**Assignment: Working with Virtual Machines in Azure and GCP**

**1. Start and Stop a Virtual Machine**

* **GCP:**

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* **Azure:**

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**2. Monitor VM Costs**

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* **GCP:**

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I have been waiting for the bill for more than 12 hours, but it still shows 0, I assumed it might be because I just ran the VM for a couple of minutes.

**3. Compare and Reflect**

From my perspective, I kind of like Google Cloud, because it is much easier to set up. As for the cost, I think Google is cheaper.