

Tutorial on how to connect to Azure SQL database

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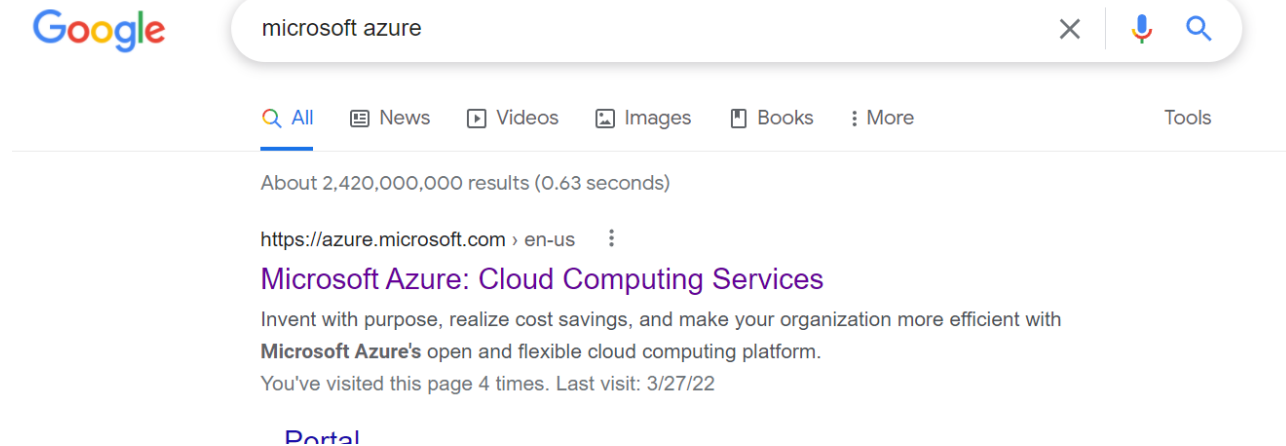
Open browser and follow the steps

1. Search Microsoft azure



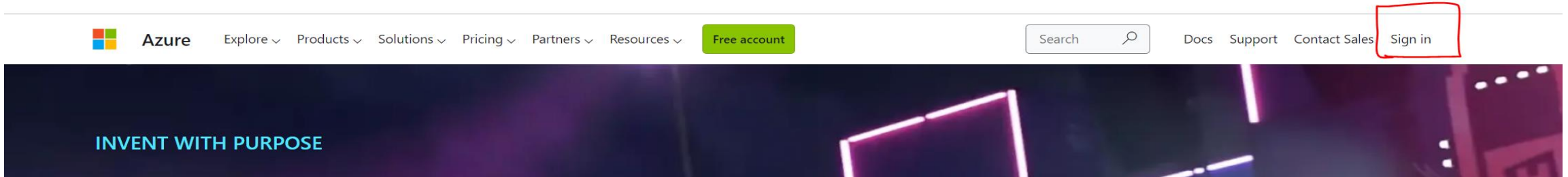
2. Open the following link in your browser

Link - https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/?exp=175071&adobe_mc_sdid=SDID%3D3AF4519F95387A4C-0B212557B10650A9%7CMCORGID%3DEA76ADE95776D2EC7F000101%40AdobeOrg%7CTS%3D1648423877&adobe_mc_ref=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.google.com%2F

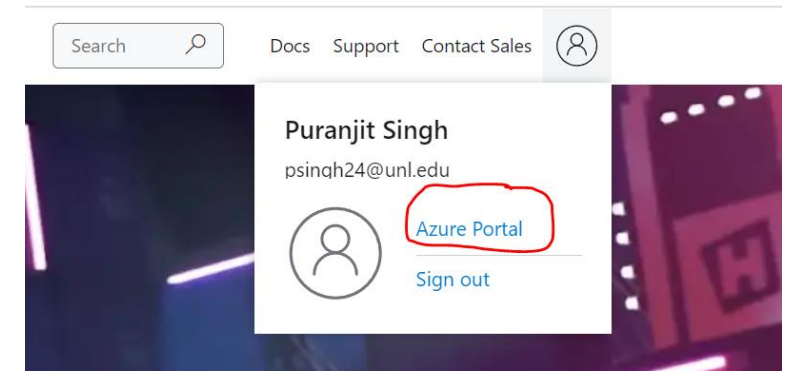


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3. Sign in with your UNL user id into the Microsoft azure platform (it could ask to enter the details using Duo push).

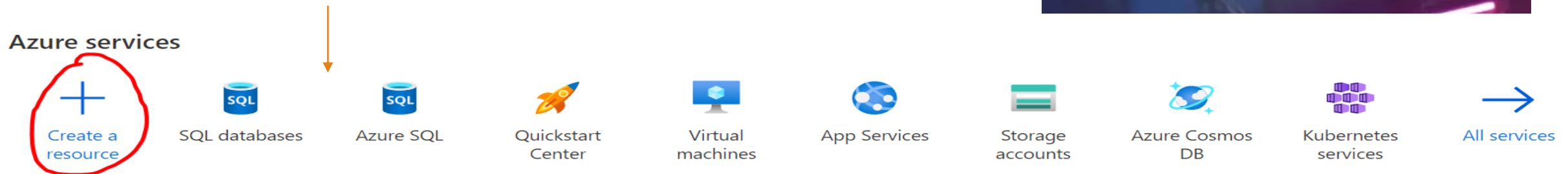


4. After logging in : Select Azure portal



5. Azure services page would open up :

- Select the following – Create a resource



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6. Select SQL Database under Popular Azure services section

7. Section - Project details

- Subscription : Azure for students (by default)
- Resource group : Click on Create New
 - Enter name of your choice (E.g. – MYSM492892)
 - Click Ok

A resource group is a container that holds related resources for an Azure solution.

Name *

8. Section – Database details

- Select : Create new
- Make sure – the values under these sections are not clear

Database details

Enter required settings for this database, including picking a logical server and configuring the compute and storage resources

Database name *

Server * ⓘ

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9. A pop-up page –

- Title : Create SQL Database Server will open-up
- Put in the details as shown in the image
- Create password on your own and remember it for further use
- Click OK at the bottom of the page



10. Click on configure database

- A pop-up page will open



Want to use SQL elastic pool? * ⓘ

☐ Yes ☒ No

Compute + storage * ⓘ

General Purpose

Gen5, 2 vCores, 32 GB storage

[Configure database](#)

[Home](#) > [Create a resource](#) > [Create SQL Database](#) >

Create SQL Database Server

Microsoft

Server details

Enter required settings for this server, including providing a name and location. This server will be created in the same subscription and resource group as your database.

Server name *

demo-mysm ✓

.database.windows.net

Location *

(US) Central US ▼

Authentication

Select your preferred authentication methods for accessing this server. Create a server admin login and password to access your server with SQL authentication, select only Azure AD authentication [Learn more](#) using an existing Azure AD user, group, or application as Azure AD admin [Learn more](#), or select both SQL and Azure AD authentication.

Authentication method

- ☒ Use SQL authentication
☐ Use only Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) authentication
☐ Use both SQL and Azure AD authentication

Server admin login *

root-mysm ✓

Password *

..... ✓

Confirm password *

..... ✓

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11. Select the following option from the available ones

- Basic (for less demanding workloads)



12. Click on : Apply

- (Bottom-left of the page)

13. Select : Review + create

- Deployment is in progress (window will pop-up)




Review + create

Next : Networking >

14. After completion : Go to resource

[Home](#) > [Create a resource](#) > [Create SQL Database](#) >

Configure ...

 Feedback

Service and compute tier

Select from the available tiers based on the needs of your workload. The vCore model provides a wide range of configuration controls and offers Hyperscale and Serverless to automatically scale your database based on your workload needs. Alternately, the DTU model provides set price/performance packages to choose from for easy configuration. [Learn more](#)

Service tier

Basic (For less demanding workloads) ▾

vCore-based purchasing model

General Purpose (Scalable compute and storage options)

Hyperscale (On-demand scalable storage)

Business Critical (High transaction rate and high resiliency)

DTU-based purchasing model

Basic (For less demanding workloads)

Standard (For workloads with typical performance requirements)

Premium (For IO-intensive workloads)

DTUs [What is a DTU?](#)

5 (Basic)

Data max size (GB)

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15. Select : Query editor (preview)

The screenshot shows the Azure portal interface for a SQL database named 'demo-mysm'. In the left-hand navigation pane, under the 'Overview' section, the 'Query editor (preview)' option is highlighted with a red circle. An orange arrow points from the text '15. Select : Query editor (preview)' to this option. The main content area displays the 'Essentials' section for the database, including details like Resource group (MYSM492892), Status (Online), Location (Central US), Subscription (Azure for Students), and Subscription ID. Below this, there's a 'Compute utilization' graph showing DTU percentage (Max) for 'demo-mysm/demo-mysm' at 3%.

16. SQL server authentication windows will open –

- Enter your registered username and password here that you have set
- Select : Allowlist IP _____ on server demo-mysm to continue

The screenshot shows the 'Welcome to SQL Database Query Editor' window. It presents two authentication methods: 'SQL server authentication' and 'Active Directory authentication'. Under 'SQL server authentication', the 'Login' field contains 'root-mysm' and the 'Password' field is masked with dots. Below these fields, an error message is displayed: 'Cannot open server 'demo-mysm' requested by the login. Client with IP address '129.93.161.221' is not allowed to access the server. To enable access, use the Azure Portal or run sp_set_firewall_rule on the master database to create a firewall rule for this IP address or address range. It may take up to five minutes for this change to take effect.' A red circle highlights the text 'Allowlist IP 129.93.161.221 on server demo-mysm'. The 'Active Directory authentication' path shows a button 'Continue as psingh24@unl.edu' which is circled in red. An orange arrow points from the list item 'Select : Allowlist IP' to the error message.

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17. SQL editor will open-up where you can run SQL queries to create your first database.

The screenshot displays the Azure SQL Editor interface. The top navigation bar shows the breadcrumb: Home > SQL servers > demo-mysm > MYSM492892 > demo-mysm > demo-mysm (demo-mysm/demo-mysm). Below this, the title bar reads "demo-mysm (demo-mysm/demo-mysm) | Query editor (preview)".

The interface is divided into three main sections:

- Left Sidebar:** Contains a search bar and a list of navigation items: Overview, Activity log, Tags, Diagnose and solve problems, Quick start, Query editor (preview) (highlighted), Power Platform (Power BI, Power Apps, Power Automate), Settings (Compute + storage, Connection strings, Properties, Locks), Data management (Replicas, Sync to other databases), and Integrations (Stream analytics preview).
- Object Explorer:** Displays the database structure for "demo-mysm (root-mysm)". It shows a message: "Showing limited object explorer here. For full capability please open SSDT." Below this, there are expandable folders for Tables, Views, and Stored Procedures.
- Query Editor:** The main area for writing SQL queries. It includes a toolbar with "Run", "Cancel query", "Save query", "Export data as", and "Show only Editor". The query text area is currently empty, with a line number "1" visible. Below the editor, there are tabs for "Results" and "Messages", and a search bar for filtering items.