# Azure Quota Checker Script

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#### **Prerequisites**

Before running this script, ensure that the following conditions are met:

Azure CLI is available. Azure Cloud Shell already has Azure CLI installed.

Logged into Azure. Azure Cloud Shell is automatically logged in.

# **Usage Instructions**

This script is intended to be uploaded and executed in Azure Cloud Shell. Please follow these steps:

- 1. Obtain the Script
- Upload the script file from your local machine to Azure Cloud Shell.
  - Click the "Upload/Download" button at the top of the Azure Cloud Shell window and select "Upload".
  - Choose the file check\_azure\_quota.ps1 to upload.
- 2. Run the Script
- In Azure Cloud Shell, execute the following command:

```
./check_quota.ps1
```

- 3. Enter the Azure Region
- When prompted, enter the Azure region you want to check (e.g., japaneast).
- You can check the region names using the following command:

```
az account list-<mark>locations -o</mark> table
```

Refer to the Name column.

```
DisplayName Name RegionalDisplayName
```

East US	eastus	(US) East US	
Japan East	japaneast	(Asia Pacific) Japan East	
West Europe	westeurope	(Europe) West Europe	

# What the Script Does

This PowerShell script checks the available quotas for specific Azure VM instance types in a specified region.

#### **Main Features:**

- 1. Error Handling
  - o If any command fails, the script displays an error message and exits.
- 2. Azure Region Input
  - Prompts the user to input the Azure region they wish to check.
- 3. Login Verification
  - Checks if Azure CLI is logged in. Azure Cloud Shell is already logged in, but if not, it prompts the user to log in.
- 4. Quota Filtering
  - Retrieves and displays VM usage filtered by specific quota names (Standard, HB, HC, etc.).

#### **PowerShell Script**

```
# Define a function for error handling
function Stop-Error {
   Write-Host "An error occurred. Exiting."
   exit 1
}
# Set the script to stop on any error
$ErrorActionPreference = "Stop"
# Prompt for Azure region input
$REGION = Read-Host "Please enter the Azure region"
# Verify that Azure CLI is logged in
try {
    az account show > $null
} catch {
   Write-Host "Please log in to Azure using 'Connect-AzAccount'."
    exit 1
}
# Define filters for quota names
$requiredFilter = "Standard"
$additionalFilters = @("HB", "HC", "Esv", "Fsv", "Dsv3", "Ebds")
# Retrieve and filter VM usage data
try {
    # Get usage information from Azure CLI
    $usagesJson = az vm list-usage --location $REGION
```

```
if (-not $usagesJson) {
        Write-Host "No data retrieved from Azure CLI."
        exit 1
    }
    # Convert JSON to PowerShell objects
    $usages = $usagesJson | ConvertFrom-Json
    if (-not $usages) {
        Write-Host "Failed to convert usage data."
        exit 1
    }
    # Apply the "Standard" filter
    $filteredUsages = $usages | Where-Object {
        $_.name.value -like "*$requiredFilter*"
    }
    if (-not $filteredUsages) {
       Write-Host "No data found matching the 'Standard' filter."
        exit 1
    }
    # Apply additional filters
    $furtherFilteredUsages = $filteredUsages | Where-Object {
        $match = $false
        foreach ($filter in $additionalFilters) {
            if ($_.name.value -like "*$filter*") {
                $match = $true
                break
            }
        $match
    }
    if (-not $furtherFilteredUsages) {
       Write-Host "No data found after applying additional filters."
        exit 1
    }
   # Display the filtered usage data
   Write-Host "Filtered usage data:" -ForegroundColor Green
    $furtherFilteredUsages | Select-Object @{Name="Quota Name";Expression=
{$_.name.value}}, CurrentValue, Limit | Format-Table
} catch {
    Stop-Error
```

#### Troubleshooting

If an error message appears

• Ensure that the region name you entered is correct. You can check the region names using az account list-locations -o table.

• Verify that you have appropriate permissions to access Azure CLI.

# • If quota information cannot be retrieved

- Check whether the specified region has the relevant quotas available.
- Adjust the filter conditions in the script to obtain the necessary quota information.

#### Notes

# • Using Azure Cloud Shell

- Azure Cloud Shell is a browser-based shell environment with PowerShell and Azure CLI preinstalled.
- Use the "Upload/Download" feature in Cloud Shell to upload files.

# • Customizing the Script

 You can modify \$requiredFilter and \$additionalFilters within the script to change the types of quotas being checked.

#### • Permissions and Security

• Running the script requires appropriate access rights to your Azure subscription.