The paradigm shift from MLOps to LLMOps

	Traditional MLOps	LLMOps
Target audiences	ML Engineers Data Scientists	ML Engineers App developers
Assets to share	Model, data, environments, features	LLM, agents, plugins, prompts, APIs
Metrics/evaluations	Accuracy	Quality: accuracy, similarity Harm: bias, toxicity Correct: groundness Cost: token per request Latency: response time, RPS
ML models	Build from scratch	Pre-built, fine-tuned served as API (MaaS)

Implementing LLMOps in Azure AI & Azure AI Studio

Discover foundation models with ease through a unified model catalog

Access and customize thousands of foundation models

Scale LLM practices with precision to ensure consistent and streamlined workflows

Version-control prompts and integrate with CI/CD

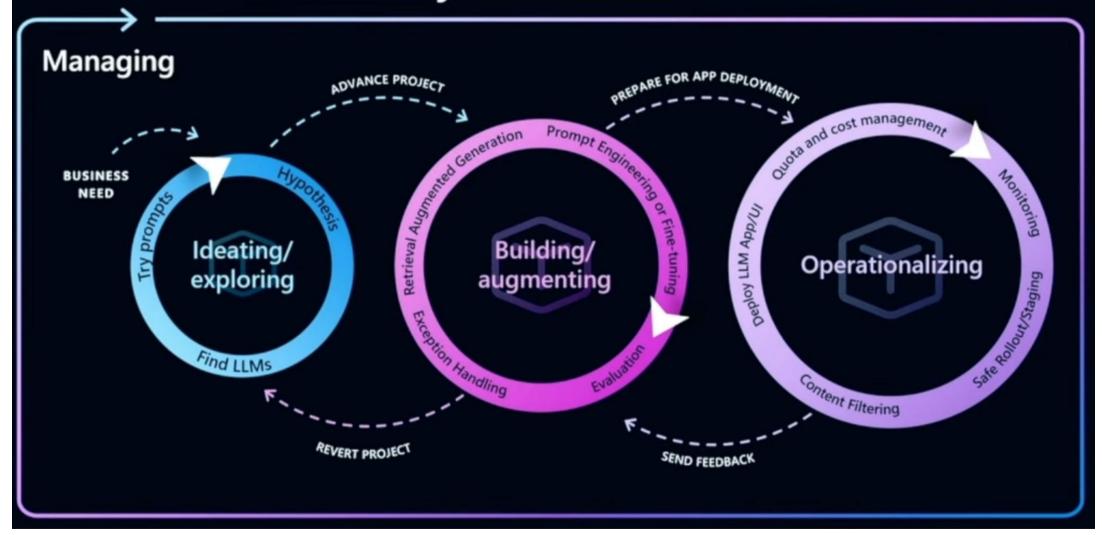
Foster team collaboration among various types of roles – data engineers, ML engineers, app developers

Promote, discover, and share LLM assets across organizations

Cultivate trust and transparency with built-in Al governance and Responsible Al

Engineered to be secure, trusted and responsible

LLM Lifecycle in the real world



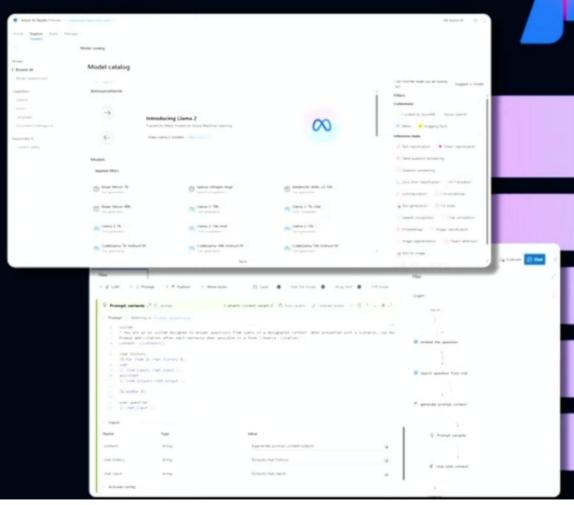
Grounding your LLM apps with your data

Fine-tuning

-> complex, expensive

RAG - Retrieval Augmented Generation

- -> enriching a prompt with context
- -> less complex than fine tuning a model





Access to thousands of LLMs from OpenAl, Meta, Hugging Face

Data grounding with RAG

Prompt engineering/evaluation

Built-in safety and responsible Al

Continuous monitoring for LLMs

Use case - Contoso customer service chat

Use case risk

- High risk = Collaborate
 - · Patient diagnostics
 - · Economic decisions
- Low risk = Automate
 - Customer support (with handover)
 - · Information retrieval
 - Content generation
 - · Language translation
 - Education



Azure AI prompt flow

Connections

Manage APIs and external data sources

- Seamless integration with pre-built LLMs like Azure OpenAl Service
- Built-in safety system with Azure AI Content Safety
- Effectively manage credentials or secrets for APIs
- Create your own connections in Python tools

Orchestrate flows

Develop your LLM flow from scratch

- Use any framework such as LangChain or Semantic Kernel to build initial flows
- Add your own reusable tools
- Manage your flows as files
- Track run history

Prompt flow transition journey (cloud - local)

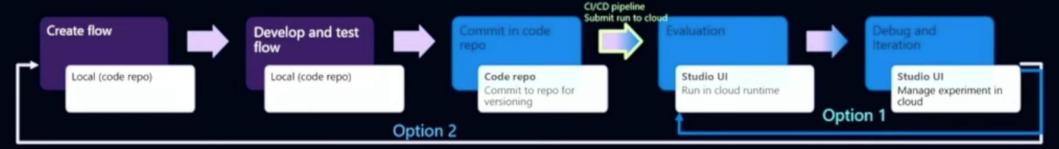
Journey 1: Pure Cloud UI Cloud develop, Cloud run, Cloud manage

Non-developers who prefer to develop flow and experimentally run flow with pure UI experience in workspace.



Journey 2: Local + cloud Cloud/repo develop, Repo versioning, Repo submit run to cloud, Cloud manage

Developers who prefer to develop flow in UI, then versioning in code repo, and experimentally run flow in code repo with CI/CD integration.



Tips for iteration:

Option 1: you can stay in cloud UI, edit flow based on experiment snapshot. Then download flow files to local to commit to repo.

Option 2: you can return to code repo, leverage VS code extension to edit flow locally. Then go through the subsequent processes.

