Fault tolerance describes how Azure

will ensure you have zero downtime

for services provided by Azure.

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-As with high availability, fault tolerance is a term that's used to describe the resilience(the capacity to recover quickly from difficulties; toughness) of cloud computing.

-----Where high availability doesn't guarantee zero downtime,a fault tolerance system does.

-------As the name implies, the cloud system is tolerant to any faults that may occur.

-------Tolerant meaning that any fault in the system that causes Azure services to fail are mitigated and dealt with by Azure itself.