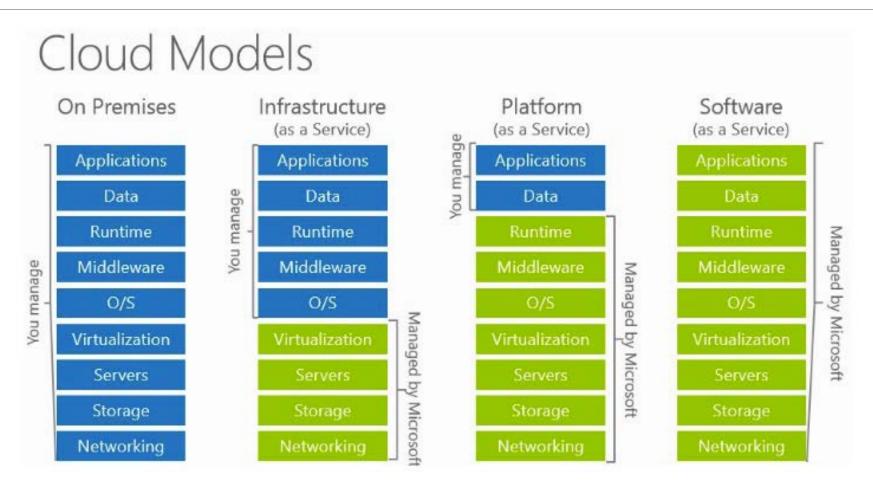
# Getting Started with Local Models

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## Remember the Cloud Hosting Spectrum?



## Al Model Hosting Spectrum

 Models hosted or controlled by you - This is what we are going to focus on

Models as a Service (MaaS)- Azure AI Foundry will provide you many models as a service

 Models hosted by third parties - Azure OpenAl is an example of this

External Service/Website/API hosted by the model created - OpenAI's Chat GPT is an example of this

## Local Models – Three Options

### ONNX Runtime – Open Neural Network Exchange

 https://learn.microsoft.com/enus/azure/machinelearning/conceptonnx?view=azureml-api-2

#### LM Studio

https://lmstudio.ai/

#### Ollama

https://ollama.com/

Hands On Lab

https://github.com/JasonHaley/chainlit-ollama-phi4