Design, Implement, and Manage a P2S VPN Connection



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Overview



Select an appropriate virtual network gateway SKU

Plan and configure authentication

- RADIUS
- Certificate-based
- OpenVPN

Implement a VPN client configuration file

Diagnose and resolve client-side and authentication issues



Relevant Exam AZ-700 Skills

Exam AZ-700: Designing and Implementing Microsoft Azure Networking Solutions – Skills Measured

Design, Implement, and Manage Hybrid Networking (10-15%)

Design, implement, and manage a point-to-site VPN connection

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- plan and configure certificate-based authentication
- plan and configure OpenVPN authentication
- plan and configure Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) authentication
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Point-to-Site VPN Basics

Azure P2S VPN



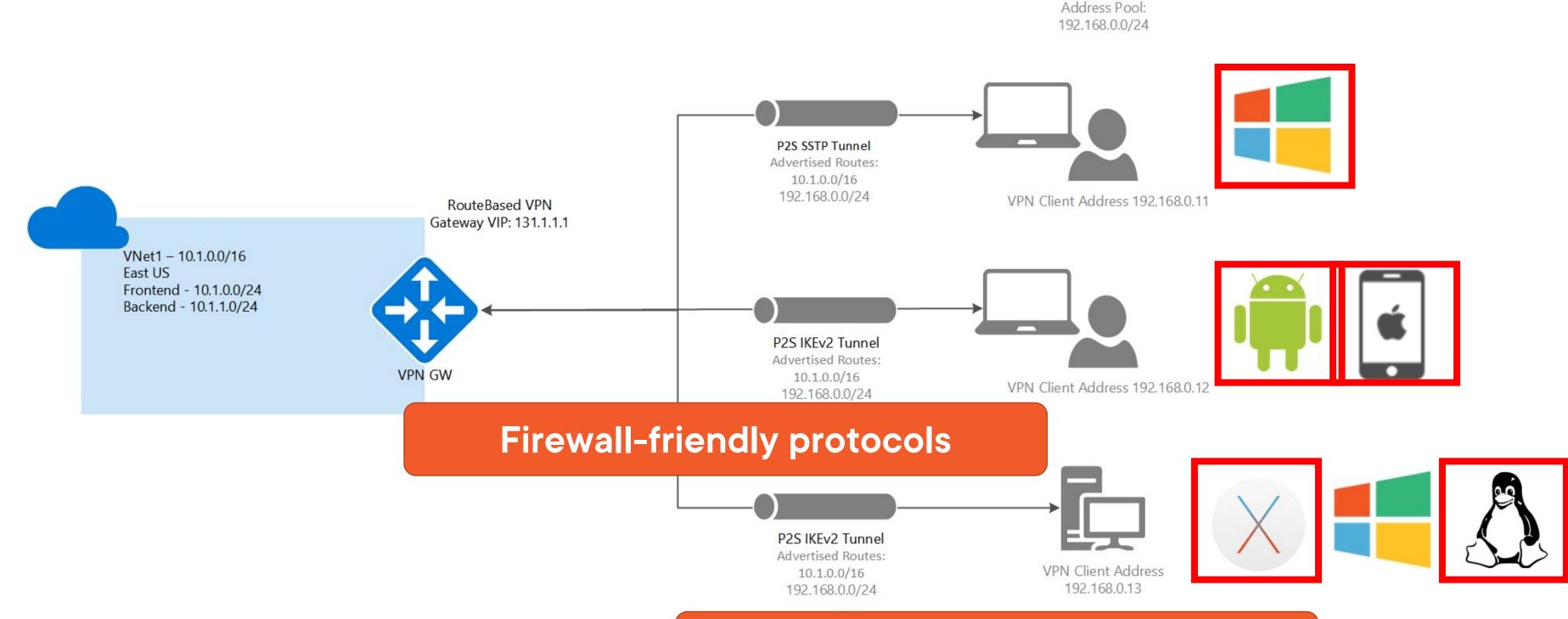
You might have services bound to an Azure VNet

You might have telecommuters or very few Azure users

You don't need or want the overhead of a S2S VPN or ExpressRoute circuit



Point-to-Site VPN Topology



No need for corporate VPN device

VPN Client



Configure P2S VPN Connections



P2S VPN Tunnel Types



SSTP (SSL) - Proprietary. Supports only Windows devices



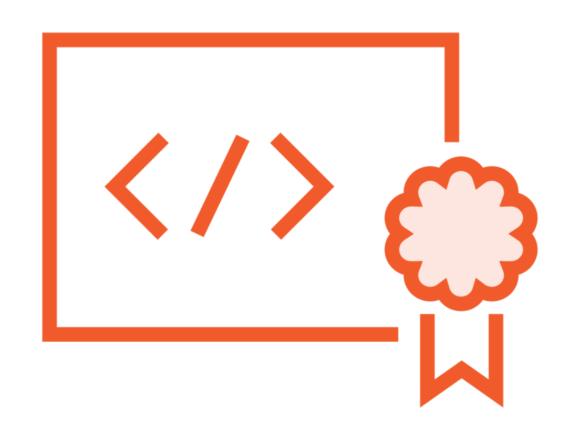
OpenVPN (SSL) - Open standard. Supports Windows, Linux, macOS, iOS, and Android



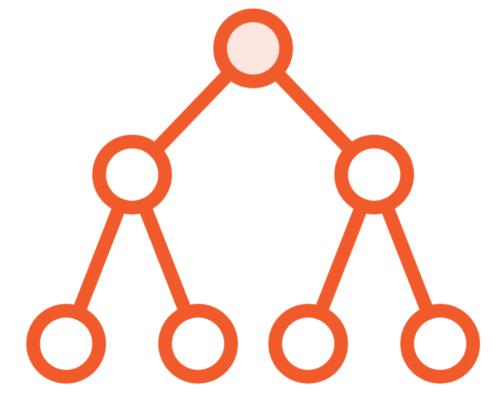
IKEv2 - Standards-based IPSec VPN solution. Supports macOS



P2S VPN Authentication Types







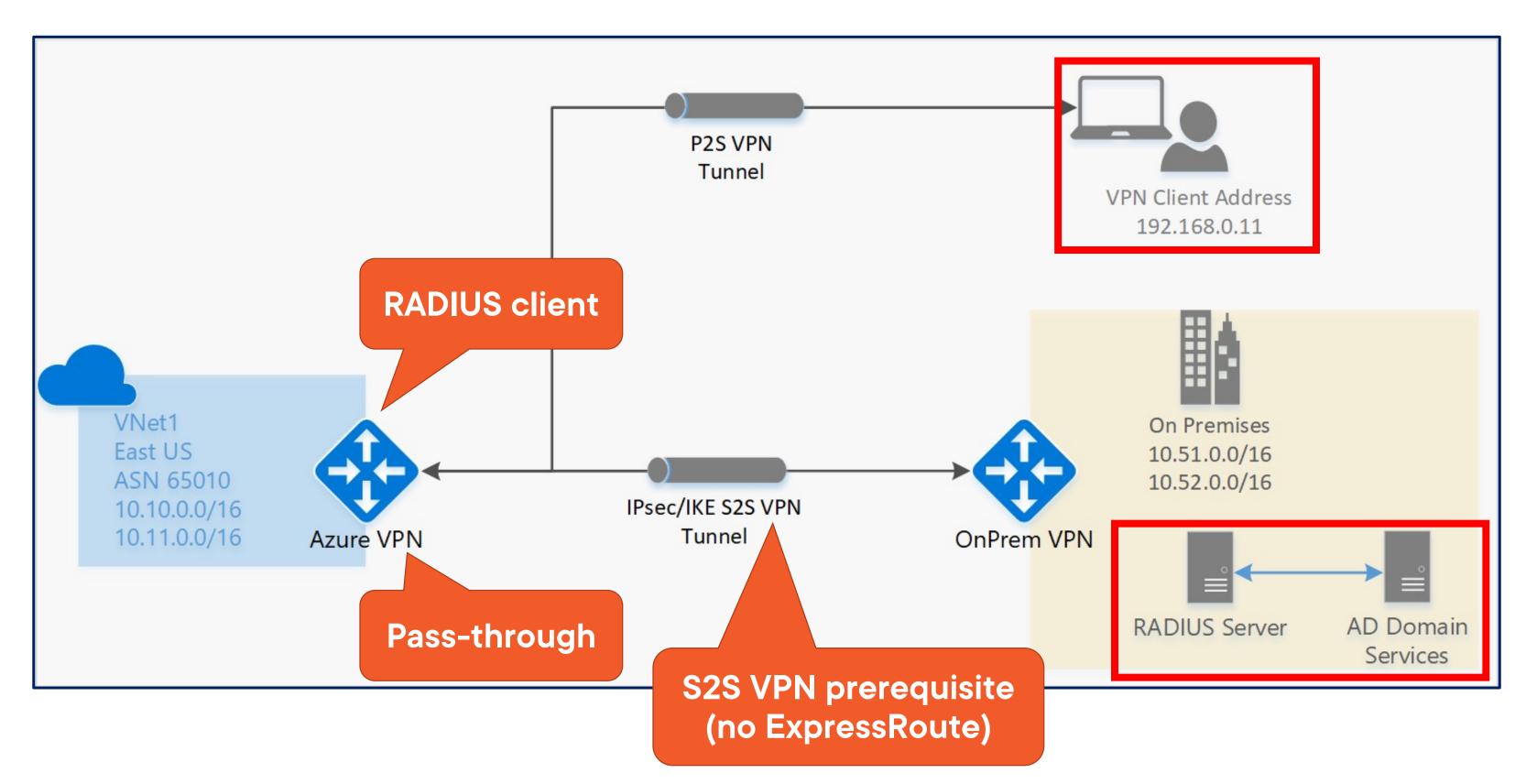
Azure certificate
Client certificate
Upload trusted root
certificate to gateway

Azure AD
Supported only for
Windows 10 with
OpenVPN and Azure
VPN Client

RADIUS
Integrate with AD DS
domain controllers
Network Policy Server
(NPS)

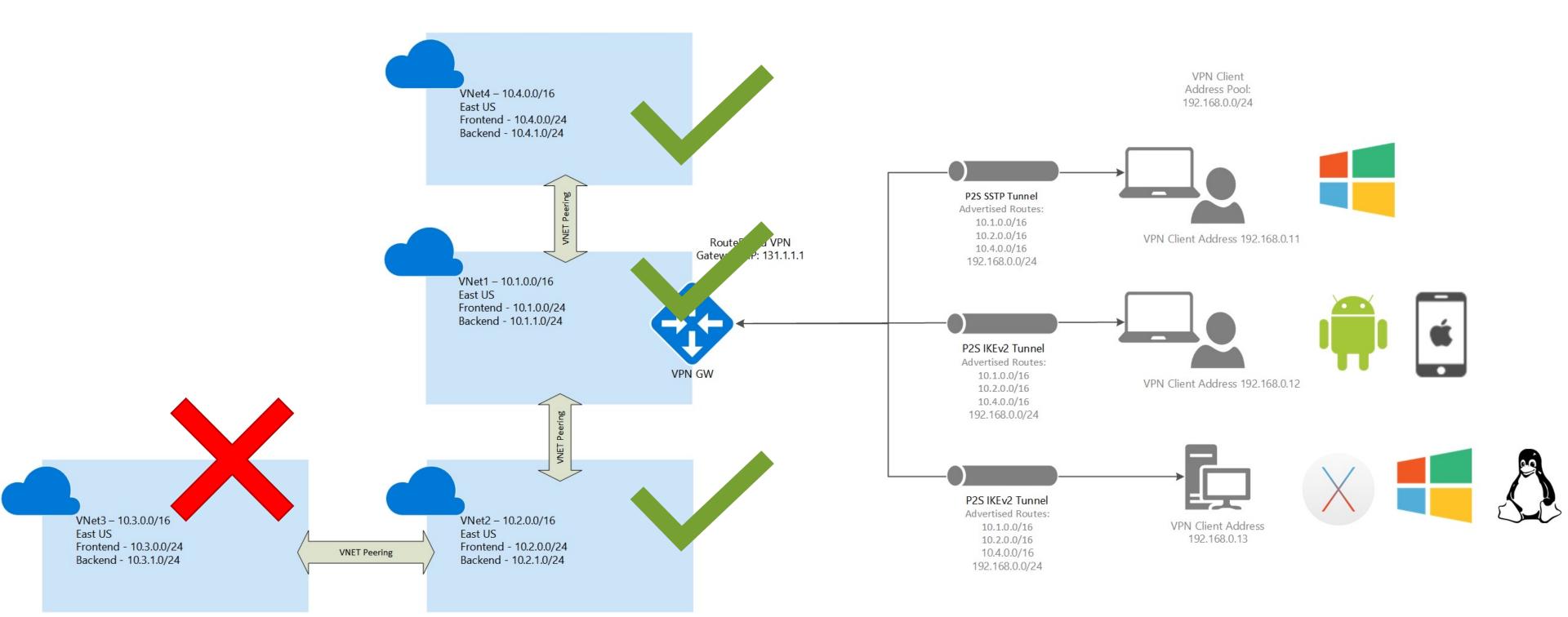


Azure P2S RADIUS Authentication



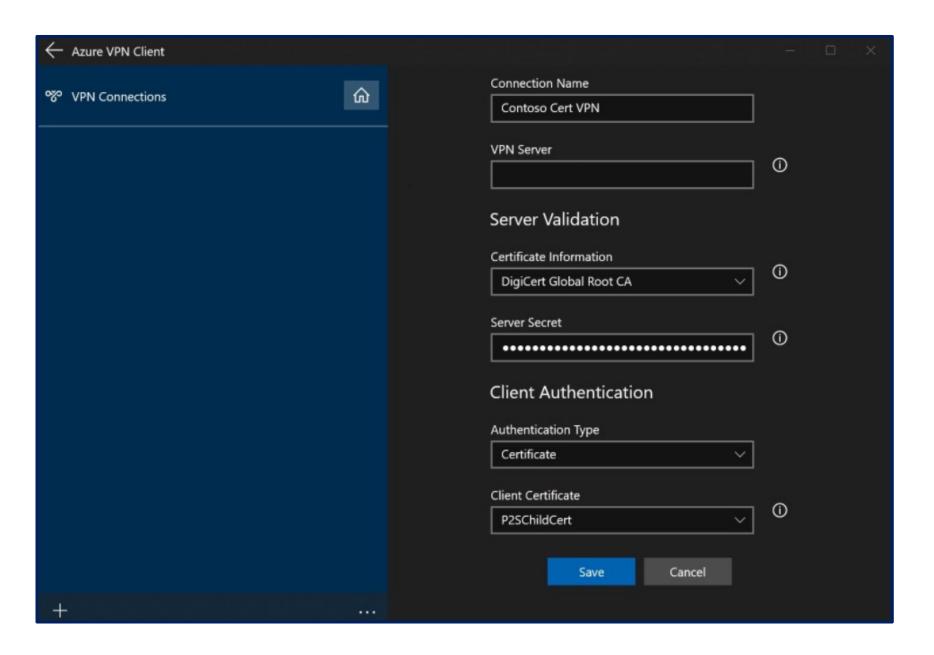


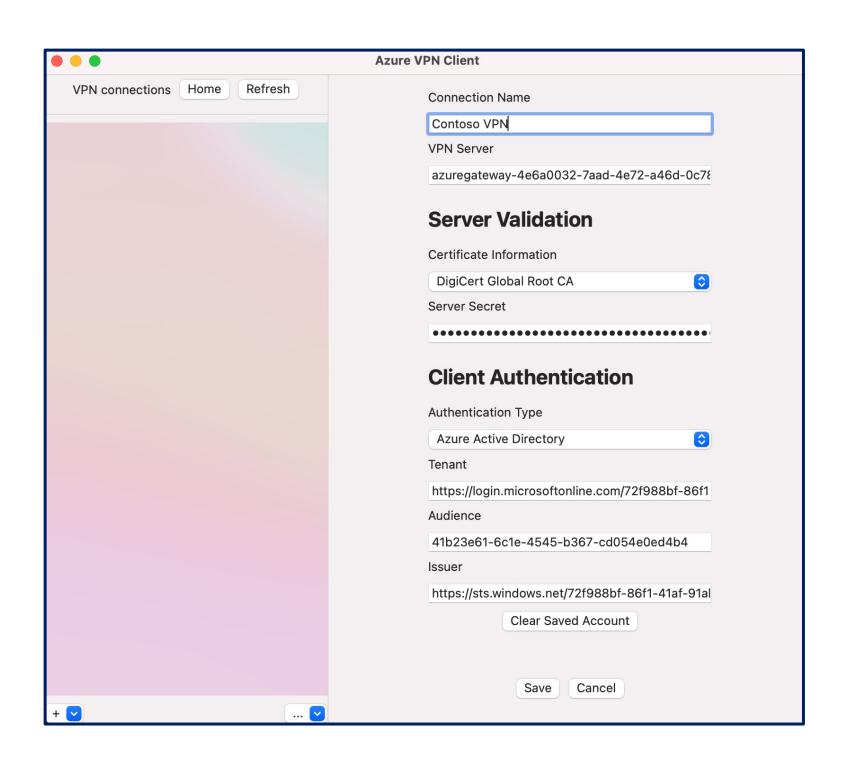
Azure P2S Routing with VNet Peering





Configure the P2S VPN Client

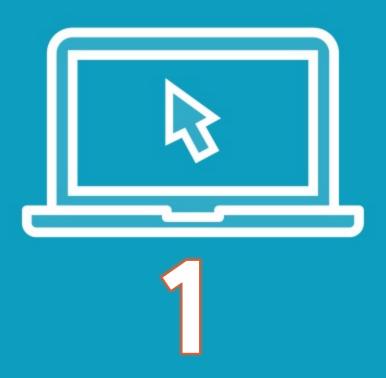




Azure VPN Client



Demo



Set up P2S VPN

Test on Windows 10 client

Troubleshoot P2S VPN Connections

Troubleshoot Azure P2S Connections

Double-check root, server, and client certificates

Do you need to redeploy/reinstall the VPN client?

Double-check protocol selection against client OSes in use

Run Azure VPN Client and Azure VPN gateway diagnostics



Summary



You may not need a P2S VPN tunnel

- Azure Cloud Shell
- Azure portal mobile apps (iOS, Android)

What if you have need for a persistent Azure connection that bypasses the public Internet?

Next module: Design, Implement, and Manage Azure ExpressRoute