





Secure your cloud like a master. Deep dive into Azure Security Center

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Azure Security Center



- ✓ Gain visibility and control into Azure infrastructure
- ✓ Monitor security also for on-premises machines
- ✓ Integrate 3rd party partner solutions
- ✓ Detect attacks on resources deployed in the environment

Azure Security Center is offered in two tiers: Free and Standard. The Standard tier is free for the first 60 days. Any usage beyond 60 days will be automatically charged as per the pricing scheme below.

FEATURES	FREE (AZURE RESOURCES ONLY)	STANDARD (HYBRID AND AZURE RESOURCES)
Security policy, assessment, and recommendations	✓	✓
Connected partner solutions	✓	✓
Security event collection and search	--	✓
Just in time VM Access	--	✓
Adaptive application controls	--	✓
Advanced threat detection for networks, VMs/servers, and Azure services	--	✓
Built-in and custom alerts	--	✓
Threat intelligence	--	✓
Included data	Not applicable	500 MB per day ¹
Price	Free	kr121.72 / node ² / month

What we get

Security Center agent scans for various security related configurations and events for machines:

- ✓ Operating system type and version
- ✓ Operating system logs (Windows event logs)
- ✓ Running processes
- ✓ Machine name
- ✓ IP addresses
- ✓ Logged in user
- ✓ Tenant ID
- ✓ Crash dump files

Show recommendations for

System updates

 On Off

Edit

Security configurations

 On Off

Endpoint protection

 On Off

Disk encryption

 On Off

Network security groups

 On Off

Web application firewall

 On Off

Next generation firewall

 On Off

Vulnerability Assessment

 On Off

Storage Encryption

 On Off

JIT Network Access

 On Off

Adaptive Application Controls

 On Off

SQL auditing & Threat detection

 On Off

SQL Encryption

 On Off

How data is stored.. Workspace

- ✓ A workspace is an Azure resource that serves as a container for data
- ✓ Might be used multiple workspaces to manage different sets of data that is collected from all or portions of IT infrastructure
- ✓ Data collected from the Microsoft Monitoring Agent (on behalf of Azure Security Center) will be stored in either an existing Log Analytics workspace(s) associated with your Azure subscription or a new workspace(s), taking into account the Geo of the VM

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Subscriptions

GENERAL

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PREVENTION

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ADVANCED CLOUD DEFENSE

[Adaptive application controls \(P...\)](#)[Just in time VM access \(Preview\)](#)

DETECTION

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Overview

Recommendations

15 Total

Security solutions

0 Total

New alerts & incidents

1 Total

Events - last week

758.8K Total

Prevention

Compute



7 Total

Networking



4 Total

Storage & data



16 Total

Applications



No resources

Detection

Security alerts



Most attacked resources

		7 Alerts
		3 Alerts

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Demo

Azure Security Center Dashboard



A faint watermark in the background shows a hand-drawn hex dump of binary data on graph paper. The data is written in red and blue ink, with some numbers crossed out or written over. The visible data includes:

```
00 8b  
b7 FF FF FF 8B  
5E89BFF FF FF  
433C089065A5D5F5E5B  
72 08BCE034A04  
30C837B0C0075488BC3  
D7505297 0CEB2  
3 F 89 89  
5A5D5F5E5B C3  
6 FF FF 00 00 81 E6 00  
89 3B 85 FF 74 23 BB D  
D9FD FF 00 00 E6 00 F  
00 81 E6 F  
73 8P
```

Azure Policy

- ✓ Currently Private Preview
- ✓ Allows to create, assign and, manage policy definitions
- ✓ Policy definitions enforce different rules and actions over resources
- ✓ Integrates with Security Center

Non-compliant initiatives 

2  out of 2

Non-compliant policies 

24  out of 27

Non-compliant resources 

36 

LEARN MORE
[Learn about Policy](#) 
[Onboarding tutorial](#)

ASSIGNMENTS BY COMPLIANCE (LAST 7 DAYS)

NAME	SCOPE	COMPLIANCE	TYPE	NON-COMPLIANT POLICIES	NON-COMPLIANT RESOURCES	
[Preview]: Enable Monitoring in Azure Security Center	[REDACTED]	✗ Non-compliant	Initiative	12	21	
[Preview]: Enable Monitoring in Azure Security Center	[REDACTED]	✗ Non-compliant	Initiative	11	14	
Allowed locations for Test subscription	[REDACTED]	✗ Non-compliant	Policy	1	1	

[View all](#)

Demo

Security Policies in Azure Security Center

Applying recommendations: Just in time

- ✓ The just in time feature is in preview and available on the Standard tier
- ✓ When just in time is enabled, Security Center locks down inbound traffic to Azure VMs by creating an NSG rule.
- ✓ You select the ports on the VM to which inbound traffic will be locked down. These ports are controlled by the just in time solution.

Demo

Just in time

```
00 8B  
B7 FF FF FF 8B  
5E 9B FF FF FF  
43 CD 89 06 5A 5D 5F 5E 5B  
72 0 8B CE 03 4A 04  
3 0C 83 7B 0C 00 75 48 BB C3  
D7 50 29 7 0CEB 2  
3 F 89 2 89  
5A 5D 5F 5E 5B C3  
6 FF FF 00 00 81 E6 00  
89 3B 85 FF 74 23 BB D  
D9 FD FF 00 00 E6 00 F  
00 00 81 E6 F  
73 RP
```

Applying recommendations: Adaptive Application Controls

- ✓ The just in time feature is in preview and available on the Standard tier
- ✓ Controls which applications can run on your VMs located in Azure
- ✓ SC uses machine learning to analyze the processes running in the VM
- ✓ SC relies on a minimum of two weeks of data in order to create a baseline
- ✓ By default a new application control policy is always configured in *Audit* mode

Demo

Adaptive application controls



A faint, semi-transparent watermark in the bottom right corner displays a hand-drawn hex dump of binary data on graph paper. The data is written in red and blue ink, showing values like 00 8B, FF FF FF, and various ASCII characters. The text is rotated and tilted, appearing as if it's been written by hand.

00	8B
b7	FF FF FF
8B	5E 9B FF FF FF
34	33 C0 89 06 5A 5D 5F 5E 5B
72	0 8B CE 03 4A 04
3	0C 83 7B 0C 00 75 48 8B C3
'D	75 05 29 7 0CEB 2
3	F 89 2 89
1	5A 5D 5F 5E 5B C3
6	FF FF 00 00 81 E6 00
89	3B 85 FF 74 23 BB D
9	D9 FD FF 00 81 E6 F
1	80 03 86 00 7A 3
3	CB 89 03 4F 5E 9
70	00 81 E6 F
73	8P

Detections capabilities

Threat intelligence

Looks for known malicious actors

Examples

- Network traffic to malicious IP address
- Malicious process executed

Behavioral analytics

Looks for known patterns and malicious behaviors

Examples

- Process executed in a suspicious manner

Anomaly detection

Uses statistical profiling to build historical baselines

Alert on deviations that conform to a potential attack vector

Fusion

Combine events and alerts from across the kill chain to map the attack timeline

Examples

- SQL injections (WAF + Azure SQL Logs)
- Malicious process (Crash dump... and later... suspicious process execution)
- Breach detection (Brute force attempt... and later... suspicious VM activity)

Demo Security Incident

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5E89BFF FF FF  
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D7505297 0CEB2  
3 F 89 89  
5A5D5F5E5B C3  
6 FF FF 00 00 81 E6 00  
893B85FF7423BB  
D9FD FF 00 00 E6 00 F  
00 00 81 E6 F  
73 RP
```

Creating Custom Alerts

- ✓ In a preview
- ✓ Custom alert rules in Security Center allows to define new security alerts based on data that is already collected from environment
- ✓ You can create queries, and the result of these queries can be used as criteria for the custom rule, and once this criteria is matched, the rule is executed
- ✓ You can use computers security events, partner's security solution logs or data ingested using APIs to create your custom queries

Demo

Custom security Incident

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D7505297 0CEB2  
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15A5D5F5E5B C3  
6 FF FF 00 00 81 E6 00  
893B85FF7423BB  
D9FDFF004E600F  
8003860048  
3CB89034F5E9  
0081E6F  
73 RP
```

Threat Intelligence in Security Center

- ✓ By using the threat intelligence option available in Security Center, IT administrators can identify security threats against the environment
- ✓ Scenario: computers can become nodes in a botnet when attackers illicitly install malware that secretly connects the computer to the command and control. Threat intelligence can also identify potential threats coming from underground communication channels, such as the dark web

Threat intelligence

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Refresh Analytics Filter

Time: Last 24 hours

THREAT BREAKDOWN

Threat types



BOTNET
781

ORIGIN COUNTRY	COUNT
Netherlands	376
United States	231
People's Republic of China	40
Indonesia	27
Vietnam	19
India	16
Brazil	9
Russia	9
Turkey	8
Kenya	6

THREAT LOCATION



THREAT DETAILS

Select an item on the map to v



Outgoing potential malicious traffic Incoming and other potential malicious traffic

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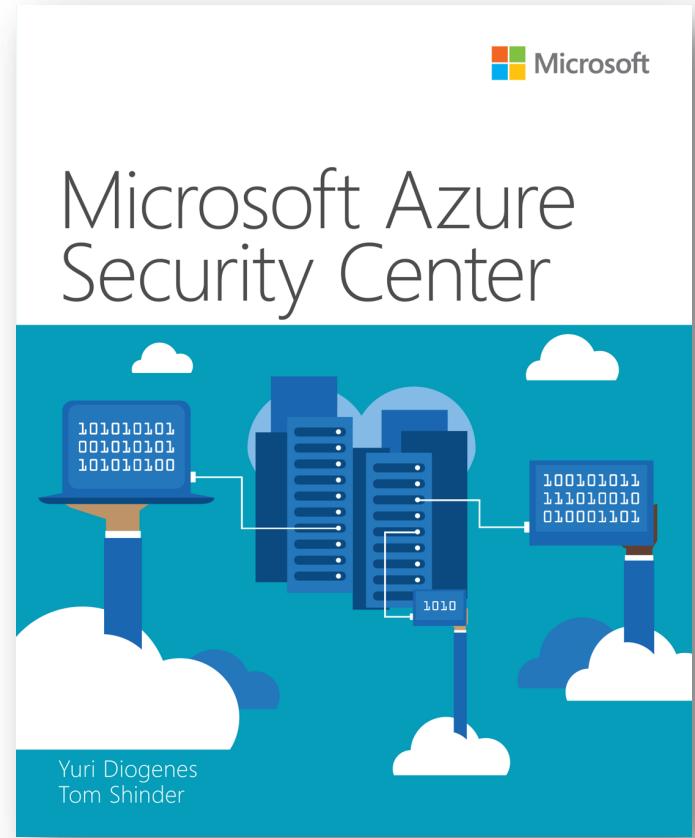
Security Playbooks

- ✓ Security playbook is a collection of procedures that can be executed from Security Center once a certain playbook is triggered from selected alert
- ✓ Security playbook can help to automate and orchestrate your response to a specific security alert detected by Security Center. Security Playbooks in Security Center are based on Azure Logic Apps

Demo Security Playbooks

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Thanks!



Resources

Slides and demos from the conference will be available at
github.com/nordicinfrastructureconference/2018 (bit.ly/2y7JhA3)