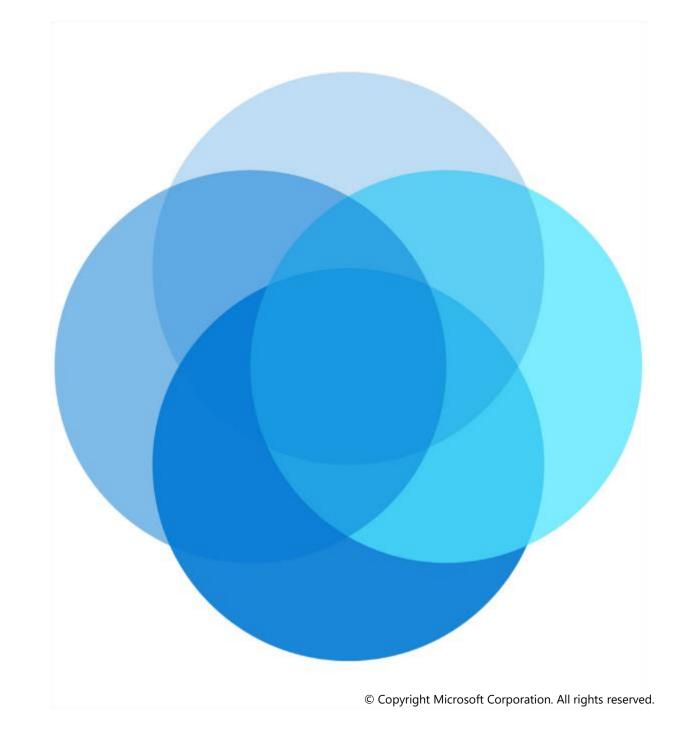


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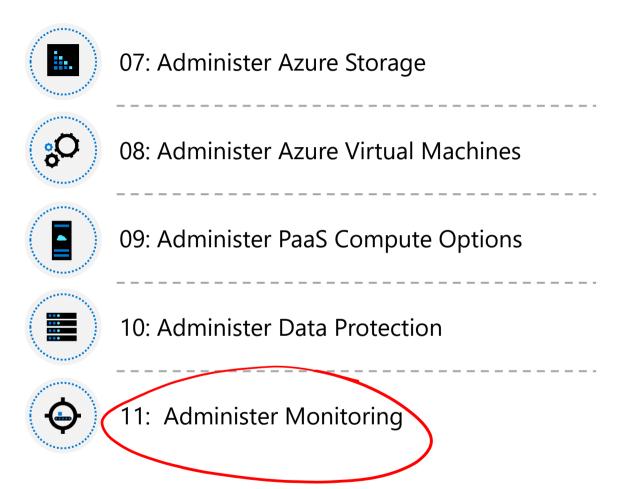




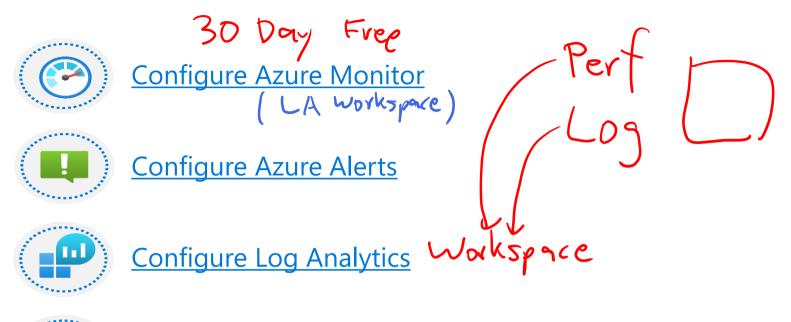
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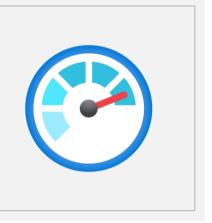


## Administer Monitoring Introduction





## **Configure Azure Monitor**



# Configure Azure Monitor Introduction



Describe Azure Monitor Key Capabilities



**Describe Azure Monitor Components** 



Define Metrics and Logs



**Identify Data Types** 



Describe Activity Log Events



Query the Activity Log



Summary and Resources

## **Describe Azure Monitor Key Capabilities**



#### **Monitor & Visualize Metrics**

Metrics are numerical values available from Azure Resources helping you understand the health, operation & performance of your systems.

**Explore Metrics** 



#### Query & Analyze Logs

Logs are activity logs, diagnostic logs and telemetry from monitoring solutions; Analytics queries help with troubleshooting & visualizations.

Search Logs



#### Setup Alert & Actions

Alerts notify you of critical conditions and potentially take corrective automated actions based on triggers from metrics or logs.

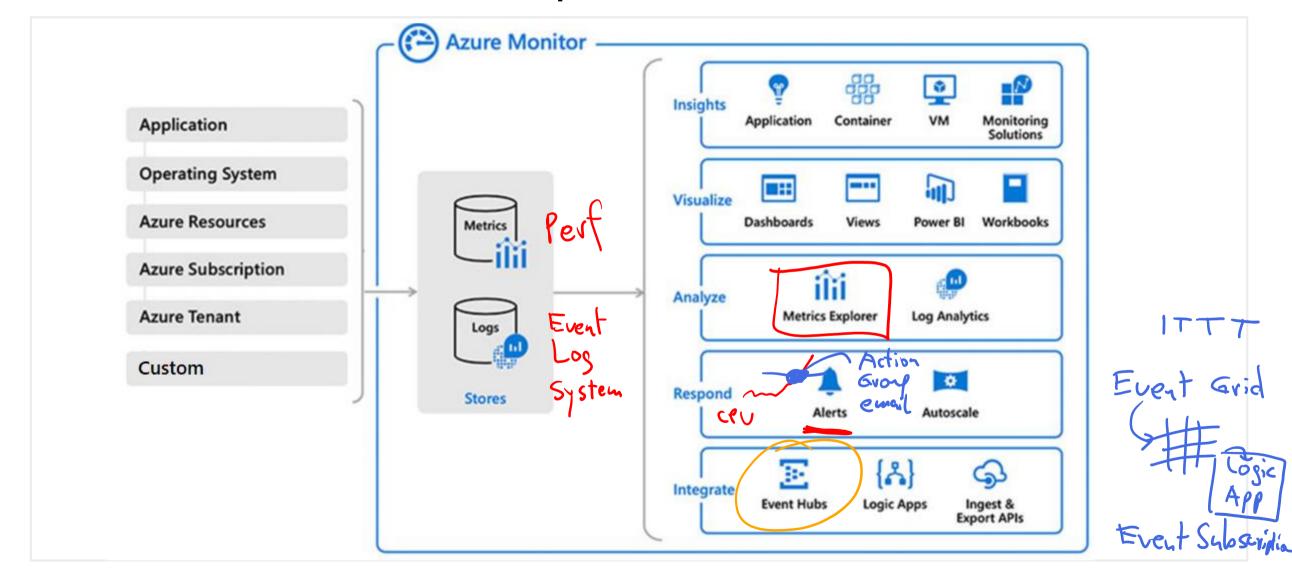
Create Alert

Core monitoring for Azure services

Collects metrics, activity logs, and diagnostic logs

Use for time critical alerts and notifications

## **Understand Azure Monitor Components**



## **Define Metrics and Logs**



- Metrics are numerical values that describe some aspect of a system at a point in time
- They are lightweight and capable of supporting near real-time scenarios

- Logs contain different kinds of data organized into records with different sets of properties for each type
- Telemetry (events, traces) and performance data can be combined for analysis

## **Identify Data Types**



**Application monitoring data** – Performance and functionality of the code you have written, regardless of its platform



**Guest OS monitoring** – Azure, another cloud, or on-premises



Azure resource monitoring



**Azure subscription monitoring** – Operation and management of an Azure subscription, as well as data about the health and operation of Azure itself



Azure tenant monitoring – Operation of tenant-level Azure services, such as Azure Active Directory

## **Describe Activity Log Events**

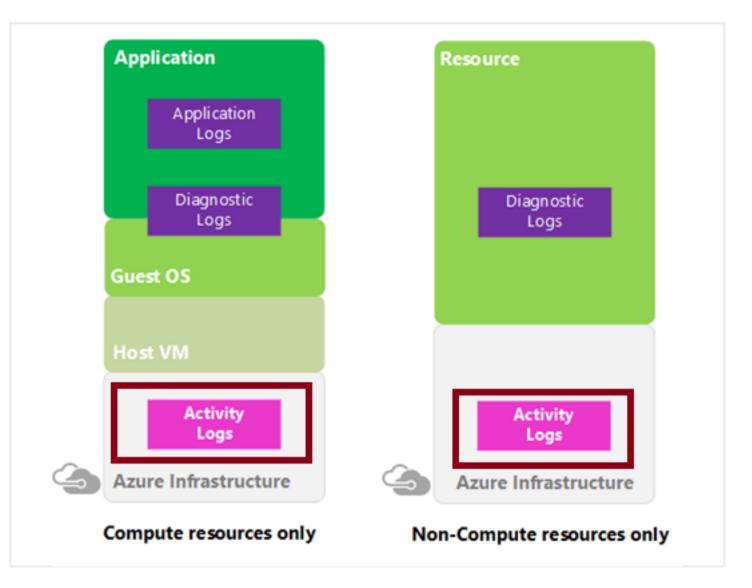
Send data to Log Analytics for advanced search and alerts

Query or manage events in the Portal, PowerShell, CLI, and REST API

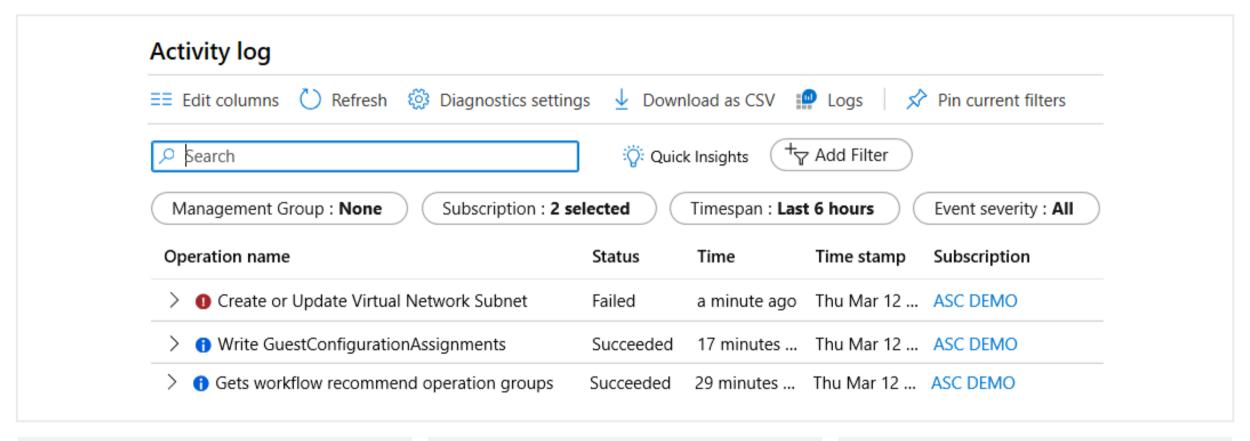
Stream information to Event Hub

Archive data to a storage account

Analyze data with Power BI



## **Query the Activity Log**



Filter by Management group, Subscription, Timespan, and Event Severity Add a filter, like Event Category (Security, Recommendations, Alerts)

Pin current filters and download as CSV

## **Summary and Resources – Configure Azure Monitor**

**Knowledge Check Questions** 

Microsoft Learn Modules (docs.microsoft.com/Learn)



Analyze your Azure infrastructure by using Azure Monitor logs (Sandbox)

Monitor and report on security events in Azure AD Docs

Monitor, diagnose, and troubleshoot your Azure storage (Sandbox)

Monitor the performance of virtual machines using Azure Monitor VM Insights (Sandbox)

A sandbox indicates a hands-on exercise.

## **Configure Azure Alerts**



# Configure Azure Alerts Overview



Manage Azure Monitor Alerts



**Create Alert Rules** 



**Create Action Groups** 

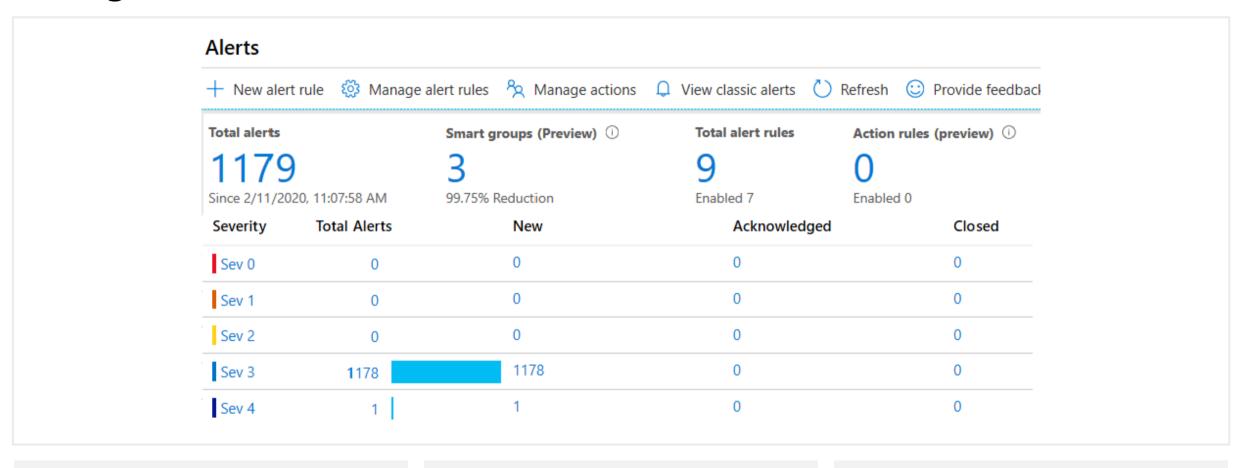


Demonstration – Alerts



Summary and Resources

### Manage Azure Monitor Alerts



Unified authoring experience

Displayed by severity

Categorized by New, Acknowledged, and Closed

#### **Create Alert Rules**

**Scope**: Target selection, Alert criteria, and Alert logic

Alert rule details: name, description, and severity (0 to 4)

Action group: Notify your team via email and text messages or automate actions using webhooks and runbooks

#### Home > Alerts >

#### Create alert rule

Rules management

Create an alert rule to identify and address issues when important conditions are found in your monitoring data. When defining the alert rule, check that your inputs do not contain any sensitive content.

#### Scope

Select the target resource you wish to monitor.

#### Resource

No resource selected yet

#### Select resource

#### Condition

Configure when the alert rule should trigger by selecting a signal and defining its logic.

#### Condition name

No condition selected yet

#### Action group

Send notifications or invoke actions when the alert rule triggers, by selecting or creating a new action group.

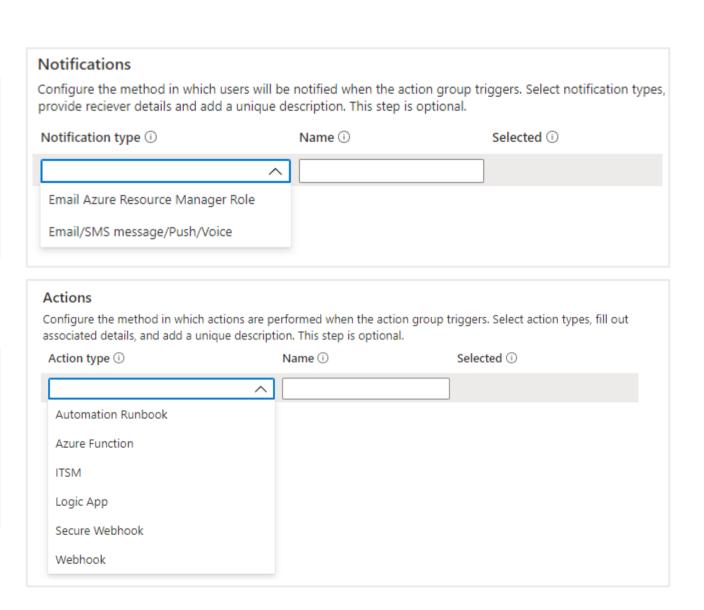
#### Action group name

No action group selected yet

### **Create Action Groups**

Configure the method in which users will be notified when the action group triggers

Configure the method in which actions are performed when the action group triggers



#### **Demonstration – Alerts**



Create an alert rule



**Explore alert targets** 



Explore alert conditions



Explore alert details

## Summary and Resources – Configure Azure Alerts

**Knowledge Check Questions** 

Microsoft Learn Modules (docs.microsoft.com/Learn)



Improve incident response with alerting on Azure (Sandbox)

Configure for alerts and detections in Microsoft Defender for Endpoint

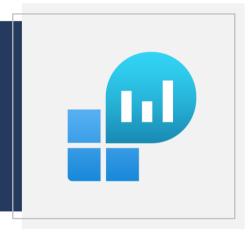
Manage alerts and incidents in Microsoft Defender for Endpoint

Remediate security alerts using Microsoft Defender for Cloud

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# **Configure Log Analytics**



## Configure Log Analytics Introduction

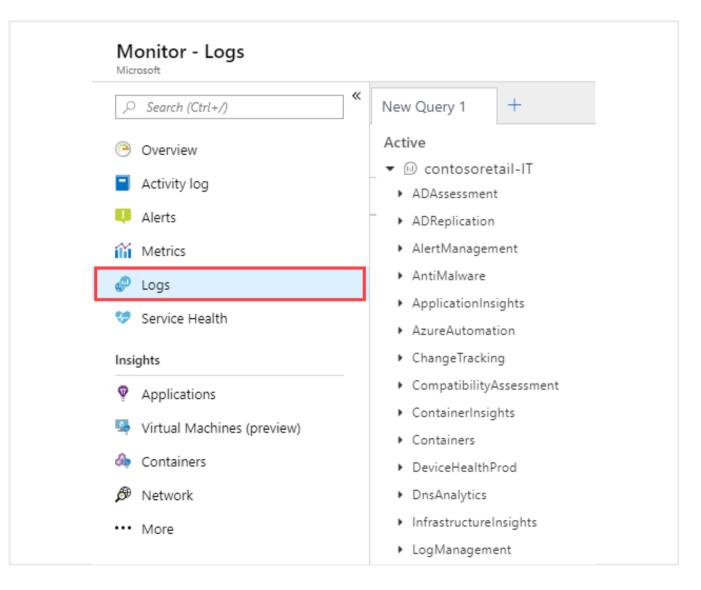
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## **Determine Log Analytics Uses**

A service that helps you collect and analyze data generated by resources in your cloud and on-premises environments

Write log queries and interactively analyze their results

Examples include assessing system updates and troubleshooting operational incidents

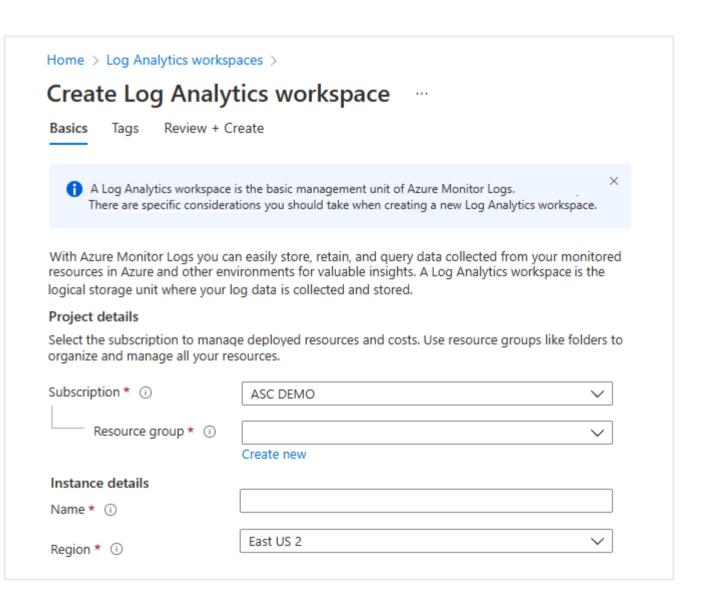


### **Create a Workspace**

A workspace is an Azure resource and is a container where data is collected, aggregated, analyzed, and presented

You can have multiple workspaces per Azure subscription, and you can have access to more than one workspace

A workspace provides a geographic location, data isolation, and scope



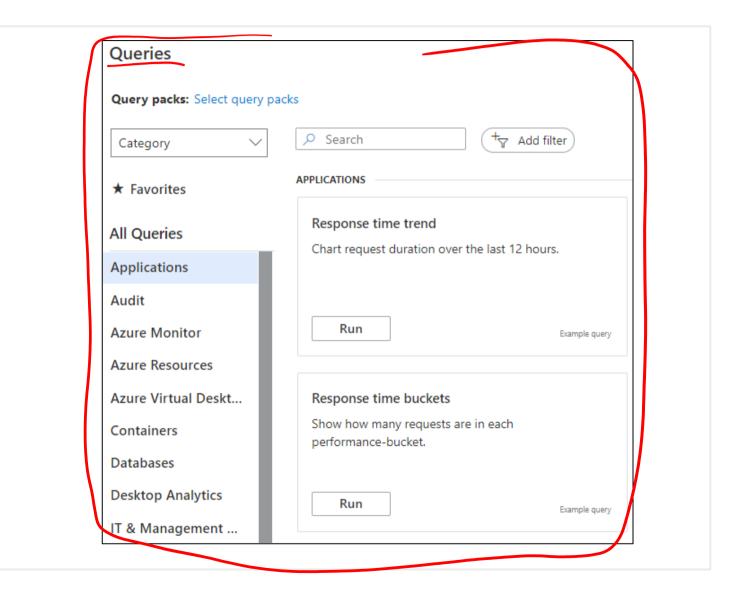
## **Query Log Analytics Data**

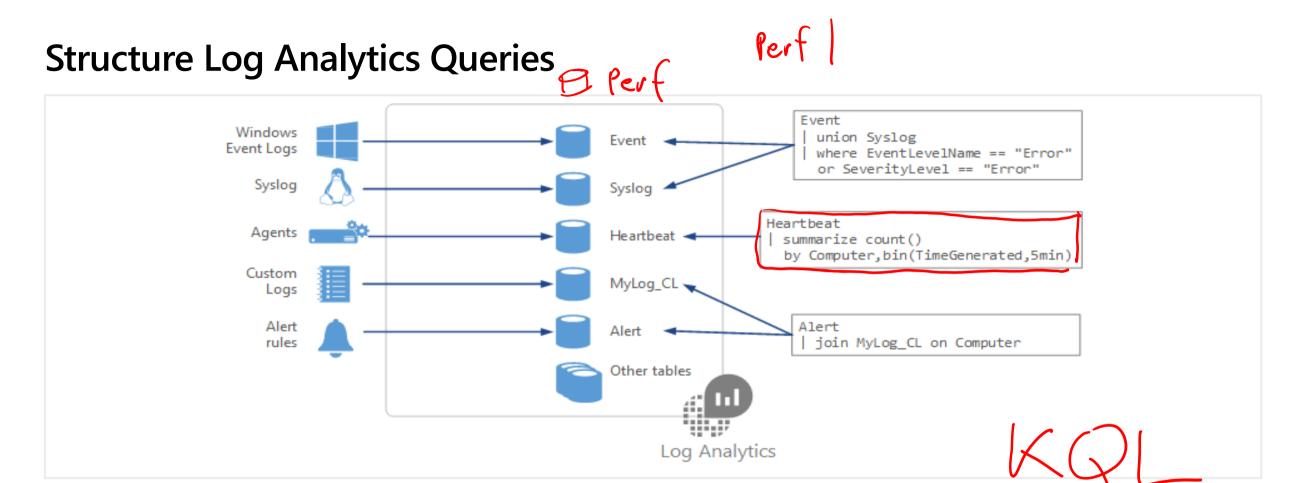
Common queries and a query language for custom searches

Quickly retrieve and consolidate data in the repository

Save or have log searches run automatically to create an alert

Export the data to Power BI or Excel

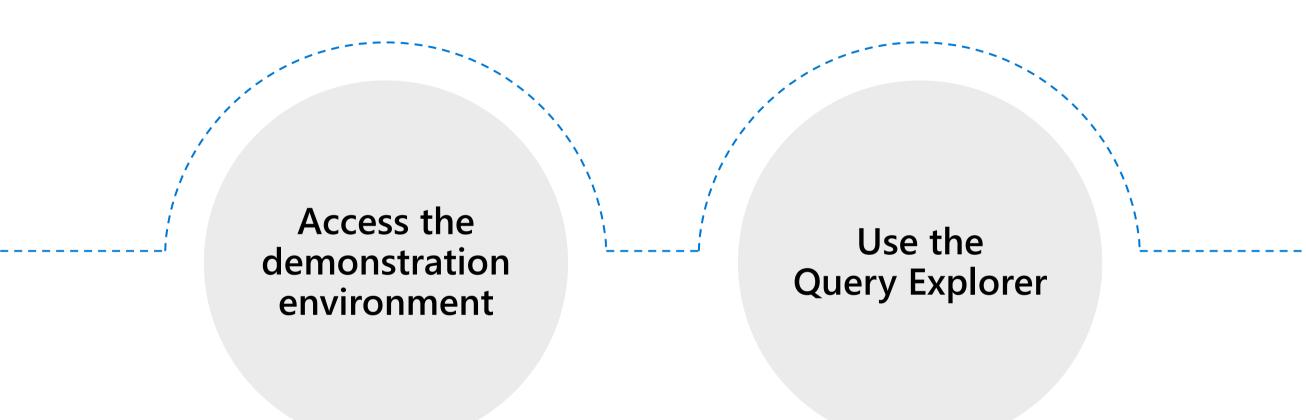




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Event
| where (EventLevelName == "Error")
| where (TimeGenerated > ago(1days))
| summarize ErrorCount = count() by Computer
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top 10 by ErrorCount desc

## **Demonstration – Log Analytics**



## Summary and Resources – Configure Log Analytics

#### **Knowledge Check Questions**



#### Microsoft Learn Modules (docs.microsoft.com/Learn)

Analyze your Azure infrastructure by using Azure Monitor logs (Sandbox)
Monitor the performance of virtual machines using Azure Monitor VM Insights (Sandbox)
Write your first query with Kusto Query Language

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## Lab 11 – Implement Monitoring



## Lab 11 – Implement monitoring

#### Lab scenario

You need to evaluate Azure functionality that would provide insight into performance and configuration of Azure resources, focusing on Azure virtual machines. To accomplish this, you intend to examine the capabilities of Azure Monitor, including Log Analytics

#### **Objectives**

#### Task 1:

Provision the lab environment

#### Task 2:

Create and configure an Azure Log Analytics workspace and Azure Automation-based solutions

#### Task 3:

Review default monitoring settings of Azure virtual machines

#### Task 4:

Configure Azure virtual machine diagnostic settings

#### Task 5:

Review Azure Monitor functionality

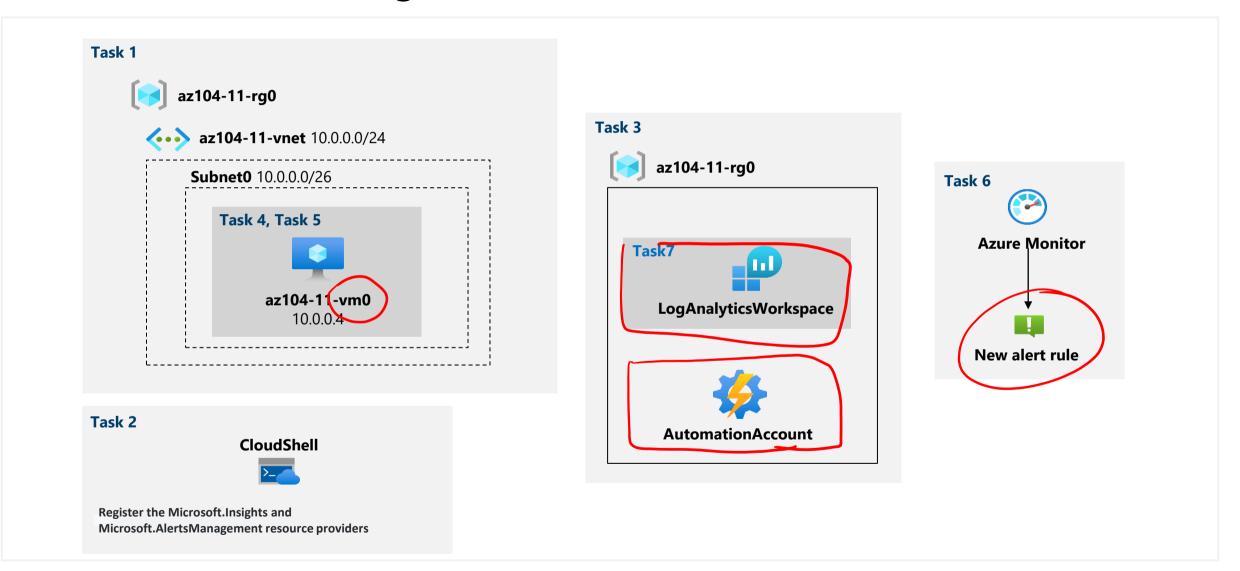
#### Task 6:

Review Azure Log Analytics functionality

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## Lab 11 – Architecture diagram



# **End of presentation**



## **Default Azure Active Directory Logs**

**Activity Reports** 

Report	Azure AD Free	Azure AD Premium P1	Azure AD Premium P2
Audit logs	Seven days	30 days	30 days
Sign-ins	Seven days	30 days	30 days
Azure AD MFA usage	30 days	30 days	30 days

**Security Signals** 

Report	Azure AD Free	Azure AD Premium P1	Azure AD Premium P2
Risky users	No limit	No limit	No limit
Risky sign-ins	7 days	30 days	90 days

Features of Azure Monitor that are automatically enabled such as collection of standard metrics and activity logs are provided at **no cost**.

For more functionality such as longer retention, you should route the entries to another location based on your needs.

Entries in the Activity Log are system generated and cannot be changed or deleted.

## **Default Subscription Logs**

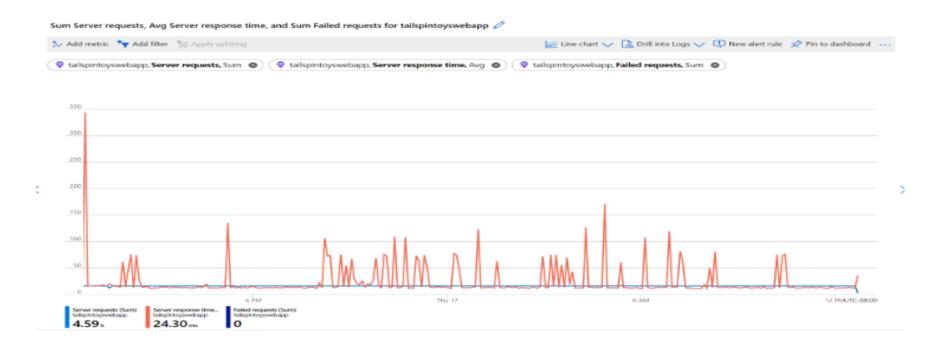


Activity log events are retained in Azure for **90 days** and then deleted

There's **no charge** for entries during this time regardless of volume

For more functionality such as longer retention, you should route the entries to another location based on your needs

#### **Default Metrics**



For most resources in Azure, platform metrics are stored for **93 days** at **no cost.** There are some exceptions.

You can only query (in the **Metrics** tile) for a maximum of **30 days** worth of data on any single chart.

You can send platform metrics for Azure Monitor resources to a Log Analytics workspace for long-term trending.