High Availability & Scalability in Azure

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Deployment in Cloud Environment



High-availability

Scalability

High availability: The ability of a system or application to remain operational & accessible even in the event of hardware or software failures

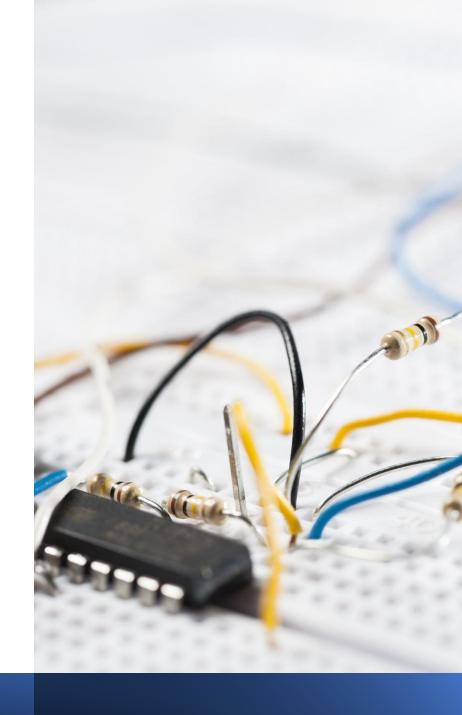


High-availability

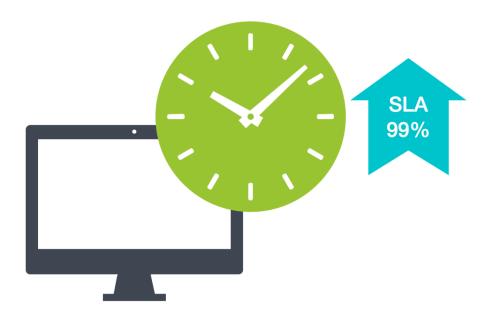


Cloud application

Azure provides service availability guarantee namely Service Level Agreements (SLAs)



SLA



Cloud application

Service Level Agreement (SLA)

- Represented as % (Eg., 99%)
- Azure credits back if SLA isn't met
- Common SLAs: 99%, 99.9%, 99.95%
- Higher SLAs are more expensive
- Each service has its own SLA



Scaling Options





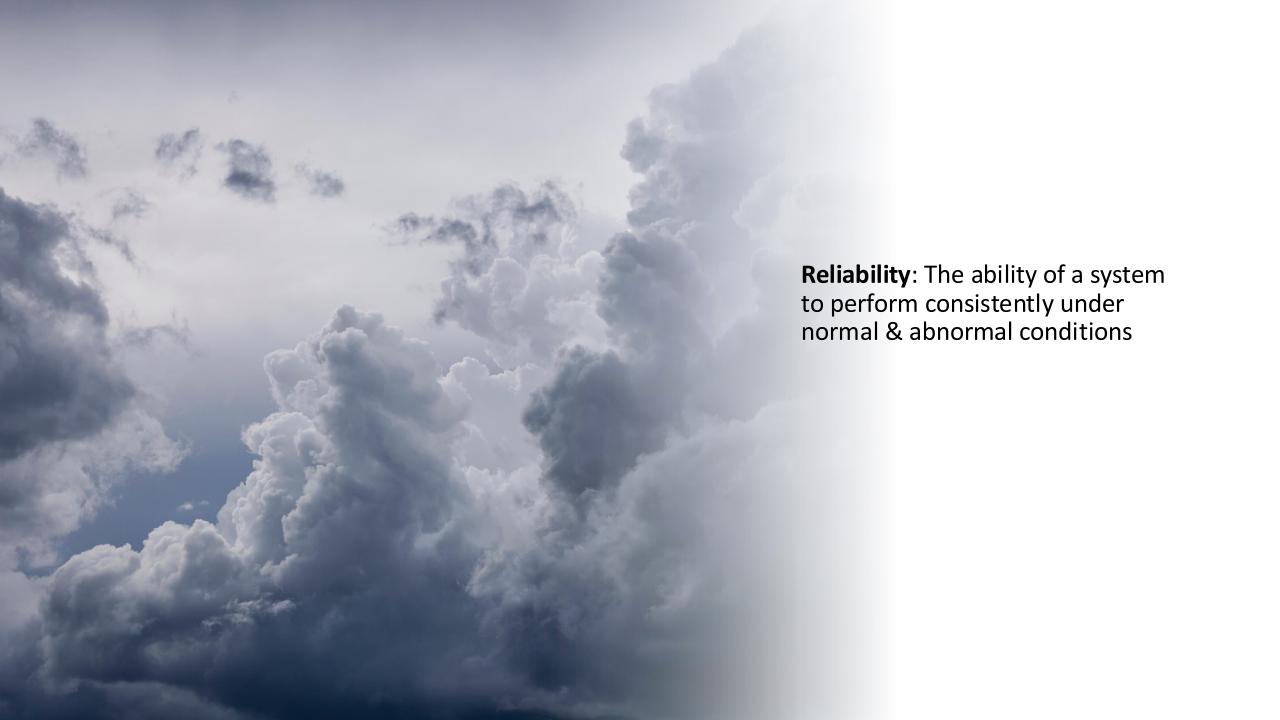


Two Ways of Scaling

Vertical Scaling	Horizontal Scaling
Increase/decrease <u>size</u> of resources	Increase/decrease number of instances
Eg., add more CPU, more RAM	Scale out & scale in as per demand
	Eg., add more VM, containers

Reliability & Predictability in Azure

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Reliability in Azure



Foundation for Azure Well-Architected Framework



Reliability is part of core Azure design



Resources deployed across various region



Manual & Automatic

Tools for Reliability







Azure Monitor

Azure Service Health

Azure Advisor

Predictability: Move forward with confidence



Components of Predictability



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Performance Predictability **Cost Predictability**



Performance Predictability

- Predicting the resources needed to deliver a positive experience
- Azure concepts:
 - Auto scaling
 - Load balancers
 - High availability (SLAs)



Cost Predictability

- Predicting or forecasting the cost of the cloud spend
- Azure concepts:
 - Track real-time usage
 - Monitor resources
 - Monitor trends

Tools for Cost Predictability



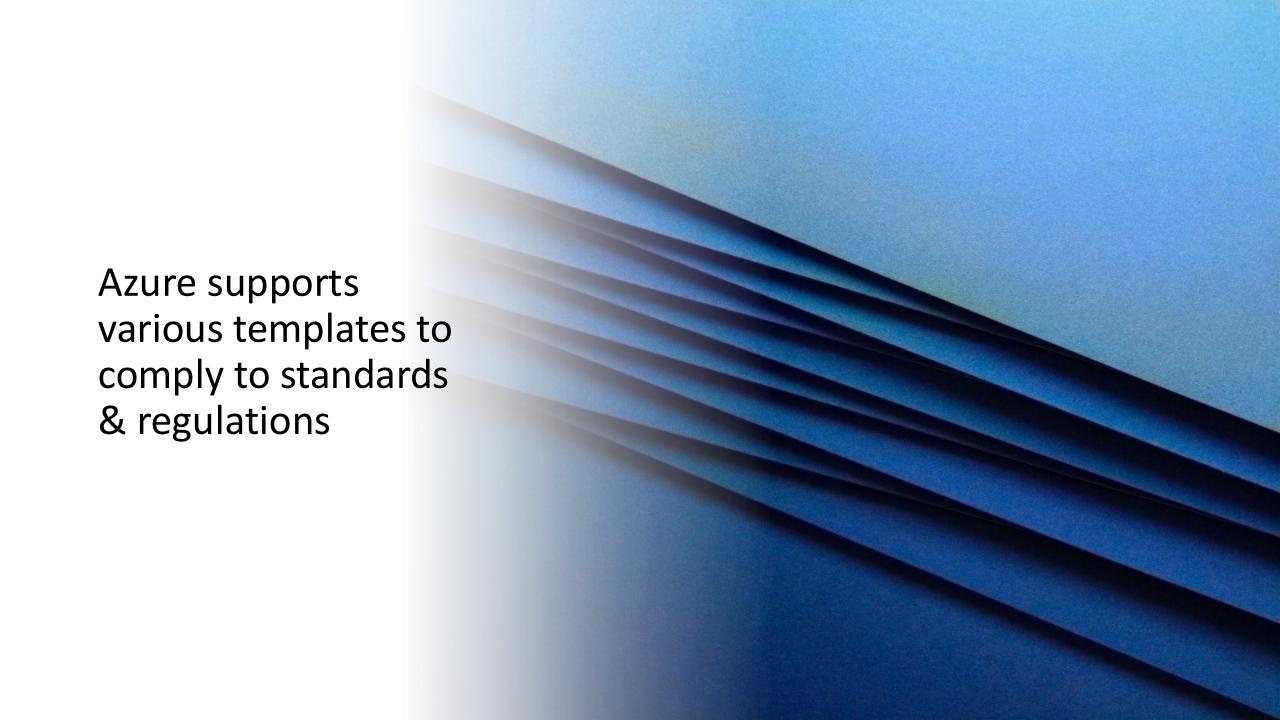


TOTAL COST OF OWNERSHIP

PRICING CALCULATOR

Security & Governance in Azure

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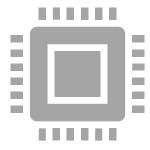
Security & Governance in Azure

- Secured by design & default
- Provides multiple layers of security
- The amount of control depends upon cloud service type (laaS, PaaS)

How are Security & Governance Applied?



Audits



Software patches & updates

Types of Security







Physical security

Network security

Identity & access security

Azure Services

Security in Azure	Governance in Azure
Azure DDoS Protection	Azure Policy
Azure Firewall	Azure Blueprint
Azure Security Center	

Manageability in Azure

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Two Types of Management





Managing cloud resources

Managing cloud environment

Manage Cloud Resources



Auto scale



Preconfigured template



Monitor health



Receive alerts in real-time

Managing Cloud Resources: Azure Services

- Azure Monitor
- Azure Service Health
- Azure Advisor

Manage Cloud Environment









Azure portal

Azure API

Azure CLI

PowerShell