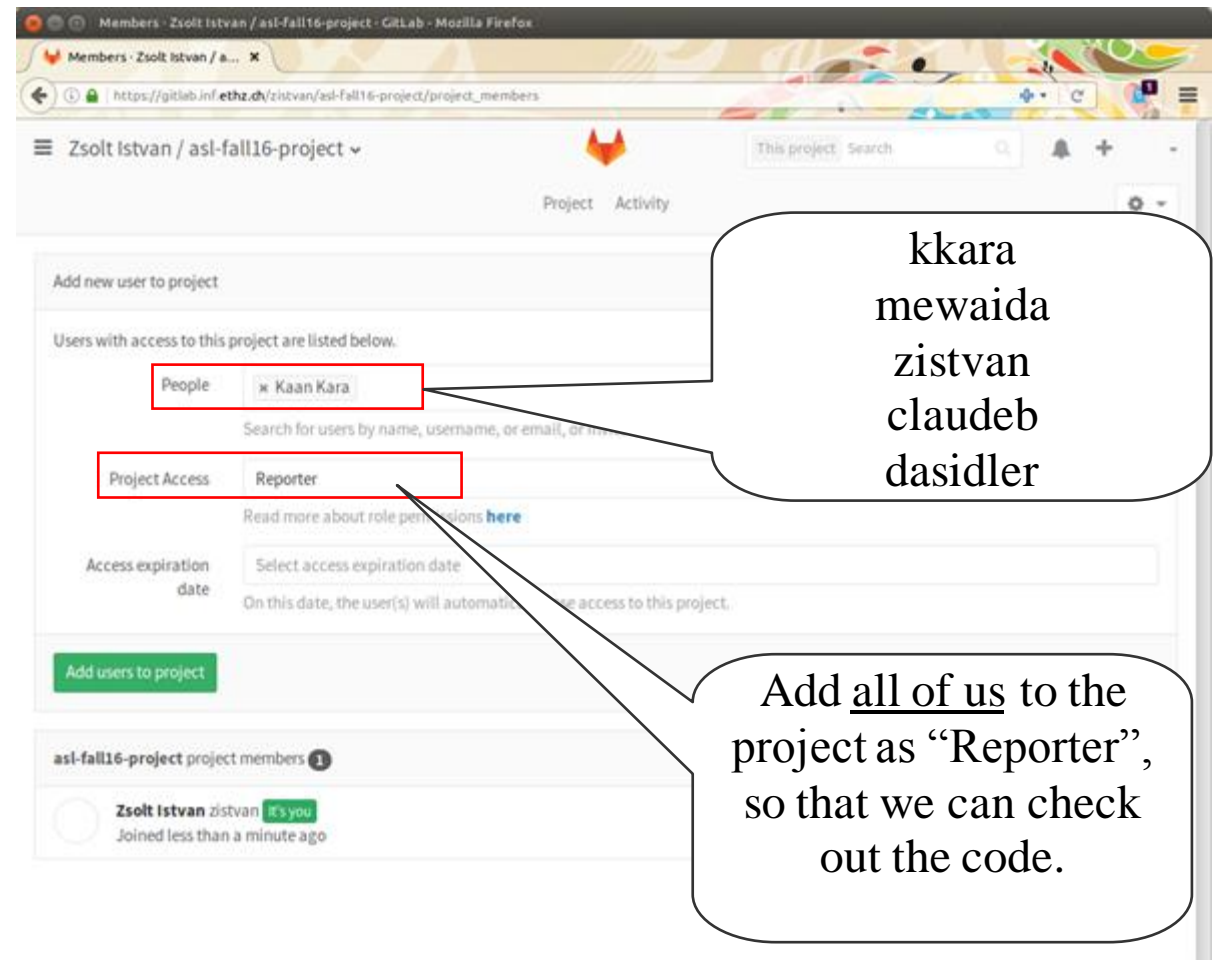
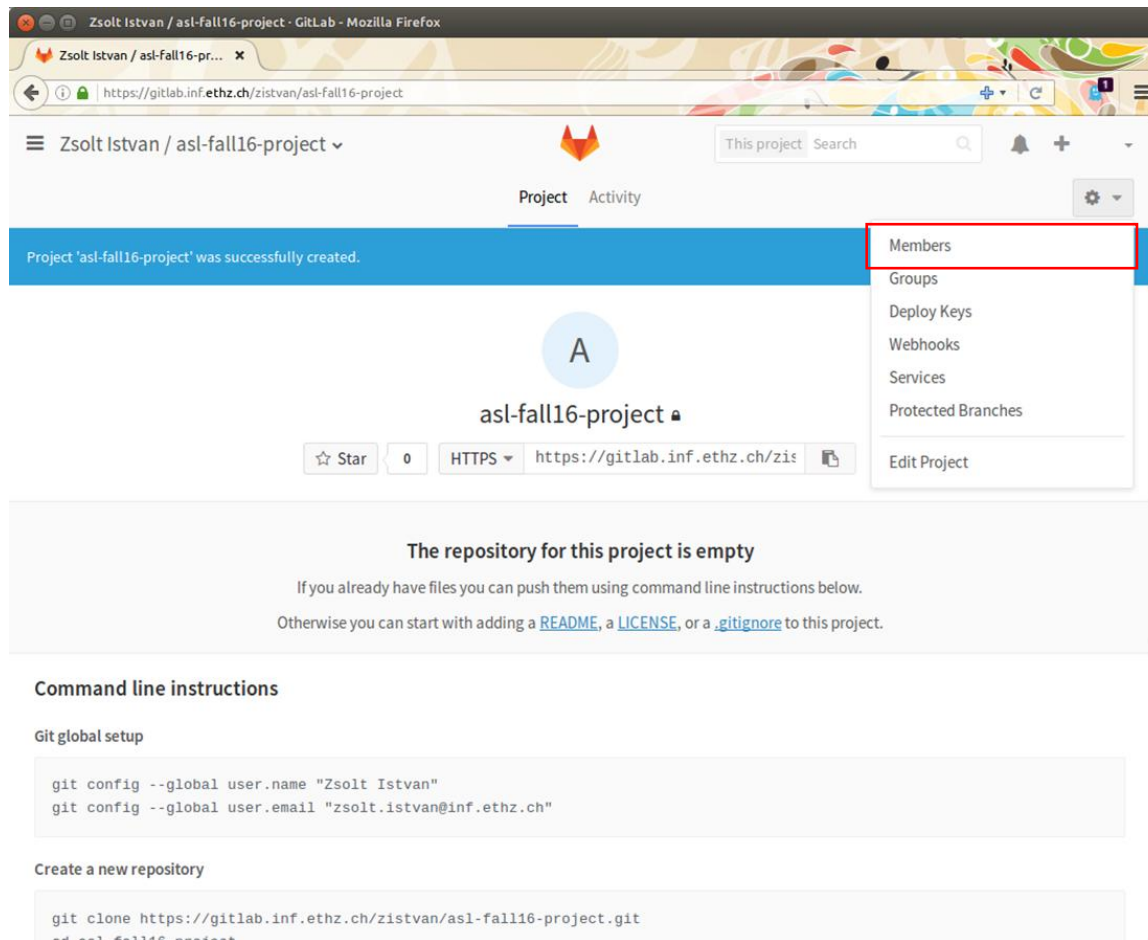


# What you should have done so far...

- Check if you have a gitlab repository (gitlab.inf.ethz.ch) -- if not, email your TA!
- Give us TAs access to it:

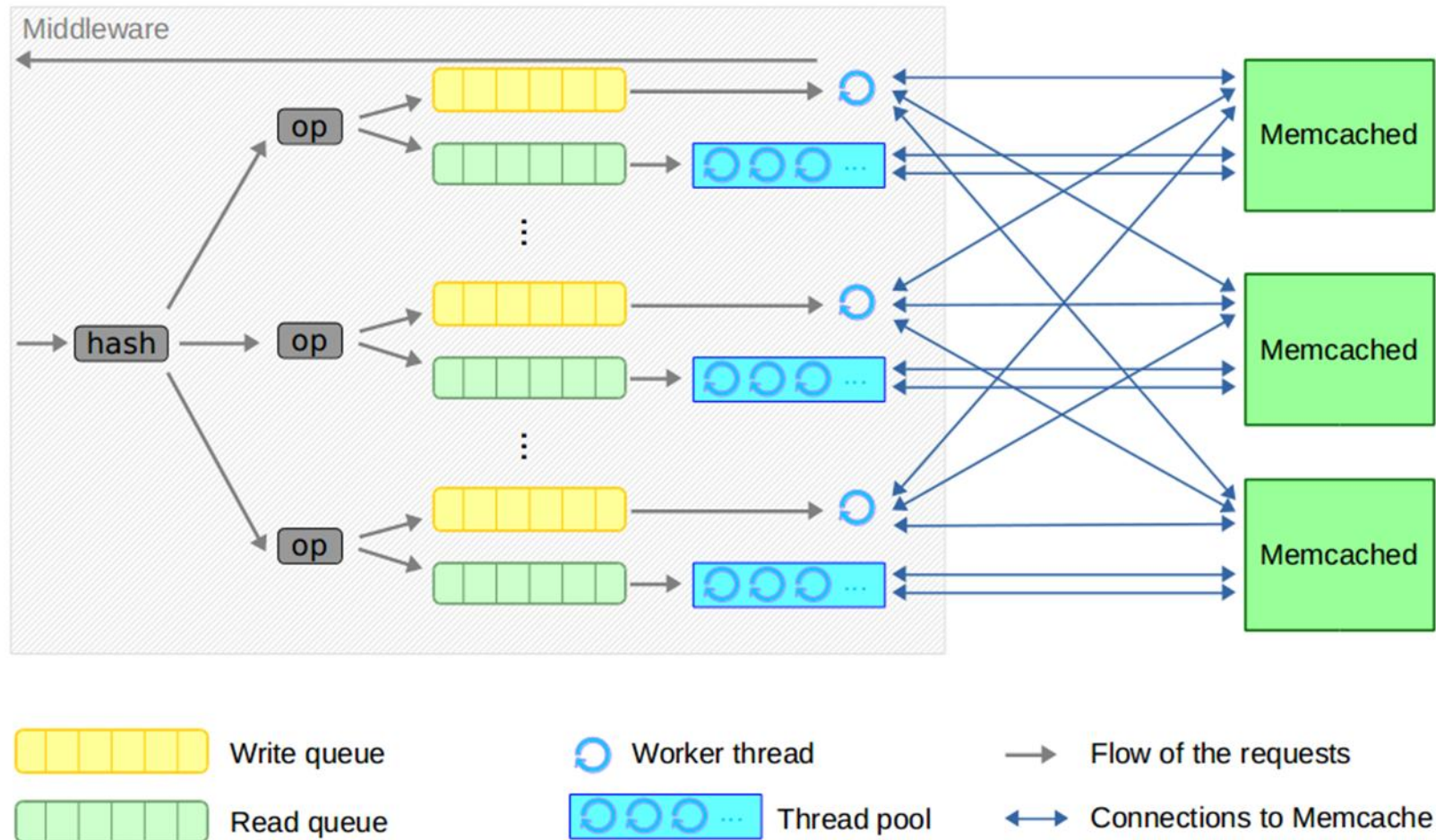


# What you should have done so far...

- Have a Microsoft account: One that you can log in to Azure.
- Send us that email address and your nethz ID.
- You will get an Azure voucher from your TA.

# What you should have done so far...

- Understand what you need to implement for the first milestone.



# FAQ

- Are we allowed to use memcached client libraries in our middleware?
  - No external memcached client libraries allowed in your middleware.
- Do we need to implement the binary protocol?
  - Do not implement the binary protocol. Just look at the ASCII specification.
- Do we need to implement the multi-get?
  - Do not implement multi-get. All operations use only a single key.
- The keys generated by memaslap has some non ASCII characters.  
Why?
  - The key generated by memaslap might have some characters that are not in ASCII. That is fine. Just forward what you get to the servers.

# Remarks

- The latex template for the first milestone has changed. Please download the recent version from the webpage:  
<http://systems.ethz.ch/courses/fall2016/asl>
- For memaslap use the command below **as default way** of starting experiments. If you want to change parameters make sure you explain it in the report.

```
$ ./clients/memaslap -s ip_of_server_vm:11212 -T 64 -c 64 -o1 -S 1s -t <runtime> -F <path/to/configfile>
```

- We provided on the website a set of workload files. Start by default with the **small workload (16B key, 128B value, 1% writes)**

# What you should do this week...

- Set up your development environment:
  - Recommended IDE: Eclipse. Use it during development to debug.
  - End build: Ant. We will provide a script and a wrapper class.

```
./YourProjectRoot  
| ./src/ch/ethz/asltest/RunMW.java (here additional .java files you wrote)  
| ./build.xml
```

The diagram shows two blue arrows originating from the text. One arrow points from `./build.xml` to the text "Ant script". The other arrow points from `./src/ch/ethz/asltest/RunMW.java` to the text "Wrapper class".

Ant script      Wrapper class

To build:

1. Install ant: `$ sudo apt-get install ant`
2. `$ cd /path/to/YourProjectRoot/`
3. Open build.xml. Replace YOURETHZID with your ethz ID. Save.
4. `$ ant`

To run:

```
$ java -jar ./dist/middleware- $\{nethzid\}$ .jar [options]
```

# What you should do this week...

- Take a look at the wrapper RunMW.java
- Options:
  1. -l <MyIP>: External IP of the middleware VM.
  2. -p <MyListenPort>: Port that the middleware listens to.
  3. -t <NumberOfThreadsInPools>
  4. -r <WriteToThisManyServers>: Replication strategy (1: No replication)
  5. -m <MemcachedIP:Port> <MemcachedIP2:Port2> ...
- You have to use this wrapper!
- And, start with development if you haven't already done so.

# Azure Tutorial

- Accepting the voucher and logging in
- Use the template script provided to create VMs
- SSH into a server VM and install memcached
- SSH into a client VM and install memaslap
- Run a baseline experiment

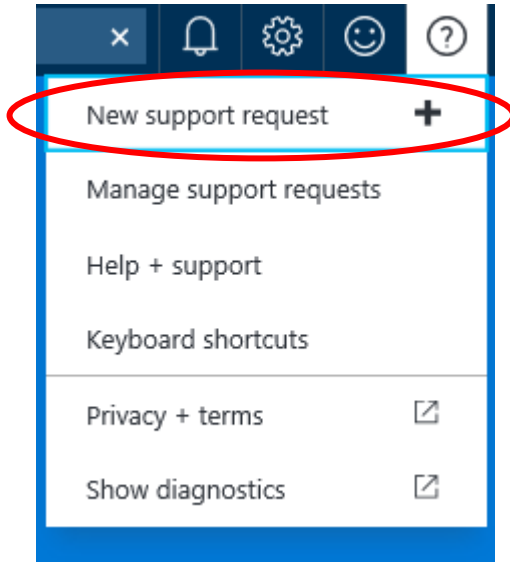


# Validate the voucher and log in to portal

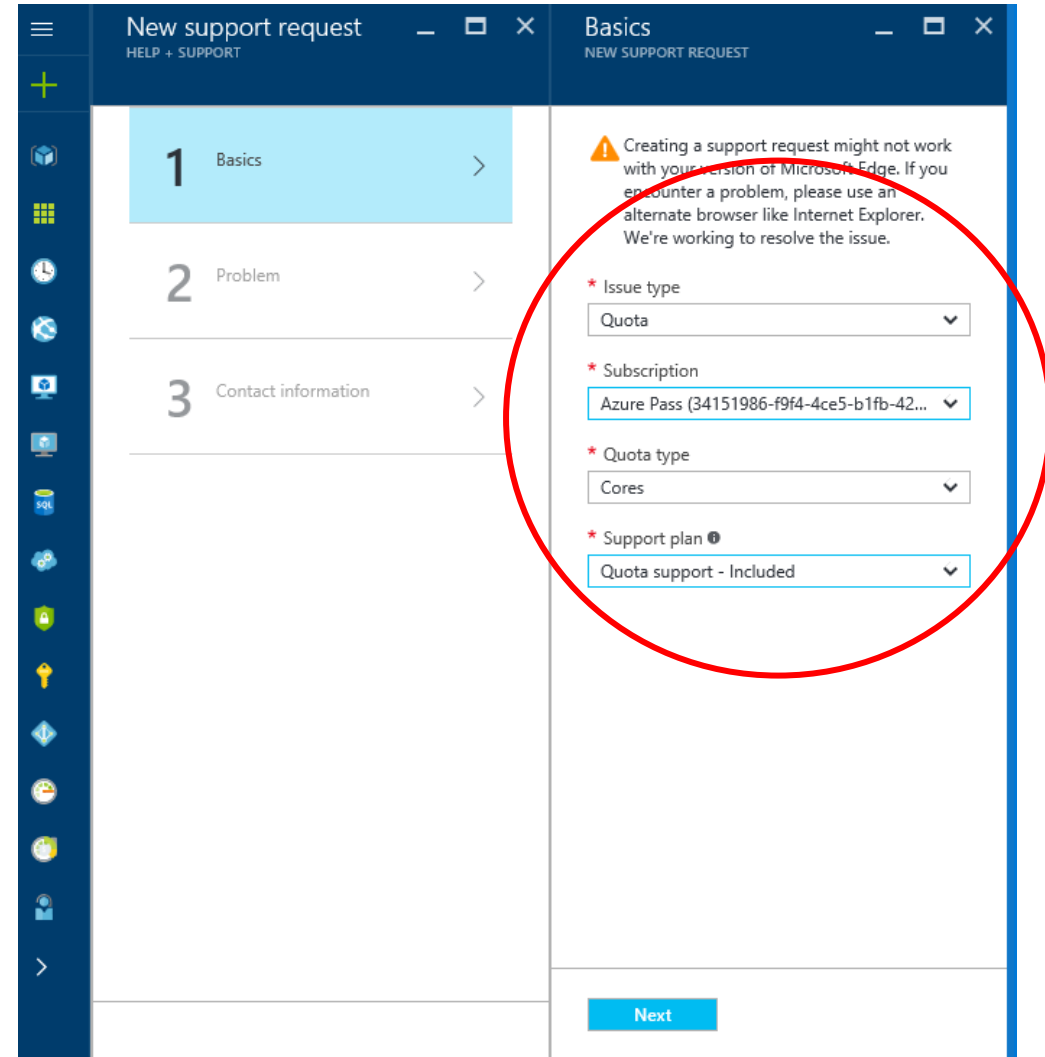
- Go to: <https://www.microsoftazurepass.com/>
- Select country: Switzerland
- Put the voucher code and click submit
- Log in to portal.azure.com
- Under subscriptions you should see your Azure Pass
- Check usage to see how much money you have left
- 85 Euros/month should be more than enough, if you just create the VMs we provide in the template

# Submit a request to raise core quota

1.

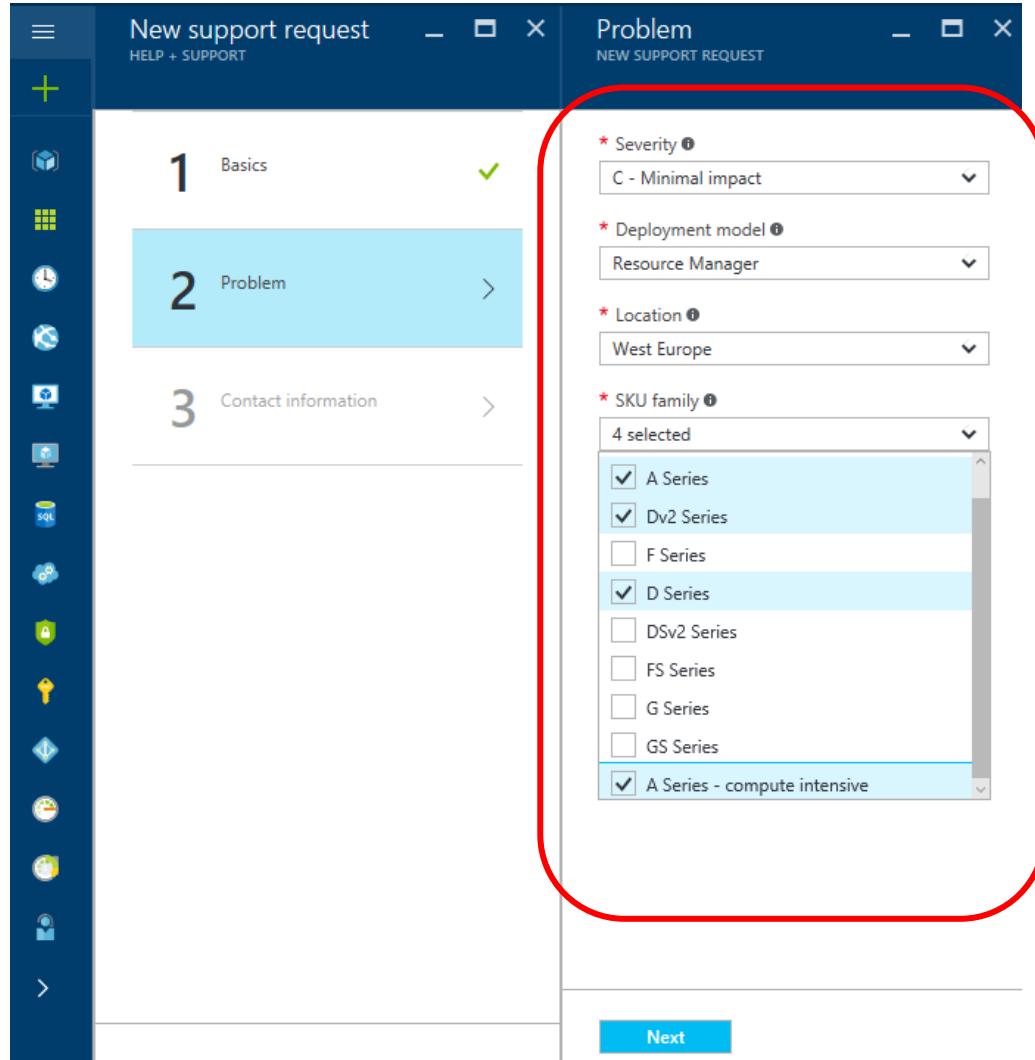


2.



# Submit a request to raise core quota

3.



New support request  
HELP + SUPPORT

Problem  
NEW SUPPORT REQUEST

1 Basics ✓

2 Problem >

3 Contact information >

\* Severity ⓘ  
C - Minimal impact

\* Deployment model ⓘ  
Resource Manager

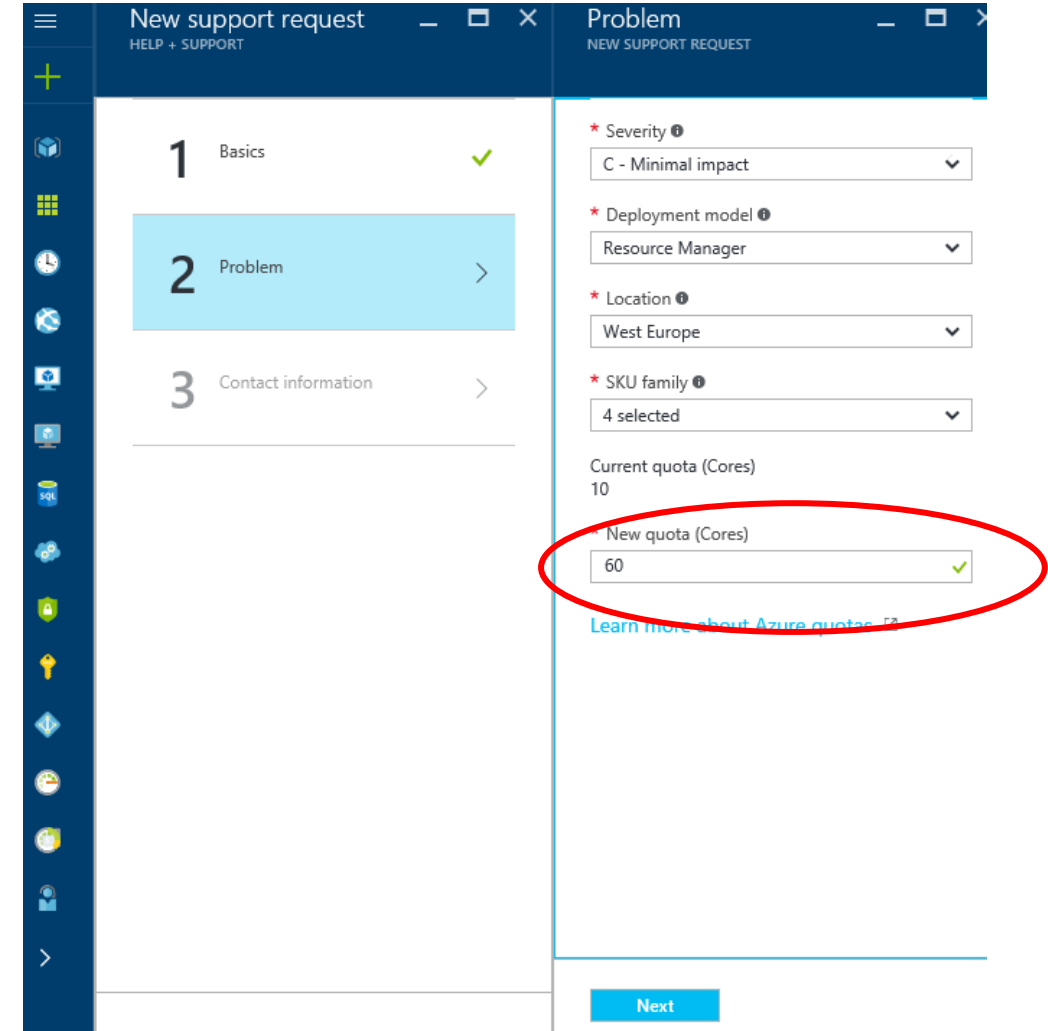
\* Location ⓘ  
West Europe

\* SKU family ⓘ  
4 selected

- ☒ A Series
- ☒ Dv2 Series
- ☐ F Series
- ☒ D Series
- ☐ DSv2 Series
- ☐ FS Series
- ☐ G Series
- ☐ GS Series
- ☒ A Series - compute intensive

Next

4.



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4 selected

Current quota (Cores)  
10

New quota (Cores)  
60 ✓

[Learn more about Azure quotas](#)

Next

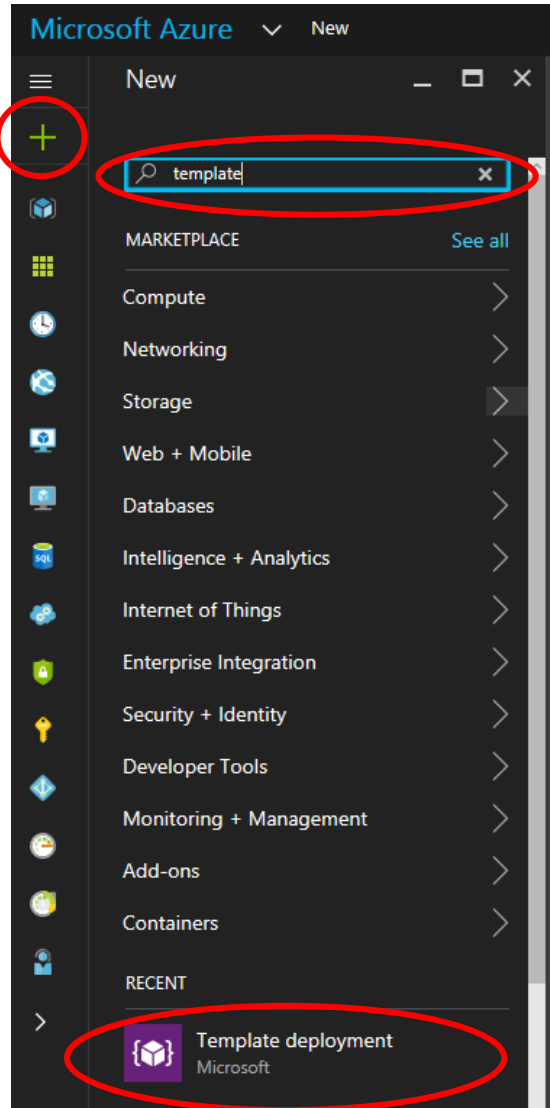
5. Then, fill in the contact info and create the request.

# Use the template to create VMs

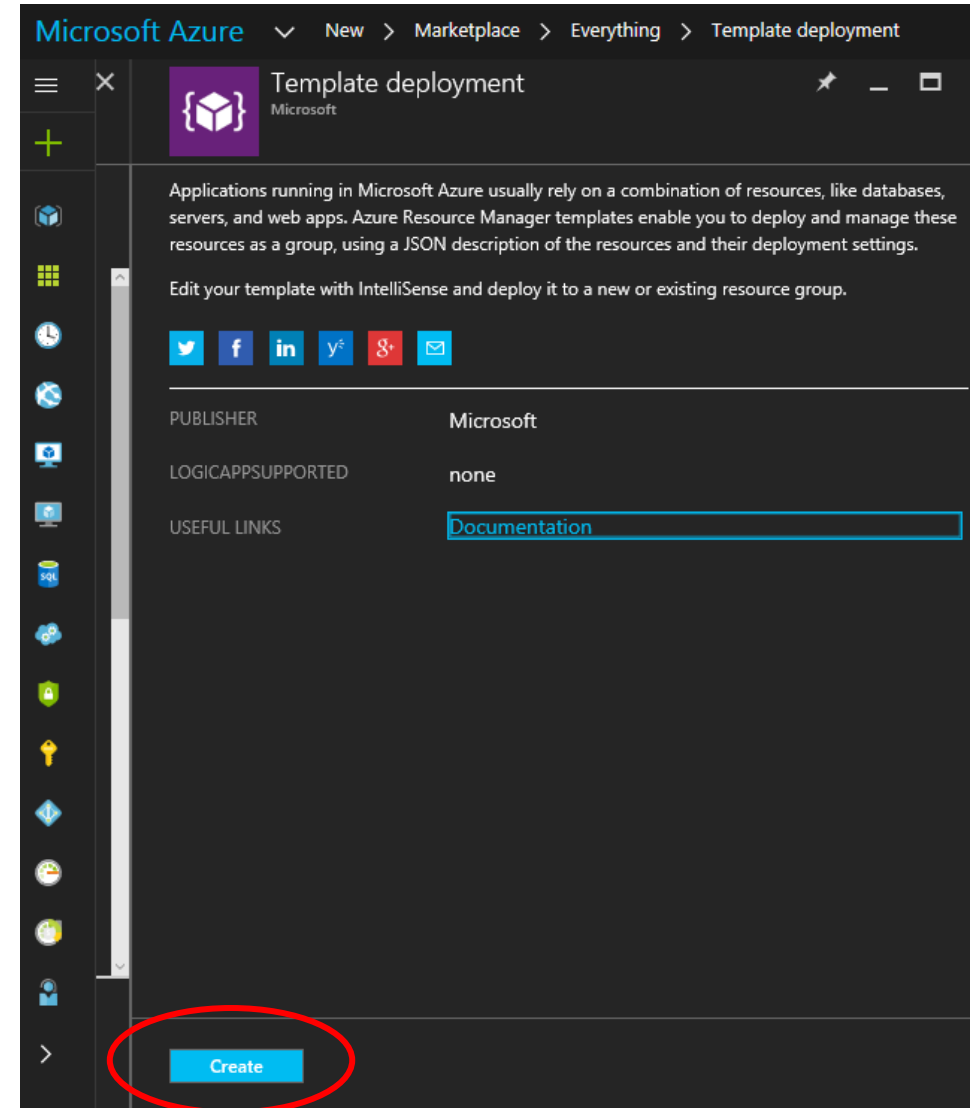
1. Launch Template Deployment on Azure.
2. Name for the VMs, network interface, vnet already given.
3. Generate a public SSH key and copy it to the template.
4. Put in your nethz (it will be used as unique DNS name and admin username).
5. Give an admin password.
6. Start deployment.

# Use the template to create VMs

1.



2.



# Use the template to create VMs

3.

Microsoft Azure

Template deployment > Custom deployment > Edit template

Custom deployment

Deploy from a custom template

Template

Edit template

Parameters

Edit parameters

Subscription

Azure Pass

Resource group

Create new Use existing

Resource group location

West Europe

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Review legal terms

Parameters (0)

Variables (0)

Resources (0)

```
1 {
2   "$schema": "http://schema.management.azure.com/schemas/2015-01-08/
3   "contentVersion": "1.0.0.0",
4   "parameters": {},
5   "resources": []
6 }
```

Copy&Paste the provided template

Then click Save

Create Save Discard

# Use the template to create VMs

4.

Microsoft Azure

Template deployment > Custom deployment > Parameters

Custom deployment  
Deploy from a custom template

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Pin to dashboard

Create

Parameters  
Customize your template parameters

VIRTUALMACHINES\_NAME (string)  
foraslvms

VIRTUALMACHINES\_ADMINPASSWORD (securestring)

NETWORKINTERFACES\_NAME (string)  
MyNetworkInterface

VIRTUALNETWORKS\_TESTETH\_VNET\_NAME (string)  
MyVNet

KEY (string)  
your\_public\_SSH\_key

UNIQUEDNS (string)  
your\_nethz

OK

Name your VMs, however you want  
BUT small case letters!

Give a password for the local admin  
(You will use it for sudo on the VM later on)

Generate an SSH key and copy the public key  
here. See  
<https://gitlab.inf.ethz.ch/help/ssh/README>

Your ETHZ\_ID

# Use the template to create VMs

5.

The screenshot shows the 'Custom deployment' page in the Microsoft Azure portal. The page is divided into two main sections: 'Custom deployment' on the left and 'Purchase' on the right. The 'Custom deployment' section contains several fields and buttons, with five specific elements highlighted by red circles and numbered 1 through 5. The 'Purchase' section contains detailed information about the deployment process, including a warning about the intended use of the template and the terms of use.

**Custom deployment**  
Deploy from a custom template

- \* Template  
Edit template
- \* Parameters  
Edit parameters
- \* Subscription  
Azure Pass 1
- \* Resource group  
☐ Create new ☒ Use existing 2  
For\_ASL
- \* Resource group location  
West Europe
- \* Legal terms  
Review legal terms 3
- ☐ Pin to dashboard
- Create 5

**Purchase**

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Purchase 4



# After you have created the VMs...

The screenshot displays the Azure portal interface. On the left, a table lists several virtual machines (vmstest1 through vmstest11) and network interfaces (aslinet1 through aslinet2) located in the West Europe region. The main pane shows the 'Overview' tab for a specific VM named 'vmstest1'. Key details include its status as 'Running', location as 'West Europe', and subscription as 'Azure Pass'. A red circle highlights the 'Public IP address/DNS name label' field, which contains the value '13.94.157.91/kkaravmstest1.westeurope.d'. Below this, the 'Monitoring' section shows the CPU usage at 0.96%.

NAME	TYPE	LOCATION
vmstest1	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest10	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest11	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest2	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest3	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest4	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest5	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest6	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest7	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest8	Virtual machine	West Europe
vmstest9	Virtual machine	West Europe
aslinet1	Network inter...	West Europe
aslinet10	Network inter...	West Europe
aslinet11	Network inter...	West Europe
aslinet2	Network inter...	West Europe

**VM Details: vmstest1**

- Resource group: ForASLTest
- Status: Running
- Location: West Europe
- Subscription name: Azure Pass
- Subscription ID: 34151986-f9f4-4ce5-b1fb-4208acbb2747
- Computer name: vmstest1
- Operating system: Linux
- Size: Basic A2 (2 cores, 3.5 GB memory)
- Public IP address/DNS name label: 13.94.157.91/kkaravmstest1.westeurope.d
- Virtual network/subnet: default

**Monitoring**

CPU percentage: 0.96%

Use the hostname  
or the public IP to  
ssh into the VM

# SSH into a server VM (choose one of Basic\_A2)

- `ssh your_nethz@hostname_of_vm`
- `sudo apt-get update`
- `sudo apt-get install build-essential libevent-dev memcached`
- `memcached -p 11212 -t 1`

Starts memcached on port 11212

# SSH into a client VM (choose one of Basic\_A2)

- `ssh your_nethz@hostname_of_vm`
- `sudo apt-get update`
- `sudo apt-get install build-essential libevent-dev`
- `wget https://Launchpad.net/libmemcached/1.0/1.0.18/+download/libmemcached-1.0.18.tar.gz`
- `tar xvf libmemcached-1.0.18.tar.gz`
- `cd libmemcached-1.0.18`
- `export LDFLAGS=-lpthread`
- `./configure --enable-memslap && make clients/memslap`
- `./clients/memslap -s ip_of_server_vm:11212 -T 64 -c 64 -o1 -S 1s -t 1s`

Starts memslap

Attention!: This is the private IP of the VM. (e.g. 10.0.0.X)

# SSH into the middleware VM (choose one of Basic\_A4)

- `ssh your_nethz@hostname_of_vm`
- `sudo apt-get update`
- `sudo apt-get openjdk-7-jre`
- (If you want to build on the VM) `sudo apt-get openjdk-7-jdk ant`