

Azure Governance einfach gemacht mit Azure Blueprints

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Agenda

- Azure Governance
- Azure Management Groups
- Azure Policys
- Azure Blueprints



Governance ^{NEW}

Proactively apply policies and optimize cloud spend



Security

Industry leading Security with Advanced Threat Protection



Resiliency

High availability and protection for VMs, apps and data



Monitoring

Deep operational insights with rich intelligence



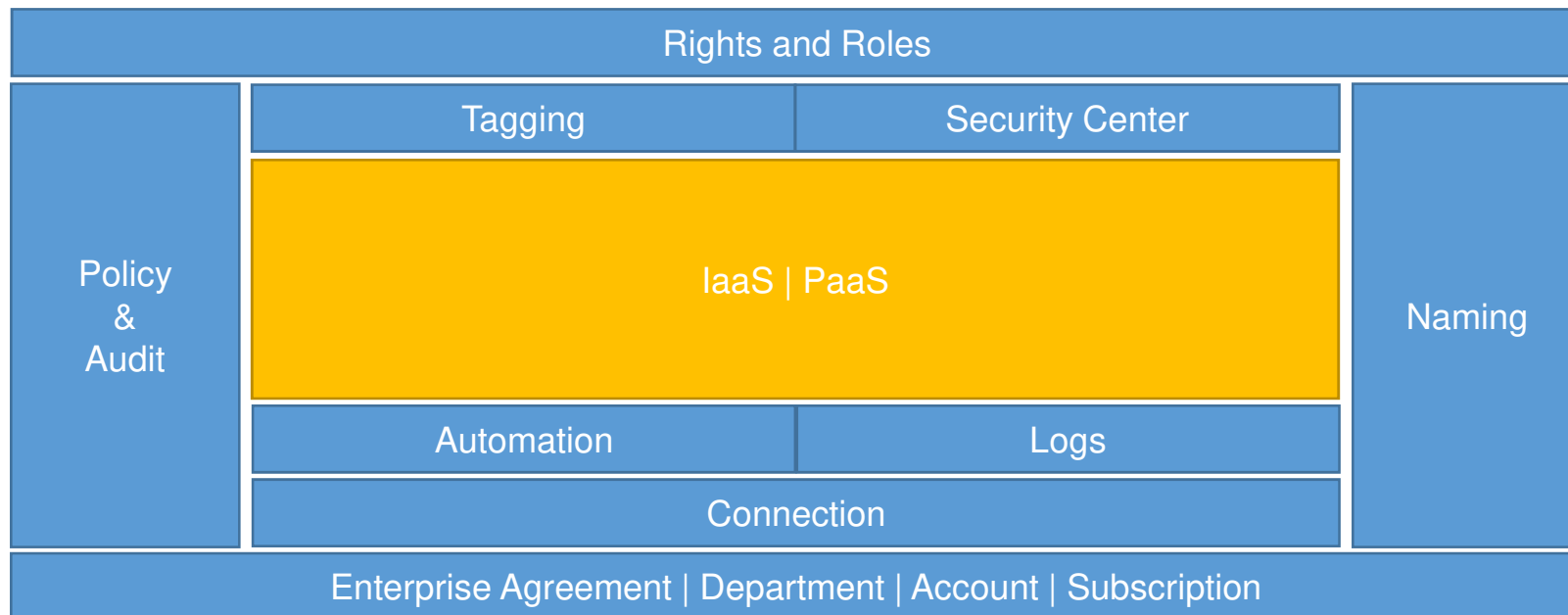
Automate

Powerful scripting, configuration and update management

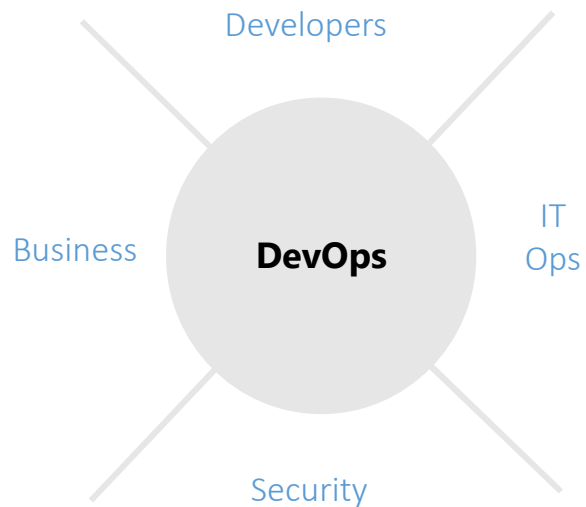


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Azure Governance



IT is transforming



Adopting new cloud technologies



ARM



Templates



Scripting



Functions



Event Grid

Changing operating model



Developer
Collaboration



Business
value



Time to
market



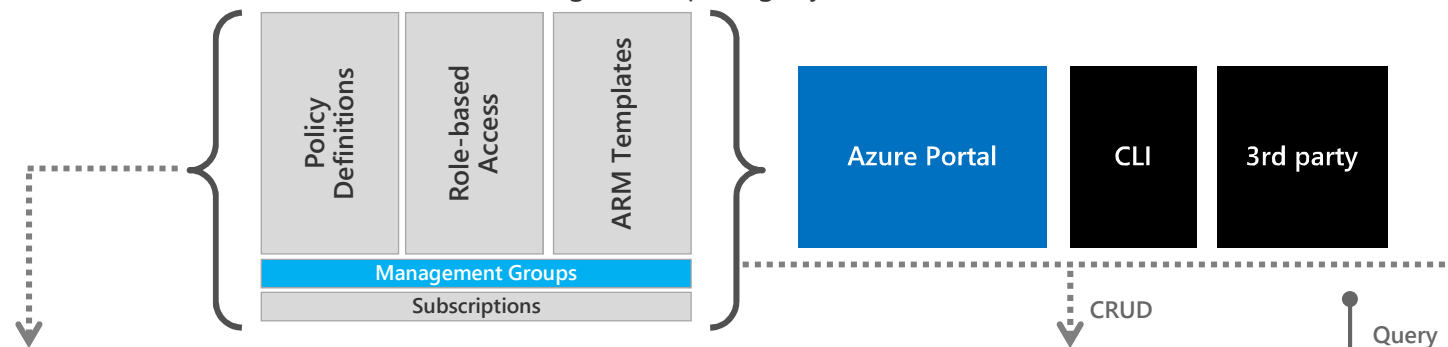
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Azure Governance Architecture

providing control over the cloud environment, without sacrificing developer agility

1. Environment Factory:

Deploy and update cloud environments in a repeatable manner using composable artifacts



Azure
Blueprints

Policy Engine

Azure
Resource
Graph

Azure Resource Manager (ARM)

2. Policy-based Control: Real-time enforcement, compliance assessment and remediation at scale

3. Resource Visibility: Query, explore & analyze cloud resources at scale



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Azure Security & Management

Built-in Azure services options to keep your Azure and hybrid resources secure and well-managed



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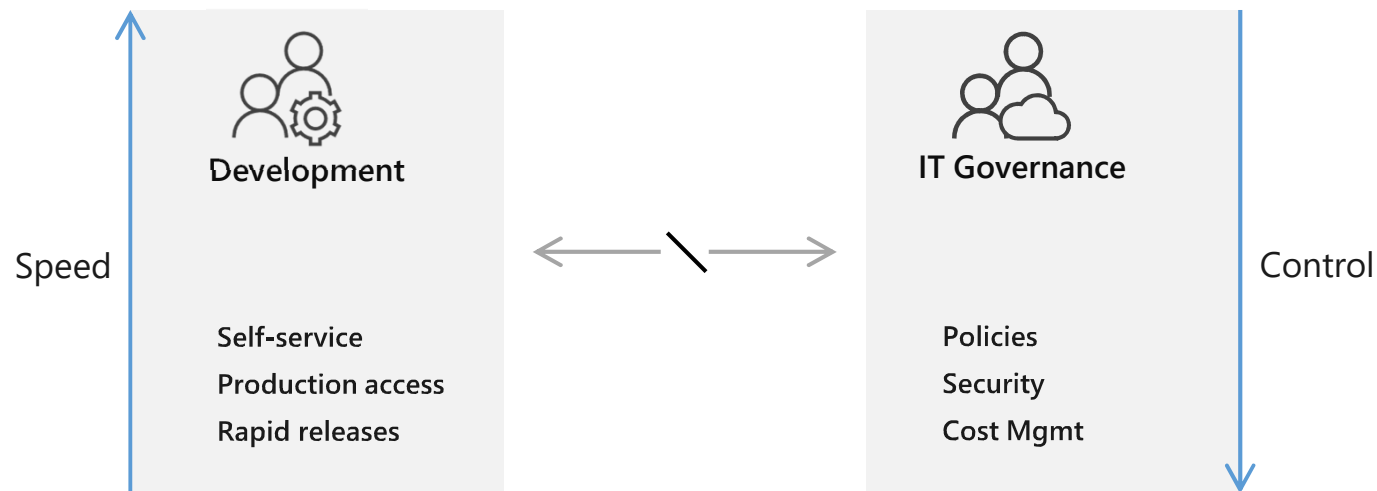
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Traditional approach needs rethinking

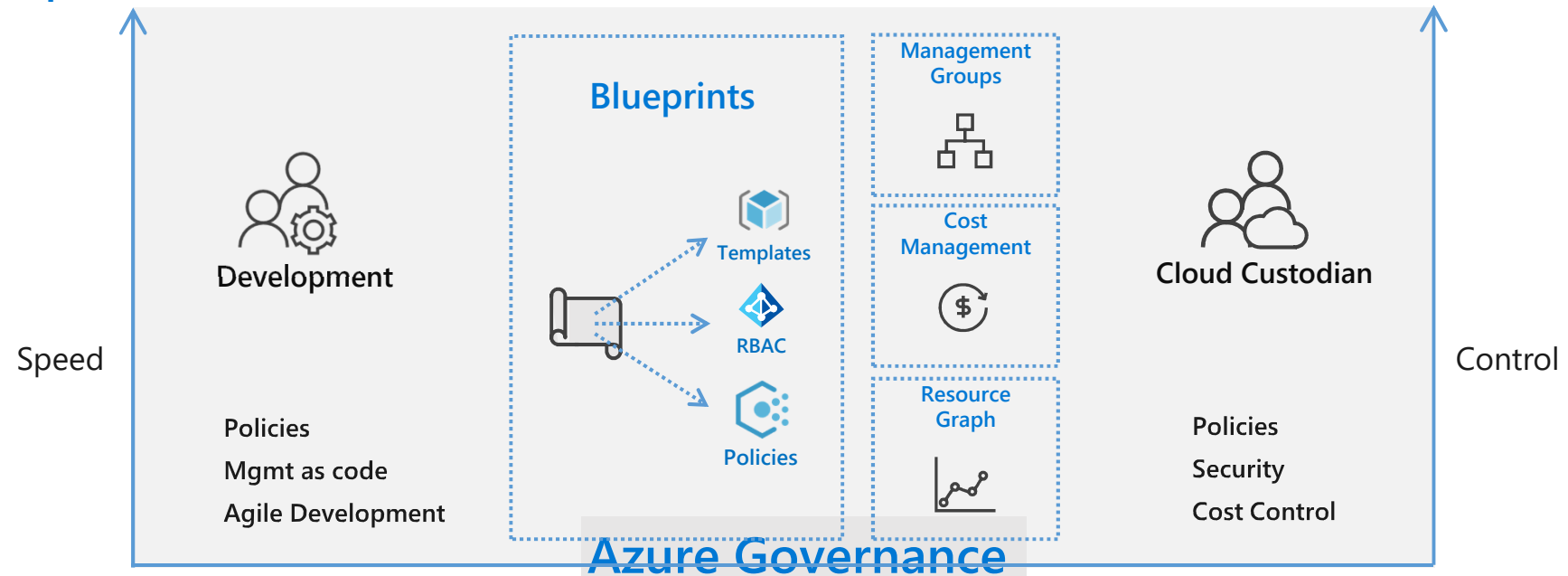
Speed versus control



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Built-in modern governance

Speed *and* control



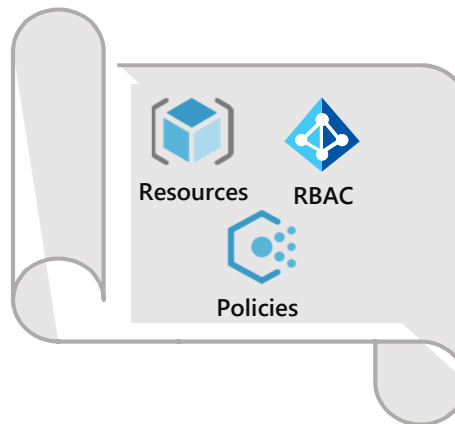
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Key Azure governance technologies

```
"policyRule": {  
  "if": {  
    "not": {  
      "field": "location",  
      "in":  
        "[parameters('listOfAllowedLocations')]"  
    }  
  },  
  "then": {  
    "effect": "Deny"  
  }  
}
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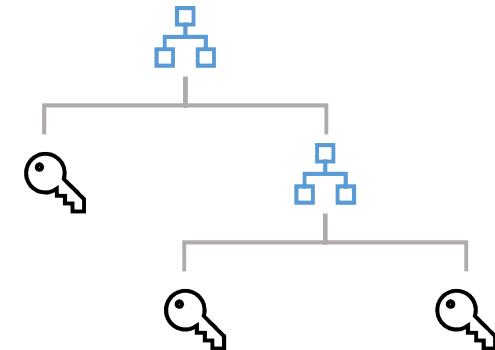
Policy

Enforce or audit rules to ensure compliance.



Blueprints

Quickly create multiple subscriptions with resources, policies and users already setup.



Management groups

Map your organizational structure into Azure to enable governance in multi-tenant and cross-regional scenarios

Azure Resource Manager + Azure Resource Graph



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Azure Management Groups



Introducing Azure Management Groups



Make environment management easier by grouping subscriptions together

- Grouping subscriptions into logical groups allow for new organization models
- Inheritance allows for single assignment of controls that apply to all subscriptions
- Aggregated views above the subscription level



Create a hierarchy of management groups that fit your organization

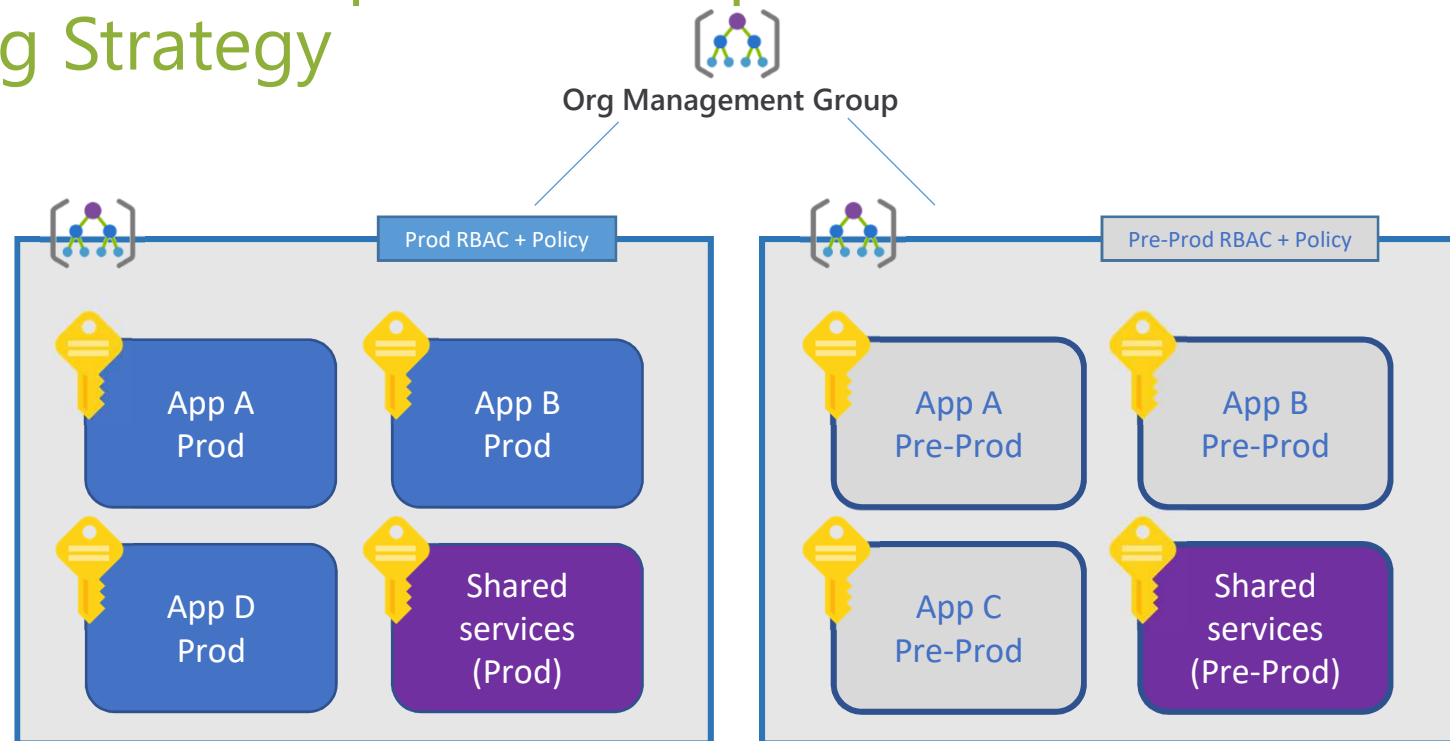
- Create a flexible hierarchy that can be updated quickly
- Hierarchy doesn't need to model the organizations billing hierarchy
- Can easily scale up or down depending on the organizational needs

Apply governance controls with policies and access controls along with other Azure services

- Azure Resource Manager (ARM) objects that allow integrations with other Azure services
- Azure services:
 - Azure Policy
 - RBAC
 - Azure Cost Management
 - Azure Blueprints
 - Azure Security Center



Management Group & Subscription Modeling Strategy



Azure Management Groups

DEMO



Azure Policys



Azure Policy Journey

09/2017

Limited public preview
Introduced the new
compliance engine (scans
every 24 hours), UX and
initiative

12/2017

Public preview
Introduced Management
Group support
Compliance scan on
resource change (delta
scan)
Built-in definition
support for remediation

05/2018

GA
Pricing details
announcement (FREE!)
National clouds support
Introduced policy events
view (count by user)

09/2018

Compliance percentage
Full fidelity of resources
(store compliant
resources)
'Last evaluated'
timestamp
Trigger scan (on-demand
scan) API
Custom definition
support for remediation
Remediation on existing
resources
'Denied due to policy' UX
improvement
Progressive compliance
results
In-guest Policy public
preview
Default parameters
Azure DevOps
integration
Azure Security Center
integration

09/2017

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Azure Policy



- Turn on built-in policies or build custom ones for all resource types
- Real-time policy evaluation and enforcement
- Periodic & on-demand compliance evaluation
- VM In-Guest Policy (NEW)

Enforcement & Compliance



- Apply policies to a Management Group with control across your entire organization
- Apply multiple policies and aggregate policy states with policy initiative
- Exclusion Scope

Apply policies at scale



- Real time remediation
- Remediation on existing resources (NEW)

Remediation



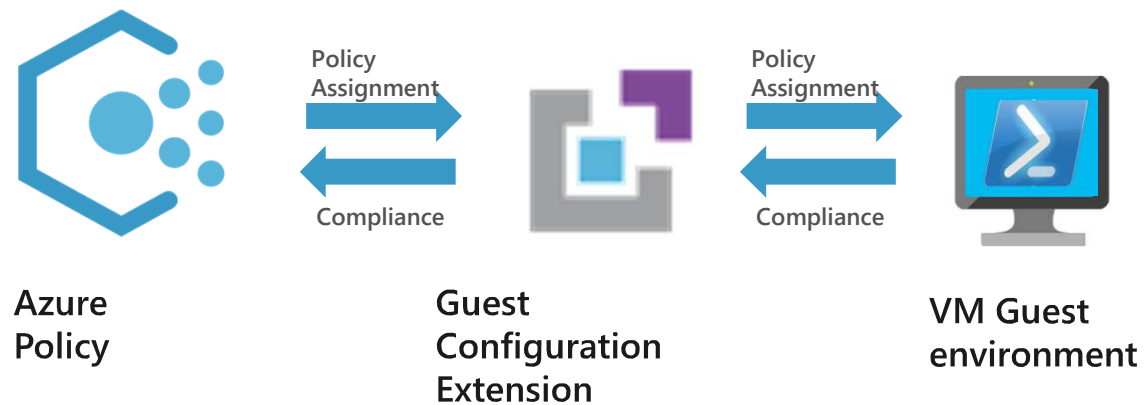
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Introducing VM guest policy



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How VM guest policy works



How does it work?

Enforcement

Real-time (on change & on creation):

Audit, Audit if not exists

Deny

Append

Deploy if not exists ([NEW](#))

Compliance

Always On:

On Change

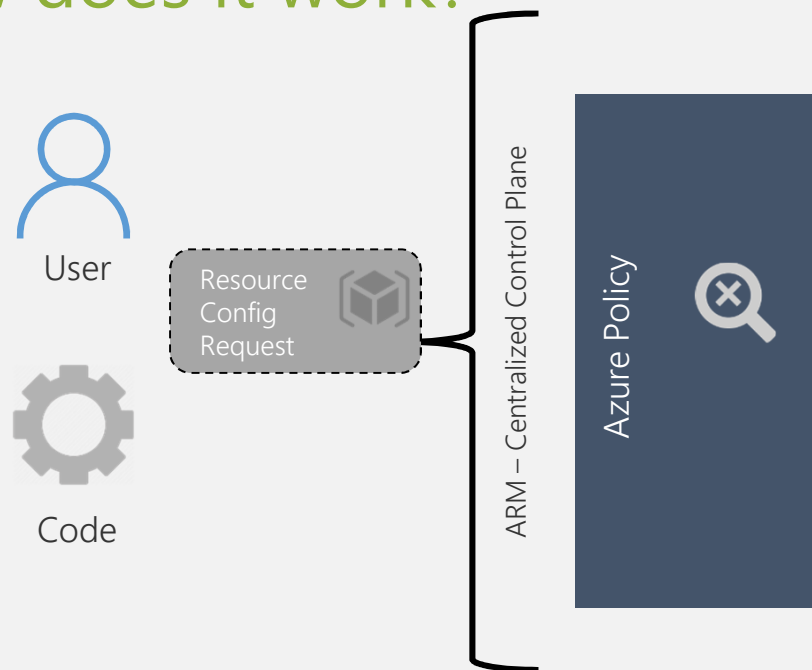
On Periodic Cadence

On Demand ([PREVIEW](#))

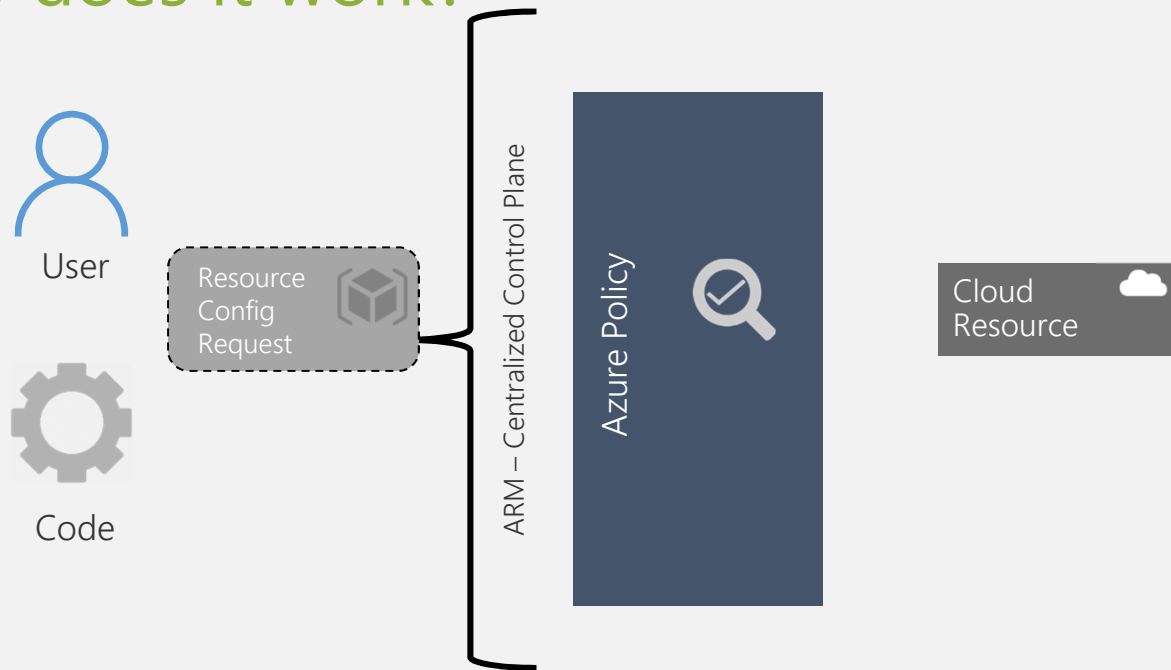


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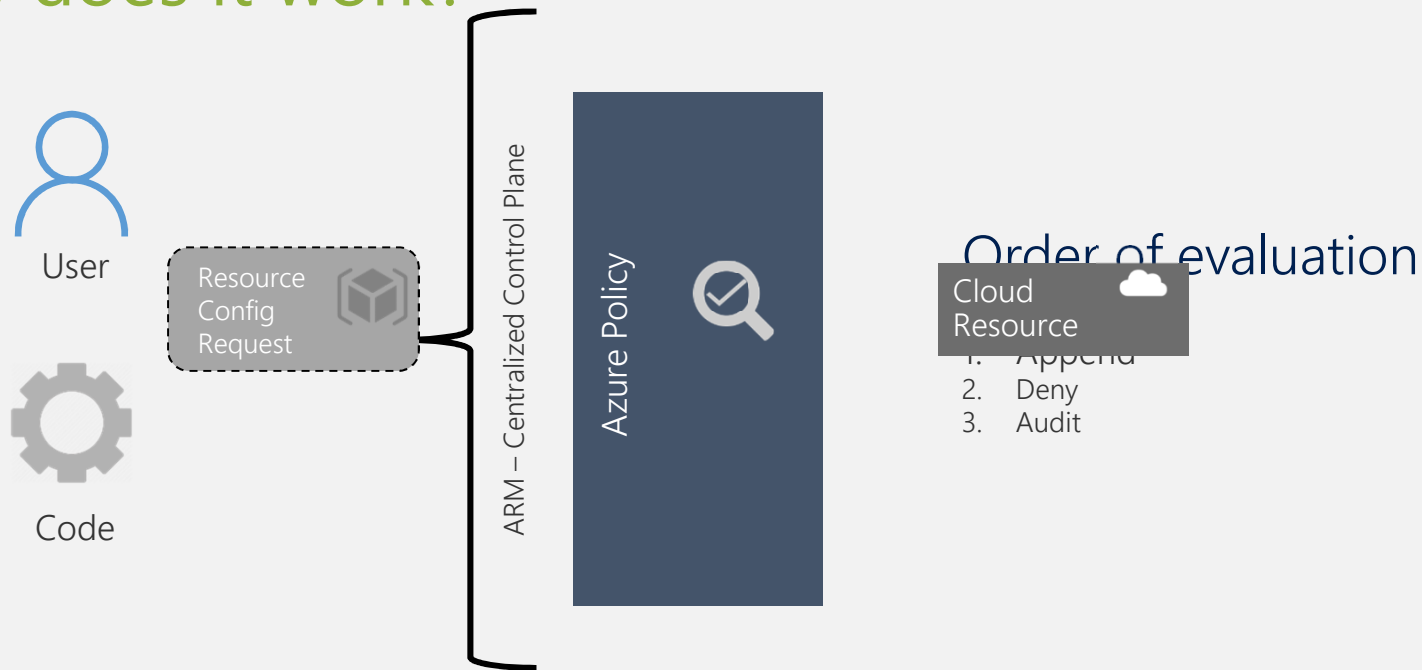


Order of evaluation

- Append
- Deny
- Audit
- DeployIfNotExists
- AuditIfNotExists



How does it work?



How does it work?



User



Code

ARM – Centralized Control Plane

Azure Policy



Cloud
Resource



4. DeployIfNotExists
5. AuditIfNotExists



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Policy

- 250 policy definitions per scope
- 100 policy set definitions per scope
- 1000 policy set definitions per tenant
- 100 policyDefinition references per policySetDefinition
- 100 policy assignments per scope
- 250 notScopes per policyAssignment



Azure Policys 

DEMO

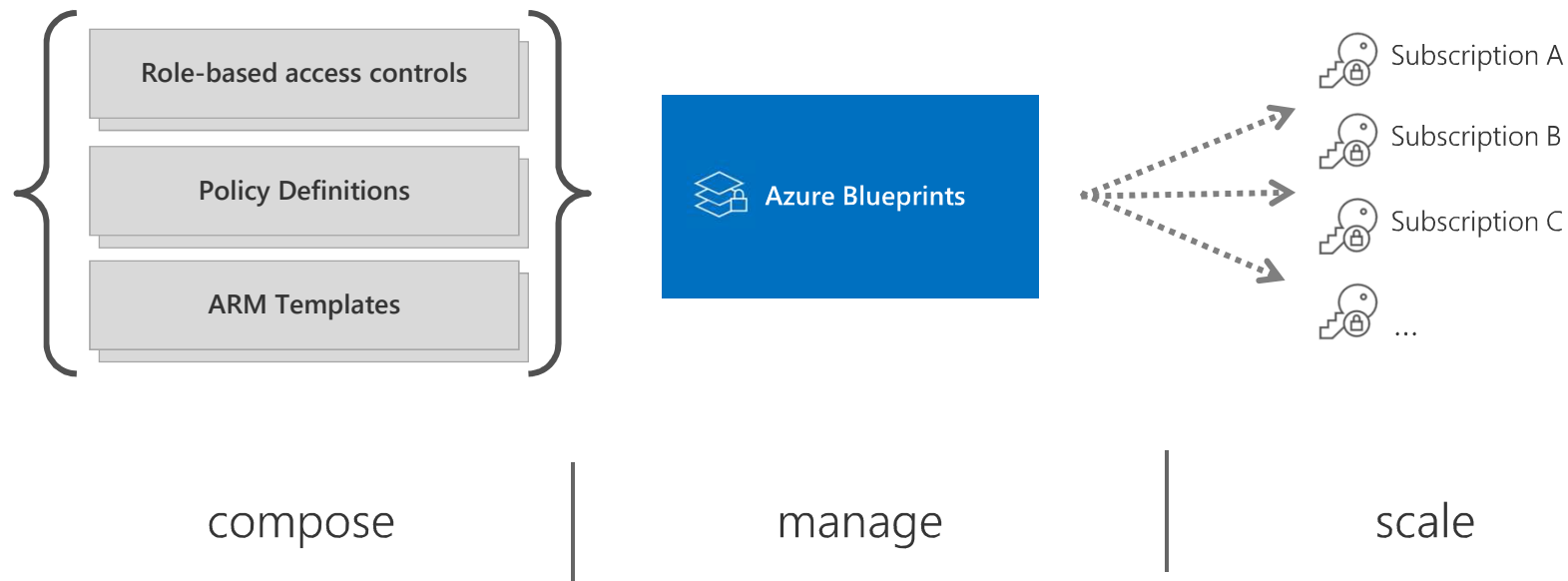


Azure Blueprints



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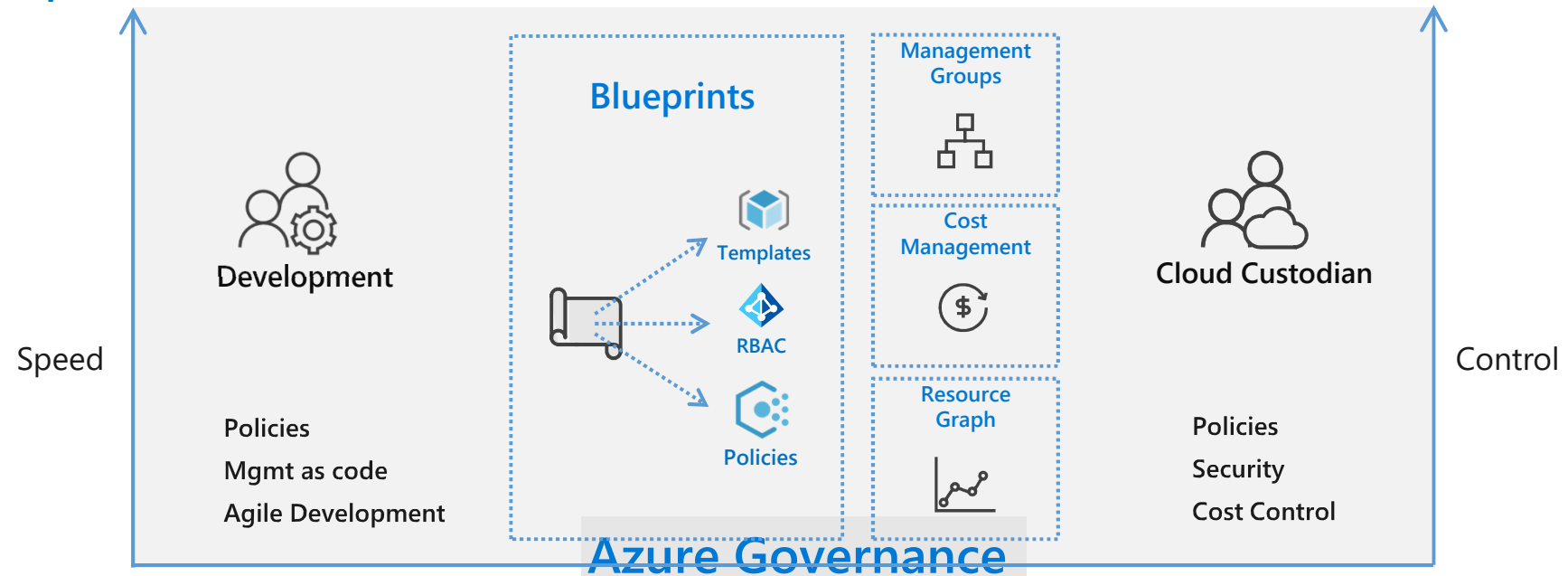
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Azure Resource Graph

- **Query, explore & analyze** cloud resources at scale

Explore



Perform fast ad hoc **exploration** in large cloud environment

Query & Analyze



Query & analyze across all of your cloud resources at scale in seconds

Impact Assessment



Ability to **assess the impact** of applying policies in vast cloud environment



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Links

- [Microsoft Docs – Azure Blueprints](#)
- [Microsoft GitHub Repo – Managing Blueprints as Code](#)
- [Microsoft Docs – Azure Policies](#)
- [Microsoft Docs – Azure Management Groups](#)
- [Buchatech – Azure Blueprints](#)
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- [Azure Management Groups and Blueprints – Einrichtung und Konfiguration – www.reimling.eu](#)



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