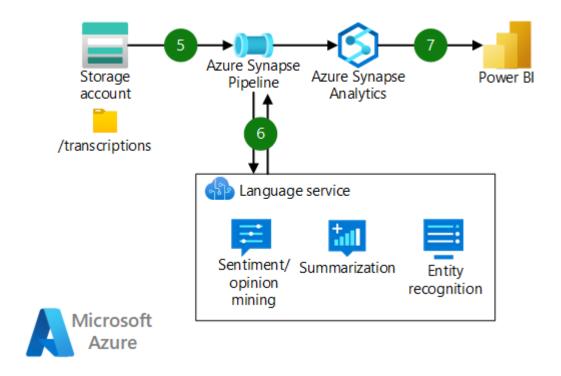
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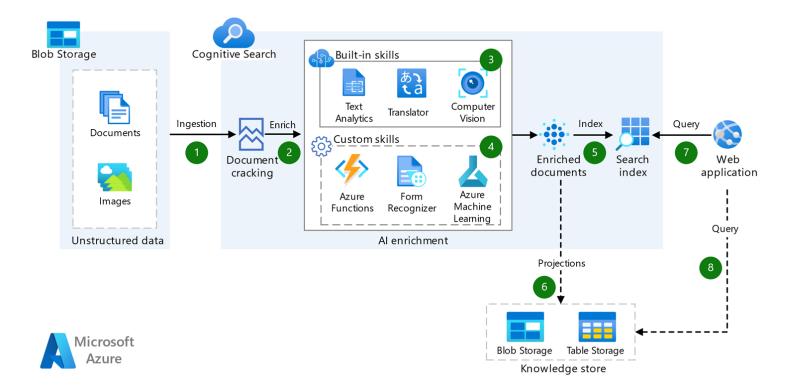


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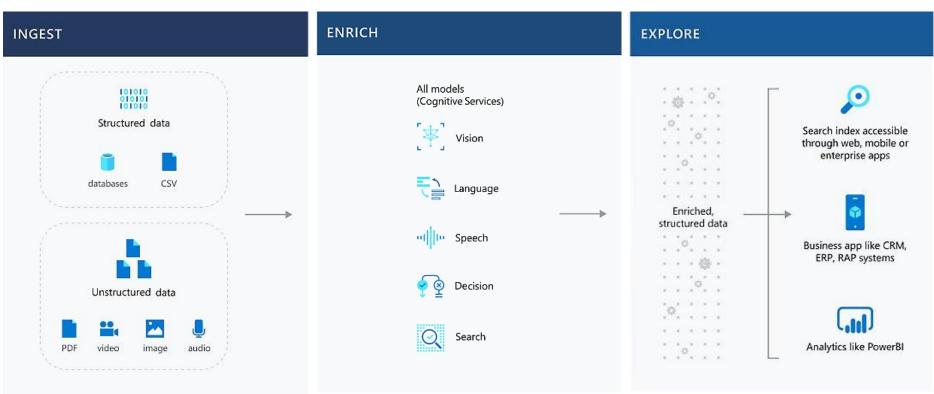


Natural Language Processing Workloads









https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/solutions/knowledge-mining







Azure Cognitive Search

Identify and explore relevant content with the only cloud search service with built-in AI capabilities.



Azure Cognitive Services

Employ cognition capabilities to expand understanding across content types.



Azure Machine Learning

Apply machine learning models as custom skills for specific requirements like industry-specific regulations.

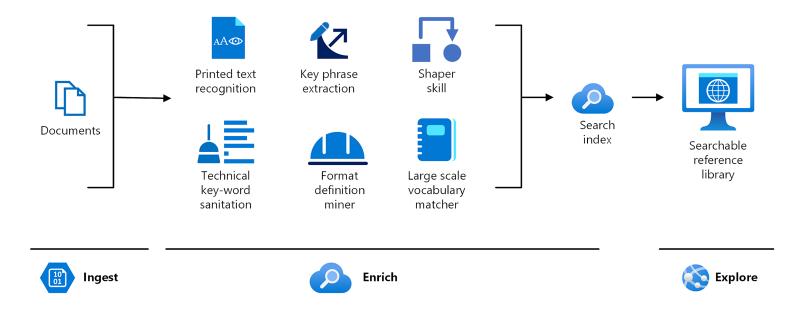


Azure Bot Services

Design interactive experiences that enable users to extract information from their data via bot interface.

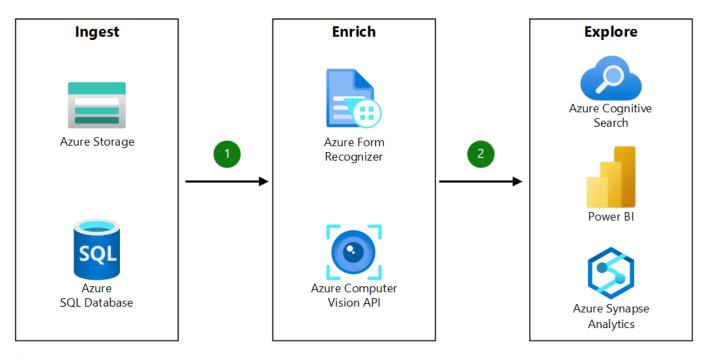






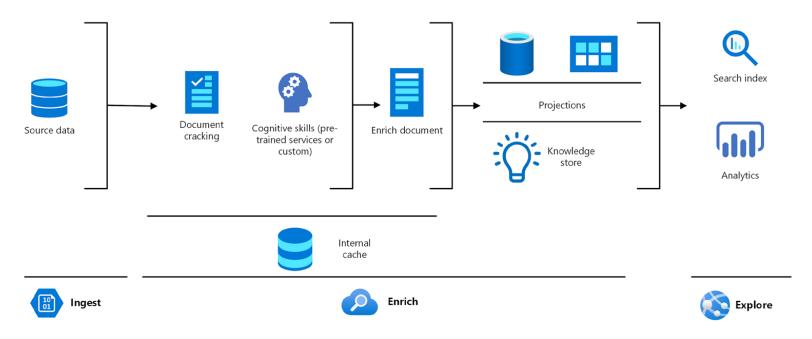










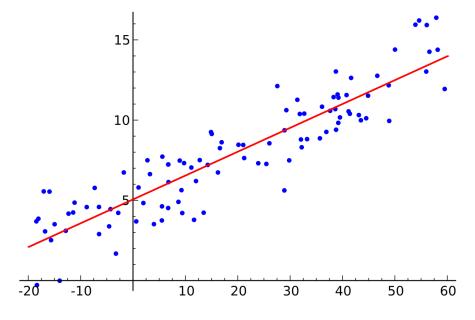






Regression Machine Learning

- Estimate missing data
- Estimate future data (prediction)



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Regression_analysis





Classification Machine Learning

Group images into categories

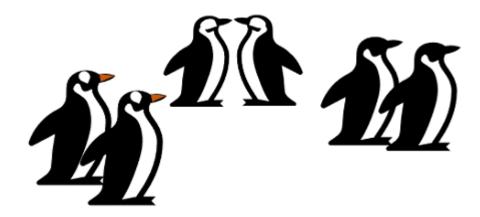




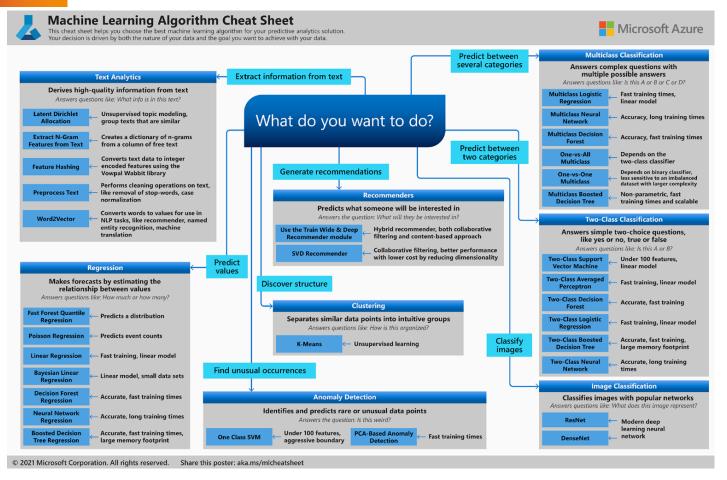


Clustering Machine Learning

Grouping unlabeled examples









The Exam

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AI-900 Exam FAQ

- Number of Questions: between 40 and 60
- Duration: 120 minutes
- Questions
 - See the exam sandbox
- There are no hands-on labs
- Pass Score: 700 (on a scale of 1-1000)





- Exam Al-900
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- Exam Sandbox

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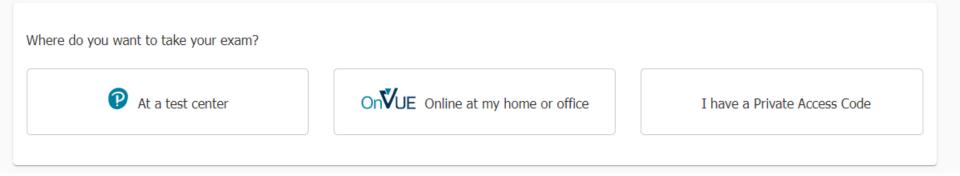
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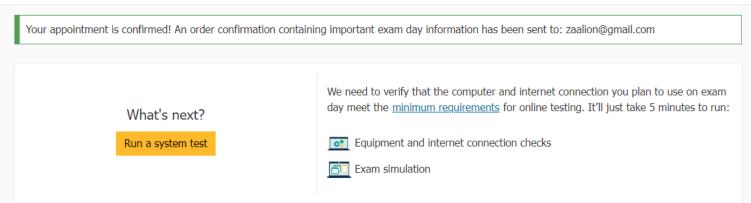
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