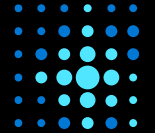


Azure Training Day

Migrating web applications to Azure



Overview of Azure web app migration

Part 1 of 5 in the Migrate web apps to Azure series

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Setting the scene



Overview of the workshop

About the workshop content...

About:

This series, Migrate web apps to Azure, takes you through the first 5 modules of a longer, 9 part workshop that builds a proof of concept (POC) that transforms an existing ASP.NET-based Web application (SimplCommerce) to a container-based application.

For the purpose of this training, we will focus on the steps that take you through deploying and migrating web applications to Azure Web Apps: automating Azure resources deployments using Visual Studio and Azure Resource Manager (ARM) templates, performing proper assessments and the tools Microsoft offers to help in this migration preparation phase, Microsoft SQL database migration to SQL Azure PaaS, as well as deploying and migrating web applications to Azure Web Apps.

Target Audience:

The workshop is targeted to Cloud Architects, Cloud Solution designers, developers and IT sysadmins, CIO's, CTO's and anybody else who is interested in learning about Azure, containers, application cloud migration and digital transformation.

Focus of the workshop (40%) is getting hands-on experience, complemented with webcast presentations.

Time Estimate:

9 hours (+/- 6 hours presentations, 3 hours of optional hands-on labs for attendees)

Workshop Agenda - Presentations

What we will talk about...

- Module 1: Digital App Transformation with Azure
- Module 2: Running Azure Infrastructure and execute Lift & Shift Migrations
- Module 3: Performing proper assessments to smooth Azure Migrations
- Module 4: Why and how migrating databases to Azure PaaS
- Module 5: Migrating to Azure App Services – Azure Web Apps (.NET)

Workshop Agenda – Hands On Labs

Learn by doing...

- **Module 2: Running Azure Infrastructure and execute Lift & Shift Migrations**
 - *Lab 1: Deploy an Azure VM Infrastructure using ARM-Templates*
- **Module 3: Performing proper assessments to smooth Azure Migrations**
 - *Lab 2: Using Azure assessment tools*
- **Module 4: Why and how migrating databases to Azure PaaS**
 - *Lab 3: Migrating SQL Databases to Azure using Database Migration Assistant*
- **Module 5: Migrating to Azure App Services – Azure Web Apps (.NET)**
 - *Lab 4: Publishing application source code to Azure Web Apps using Visual Studio 2019*

Technical Requirements

What you need...

<Could vary based on the actual delivery-method>, but overall:

- Client workstation running recent Windows, Linux or Mac OS and latest internet browser
- Access to ports 80 (HTTP), 443 (HTTPS) and 3389 (Remote Desktop)
- Full Azure subscription (MSDN, AzurePass, Paid subscription, AE, CSP,...), where you have Owner permissions on subscription level
- Lab consumption estimate: \$15-35

Questions and HOL support

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Subject: Azure Developer Series – migrate web apps

Response Time: within 24 hours

Check GitHub for FAQ and Updates:

<https://github.com/MSUSDEV/Migrating-web-apps-to-Azure>

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Why and How does Azure support digital transformation

Digital Transformation



Key Objectives

What you will learn in this section

- Digital Transformation
- The journey to the cloud
- Introduction to Containers
- Introduction to Microservices
- Technologies covered in this workshop series

Digital Transformation

What is this
digital transformation
everybody talks about?

Digital transformation helps organizations to **improve efficiency and effectiveness** of service/products, using the **latest available technology**.

Instead of replicating an existing platform, we use technology to **transform that service/product into something significantly better**.

Digital Transformation

What is
digital transformation
for IT Admins?

Digital Transformation is using technology to **radically change the datacenter**

Don't focus on **the location of the technology**, but rather focus on **the use of technology**

Embrace the **continuous flow** of updates and changes, and **keep up** with it.

Digital Transformation

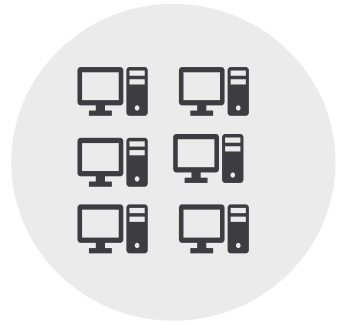
What does
digital transformation mean
for Developers?

Digital Transformation is using technology to **radically change your application landscape**

Don't focus on **dev language**, but rather focus on **the capabilities a language brings**

Importantly, think **broad**er than just the application, the data, ... but how it runs and scales

Digital Transformation is continuously evolving



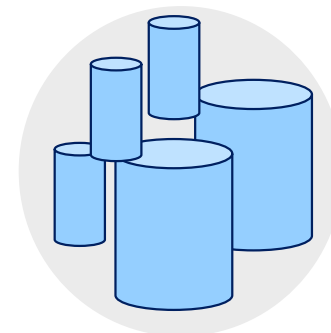
Physical
Datacenter



Mobility and SaaS



Virtualized
Datacenter



BIG Data Solutions



Virtualized
Datacenter
in public cloud



Artificial Intelligence

What is App Modernization?

IT SIMPLIFICATION

- Standardize on the platform and solutions
- Migrate away from legacy systems
- Integrate automation

AGILITY

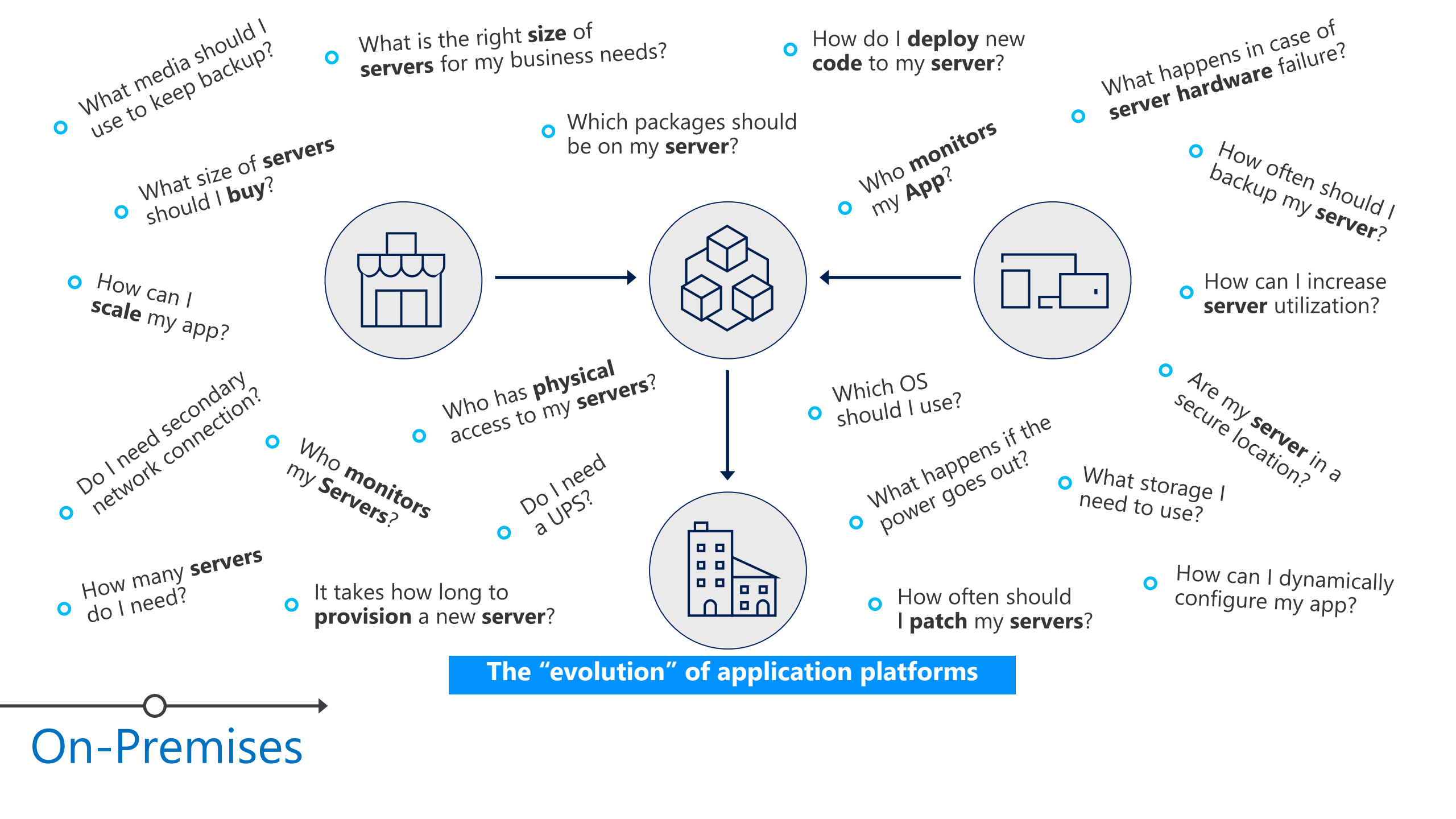
- Faster deployment to different environments
- Aligned deployment / Less mistakes
- DevOps practices using continuous delivery

GROWTH ENABLEMENT

- Focus on the business growth, not the technology
- Easily allow for business scale
- Provide business Insights and Analytics

REDUCING TCO

- Downsize on infrastructure running cost
- Minimize ongoing maintenance efforts
- Make applications portable

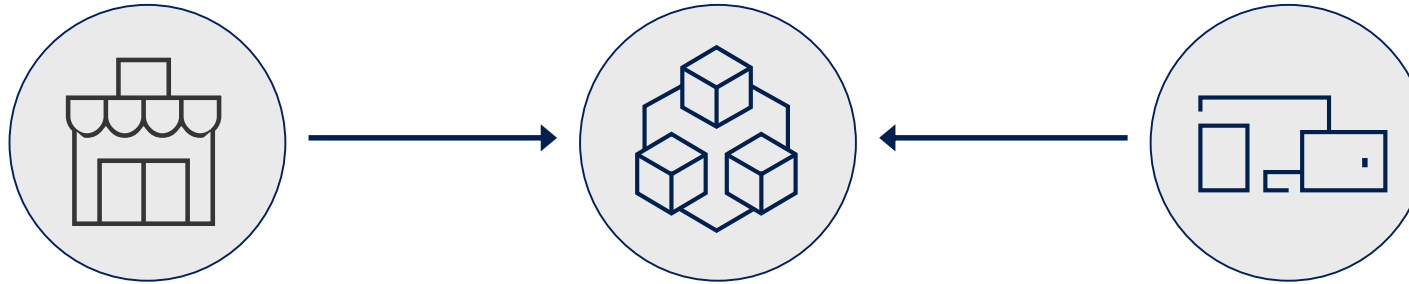


What is the right **size** of **servers** for my business needs?

How can I increase **server** utilization?

How many **servers** do I need?

How can I **scale** my app?



How often should I **patch** my **servers**?

How often should I backup my **server**?

Which packages should be on my **server**?

How do I **deploy** new **code** to my **server**?

Which OS should I use?

Who **monitors** my App?

The “evolution” of application platforms

On-Premises

IaaS

What is the right **size** of “**servers**” for my business needs?

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What are **containers**?



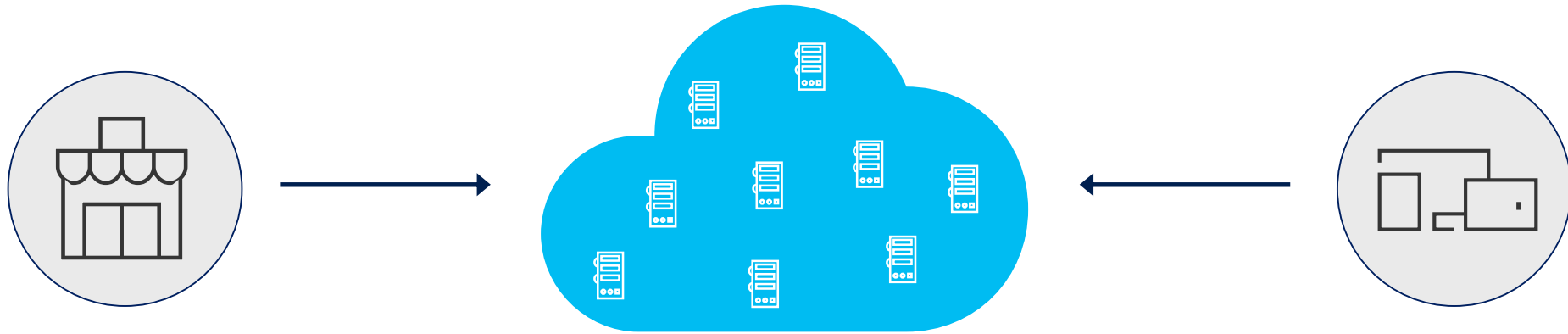
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On-Premises

IaaS

PaaS

How do I **(re)architect** my app?



Serverless, the platform for next gen apps

The “evolution” of application platforms

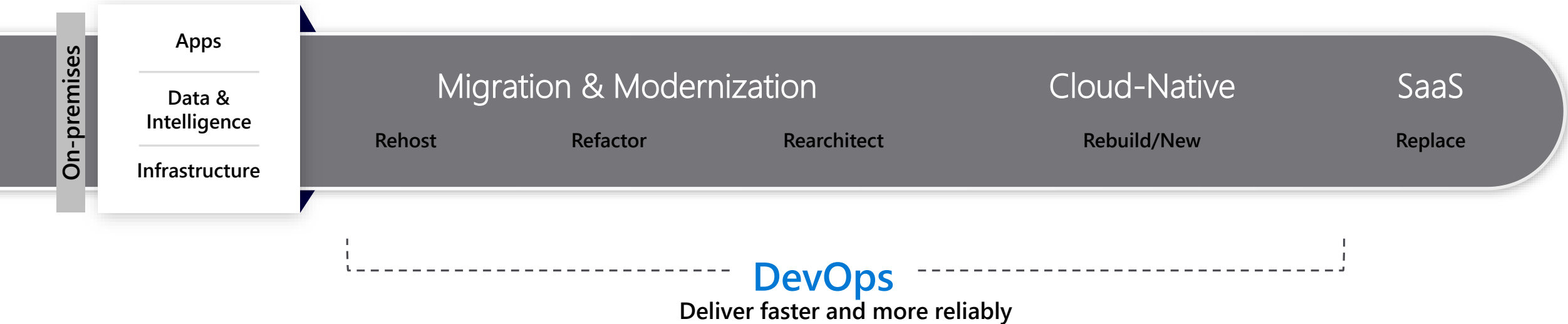
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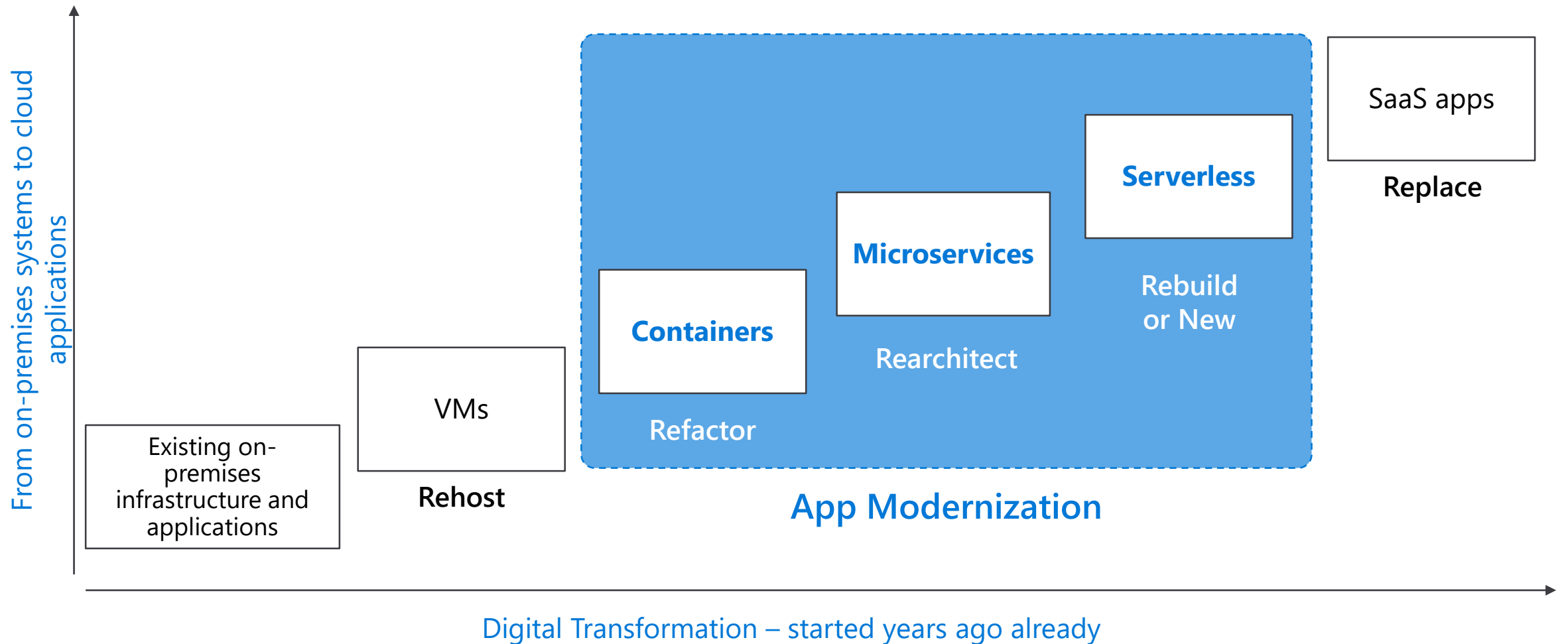
PaaS

Serverless

The **journey** to the cloud



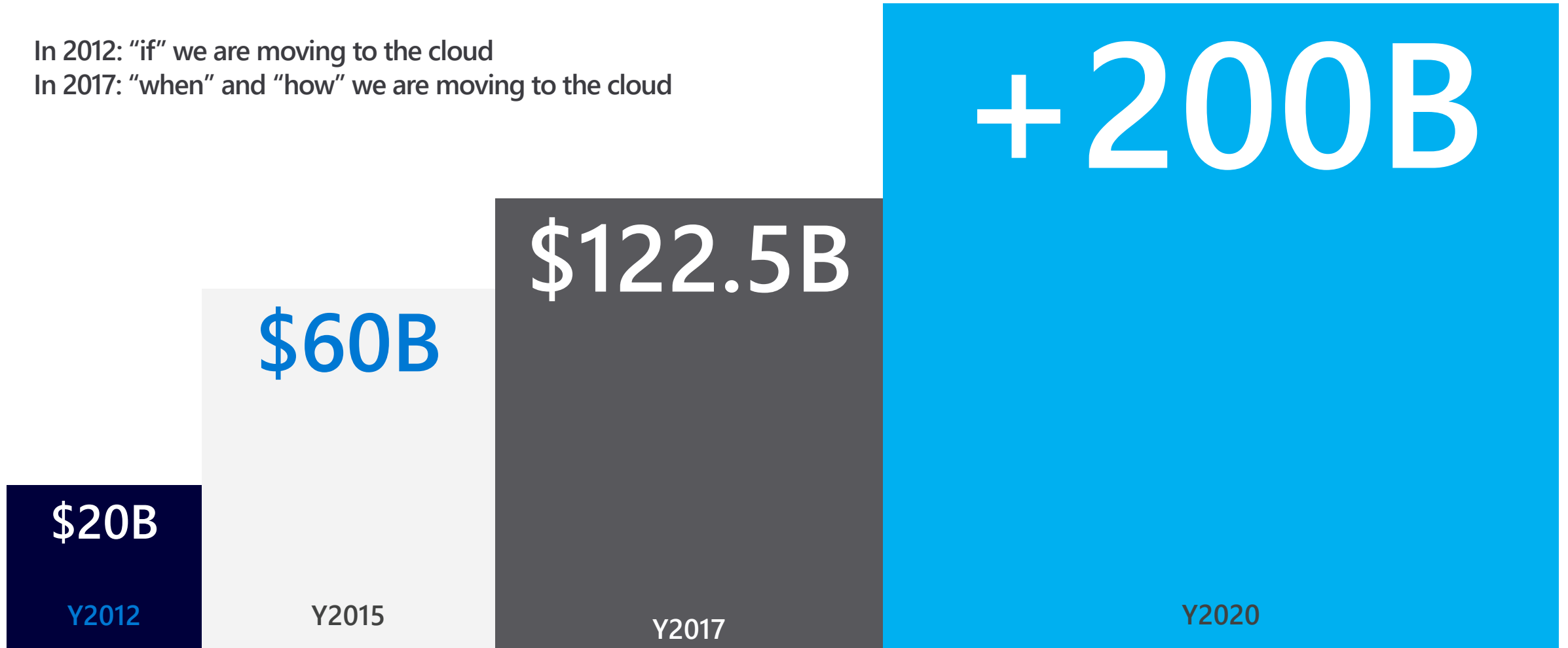
The **journey** to the cloud



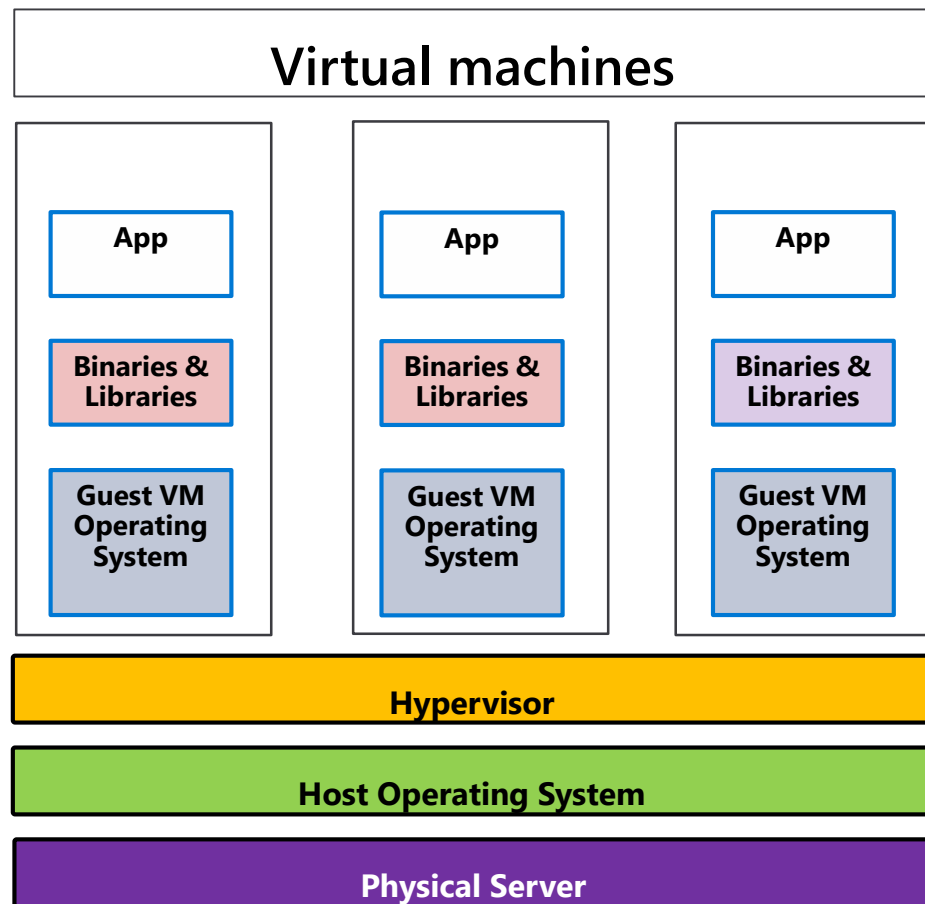
The Cloud has become mainstream

In 2012: "if" we are moving to the cloud

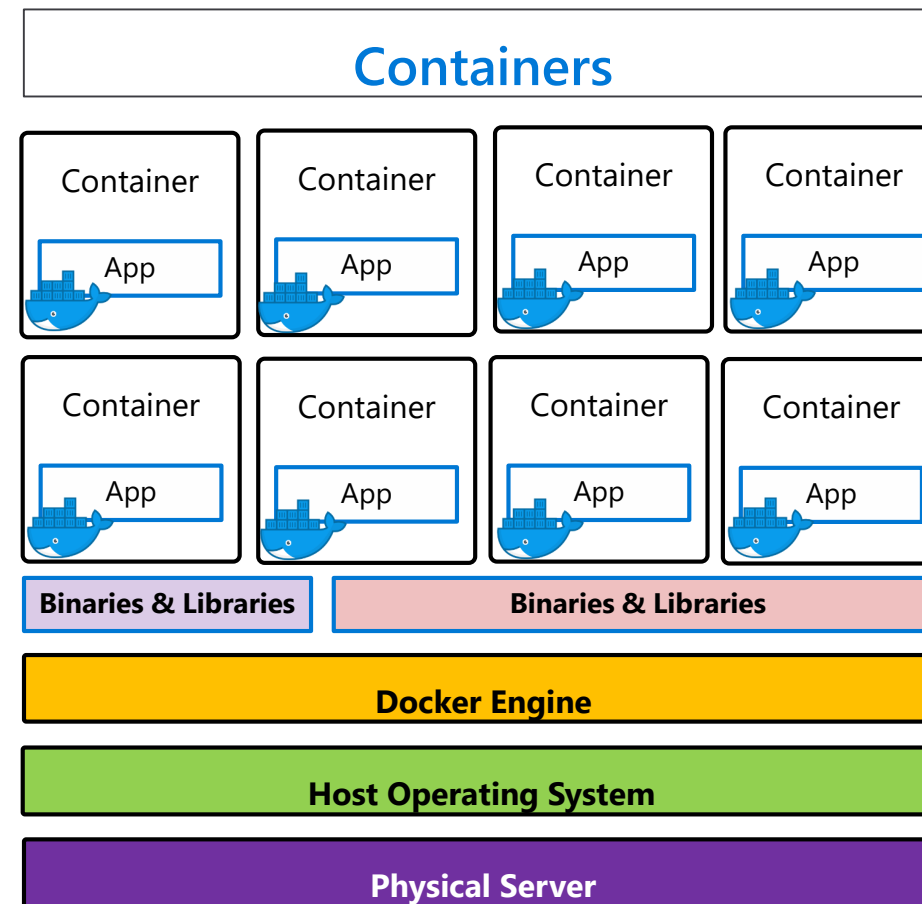
In 2017: "when" and "how" we are moving to the cloud



What are containers?

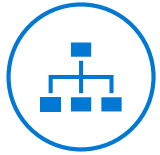


- Virtualize the **hardware**
- **VMs** as units of scaling
- Hypervisor **dependent**
- **Not** easily movable



- Virtualize the **operating system**
- **Applications** as units of scaling
- Platform **independent**
- **Easily** movable across environments (on-premises, multi-cloud)

What are Microservices?



From Monolithic to independent modules

Complex, larger, all-inclusive systems are rearchitected to simpler, smaller, single-purposed modules. Still resulting in a full-fledged application landscape



Each module runs a single functionality

These service modules are highly decoupled building blocks that are small enough to implement a single functionality but together can form larger systems



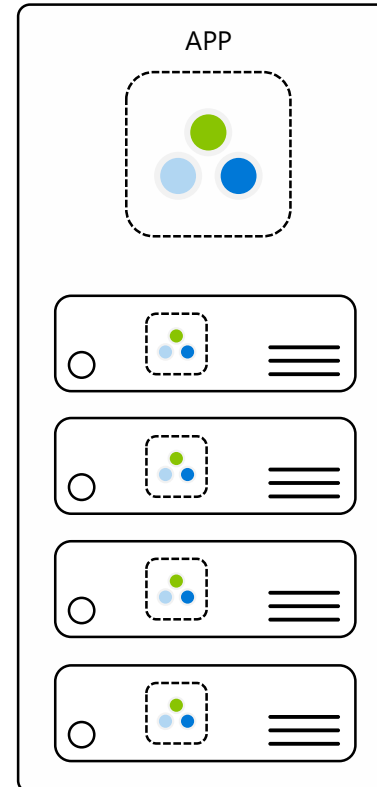
Independently versioned, deployed & scaled

With a microservices architecture, developers can create, manage and improve application services independently, even using different languages

Containers provide the consistent format and isolation desired by microservices.

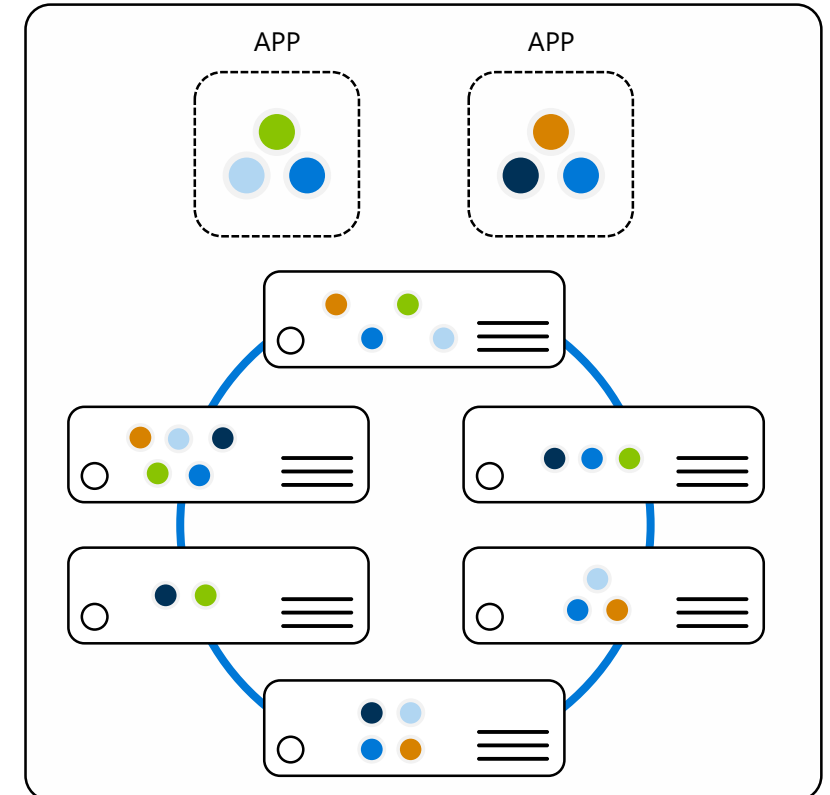
Monolithic

Large, all-inclusive app



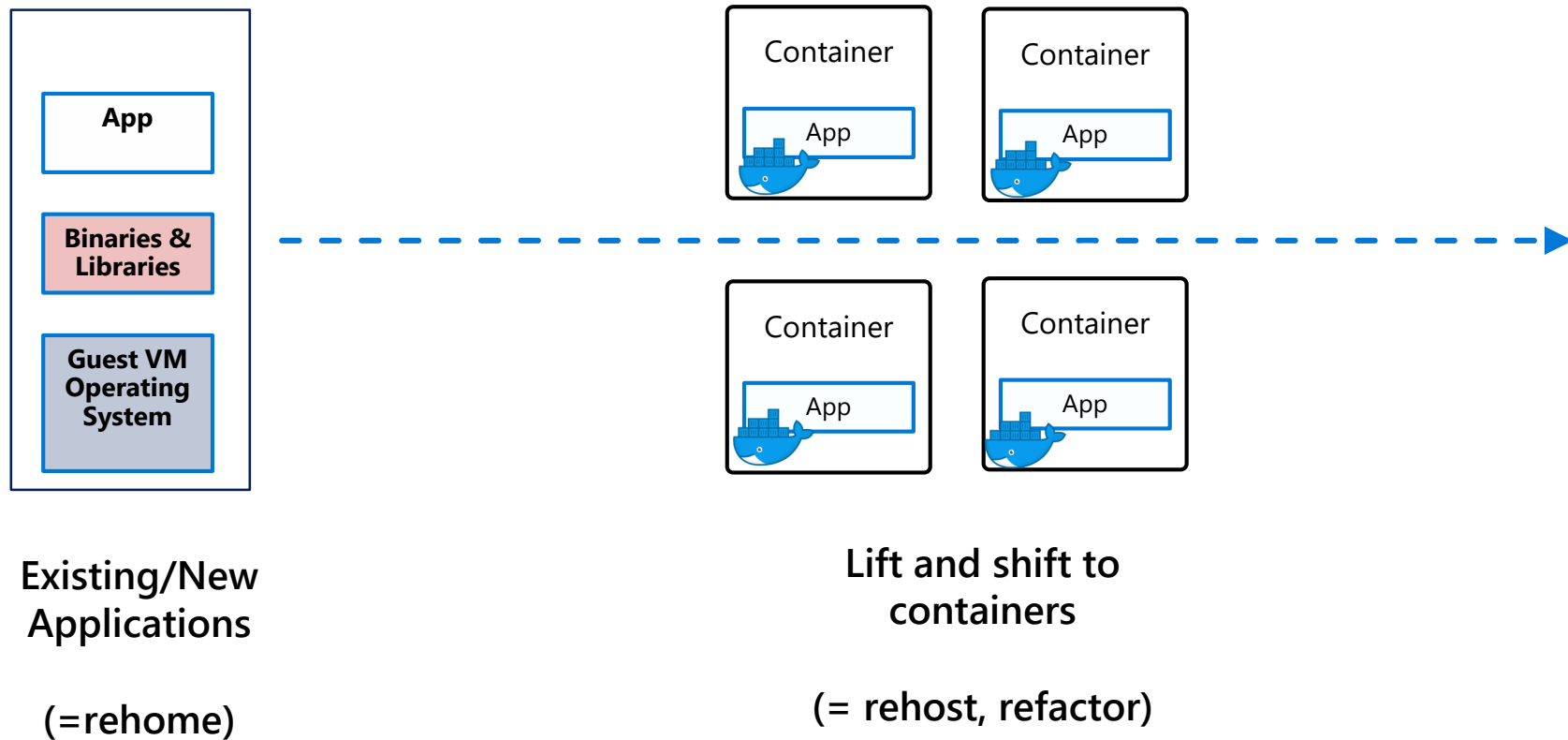
Microservices

Small, independent services



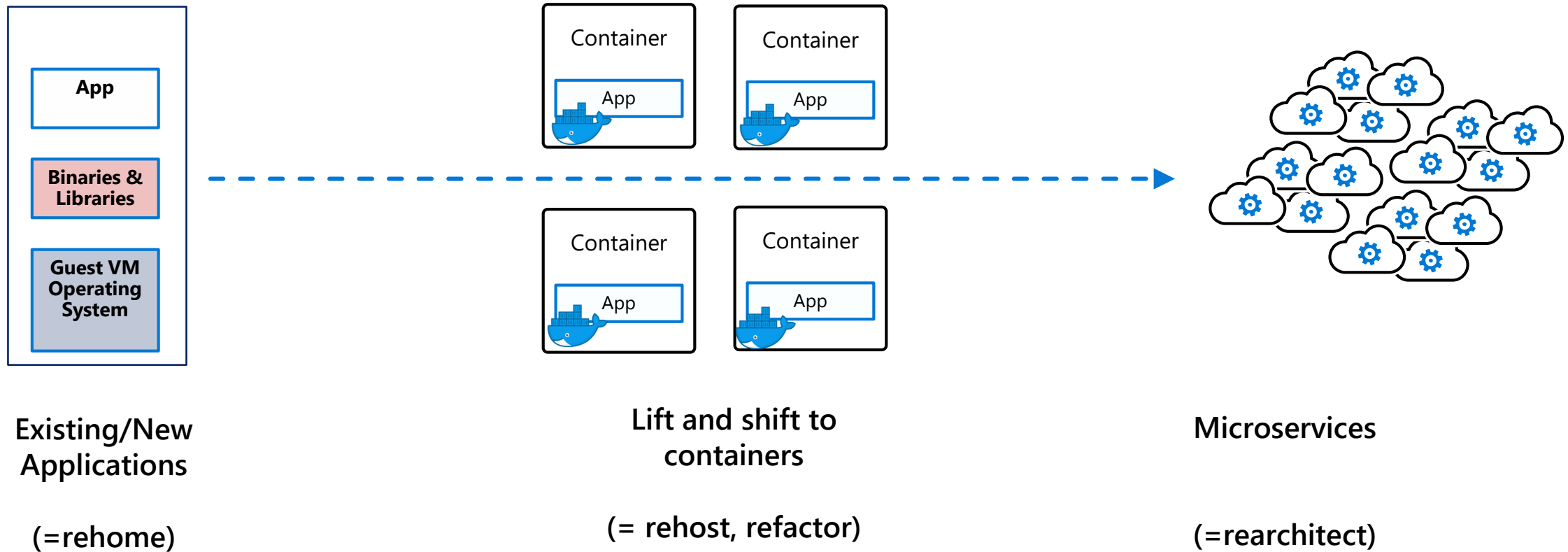
How do containers help in app modernization?

Containers are **stand-alone**, smaller **silos of app instances**, running **at scale**



How do containers help in app modernization?

Containers are **not the end-state**, but an in-between **path to Microservices**



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Running Containers on Azure: a full set of choices



App Service

Deploy web apps or APIs using **containers** in a PaaS environment



Service Fabric

Modernize **.NET applications** to microservices using **Windows Server containers**



Kubernetes Service

Scale and orchestrate **Linux containers** using **Kubernetes**



Container Instance

Elastically burst from your **Azure Kubernetes Service** (AKS) cluster



Partner Ecosystem

Bring your **Partner solutions** that run great on Azure



Azure Container Registry



Docker Hub

----- Choice of developer tools and clients -----

Containers on Azure: covered in this workshop



App Service

Running Docker Containers as Azure Web Apps



Kubernetes Service

Azure Container Services (ACS) with Kubernetes + Azure Kubernetes Service



Container Instance

Running Stand-Alone Docker Containers as a Container Instance



Docker CE

Docker Community Edition on Windows Server 2016/2019



Azure Container Registry

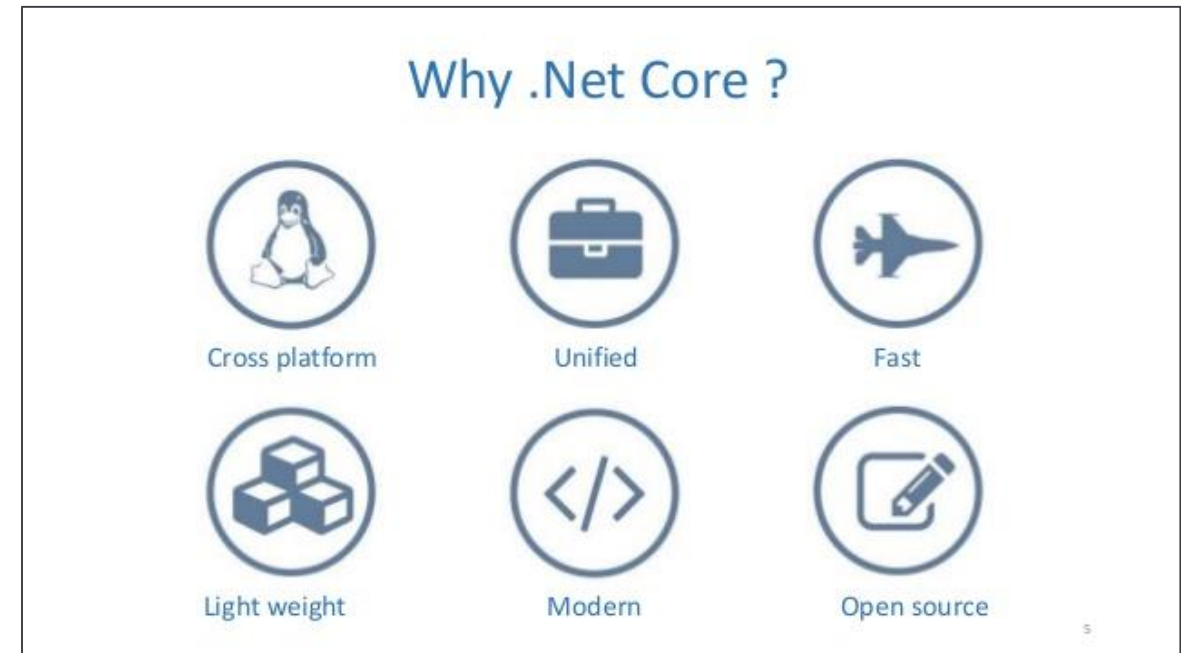
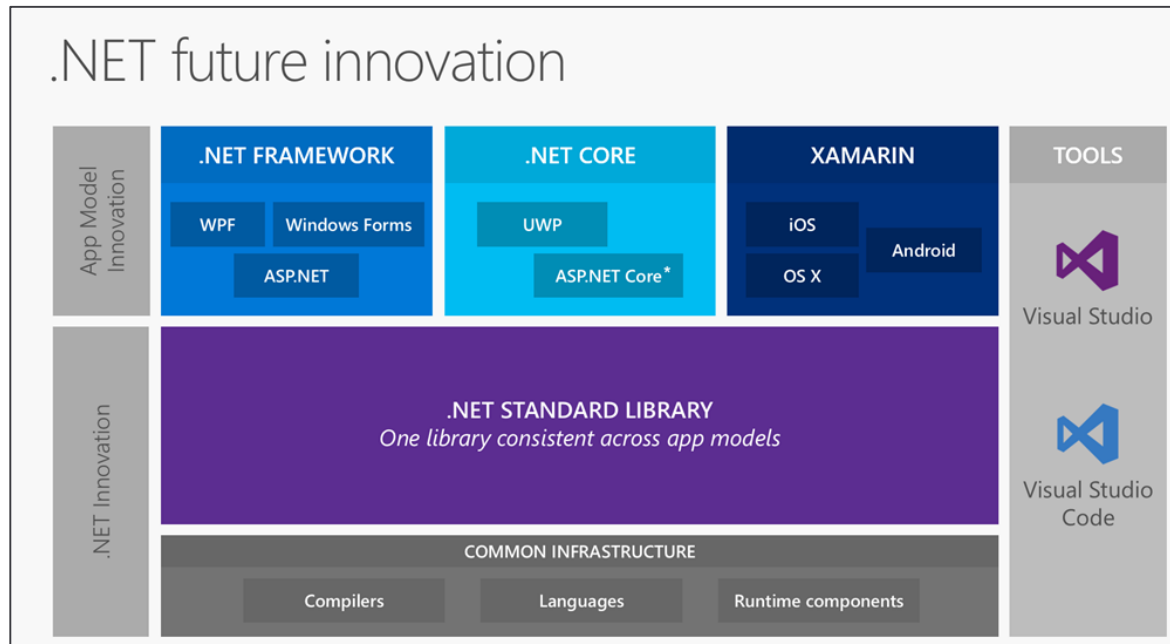


Docker Hub

----- Choice of developer tools and clients -----

Isn't a dotnet app the « easy » example?

- .NET is used for 60% of all global Enterprise Web applications
- Containers are not development language specific
- Remember, digital transformation is focusing on the evolution, not the technology or language behind it
- Examples we use in this workshop are just examples



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Microservices & Docker

Microservices are small, modular, and independently deployable services. Docker containers (for Linux and Windows) simplify deployment and testing by bundling a service and its dependencies into a single unit, which is then run in an isolated environment.

- Architecture e-book: [PDF](#) | [Web](#) | [MOBI](#) | [EPUB](#)
- DevOps e-book: [PDF](#) | [Web](#) | [MOBI](#) | [EPUB](#)
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- [Sample app](#)
- [Patterns](#)



Modernizing .NET apps

Lift and shift your existing .NET applications by optimizing your deployments with Windows Containers and by improving your DevOps operations for your dev/test/production environments, ultimately making your application cloud DevOps-ready.

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- [ASP.NET sample apps](#)
- [Migrate to cloud](#)
- [Video](#)



Azure cloud apps

Production ready cloud applications need to be built for scalability, monitoring, management, security, resiliency, and more. The patterns covered in this guidance include example implementations for Microsoft Azure.

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ASP.NET web apps

ASP.NET Core allows you to build high-performance, cross-platform web applications. Patterns like MVC and built-in support for Dependency Injection allow you to build applications that are easier to test and maintain.

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- [Sample app](#)



Xamarin mobile apps

Xamarin allows you to build native Android, iOS, and Windows applications using .NET. Common patterns, such as MVVM, combined with good application layering, will maximize code sharing and result in an application that is easier to understand, test and maintain.

- Architecture e-book: [PDF](#) | [Web](#)
- [Sample app](#)
- [Patterns](#)



UWP desktop apps

Windows gives you the tools and capabilities to build modern experiences that empower your customers to do more. The Universal Windows Platform (UWP) lets you create a single app package that can run on a wide range of devices, and the Windows Store provides a unified distribution channel you can use to safely reach customers worldwide.

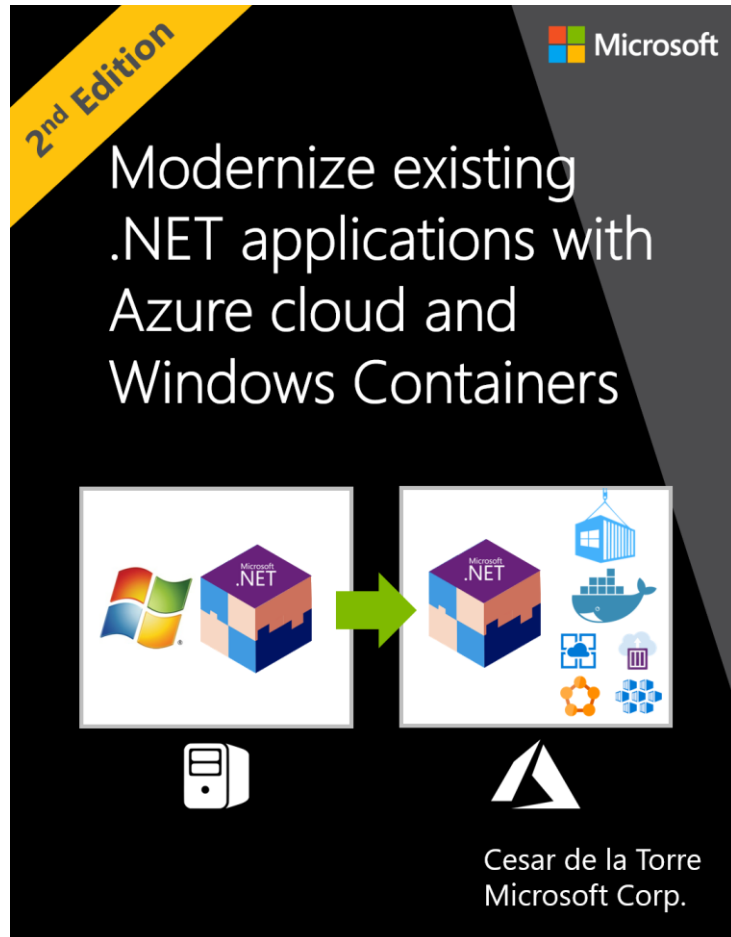
- [Sample app](#)

<https://www.microsoft.com/net/learn/dotnet/architecture-guides>

- Microservices
- Docker
- Windows Containers
- Azure Containers

Guide/eBook and sample apps on Modernize with Windows Containers

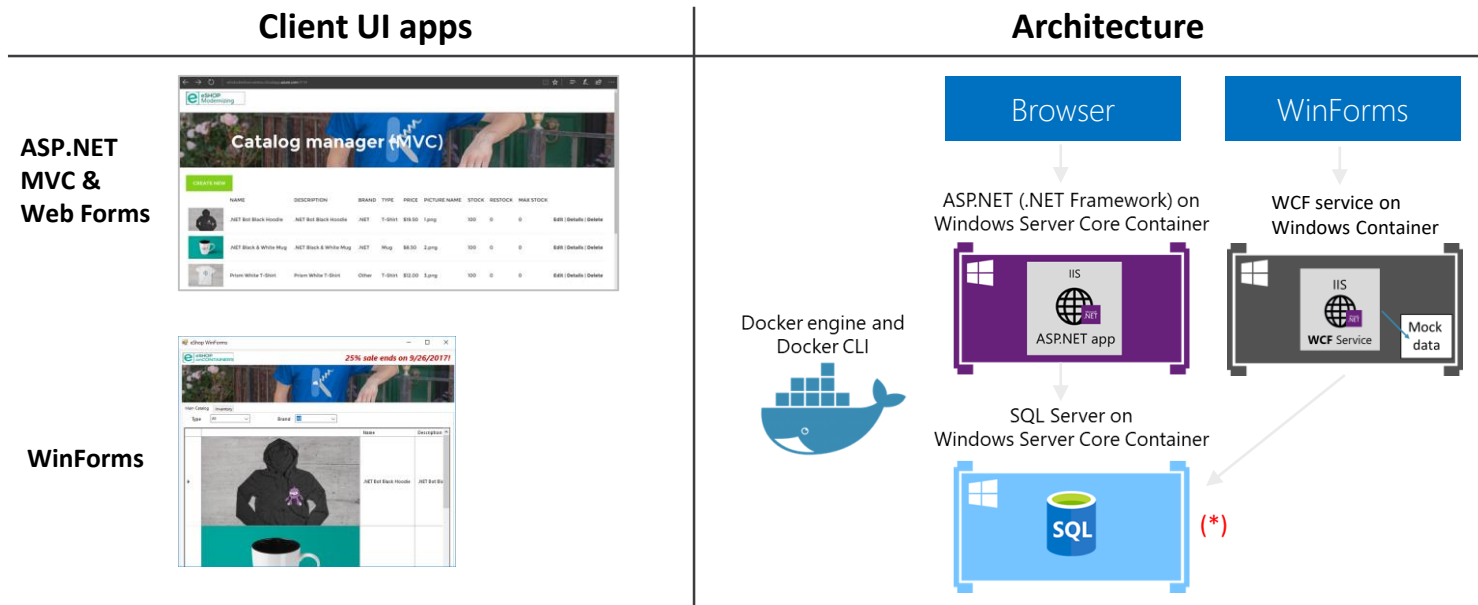
eBook/Guide



<https://aka.ms/liftandshiftwithcontainersebook>

Sample Apps for modernization

- Intended for .NET developers and solution architects
- Prescriptive guidance on how to modernize your existing .NET apps and migrate to the Azure cloud
- Accompanied with journeys of modernizing existing ASP.NET web apps (**WebForms**, **MVC**) and N-Tier apps (**WCF** + **WinForms**) on eShopModernizing repository.



<https://github.com/dotnet-architecture/eShopModernizing>

Maturity model for .Net applications

Existing apps

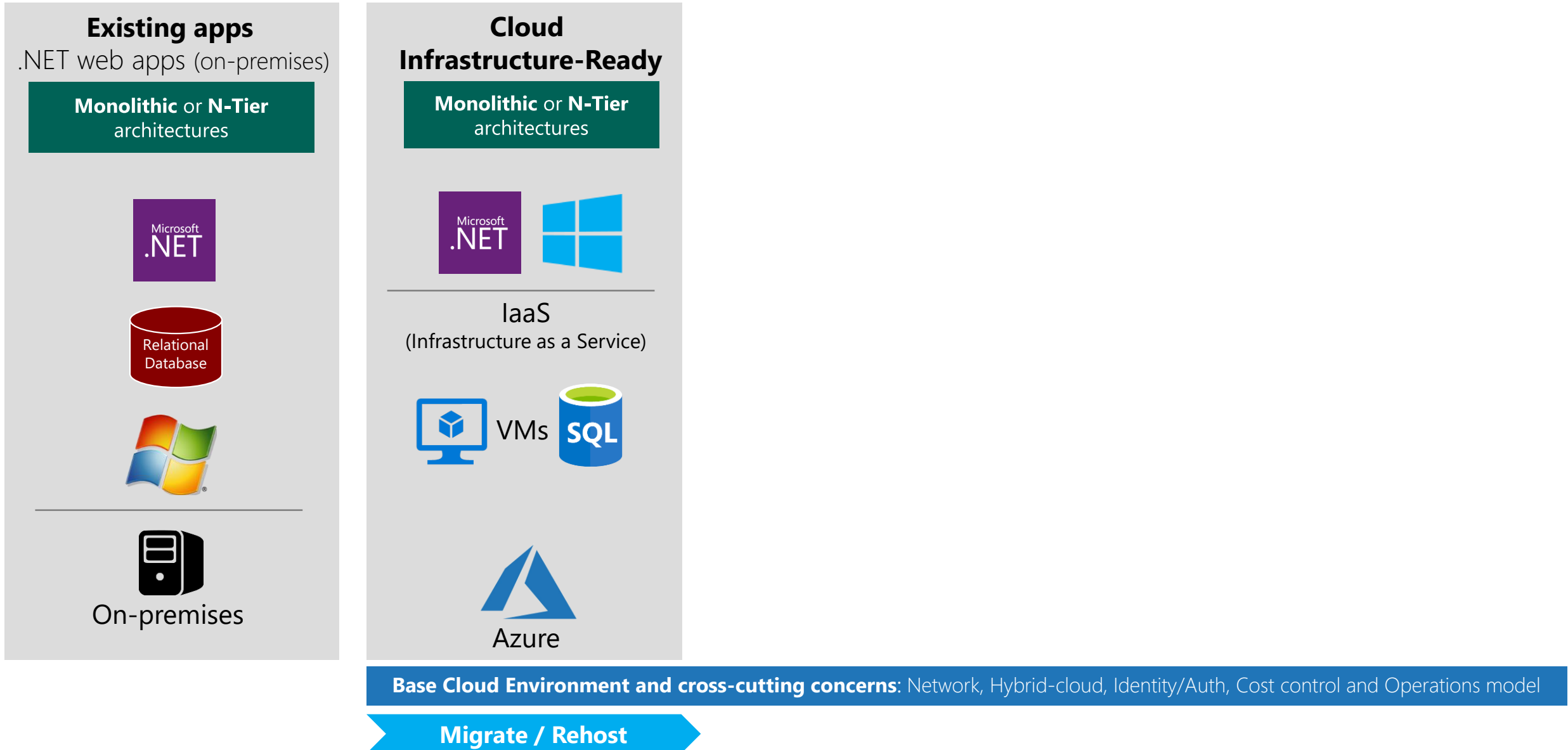
.NET web apps (on-premises)

Monolithic or N-Tier
architectures

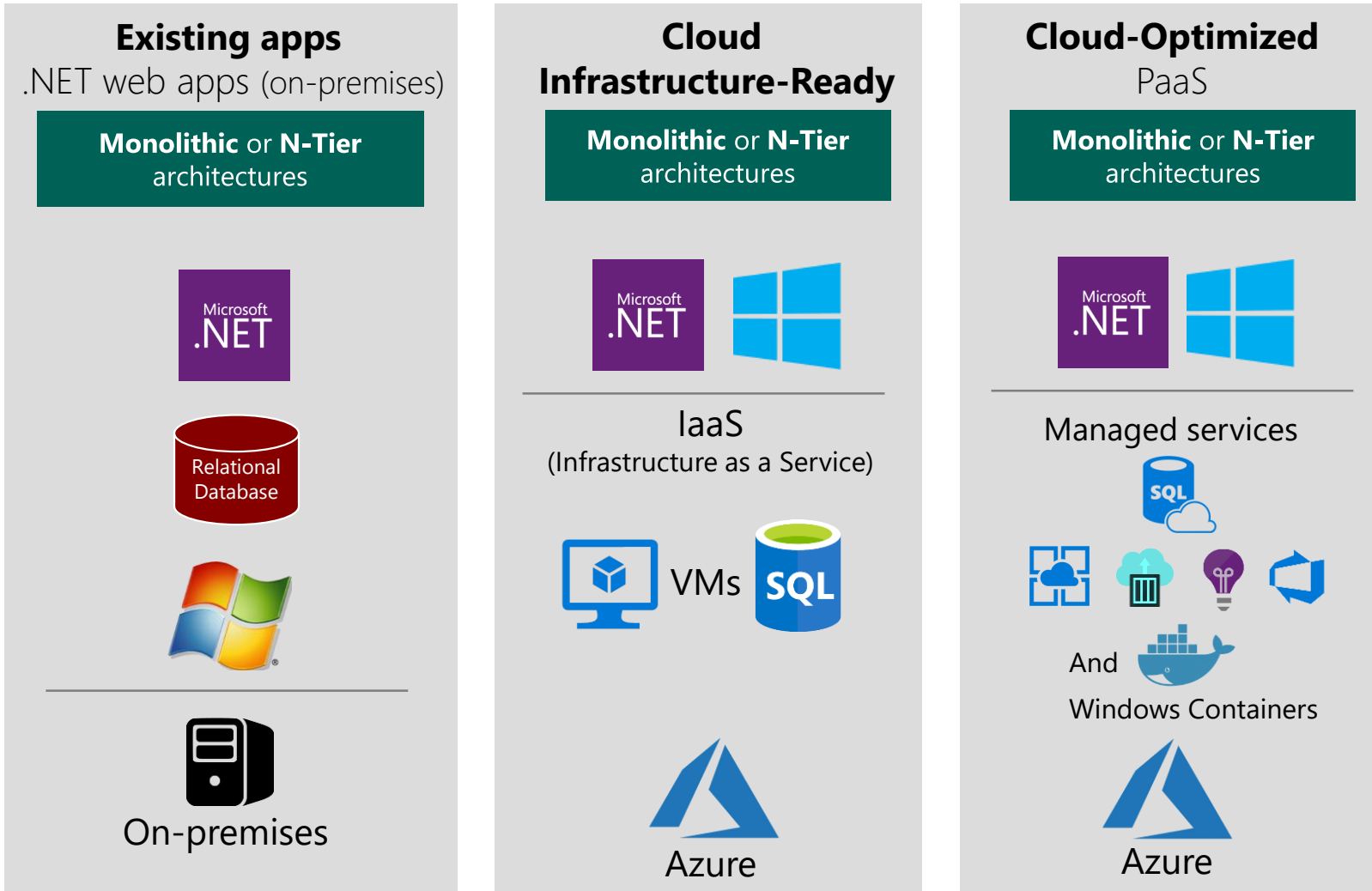


On-premises

Maturity model for .Net applications



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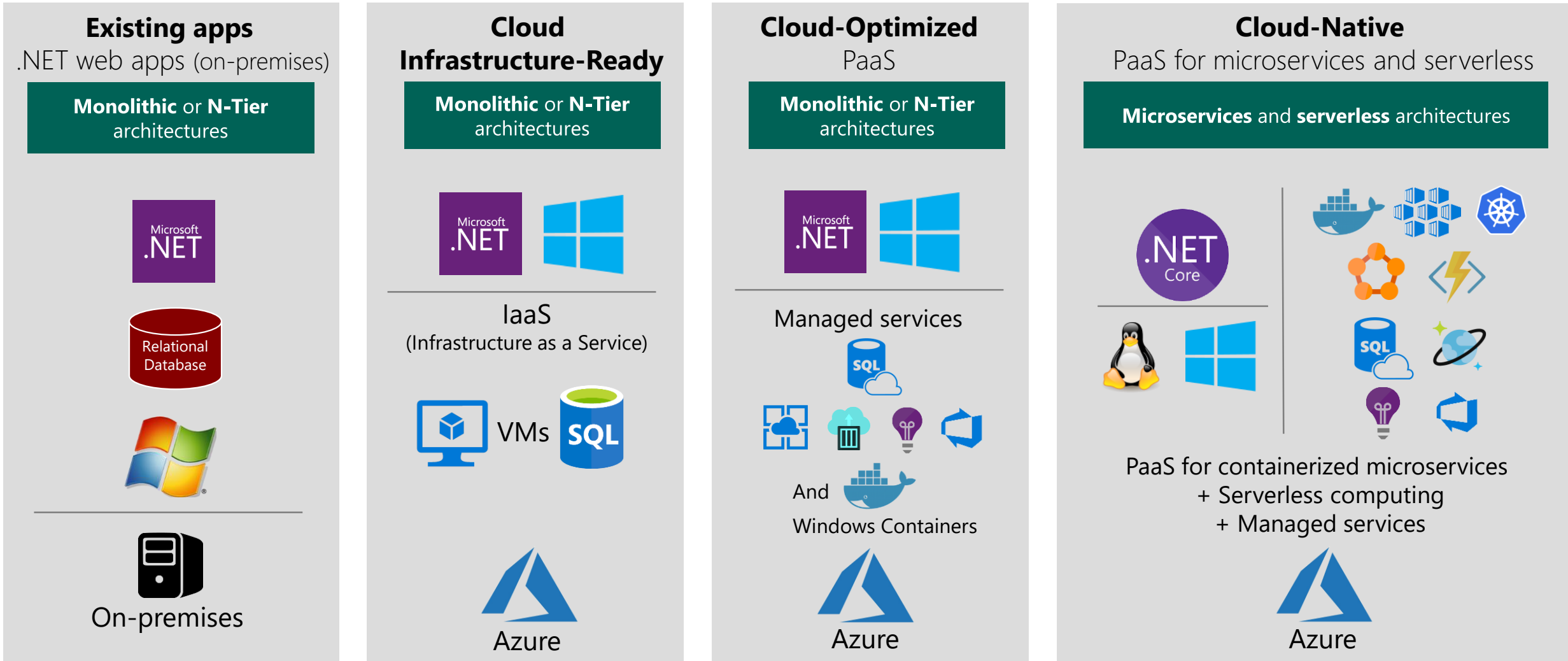
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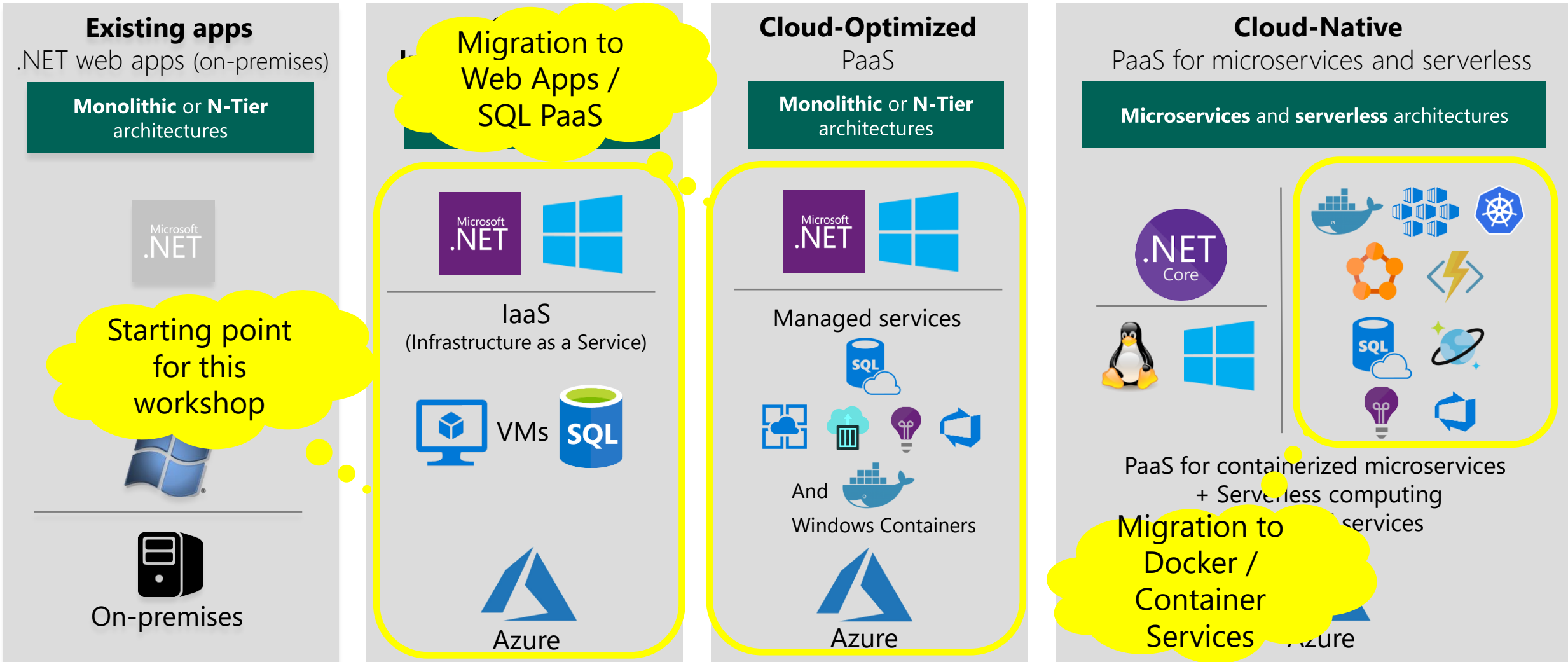
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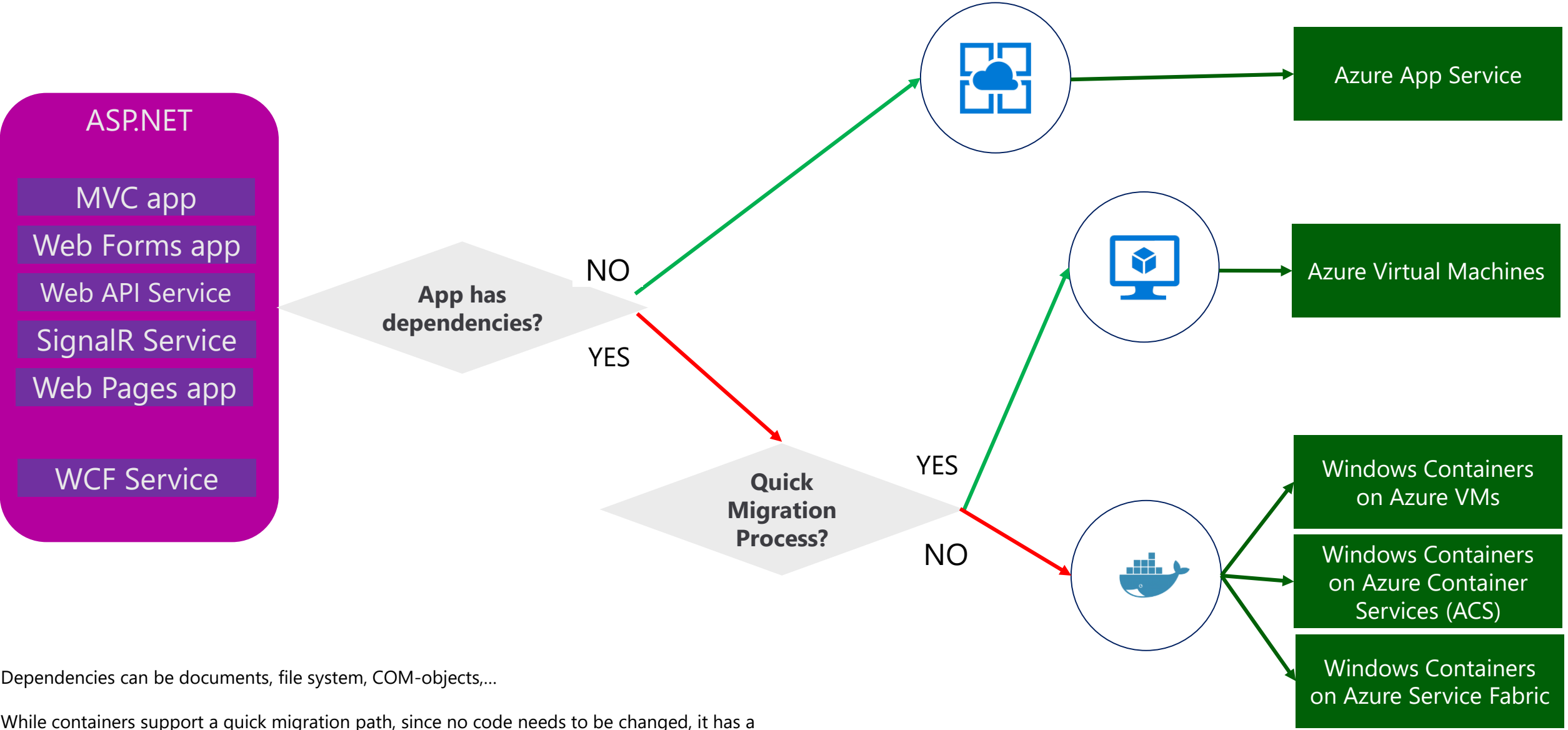
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Azure Compute Decision Tree for .Net Framework app migration



Dependencies can be documents, file system, COM-objects,...

While containers support a quick migration path, since no code needs to be changed, it has a more complex learning curve than migration to Azure VMs

Section Take-Aways

1. Containers are a strategic way to modernize your existing .Net Framework applications
2. Azure provides different choices that enable app modernization
3. Azure natively provides several container services and orchestrators

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Azure

Next Module...

Running Azure Infrastructure and performing VM
Lift & Shift migrations





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