

Get control of your Azure  
Synapse environment, define  
your access control the right  
way today!



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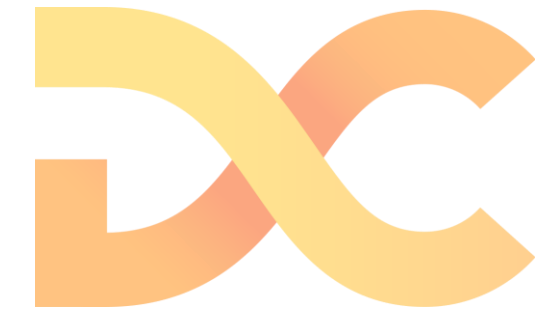
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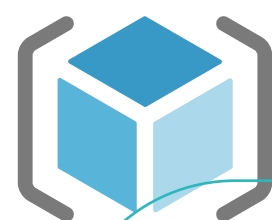
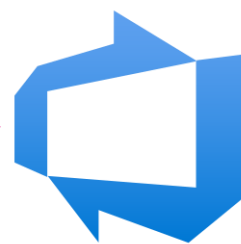


# AGENDA



- Roles in Azure Synapse Analytics
  - Azure
  - Synapse
  - SQL
- Git Integration
- Privileged Identity Management (PIM)

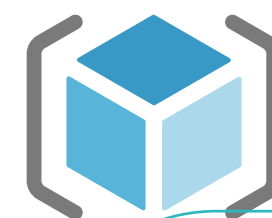
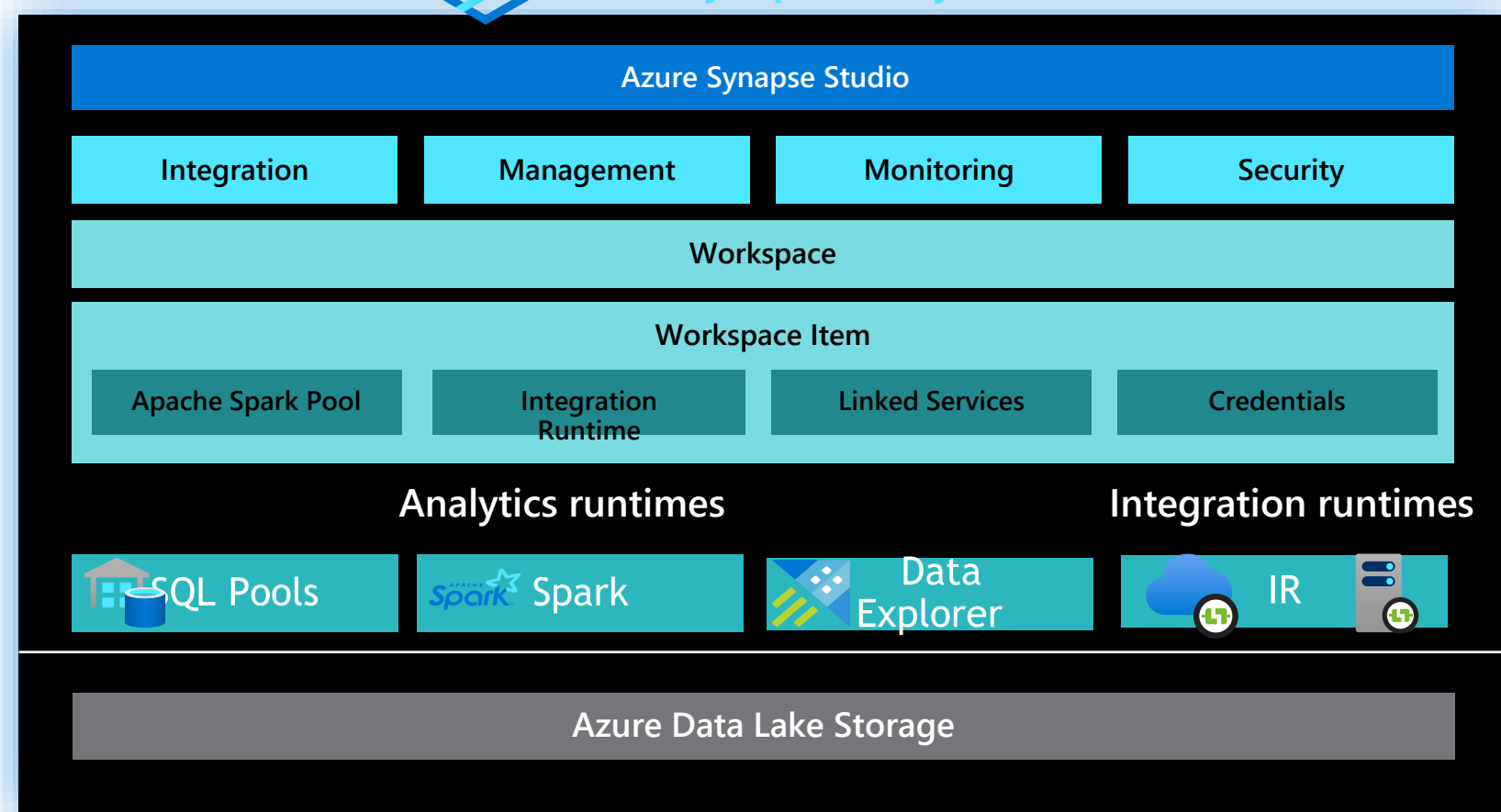




## Resource Group Development



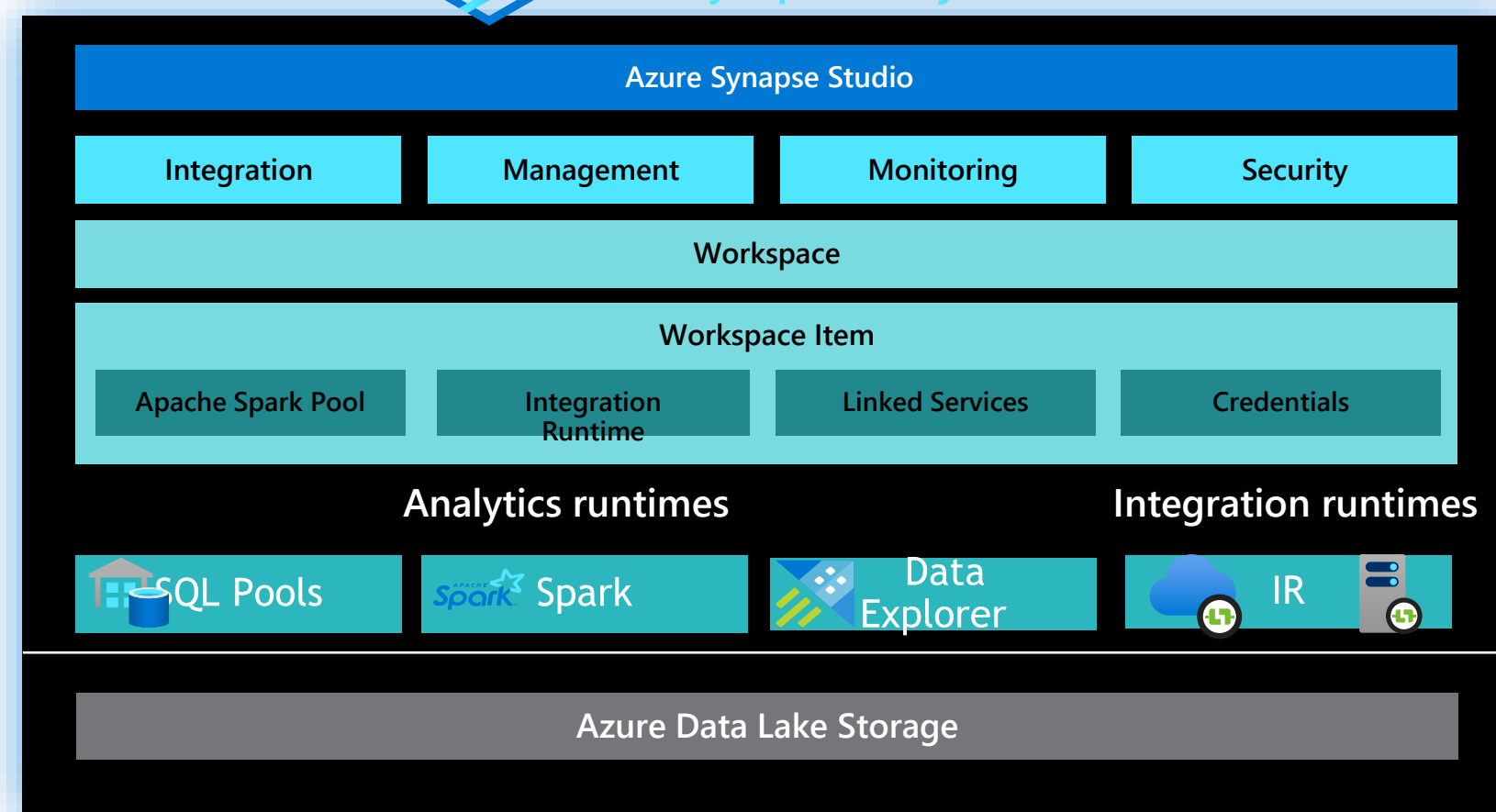
Azure Synapse Analytics



## Resource Group Production



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Data Engineers

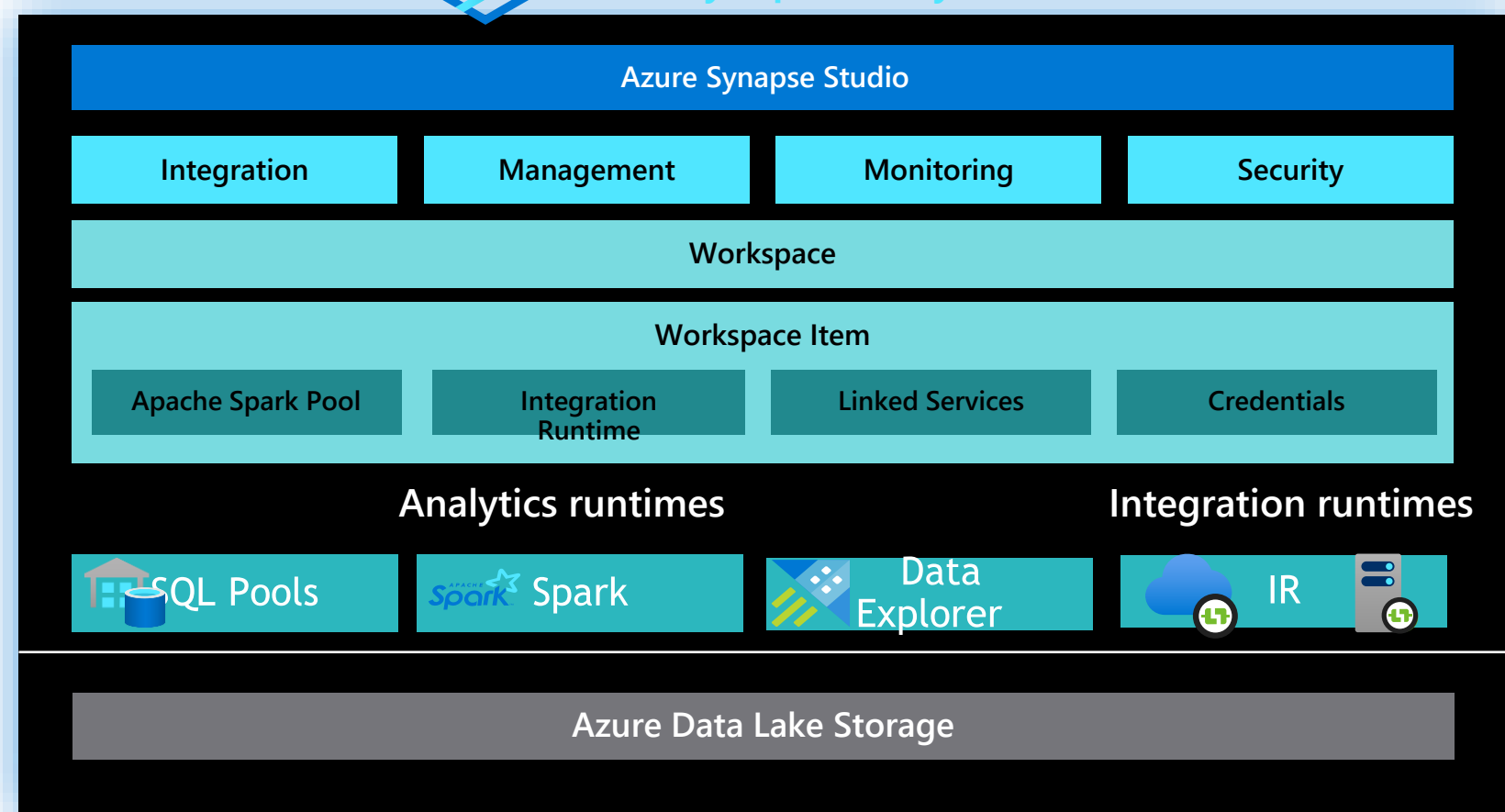
Data Scientists



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Azure Roles

# Resource Plane

- Azure Owner or Contributor

## Resource Group

Create Synapse Workspace

Manage Synapse Workspace

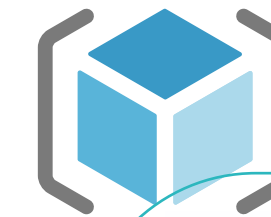
## Synapse Resource

Manage Synapse Workspace

- Azure Contributor

## Resource Group

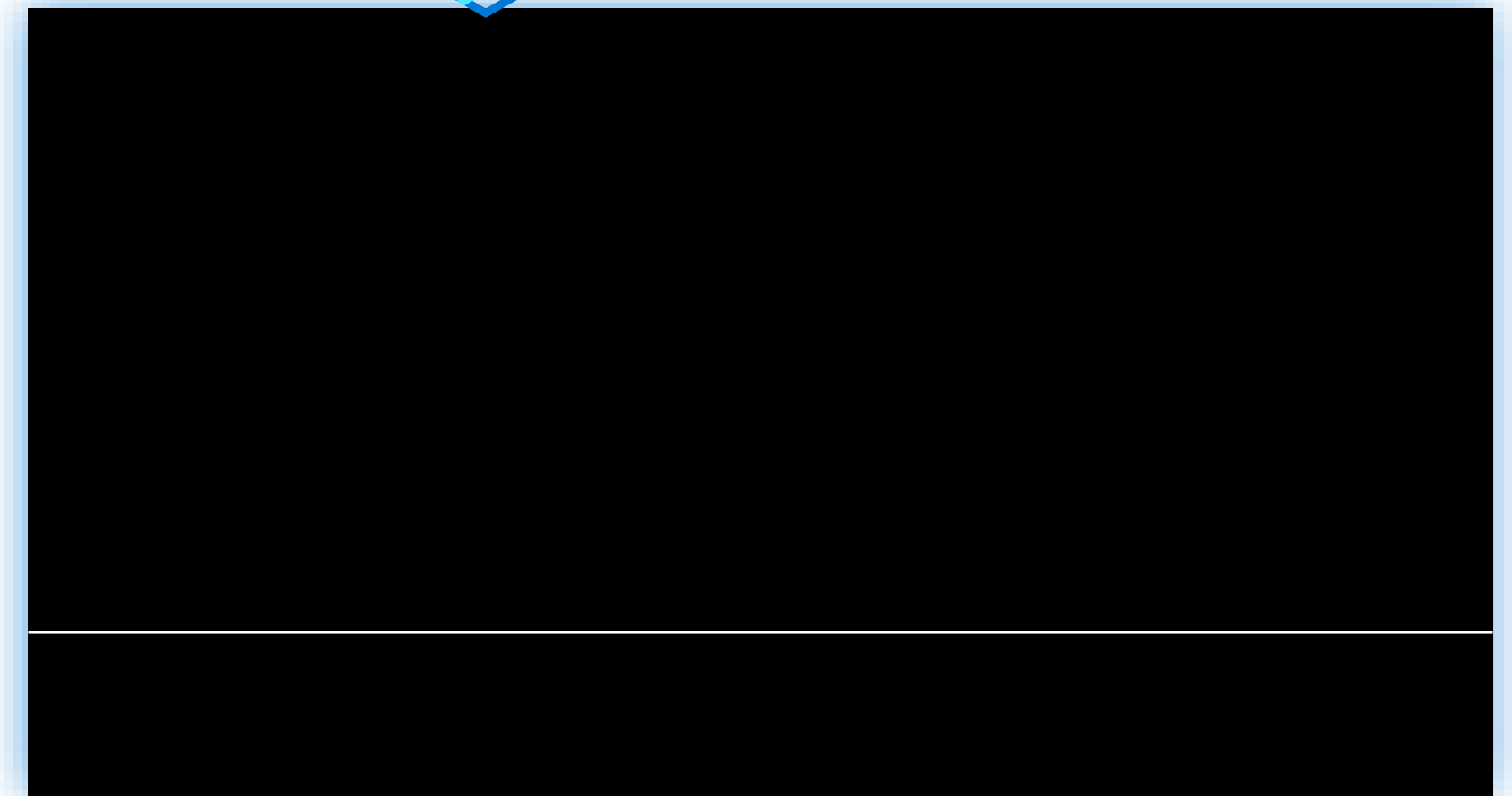
ARM templates for automated deployment



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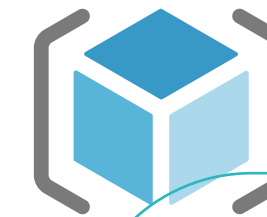
# Access Management

- Azure Storage Blob Data Contributor

User and workspace MSI

- Reader

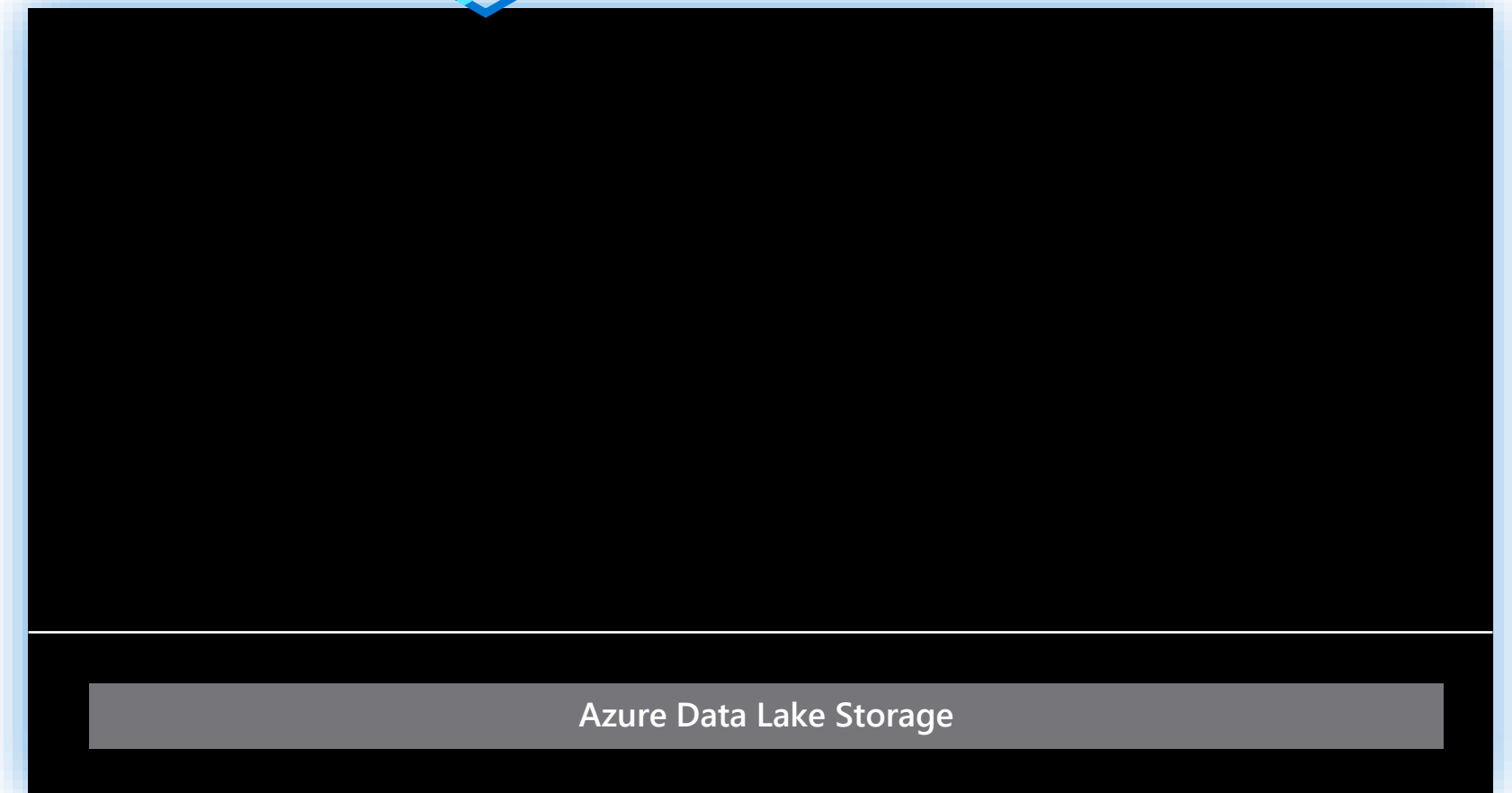
Resource Group or Synapse Workspace



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## Workspace details

Name your workspace, select a location, and choose a primary Data Lake Storage Gen2 file system to serve as the default location for logs and job output.

Workspace name \*

Region \*

Select Data Lake Storage Gen2 \* ☒ From subscription ☐ Manually via URL

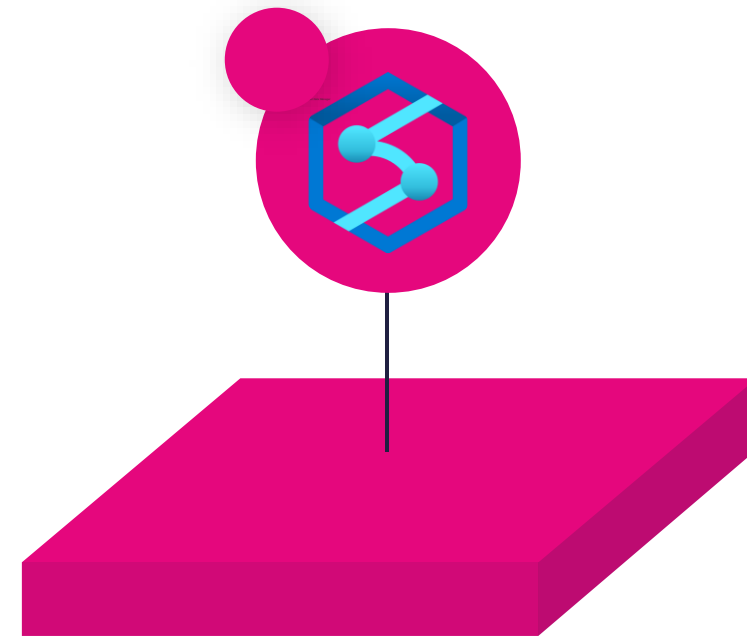
Account name \*

File system name \*

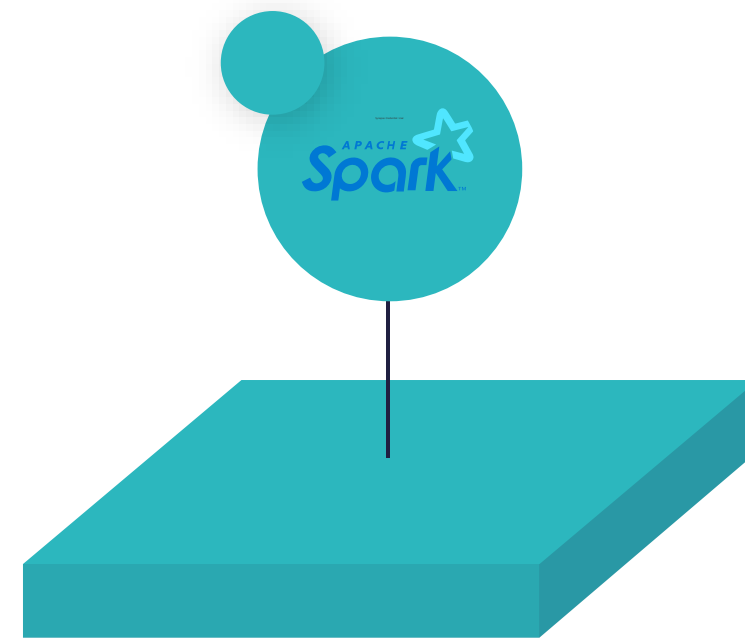
- i** We will automatically grant the workspace identity data access to the specified Data Lake Storage Gen2 account, using the Storage Blob Data Contributor role. To enable other users to use this storage account after you create your workspace, perform these tasks:
- Assign other users to the **Contributor** role on workspace
  - Assign other users the appropriate Synapse RBAC roles using Synapse Studio
  - Assign yourself and other users to the **Storage Blob Data Contributor** role on the storage account

[Learn more](#)

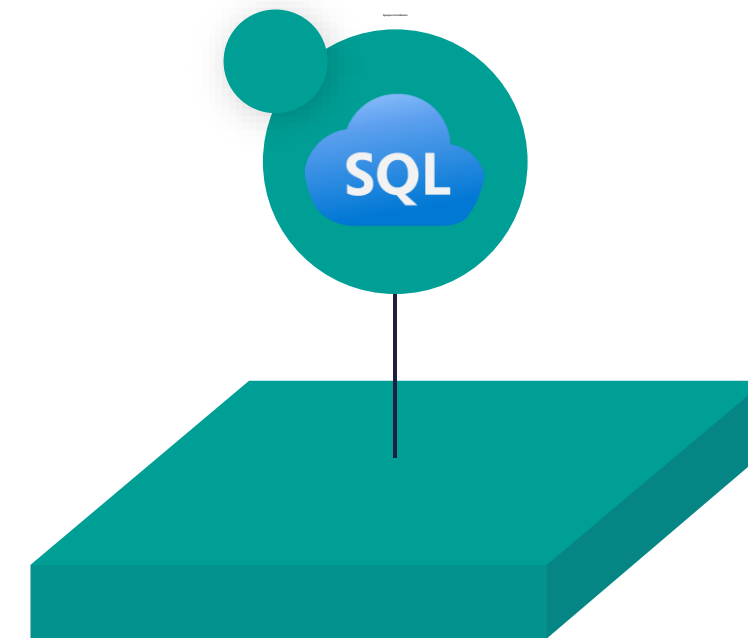
# Administrators



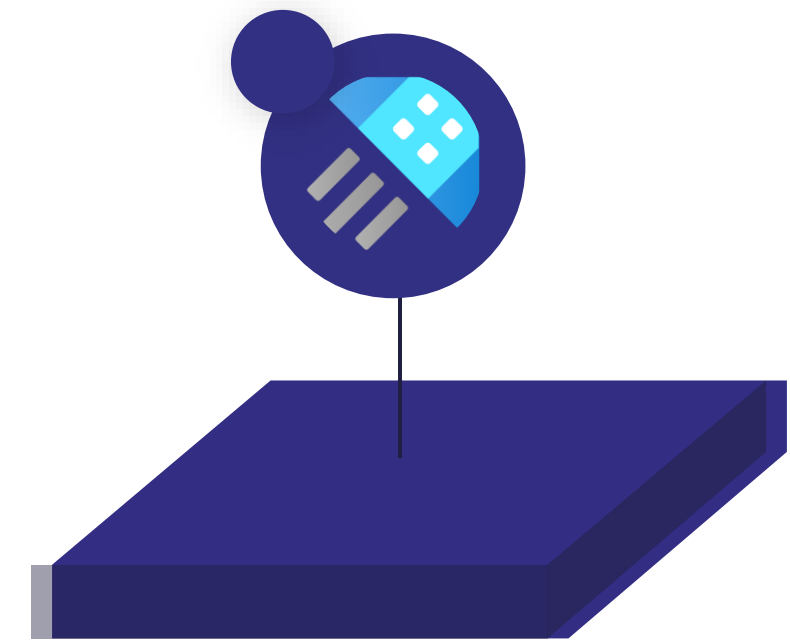
Synapse  
Administrator



Synapse  
Apache Spark  
Administrator



Synapse SQL  
Administrator

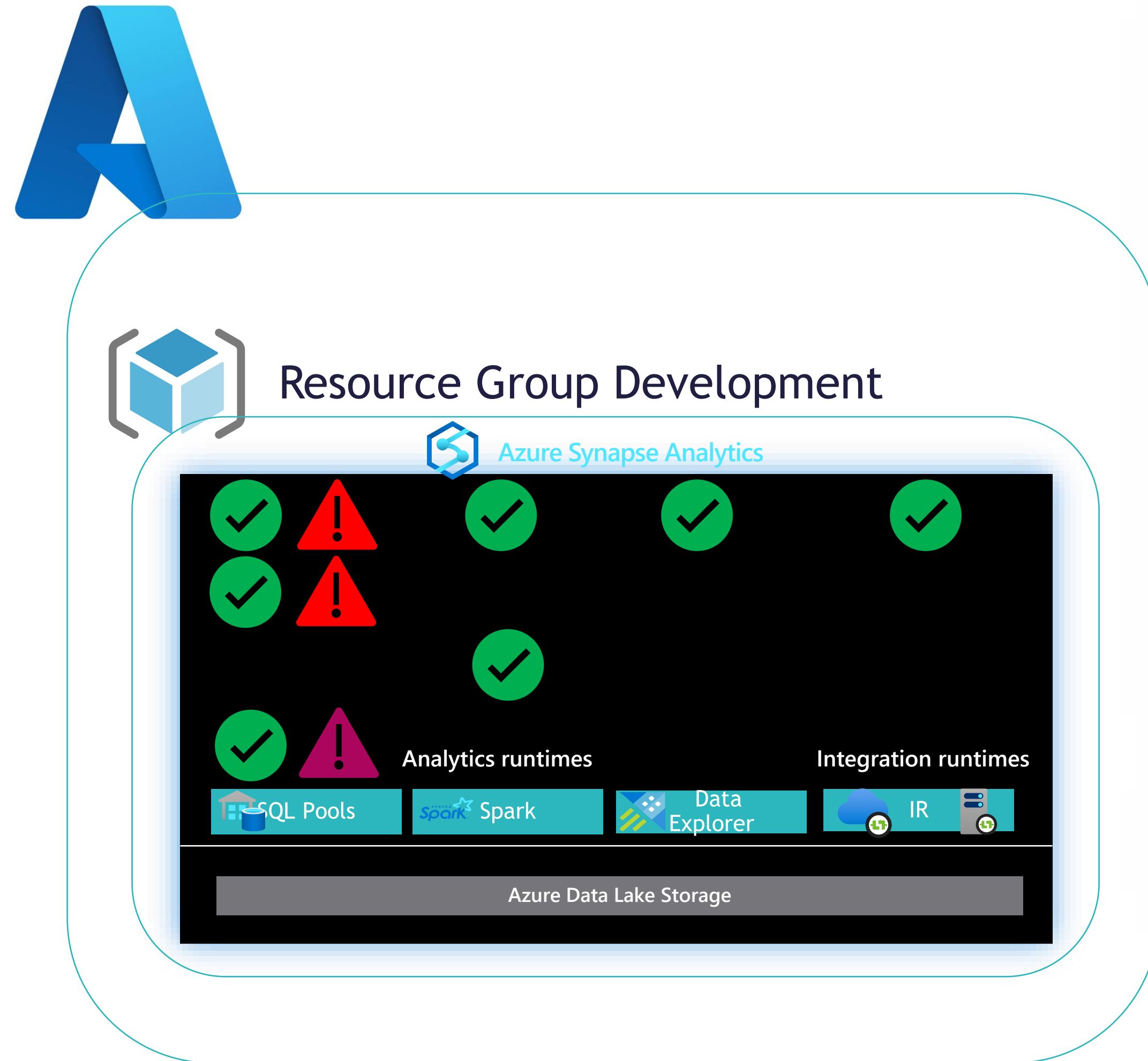


Synapse Data  
Explorer  
Administrator????

# Administrators

## Roles:

- Synapse Administrator
- Synapse SQL Administrator
- Synapse Apache Spark Administrator
- SQL Active Directory Admin



Only Serverless SQL Pool



Only dedicated SQL Pools

# Synapse Administrator



- Can read and write artifacts
- Can do all actions on Spark activities.
- Can view Spark pool logs
- Can view saved notebook and pipeline output
- Can use the secrets stored by linked services or credentials
- Can assign and revoke Synapse RBAC roles at current scope



Synapse Roles

# Synapse Apache Spark Administrator



- Can do all actions on Spark artifacts
- Can do all actions on Spark activities

# Synapse SQL Administrator

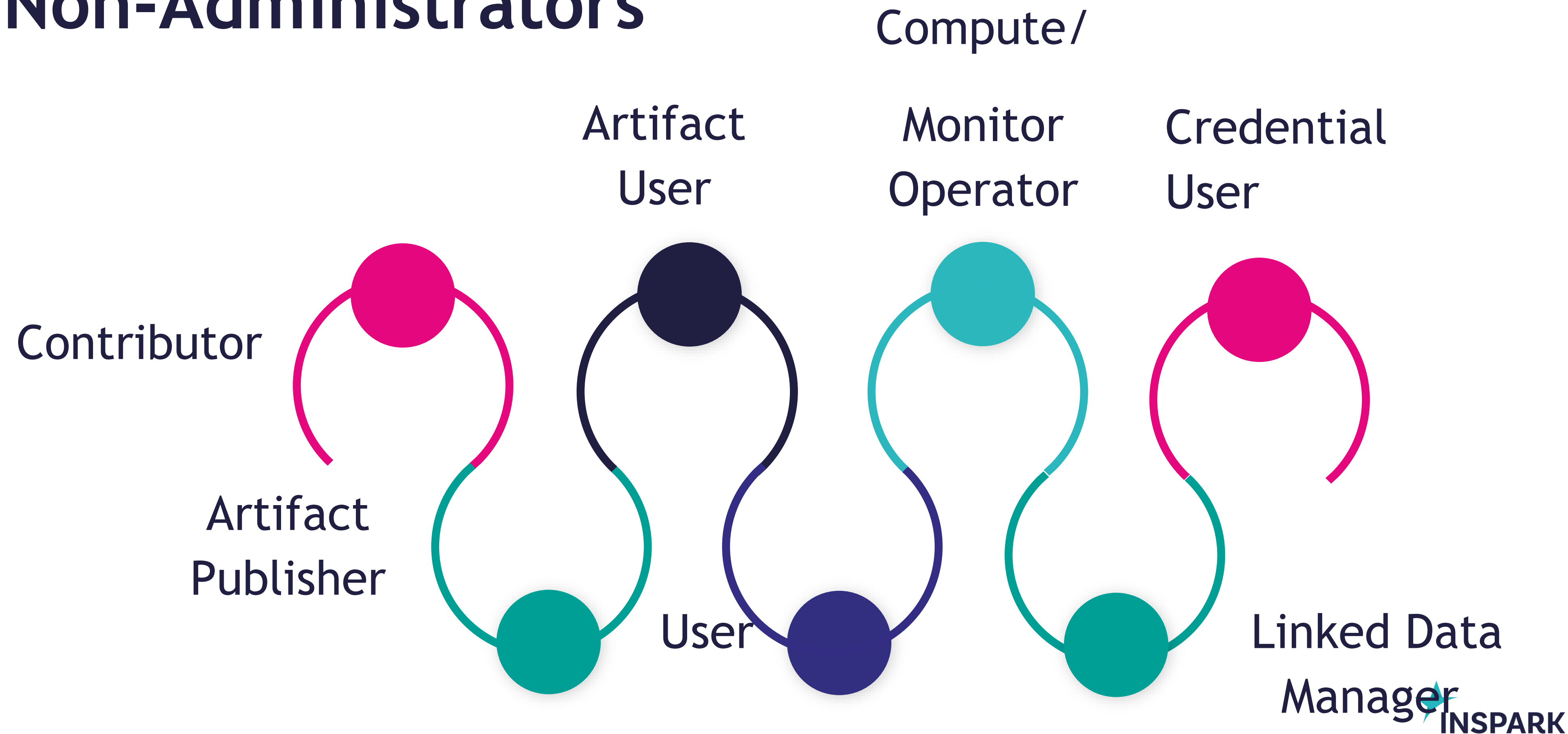


- Can do all actions on SQL scripts
- Can connect to SQL serverless endpoints with SQL db\_datareader, db\_datawriter, connect, and grant permissions



How many other roles  
do we have?

# Non-Administrators





# Workspace

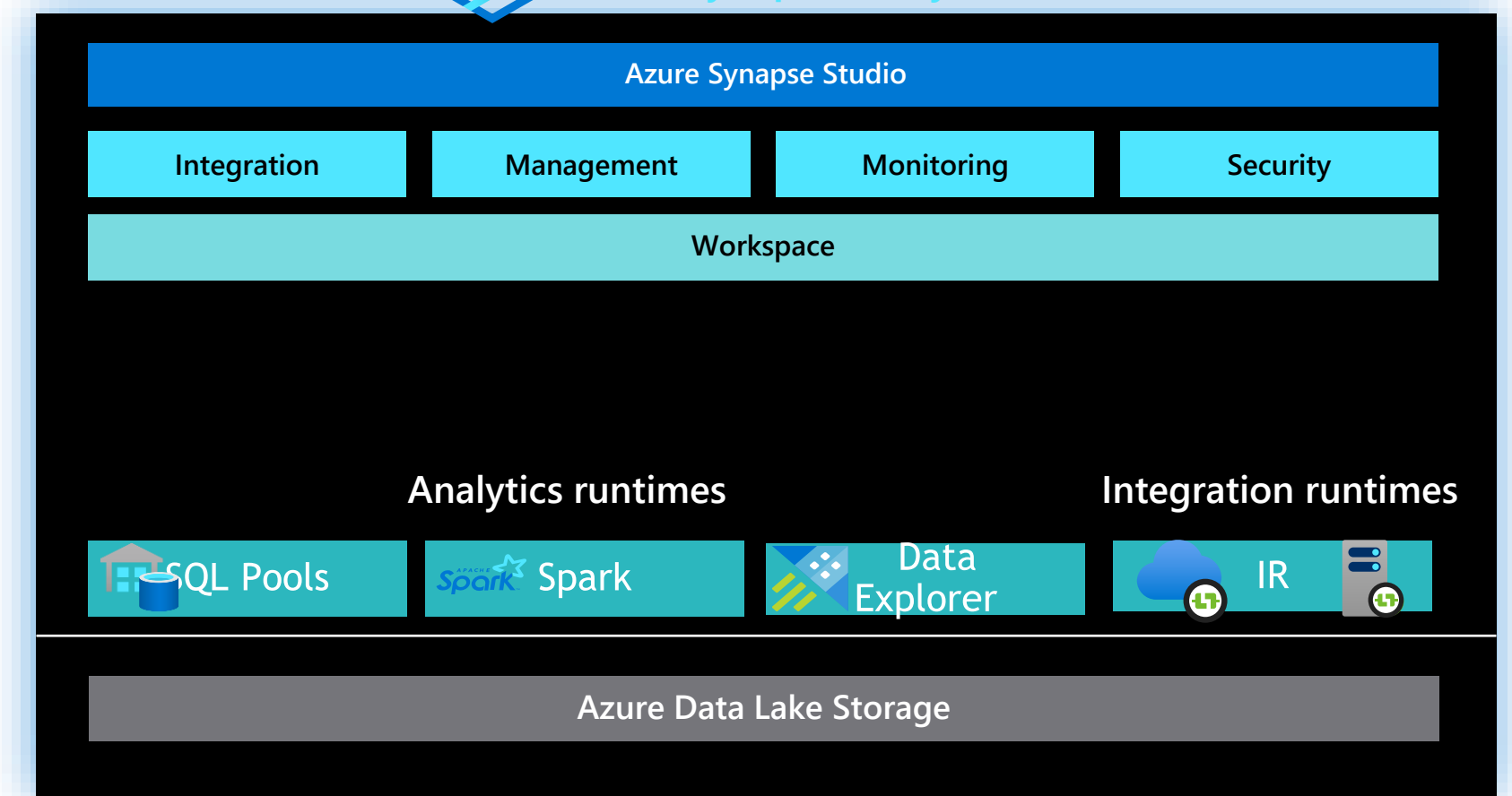
- Synapse Contributor
- Synapse Artifact Publisher
- Synapse Artifact User
- Synapse Compute Operator
- Synapse Monitor Operator
- Synapse Credential User
- Synapse Linked Data Manager
- Synapse User



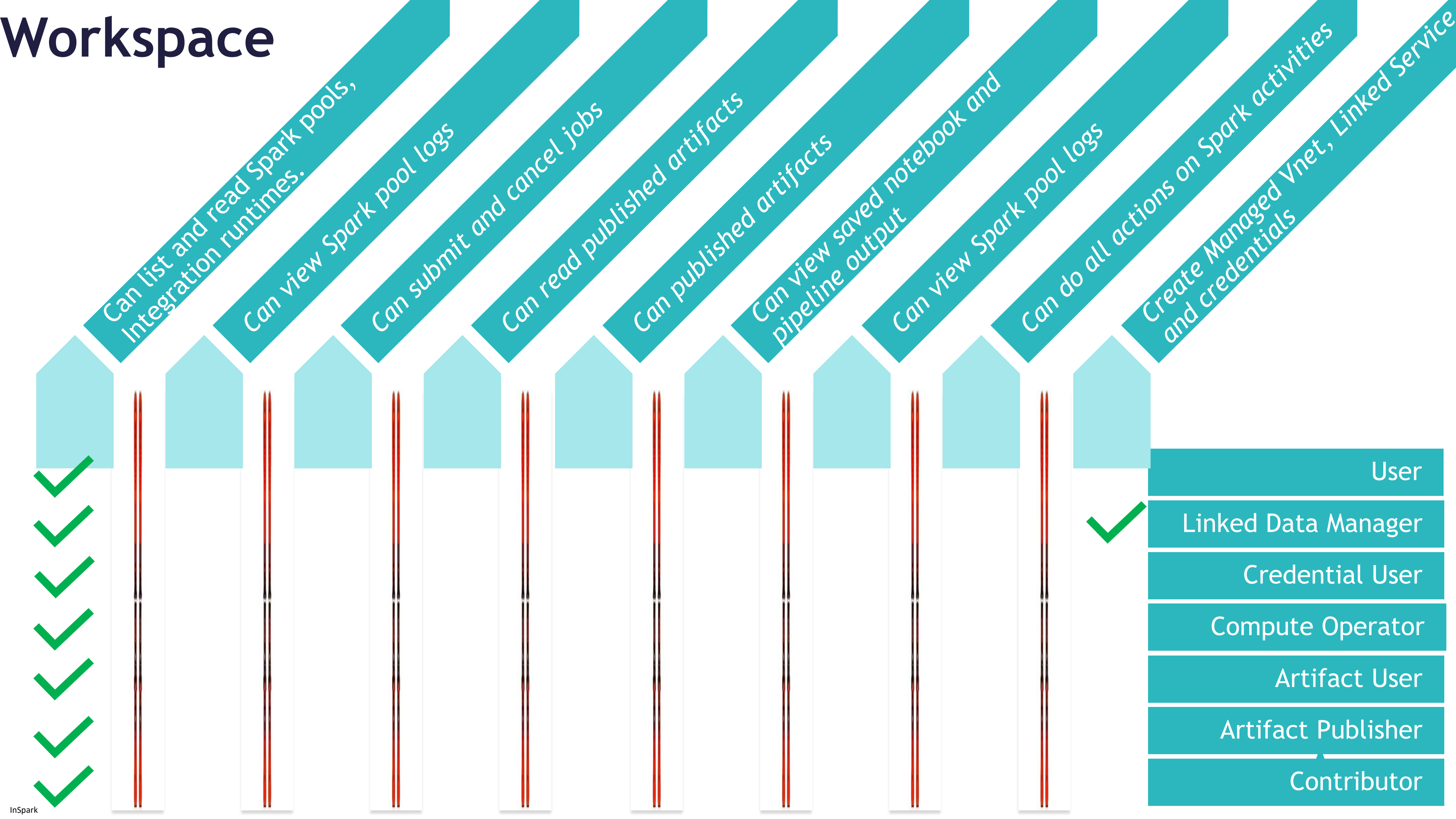
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# Workspace



User

Linked Data Manager

Credential User

Compute Operator

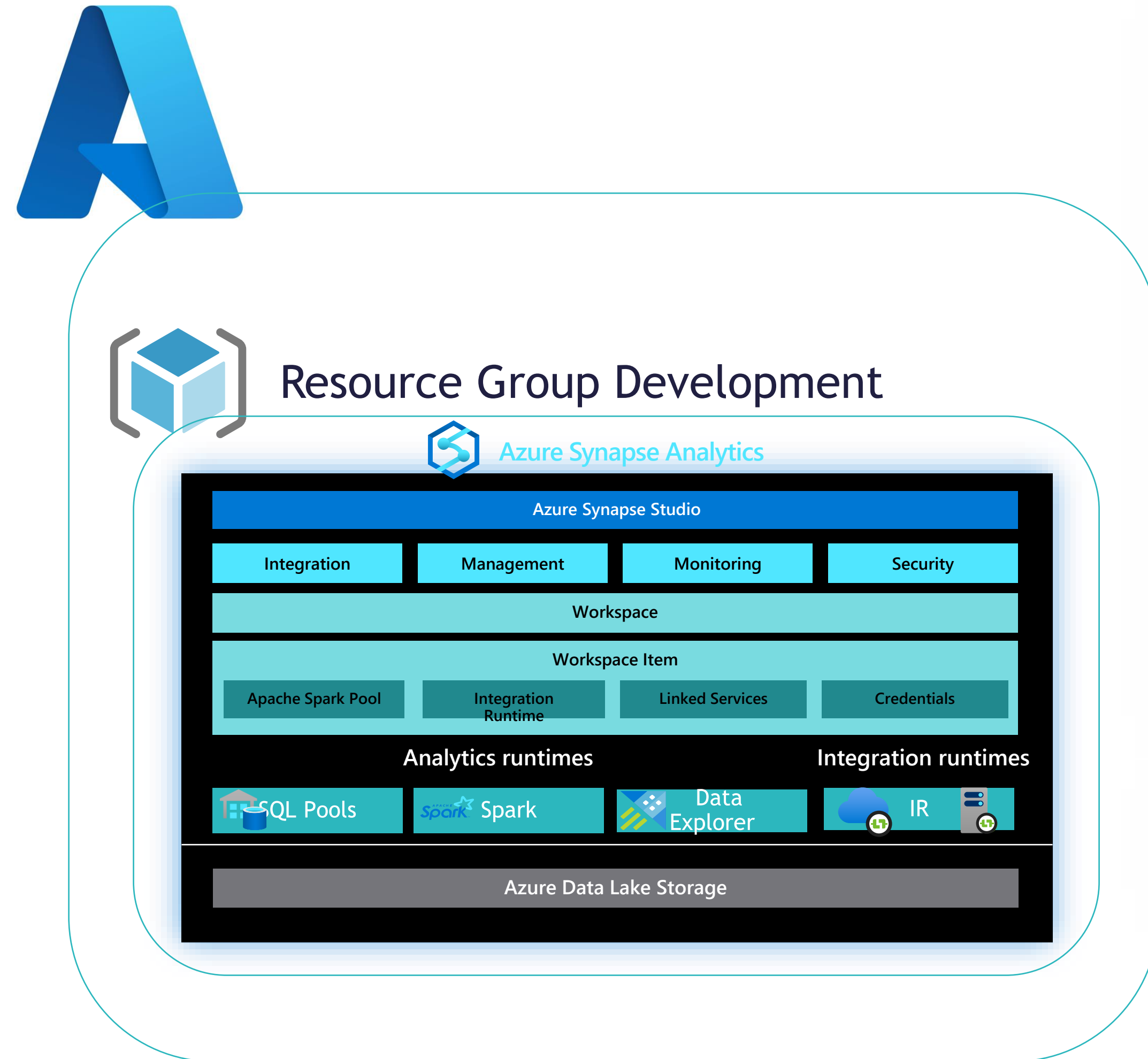
Artifact User

Artifact Publisher

Contributor

# Workspace Item

- Linked Service
- Apache Spark Pool
- Integration Runtime
- Credentials



# Role Assignment

- Role assignment on Workspace or Workspace Item

- Needs to be Synapse Administrator

Can also be a guest user

- No Synapse Administrator

Contributor or Owner on the Workspace

- Advice! => create role assignments based on Security Groups

Changes in assignments will take up 2-5 minutes

Changes in SG can take 10-15 minutes

## Add role assignment

Grant others access to this workspace by assigning roles to users, groups, and/or service principals.

[Learn more](#)

Scope \* ⓘ

☒ Workspace ☐ Workspace item

Role \* ⓘ

Select a role

Filter...

- Synapse Administrator ⓘ
- Synapse SQL Administrator ⓘ
- Synapse Apache Spark Administrator ⓘ
- Synapse Contributor ⓘ
- Synapse Artifact Publisher ⓘ
- Synapse Artifact User ⓘ
- Synapse Compute Operator ⓘ
- Synapse Monitoring Operator ⓘ

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Scope \* ⓘ

☐ Workspace ☒ Workspace item

Item type

Apache Spark pool

Item \*

Spark30

Role \* ⓘ

Select a role

Filter...


- Synapse Administrator ⓘ
- Synapse Contributor ⓘ
- Synapse Compute Operator ⓘ



# Tips and Tricks

- No access message in Azure Portal

<https://web.azure.synapse>

 **No subscriptions** ✕

You do not have any Azure subscriptions in the InSpark Labs directory. [Click here](#) to switch to another directory.

## Select workspace

Azure Synapse Analytics is a limitless cloud data warehouse with unmatched time-to-insight. [Learn more](#)

Azure Active Directory ⓘ

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Account selection method

☒ From Azure subscription ☐ Enter manually

Subscription

No results found

Continue

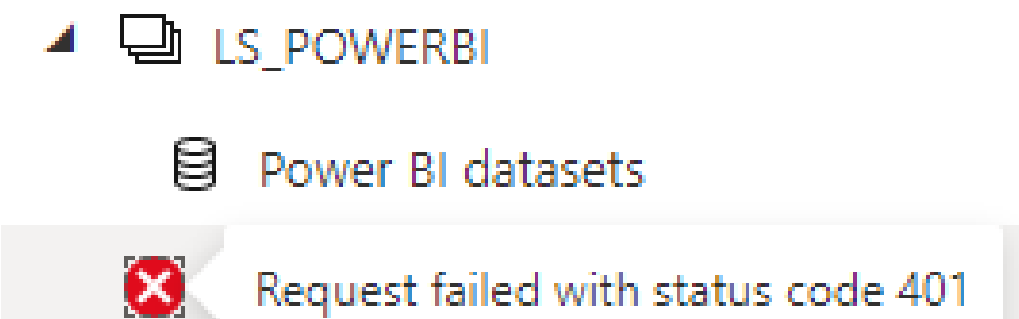
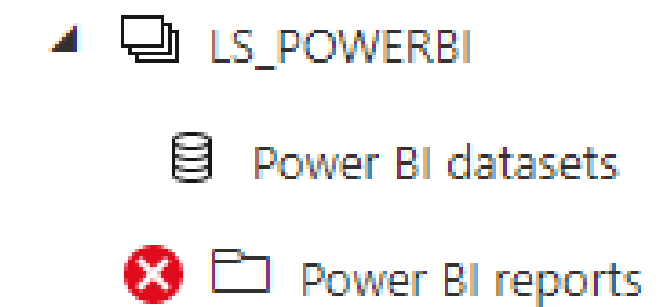
# Tips and Tricks

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<https://web.azure.synapse>

- Power BI

Access is defined on Power BI workspace level



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Synapse Administrator

- Power BI

Access is defined on Power BI workspace level

- Publish Error

## Trigger

You do not have required Synapse RBAC permission to perform this action.

Contact a Synapse Administrator for this workspace.

Required permission:

Actions: Microsoft.Synapse/workspaces/triggers/write

Scope: workspaces/der

- workspaces/read
- workspaces/roleAssignments/write, delete
- workspaces/managedPrivateEndpoint/write, delete
- workspaces/bigDataPools/useCompute/action
- workspaces/bigDataPools/viewLogs/action
- workspaces/integrationRuntimes/useCompute/action
- workspaces/integrationRuntimes/viewLogs/action
- workspaces/artifacts/read
- workspaces/notebooks/write, delete
- workspaces/sparkJobDefinitions/write, delete
- workspaces/sqlScripts/write, delete
- workspaces/kqlScripts/write, delete
- workspaces/dataFlows/write, delete
- workspaces/pipelines/write, delete
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- workspaces/libraries/write, delete
- workspaces/linkedServices/write, delete
- workspaces/credentials/write, delete
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# Role actions

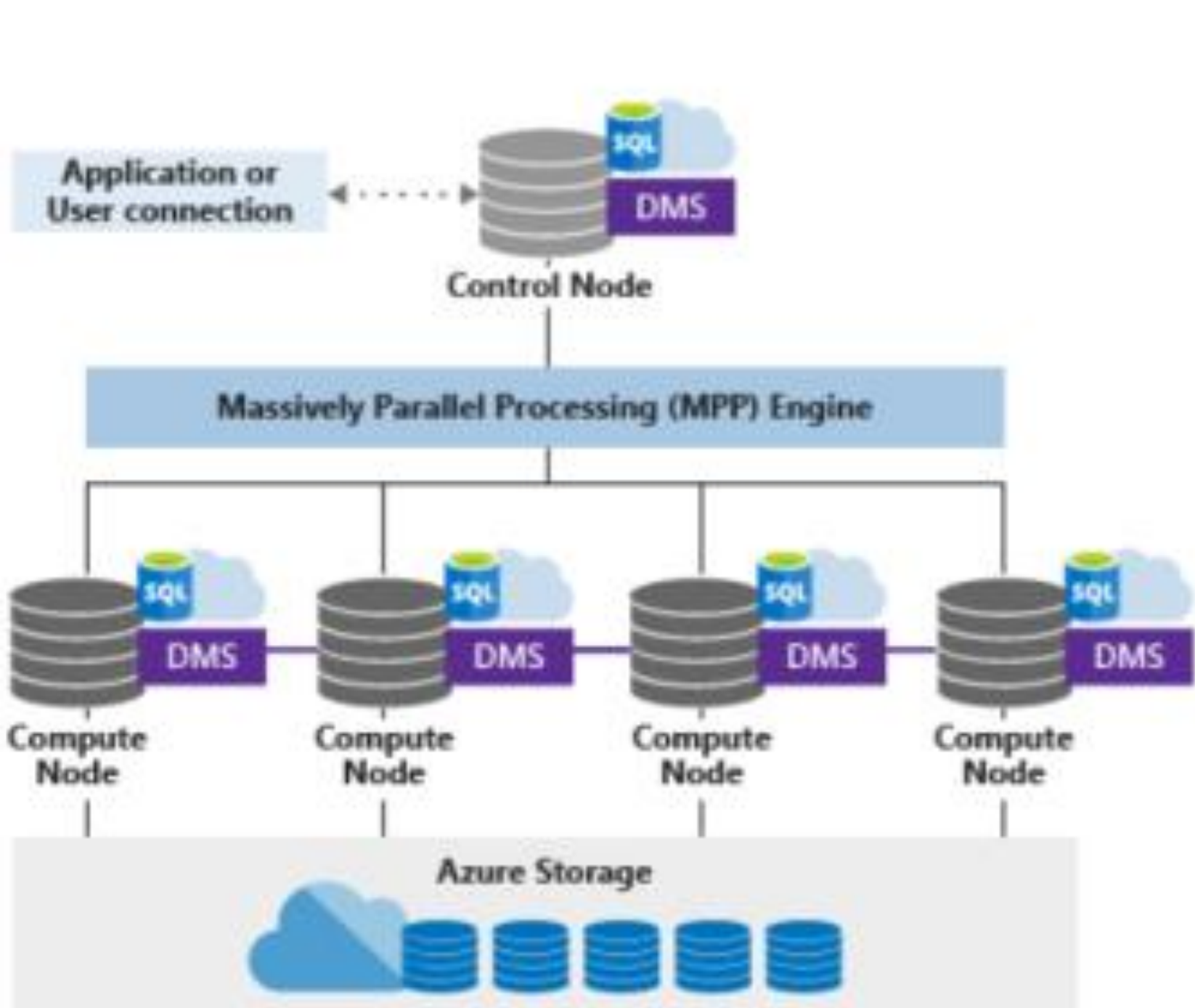
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workspaces/managedPrivateEndpoint/write, delete										
workspaces/bigDataPools/useCompute/action										
workspaces/bigDataPools/viewLogs/action										
workspaces/integrationRuntimes/useCompute/action										
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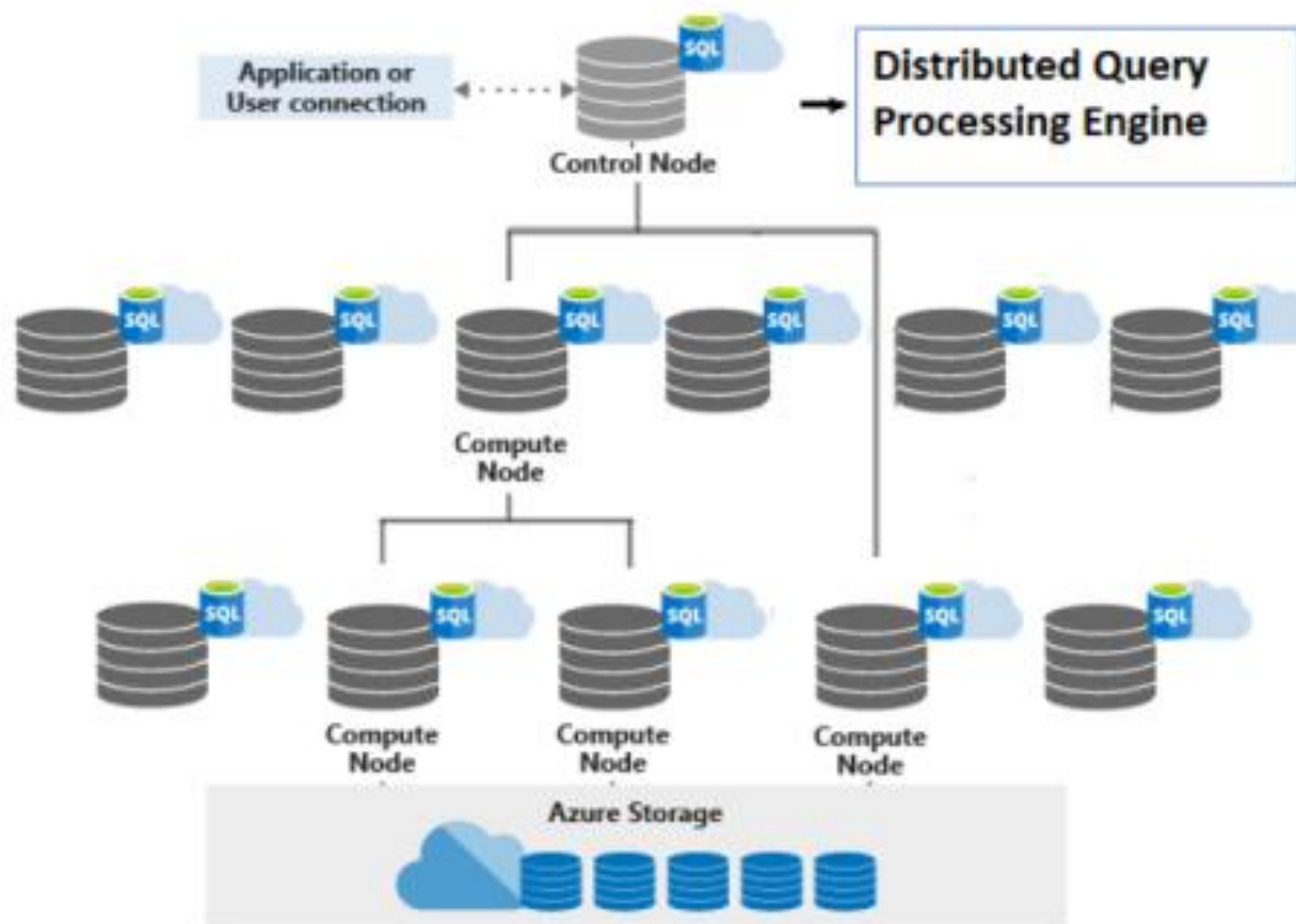
**Demo**

SQL

# Dedicated SQL pool



# Serverless SQL pool



SQL

# Serverless SQL Pool

- Synapse Administrator

db\_owner (DBO) permissions on the 'Built-In' serverless SQL pool

- Synapse SQL Administrator

Can do all actions on SQL scripts

Can connect to SQL serverless endpoints with SQL db\_datareader,  
db\_datawriter, connect, and grant permissions



Serverless

SQL

# Dedicated SQL Pool

- Synapse Administrator

- Full access to data in dedicated SQL pools

- Grant access to other users

- Perform configuration and maintenance activities

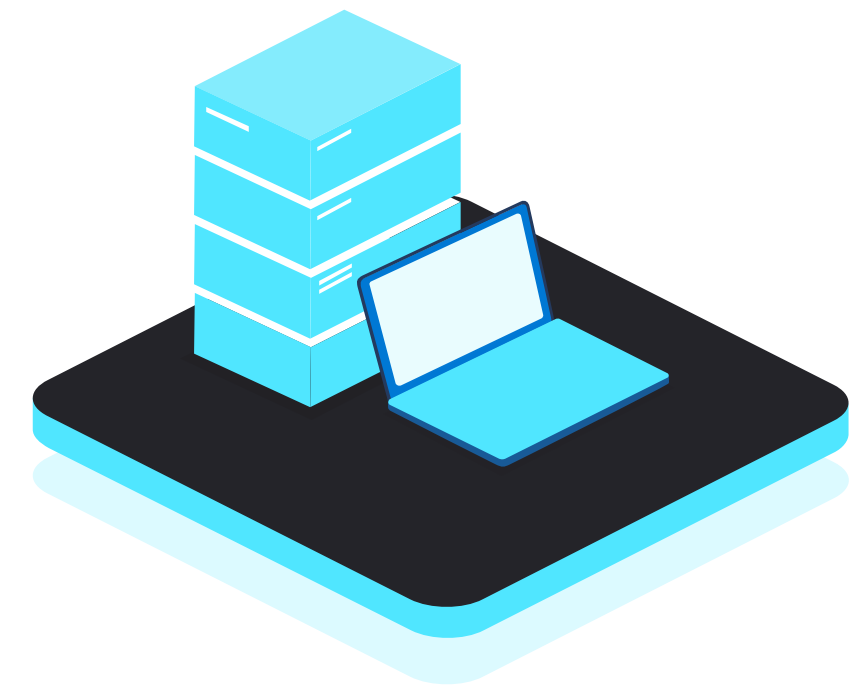
- Can't drop dedicated SQL pools

- Synapse SQL Administrator

- No access by default

- Active Directory Admin

- Full access



Dedicated

SQL

# SQL Pools

## Serverless SQL Pool

```
use master
go
CREATE LOGIN [erwin.de.kreuk@demo.com] FROM EXTERNAL PROVIDER;
go
```

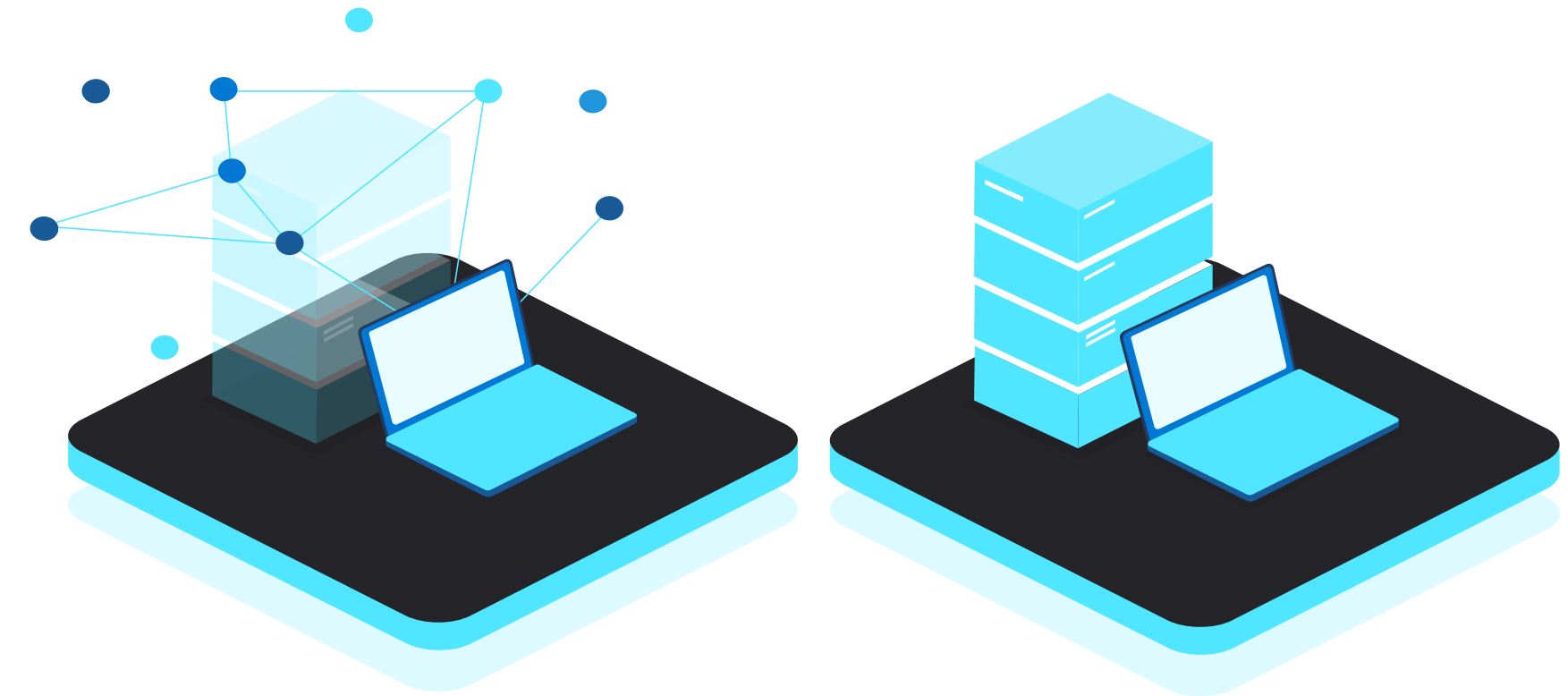
```
use yourdb -- Use your database name
go
CREATE USER demouser FROM LOGIN [erwin.de.kreuk@demo.com];
```

```
use yourdb -- Use your database name
go
alter role db_owner Add member demouser
```

## Dedicated SQL Pool

```
--Create user in the database
CREATE USER [erwin.dekreuk@gmail.com] FROM EXTERNAL PROVIDER;
```

```
--Grant role to the user in the database
EXEC sp_addrolemember 'db_owner', 'erwin.dekreuk@gmail.com';
```



Serverless

Dedicated



**Demo**

# Azure Dev Ops

- Azure Dev Ops

- Basic user settings

- Azure Artifact Publisher

- Azure Contributor (Azure RBAC) or higher role on the Synapse workspace

- Dev Ops Service Connection

- Azure Contributor (Azure RBAC) or higher role on the Resource Group

- Azure Synapse Administrator

✖ Generating templates

`{"error":{"code":"AuthorizationFailed","message":"The client 'live.com#erwin.dekreuk@gmail.com' with object id '0c60f428-e8dd-41b3-b6d6-89f35f21e0ff' does not have authorization to perform action 'Microsoft.Synapse/workspaces/write' over scope '/subscriptions, .....-47a63a1533c6/resourcegroups/RG/providers/Microsoft.Synapse/workspaces/' or the scope is invalid. If access was recently granted, please refresh your credentials."}}`



# Who is using Privileged Identity Management ?

# Privileged Identity Management (Preview)

- Secure Synapse Administrator role
- More secure
- All Logins are logged
- Possible with approval process
- Specific Time windows

The screenshot shows the 'Activate - Member' page in the Azure Privileged Identity Management (PIM) console. The breadcrumb navigation at the top reads 'Dashboard > Privileged Identity Management > Groups (Preview)'. The page title is 'Activate - Member' with a subtitle 'Privileged Identity Management | Groups (Preview)'. On the left sidebar, under the 'My roles' section, 'Groups (Preview)' is selected. The main content area has three tabs: 'Roles', 'Activate', and 'Status', with 'Status' being the active tab. The status section displays three stages of activation: Stage 1 (green checkmark) 'Processing your request and activating your role.', Stage 2 (blue circle) 'Validating that your activation is successful.', and Stage 3 (blue refresh icon) 'Activation completed successfully.' Below the stages, an information icon indicates: 'When the final stage completes your browser will automatically refresh. You do not have to sign-out and back in again.' At the bottom right, a timer shows 'Refresh in 5 second(s)' with a 'Cancel' link.

Dashboard > Privileged Identity Management > Groups (Preview)

**My roles**  
Privileged Identity Management

Activate

- Azure AD roles
- Groups (Preview)**
- Azure resources

Troubleshooting + Support

- Troubleshoot
- New support request

## Activate - Member

Privileged Identity Management | Groups (Preview)

Roles   Activate   **Status**

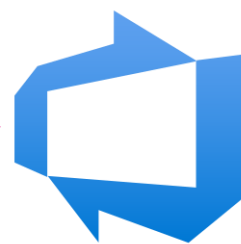
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**Stage 2**  
Validating that your activation is successful.

**Stage 3**  
Activation completed successfully.

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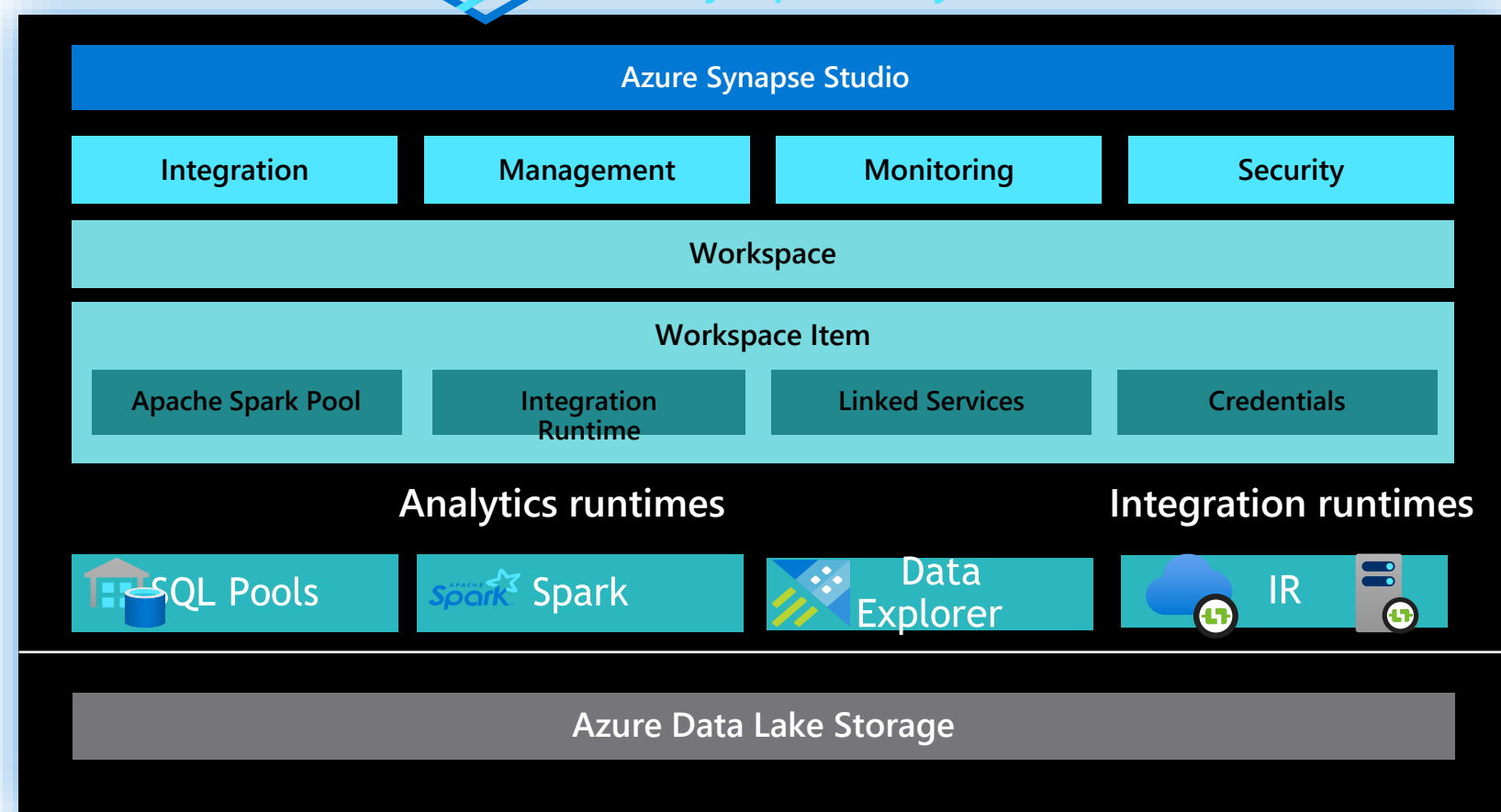
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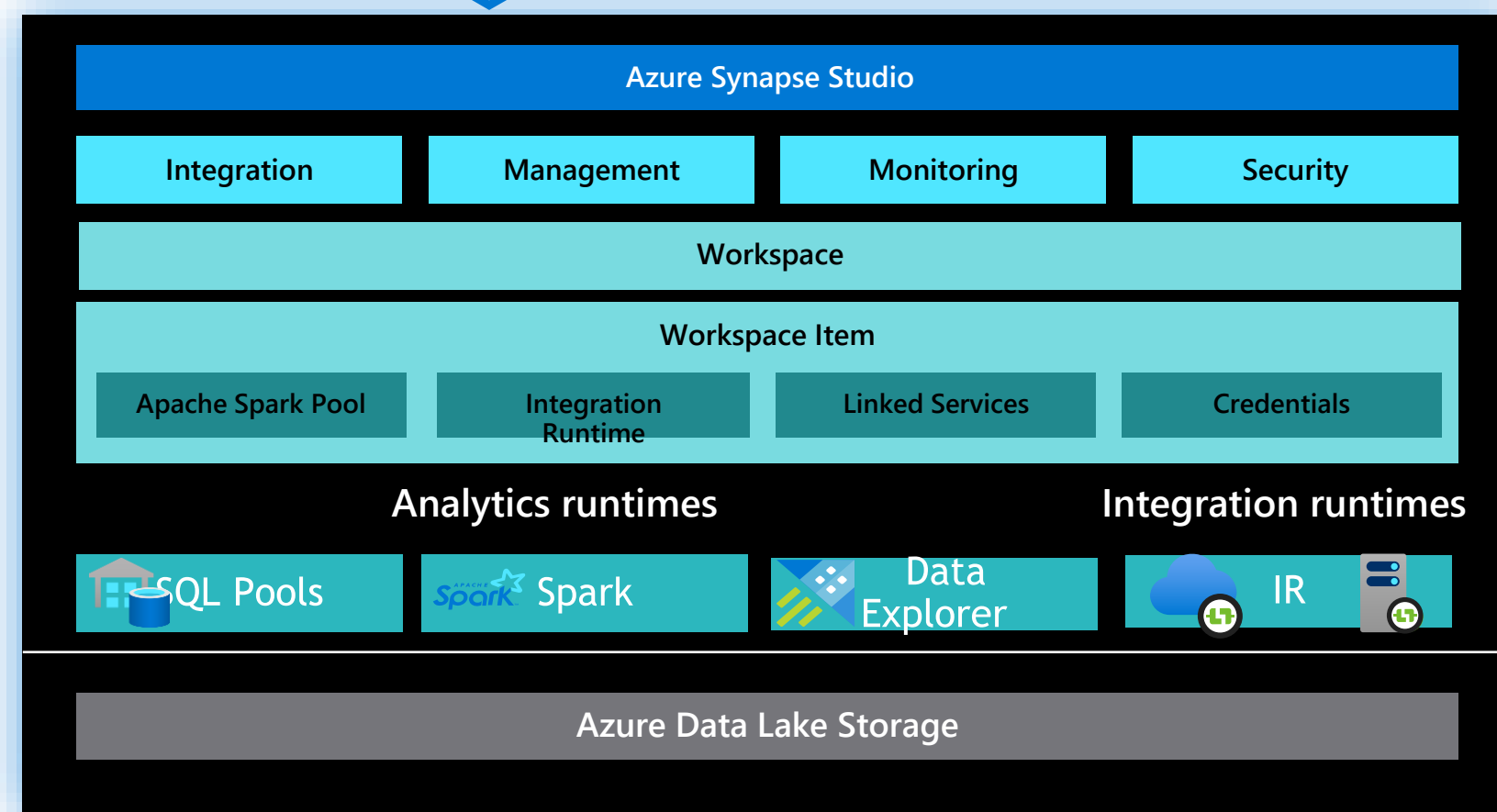
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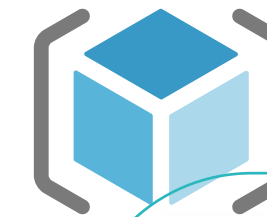
Needs to access SQL Serverless

Publish or edit Code

- Data Scientist:

Needs access to a specified Spark

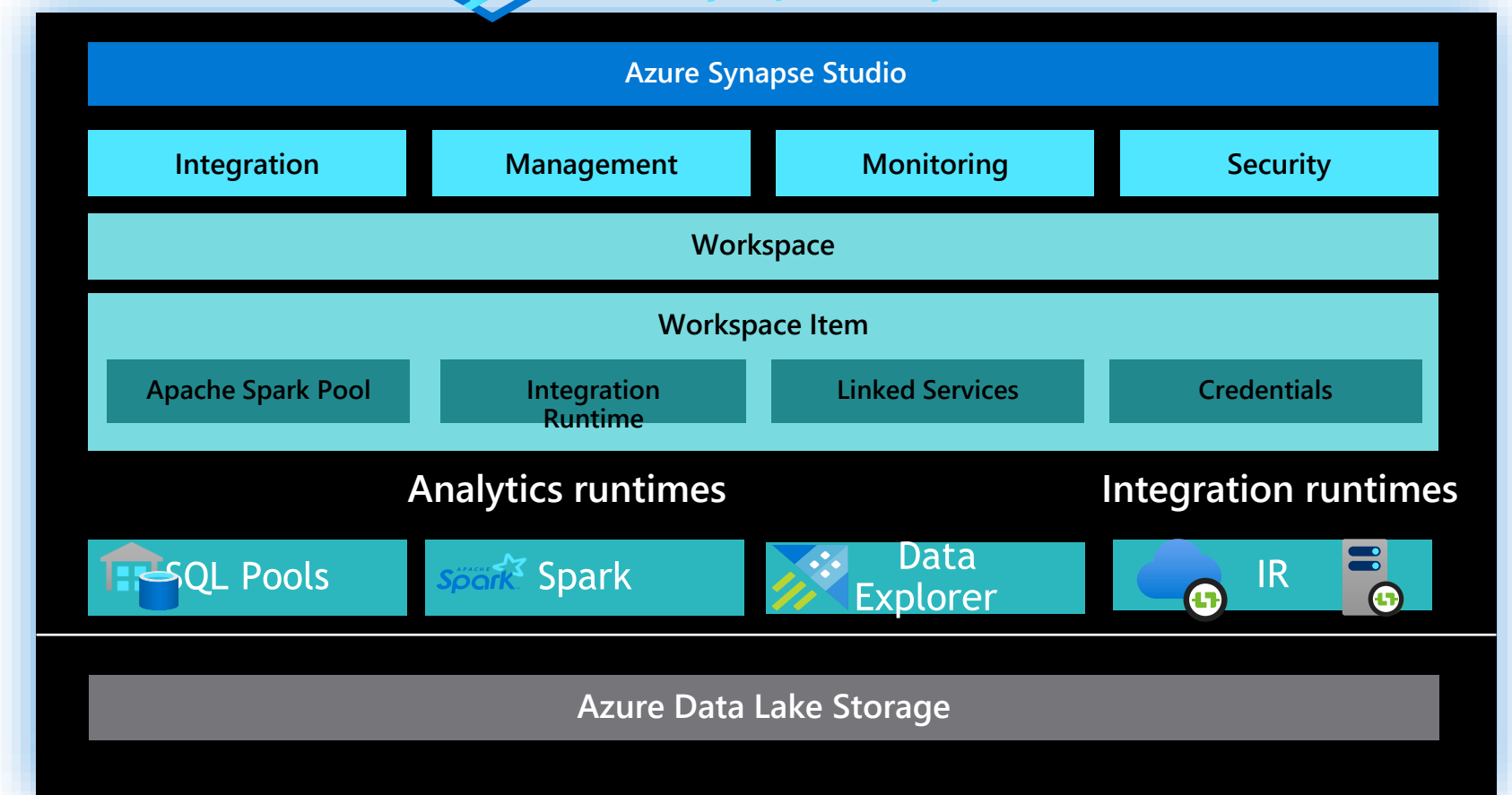
Submit Spark Jobs



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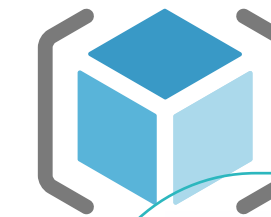
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**Demo**

# Recap

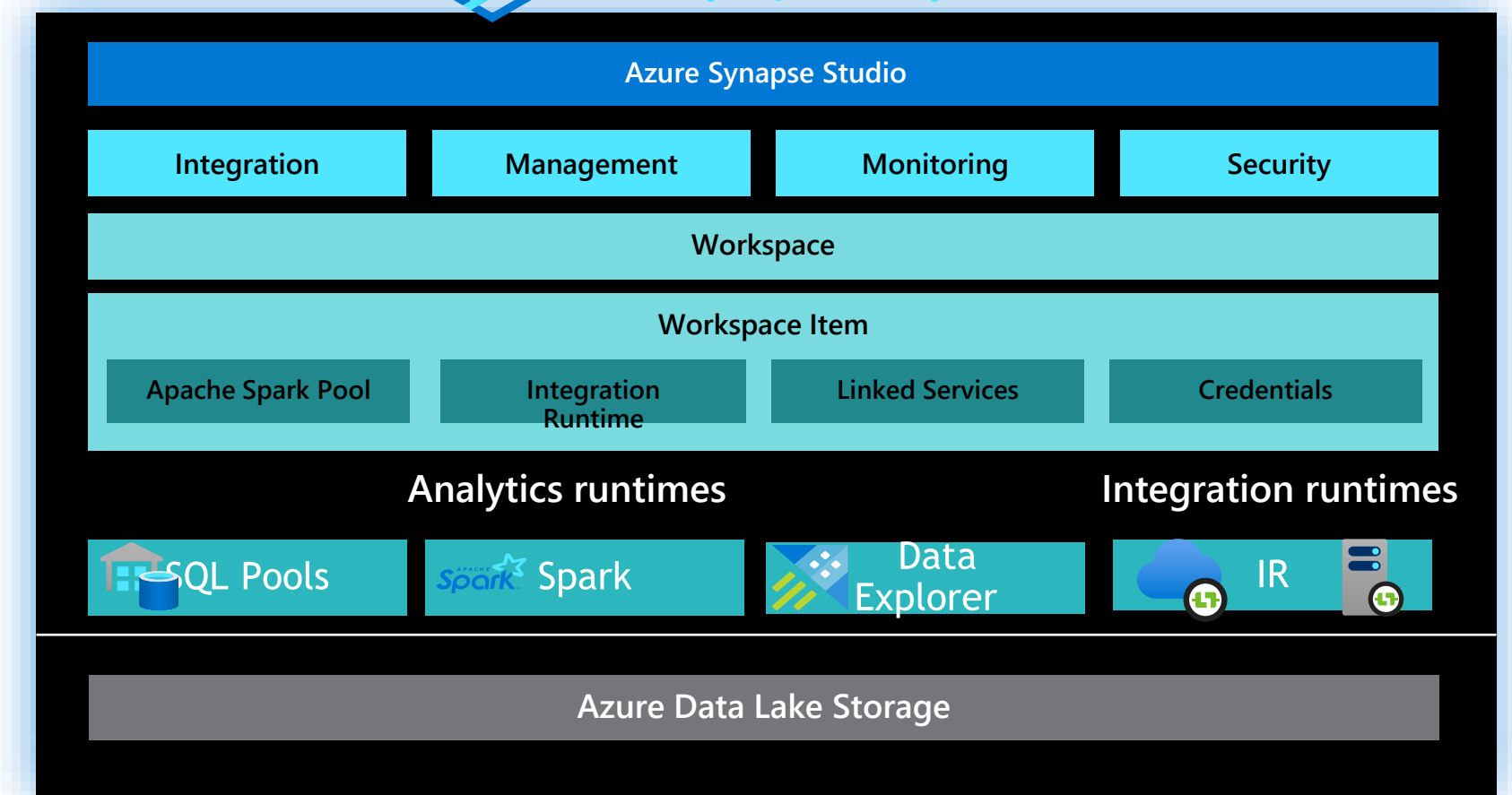
- Understanding Access Control in Azure Synapse
- Role-Based Access Control (RBAC)
- Access Control for Data Warehouses and Data Lakes
- Privileged Identity Management (PIM)



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Any questions left?

Zostały jakieś pytania?

# Thank you for attending!



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## FEEDBACK in the Whova APP

