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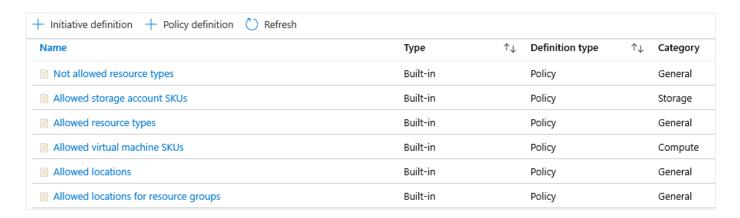
Create policy definitions

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Azure Policy offers built-in policy definitions to help you quickly configure control conditions for your resources. In addition to the built-in policies, you can also create your own definitions, or import definitions from other sources.

Access built-in policy definitions

You can sort the list of built-in definitions by category to search for policies that meet your business needs.

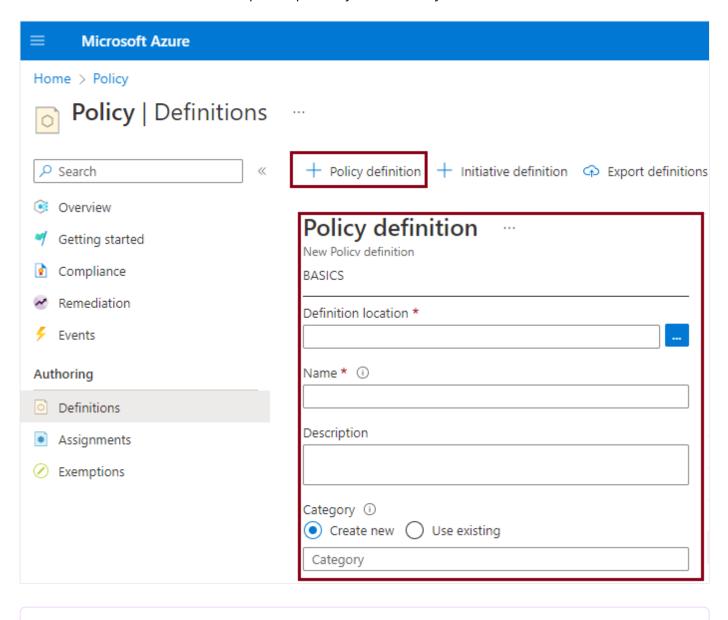


Here are some examples of built-in policy definitions:

- Allowed virtual machine size SKUs: Specify a set of VM size SKUs that your organization can deploy. This policy is located under the Compute category.
- Allowed locations: Restrict the locations users can specify when deploying resources. Use this policy to enforce your geo-compliance requirements. This policy is located under the General category.
- Configure Azure Device Update for IoT Hub accounts to disable public network access: Disable public network access for your Device Update for IoT Hub resources. This policy is located under the Internet of Things category.

Add new policy definitions

If you don't find a built-in policy to meet your business needs, you can add or create a new definition. Policy definitions can also be imported into Azure Policy from GitHub . New policy definitions are added to the samples repository almost daily.



① Note

When you add or create a policy definition, be sure the definition uses the specific JSON format required by Azure. For more information, see **Azure Policy definition structure**.

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