

Lab Instructions

01 - Create a virtual machine in the portal (10 min)

In this walkthrough, we will create a virtual machine in the Azure portal, connect to the virtual machine, install the web server role and test.

Note: Take time during this walk-through to click and read the Informational icons.

Task 1: Create the virtual machine

1. Sign-in to the Azure Portal at <https://portal.azure.com>
2. From the **All services** blade in the Portal Menu, search for and select **Virtual machines**, and then click **+Create** and choose **+Azure Virtual machine** from the drop down.
3. On the **Basics** tab, fill in the following information (leave the defaults for everything else):

Settings	Values
Subscription	Use default supplied
Resource group	Create new resource group
Virtual machine name	myVM
Region	(US) East US
Availability options	No infrastructure redundancy options required
Image	Windows Server 2019 Datacenter - Gen2

Settings	Values
Size	Standard D2s v3
Administrator account username	azureuser
Administrator account password (type in carefully!)	Pa\$\$w0rd1234
Inbound port rules -	Allow select ports
Select inbound ports	RDP (3389) and HTTP (80)

- Switch to the Networking tab to ensure **HTTP (80) and RDP (3389)** are selected in section **Select inbound ports**.
- Switch to the Monitoring tab and select the following setting:

Settings	Values
Boot diagnostics	Disable

- Leave the remaining values on the defaults and then click the **Review + create** button at the bottom of the page.
- Once Validation is passed click the **Create** button. It can take anywhere from five to seven minutes to deploy the virtual machine.
- You will receive updates on the deployment page and via the **Notifications** area (the bell icon in the top menu bar).

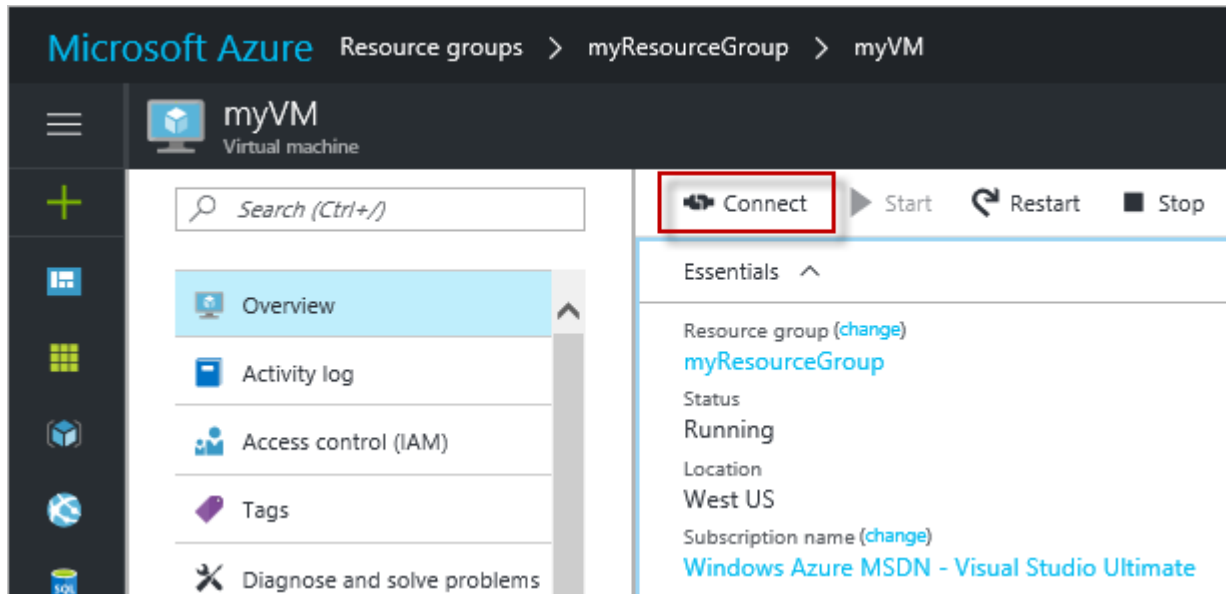
Task 2: Connect to the virtual machine

In this task, we will connect to our new virtual machine using RDP (Remote Desktop Protocol).

- Click on bell icon from the upper blue toolbar, and select 'Go to resource' when your deployment has succeeded.

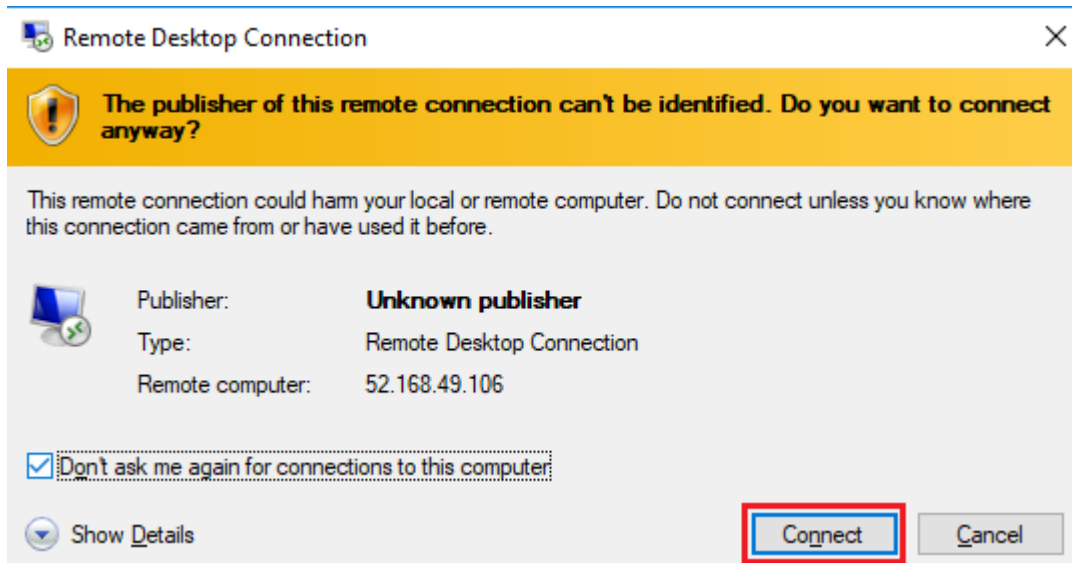
Note: You could also use the **Go to resource** link on the deployment page

2. On the virtual machine **Overview** blade, click **Connect** button and choose **RDP** from the drop down.

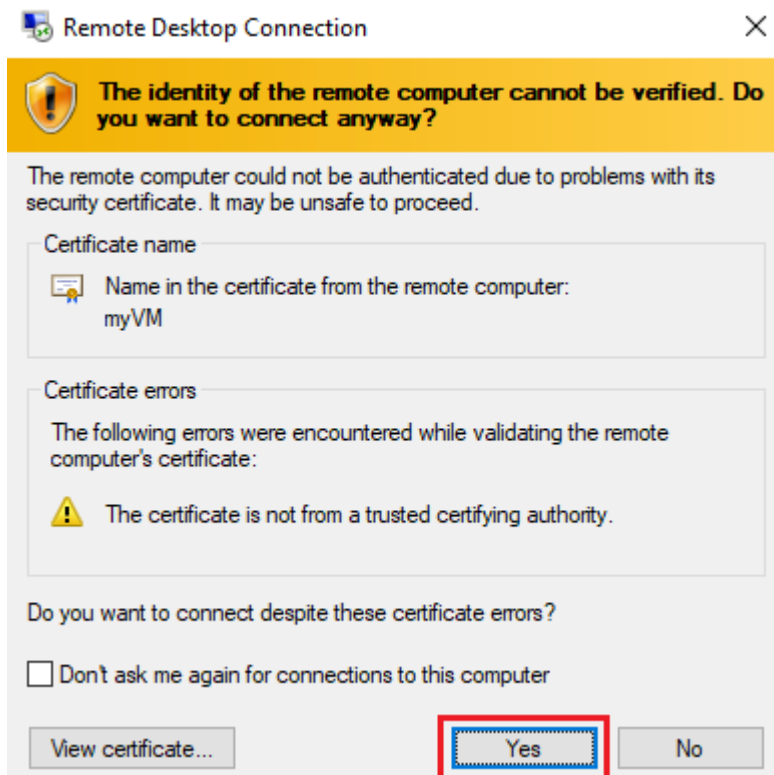


Note: The following directions tell you how to connect to your VM from a Windows computer. On a Mac, you need an RDP client such as this Remote Desktop Client from the Mac App Store and on a Linux computer you can use an open source RDP client.

3. On the **Connect to virtual machine** page, keep the default options to connect with the public IP address over port 3389 and click **Download RDP File**. A file will download on the bottom left of your screen.
4. **Open** the downloaded RDP file (located on the bottom left of your lab machine) and click **Connect** when prompted.



5. In the **Windows Security** window, sign in using the Admin Credentials you used when creating your VM **azureuser** and the password **Pa\$\$w0rd1234**.
6. You may receive a warning certificate during the sign-in process. Click **Yes** or to create the connection and connect to your deployed VM. You should connect successfully.

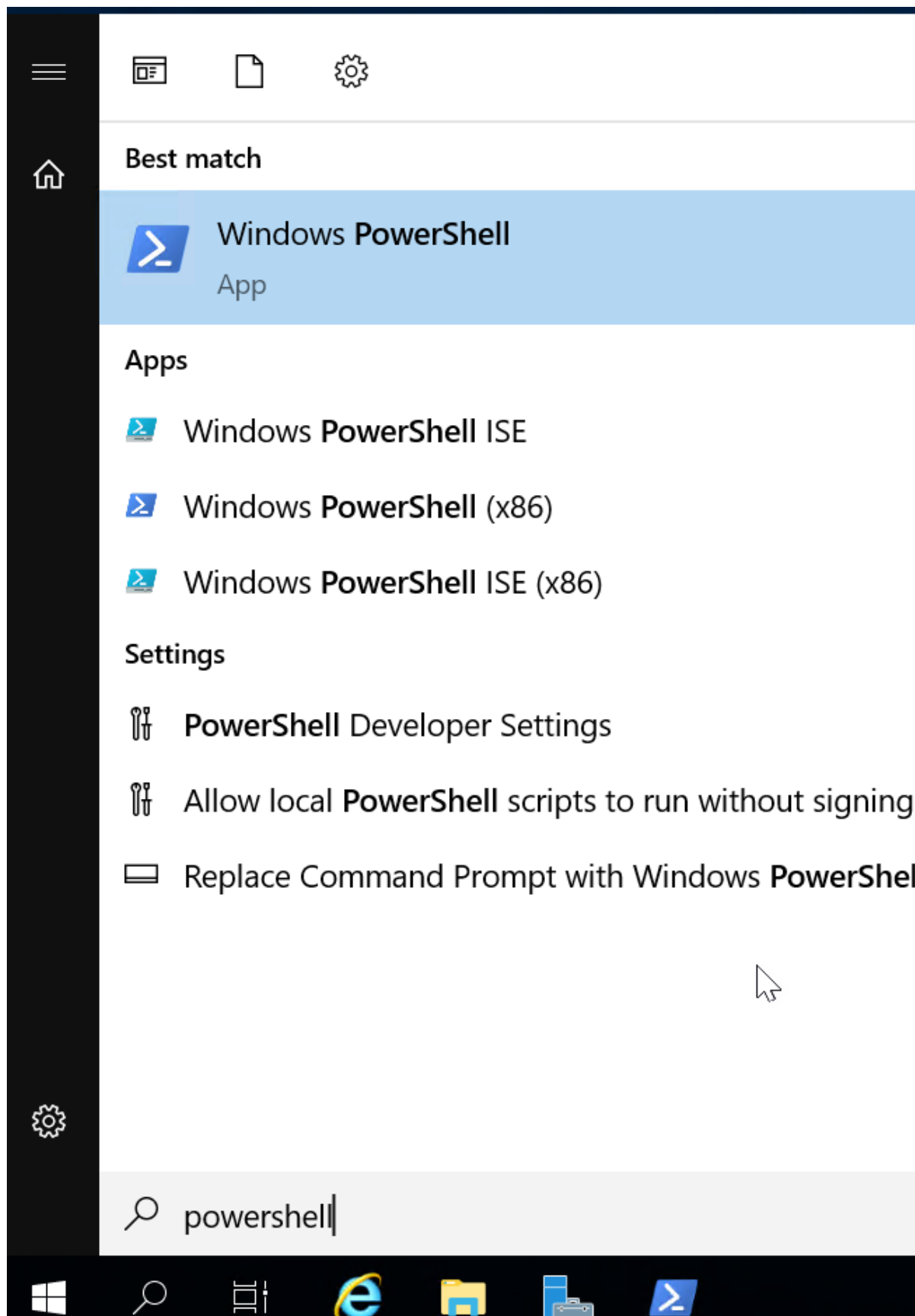


A new Virtual Machine (myVM) will launch inside your Lab. Close the Server Manager and dashboard windows that pop up (click "x" at top right). You should see the blue background of your virtual machine. **Congratulations!** You have deployed and connected to a Virtual Machine running Windows Server.

Task 3: Install the web server role and test

In this task, install the Web Server role on the server on the Virtual Machine you just created and ensure the default IIS welcome page will be displayed.

1. In the newly opened virtual machine, launch PowerShell by searching **PowerShell** in the search bar, when found right click **Windows PowerShell** to **Run as administrator**.

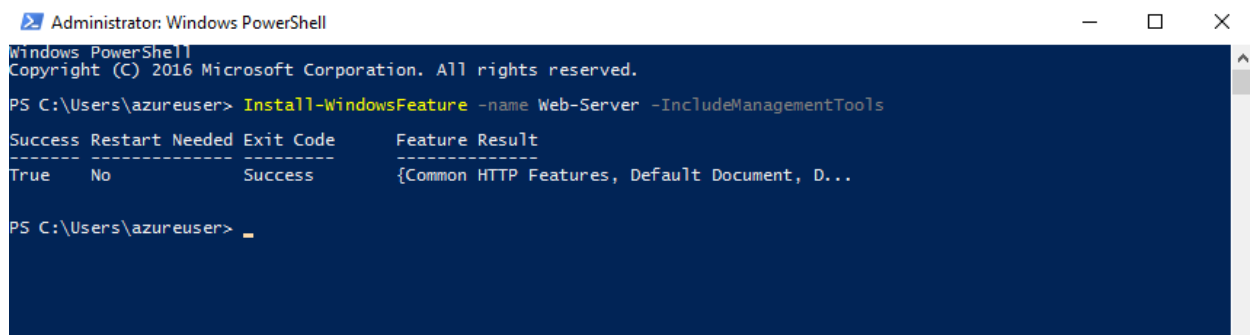


2. In PowerShell, install the **Web-Server** feature on the virtual machine by running the following command. (Paste in the command and hit ENTER for the installment to begin).

PowerShell

Install-WindowsFeature -name Web-Server -IncludeManagementTools

3. When completed, a prompt will state **Success** with a value **True**. You do not need to restart the virtual machine to complete the installation. Close the RDP connection to the VM by clicking the **x** on the blue bar at the top center of your virtual machine. You can also minimize it by clicking the **-** on the blue bar at the top center.



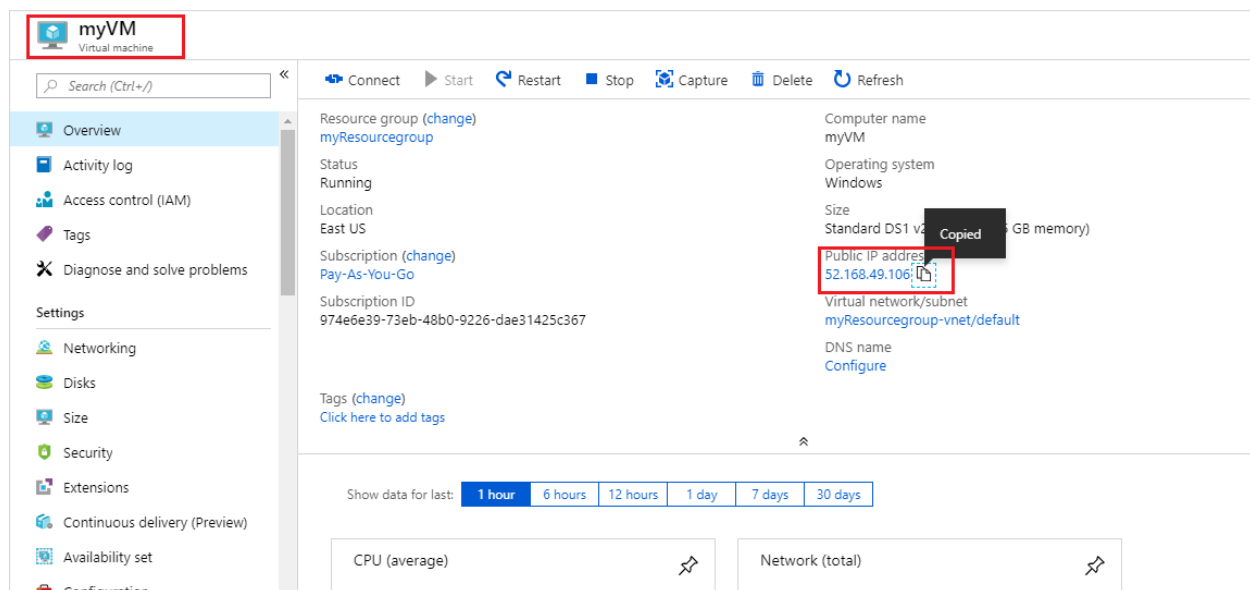
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Administrator: Windows PowerShell
Windows PowerShell
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PS C:\Users\azureuser> Install-WindowsFeature -name Web-Server -IncludeManagementTools

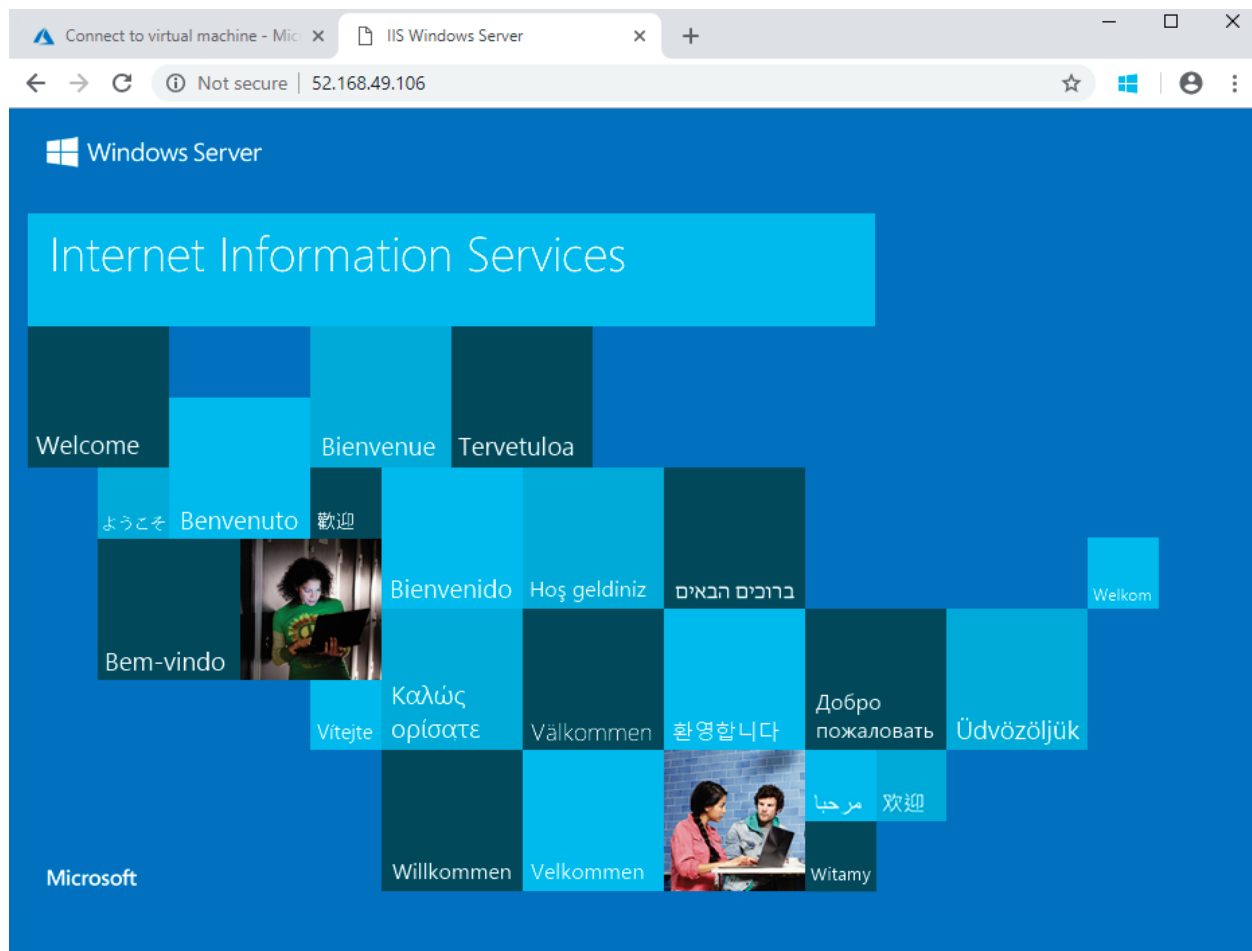
Success Restart Needed Exit Code      Feature Result
-----
True      No              Success      {Common HTTP Features, Default Document, D...

PS C:\Users\azureuser>
```

4. Back in the portal, navigate back to the **Overview** blade of myVM and, use the **Click to clipboard** button to copy the public IP address of myVM, then open a new browser tab, paste the public IP address into the URL text box, and press the **Enter** key to browse to it.



5. The default IIS Web Server welcome page will be displayed.



Congratulations! You have created a new VM running a web server that is accessible via its public IP address. If you had a web application to host, you could deploy application files to the virtual machine and host them for public access on the deployed virtual machine.

Note: To avoid additional costs, you can optionally remove this resource group. Search for resource groups, click your resource group, and then click **Delete resource group**. Verify the name of the resource group and then click **Delete**. Monitor the **Notifications** to see verify that the deletion completed successfully.

Congratulations!

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03 - Deploy Azure Container Instances (10 min)

In this walkthrough we create, configure, and deploy a container by using Azure Container Instances (ACI) in the Azure Portal. The container is a Welcome to ACI web application that displays a static HTML page.

Task 1: Create a container instance

In this task, we will create a new container instance for the web application.

1. Sign in to the Azure Portal at <https://portal.azure.com>
2. From the **All services** blade, search for and select **Container instances** and then click **+ Add, + Create, + New**.
3. Provide the following Basic details for the new container instance (leave the defaults for everything else)):

Setting	Value
Subscription	<i>Use default supplied</i>
Resource group	Create new resource group
Container name	mycontainer
Region	(US) East US
Image source	Docker Hub or other registry
Image type	Public
Image	mcr.microsoft.com/azuredocs/aci-helloworld
OS type	Linux

Setting	Value
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Size	<i>Leave at the default</i>
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4. Configure the Networking tab (replace **xxxxxx** with letters and digits such that the name is globally unique). Leave all other settings at their default values.

Setting	Value
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DNS name label	mycontainerdnsxxxxx
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5. **Note:** Your container will be publicly reachable at dns-name-label.region.azurecontainer.io. If you receive a **DNS name label not available** error message following the deployment, specify a different DNS name label (replacing the xxxxx) and re-deploy.
6. On the Monitoring tab, uncheck the **Enable container instance logs** option.
7. Click **Review and Create** to start the automatic validation process.
8. Click **Create** to create the container instance.
9. Monitor the deployment page and the **Notifications** page.

Task 2: Verify deployment of the container instance

In this task, we verify that the container instance is running by ensuring that the welcome page displays.

1. After the deployment is complete, click the **Go to resource** link the deployment blade or the link to the resource in the Notification area.
2. On the **Overview** blade of **mycontainer**, ensure your container **Status** is **Running**.
3. Locate the Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN).

▶ Start

↺ Restart

■ Stop

🗑 Delete

🔄 Refresh

Resource group (change) : myResourceGroup

Status : Running

Location : East US

Subscription (change) : Visual Studio Enterprise

Subscription ID : aa509d92-2cc7-4eb9-9ae9-db02c24e057d

Tags (change) : [Click here to add tags](#)

OS type : Linux

IP address : 52.255.223.57

FQDN : mycontainerces.eastus.azurecontainer.io

Container count : 1

4. Copy the container's FQDN into a new web browser tab and press **Enter**. The Welcome page should display.



Congratulations! You have used Azure Portal to successfully deploy an application to a container in Azure Container Instances.

Note: To avoid additional costs, you can optionally remove this resource group. Search for resource groups, click your resource group, and then click **Delete resource group**. Verify the name of the resource group and then click **Delete**. Monitor the **Notifications** to see how the delete is proceeding.

Congratulations!

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05 - Create blob storage (5 min)

In this walkthrough, we will create a storage account, then work with blob storage files.

Task 1: Create a storage account

In this task, we will create a new storage account.

1. Sign in to the Azure Portal at <https://portal.azure.com>
2. From the **All services** blade, search for and select **Storage accounts**, and then click **+ Add, + Create, + New**.
3. On the **Basics** tab of the **Create storage account** blade, fill in the following information (replace **xxxx** in the name of the storage account with letters and digits such that the name is globally unique). Leave the defaults for everything else.

Setting	Value
Subscription	Leave provided default
Resource group	Create new resource group
Storage account name	storageaccountxxxxx
Location	(US) East US
Performance	Standard
Redundancy	Locally redundant storage (LRS)

4. **Note** - Remember to change the **xxxxx** so that it makes a unique **Storage account name**
5. Click **Review + Create** to review your storage account settings and allow Azure to validate the configuration.
6. Once validated, click **Create**. Wait for the notification that the account was successfully created.
7. From the Home page, search for and select **Storage accounts** and ensure your new storage account is listed.


All services > Storage accounts

Storage accounts

Default Directory

[+ Add](#)
[Edit columns](#)
[Refresh](#)
[Export to CSV](#)
[Assign tags](#)
[Delete](#)
[Feedback](#)
[Leave preview](#)

Showing 1 to 2 of 2 records.

<input type="checkbox"/> Name ↑↓	Type ↑↓	Kind ↑↓	Resource group ↑↓	Location ↑↓
<input type="checkbox"/>  storageaccount124342	Storage account	StorageV2	myRGStorage	East US

Task 2: Work with blob storage

In this task, we will create a Blob container and upload a blob file.

1. Click the name of the new storage account, scroll to the **Data storage** section in the left menu, and then click **Containers**.
2. Click **+ Container** and complete the information. Use the Information icons to learn more. When done click **Create**.

Setting	Value
Name	container1
Public access level	Private (no anonymous access)

[+ Container](#)
[Change access level](#)
[Refresh](#)
[Delete](#)

Name	Last modified	Public access level	Lease state
<input type="checkbox"/> container1	1/7/2020, 9:21:42 AM	Private	Available

- 3.
4. Open a new browser window and search **Bing** for an image of a flower. Right click on the image and save it to your VM.
5. Back in the Portal, click on **container1** , and then select **Upload**.

6. Browse for the image file you just saved on your local computer. Select it and then select upload.
7. Click the **Advanced** arrow, leave the default values but review the available options, and then click **Upload**.

Note: You can upload as many blobs as you like in this way. New blobs will be listed within the container.

8. Once the file is uploaded, right-click on the file and notice the options including View/edit, Download, Properties, and Delete.
9. If you have time review the options for Files, Tables, and Queues.

Task 3: Monitor the storage account

1. Return to the storage account blade and click **Diagnose and solve problems**.
2. Explore some of the most common storage problems. Notice there are multiple troubleshooters here.
3. On the storage account blade, scroll down to the **Monitoring** section and click **Insights**. Notice there is information on Failures, Performance, Availability, and Capacity. Your information will be different.

Insights

Workbooks Customize Refresh Notifications Feedback Help

Time Range: Last 4 hours

Overview Failures Performance Availability Capacity

Availability

100
Average | Percentage

Transactions

28
Count

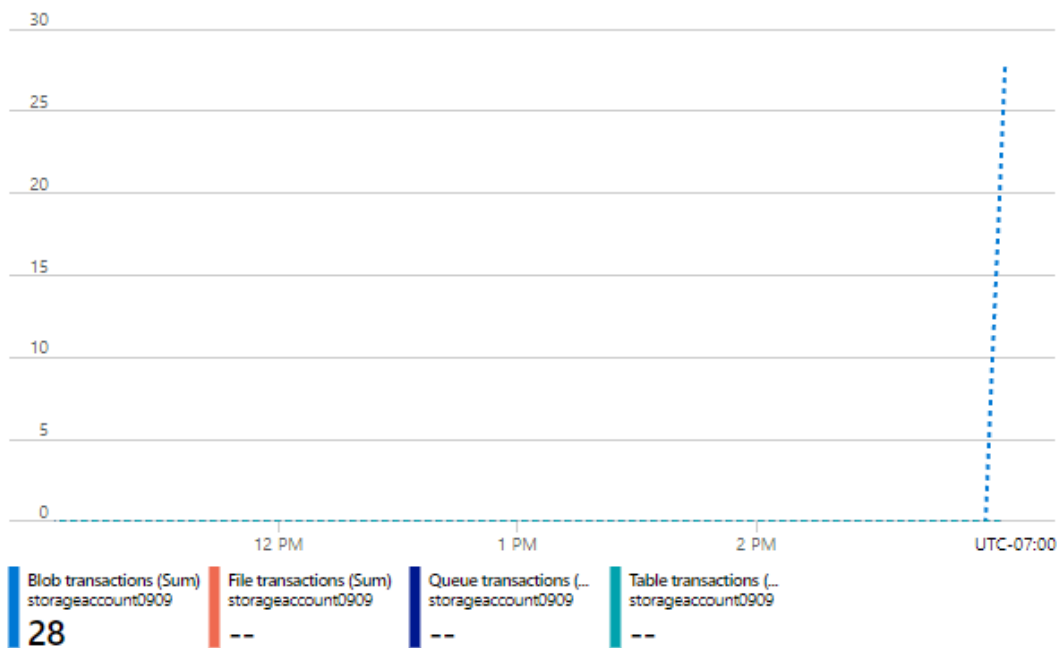
Success E2E Latency

22.32
Average | Milliseconds

Success Server Latency

18.26
Average | Milliseconds

Transactions by storage type



Congratulations! You have created a storage account, then worked with storage blobs.

Note: To avoid additional costs, you can optionally remove this resource group. Search for resource groups, click your resource group, and then click **Delete resource group**. Verify the name of the resource group and then click **Delete**. Monitor the **Notifications** to see how the delete is proceeding.

Congratulations!

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06 - Create a SQL database (5 min)

In this walkthrough, we will create a SQL database in Azure and then query the data in that database.

Task 1: Create the database

In this task, we will create a SQL database based on the AdventureWorksLT sample database.

1. Sign in to the Azure Portal at <https://portal.azure.com>
2. From the **All services** blade, search for and select **SQL databases**, and then click **+ Add, + Create, + New**.
3. On the **Basics** tab, fill in this information.

Setting	Value
Subscription	Use default supplied
Resource group	Create new resource group
Database name	db1
Server	Select Create new (A new sidebar will open on the right)
Server name	sqlserverxxxxx (must be unique)
Location	(US) East US

Setting	Value
Authentication method	Use SQL authentication
Server admin login	sqluser
Password	Pa\$\$w0rd1234
Click	OK

Home > SQL databases > Create SQL Database

Create SQL Database
Microsoft

Basics Networking Additional settings Tags Review + create

Create a SQL database with your preferred configurations. Complete the Basics tab then go to Review + Create to provision with smart defaults, or visit each tab to customize. [Learn more](#)

Project details

Select the subscription to manage deployed resources and costs. Use resource groups like folders to organize and manage all your resources.

Subscription * ⓘ Azure Pass - Sponsorship
Resource group * ⓘ (New) myRGDb [Create new](#)

Database details

Enter required settings for this database, including picking a logical server and configuring the compute and storage resources

Database name * db1
Server ⓘ (new) sqlserver4321 (East US) [Create new](#)

Want to use SQL elastic pool? * ⓘ ☐ Yes ☒ No

Compute + storage * ⓘ

General Purpose
Gen5, 2 vCores, 32 GB storage
[Configure database](#)

Review + create Next: Networking >

New server
Microsoft

Server name * sqlserver4321 ✓

Server admin login * sqluser ✓

Password * ✓

Confirm password * ✓

Location * (US) East US

☒ Allow Azure services to access server ⓘ

OK

4. **Review + create** **Next: Networking >**
5. On the **Networking** tab and configure the following settings (leave others with their defaults)

Setting	Value
Connectivity method	Public endpoint
Allow Azure services and resources to access this server	Yes
Add current client IP address	No

[Home](#) > [SQL databases](#) > Create SQL Database

Create SQL Database

Microsoft

[Basics](#)
[Networking](#)
[Additional settings](#)
[Tags](#)
[Review + create](#)

Configure network access and connectivity for your server. The configuration selected below will apply to the selected server 'sqlserver4321' and all databases it manages. [Learn more](#)

Network connectivity

Choose an option for configuring connectivity to your server via public endpoint or private endpoint. Choosing no access creates with defaults and you can configure connection method after server creation. [Learn more](#)

Connectivity method *

No access

Public endpoint

Private endpoint

Firewall rules

Setting 'Allow Azure services and resources to access this server' to Yes allows communications from all resources inside the Azure boundary, that may or may not be part of your subscription. [Learn more](#)

Setting 'Add current client IP address' to Yes will add an entry for your client IP address to the server firewall.

Allow Azure services and resources to access this server *

No

Yes

Add current client IP address *

No

Yes

Review + create

< Previous

Next : Additional settings >

6.

7. On the **Security** tab.

Setting	Value
Microsoft Defender for SQL	Not now

8. Move to the **Additional settings** tab. We will be using the AdventureWorksLT sample database.

Setting	Value
Use existing data	Sample

Create SQL Database ...



Microsoft

Basics Networking Additional settings Tags Review + create

Customize additional configuration parameters including collation & sample data.

Data source

Start with a blank database, restore from a backup or select sample data to populate your new database.

Use existing data *

None

Backup

Sample

AdventureWorksLT will be created as the sample database.

Database collation

Database collation defines the rules that sort and compare data, and cannot be changed after database creation. The default database collation is SQL_Latin1_General_CP1_CI_AS. [Learn more](#)

Collation ⓘ

SQL_Latin1_General_CP1_CI_AS

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Enable Azure Defender for SQL * ⓘ

Start free trial

Not now

Review + create

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Next : Tags >

9.

10. Click **Review + create** and then click **Create** to deploy and provision the resource group, server, and database. It can take approx. 2 to 5 minutes to deploy.

Task 2: Test the database.

In this task, we will configure the SQL server and run a SQL query.


1. When the deployment has completed, click Go to resource from the deployment blade. Alternatively, from the **All Resources** blade, search and select **Databases**, then **SQL databases** ensure your new database was created. You may need to **Refresh** the page.

SQL databases

Microsoft

+ Add ⌚ Reservations ≡ Edit columns ↺ Refresh | 🏷 Assign tags 🗑 Delete

1 items

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name ↑↓	Status	Replication role	Server	Pricing tier	Location ↑↓	Subscription ↑↓
<input type="checkbox"/>	 db1	Online	None	mysqlserverces	General Purpose: Gen5, 2 vCores	East US	Visual Studio Enterprise

2. Click the **db1** entry representing the SQL database you created. On the db1 blade click **Query editor (preview)**.
3. Login as **sqluser** with the password **Pa\$\$w0rd1234**.
4. You will not be able to login. Read the error closely and make note of the IP address that needs to be allowed through the firewall.



Welcome to SQL Database Query Editor

SQL server authentication

Login *

sqluser

Password *

.....

✖ Cannot open server 'sqlserverxxx1' requested by the login. Client with IP address [REDACTED] is not allowed to access the server. To enable access, use the Windows Azure Management Portal or run `sp_set_firewall_rule` on the master database to create a firewall rule for this IP address or address range. It may take up to five minutes for this change to take effect.

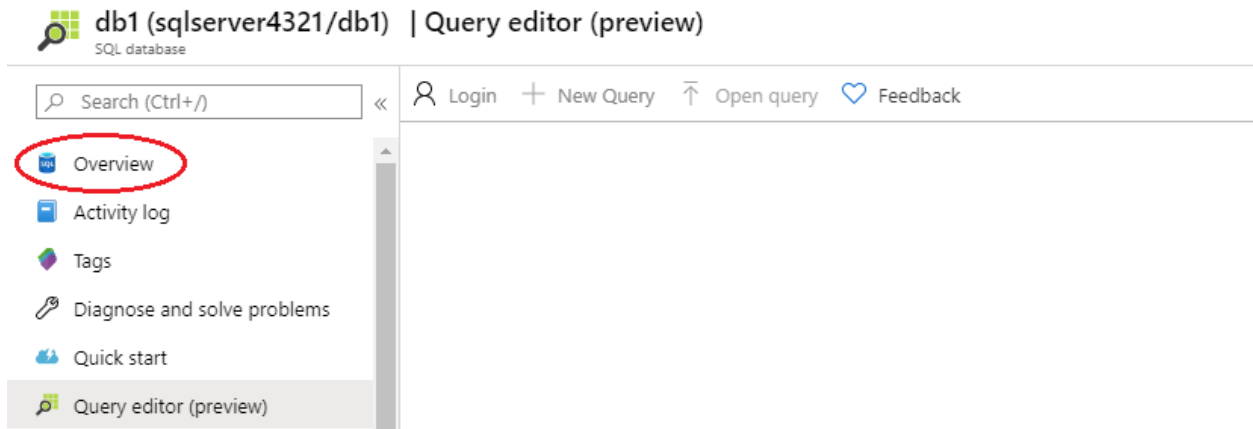
[Set server firewall \(sqlserverxxx1\)](#)

Active Directory authentication

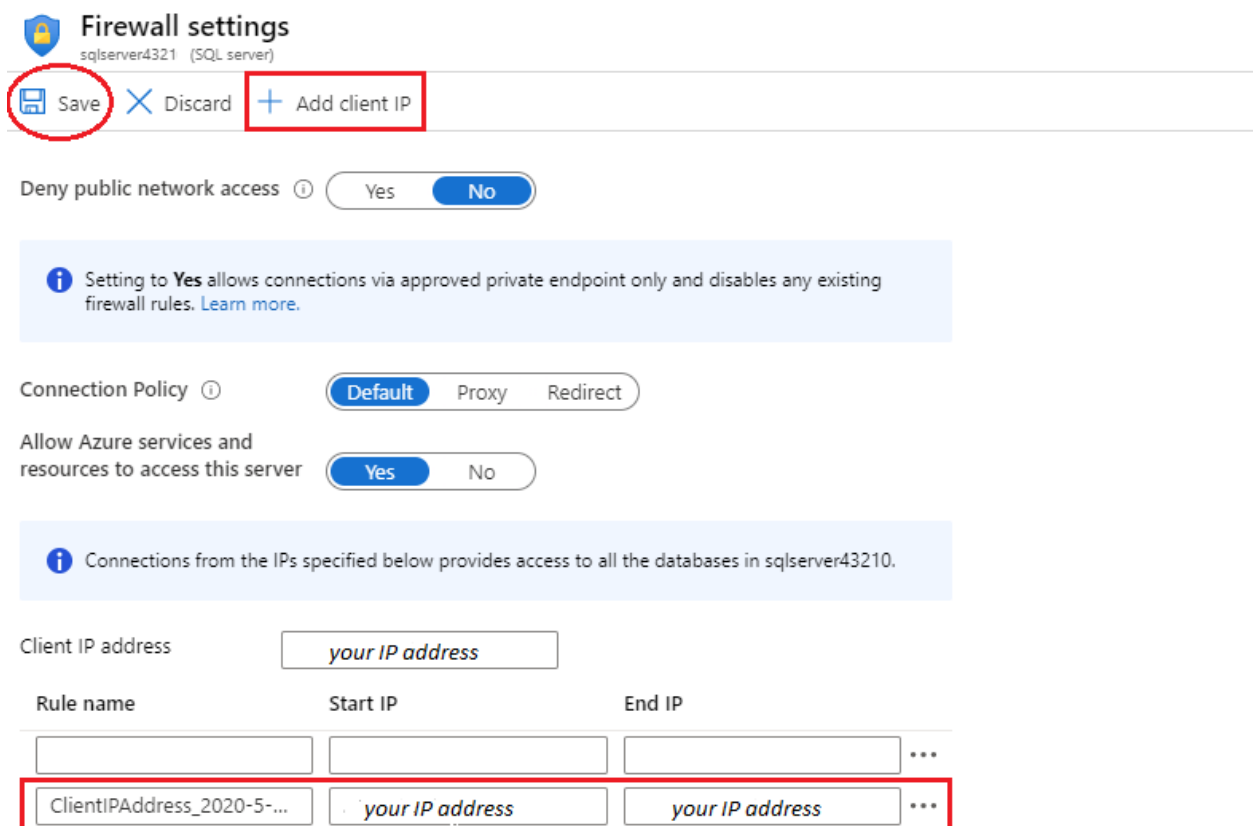
Continue as [REDACTED]

OR

5. Back on the **db1** blade, click **Overview**.



6. From the db1 **Overview** blade, click **Set server firewall** Located on the top center of the overview screen.
7. Click **+ Add client IP** (top menu bar) to add the IP address referenced in the error. (it may have autofilled for you - if not paste it into the IP address fields). Be sure to **Save** your changes.



8. Return to your SQL database (slide the bottom toggle bar to the left) and click on **Query Editor (Preview)**. Try to login again as **sqluser** with the

password **Pa\$\$w0rd1234**. This time you should succeed. Note that it may take a couple of minutes for the new firewall rule to be deployed.

9. Once you log in successfully, the query pane appears. Enter the following query into the editor pane.

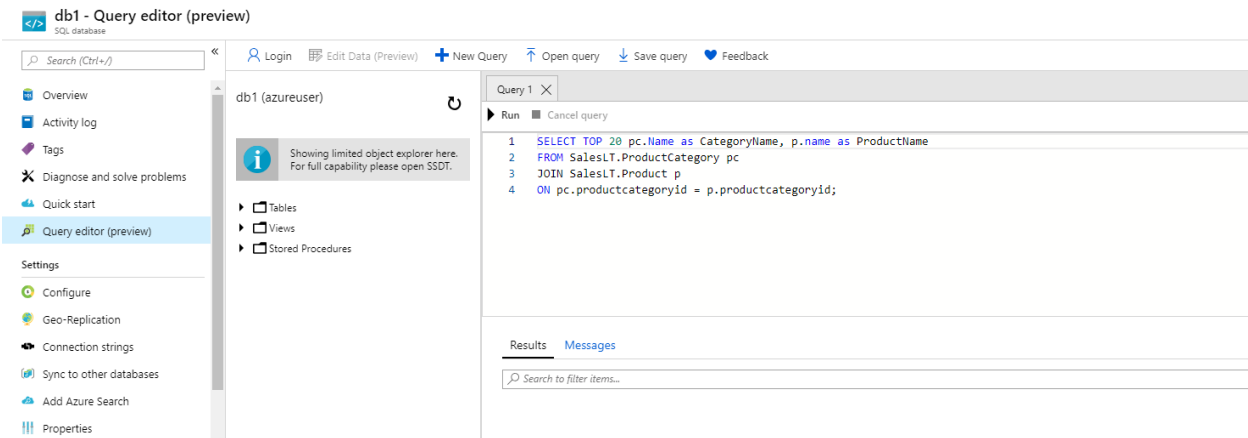
SQL

```
SELECT TOP 20 pc.Name as CategoryName, p.name as ProductName
```

```
FROM SalesLT.ProductCategory pc
```

```
JOIN SalesLT.Product p
```

```
ON pc.productcategoryid = p.productcategoryid;
```



10. Click **Run**, and then review the query results in the **Results** pane. The query should run successfully.

Query 1 X

▶ Run ■ Cancel query

```
1 SELECT TOP 20 pc.Name as CategoryName, p.name as ProductName
2 FROM SalesLT.ProductCategory pc
3 JOIN SalesLT.Product p
4 ON pc.productcategoryid = p.productcategoryid;
```

Results Messages

Search to filter items...

CATEGORYNAME	PRODUCTNAME
Road Frames	HL Road Frame - Black, 58
Road Frames	HL Road Frame - Red, 58
Helmets	Sport-100 Helmet, Red
Helmets	Sport-100 Helmet, Black
Socks	Mountain Bike Socks, M

✔ Query succeeded | 1s

Congratulations! You have created a SQL database in Azure and successfully queried the data in that database.

Note: To avoid additional costs, you can optionally remove this resource group. Search for resource groups, click your resource group, and then click **Delete resource group**. Verify the name of the resource group and then click **Delete**. Monitor the **Notifications** to see how the delete is proceeding.

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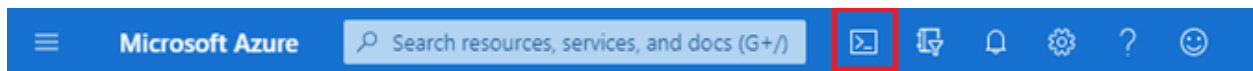
10 - Create a VM with PowerShell (10 min)

In this walk-through, we will configure the Cloud Shell, use Azure PowerShell module to create a resource group and virtual machine, and review Azure Advisor recommendations.

Task 1: Configure the Cloud Shell

In this task, we will configure Cloud Shell.

1. Sign in to the Azure Portal at <https://portal.azure.com> **
2. From the Azure portal, open the **Azure Cloud Shell** by clicking on the icon in the top right of the Azure Portal.



3. When prompted to select either **Bash** or **PowerShell**, select **PowerShell**.
4. On the **You have no storage mounted** screen select **Show advanced settings** then fill in the information below

Settings	Values
Resource Group	Create new resource group
Storage account (Create a new account a use a globally unique name (ex: cloudshellstoragemystorage))	cloudshellxxxxxxx
File share (create new)	shellstorage

5. Select **Create Storage**

Task 2: Create a resource group and virtual machine

In this task, we will use PowerShell to create a resource group and a virtual machine.

1. Ensure **PowerShell** is selected in the upper-left drop-down menu of the Cloud Shell pane.
2. Verify your new resource group by running the following command in the Powershell window. Press **Enter** to run the command.

PowerShell

Get-AzResourceGroup | Format-Table

3. Create a virtual machine by pasting the following command into the terminal window.

PowerShell

New-AzVm `

-ResourceGroupName "myRGPS" `

-Name "myVMPS" `

-Location "East US" `

-VirtualNetworkName "myVnetPS" `

-SubnetName "mySubnetPS" `

-SecurityGroupName "myNSGPS" `

-PublicIpAddressName "myPublicIpPS" `


-SecurityType "Standard"

4. When prompted provide the username (**azureuser**) and the password (**Pa\$\$w0rd1234**) that will be configured as the local Administrator account on that virtual machines.azureadmin
5. Once VM is created, close the PowerShell session Cloud Shell pane.
6. In the Azure portal, search for **Virtual machines** and verify the **myVMPS** is running. This may take a few minutes.

Virtual machines

Microsoft

[+ Add](#) [Reservations](#) [Edit columns](#) [Refresh](#) [Assign tags](#) [Start](#) [Restart](#) [Stop](#) [Delete](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name ↑↓	Type ↑↓	Private IP address	Resource group ↑↓	Location ↑↓	Status
<input type="checkbox"/>	 myVMPS	Virtual machine	192.1[REDACTED]	myRGPS	East US	Running

7. Access the new virtual machine and review the Overview and Networking settings to verify your information was correctly deployed.

Task 3: Execute commands in the Cloud Shell

In this task, we will practice executing PowerShell commands from the Cloud Shell.

1. From the Azure portal, open the **Azure Cloud Shell** by clicking on the icon in the top right of the Azure Portal.
2. Ensure **PowerShell** is selected in the upper-left drop-down menu of the Cloud Shell pane.
3. Retrieve information about your virtual machine including name, resource group, location, and status. Notice the PowerState is **running**.

PowerShell

```
Get-AzVM -name myVMPS -status | Format-Table -autosize
```

4. Stop the virtual machine using the following command.

PowerShell

```
Stop-AzVM -ResourceGroupName myRGPS -Name myVMPS
```

5. When prompted confirm (Yes) to the action. Wait for **Succeeded** status.
6. Verify your virtual machine state. The PowerState should now be **deallocated**. You can also verify the virtual machine status in the portal. Close Cloudshell.

PowerShell

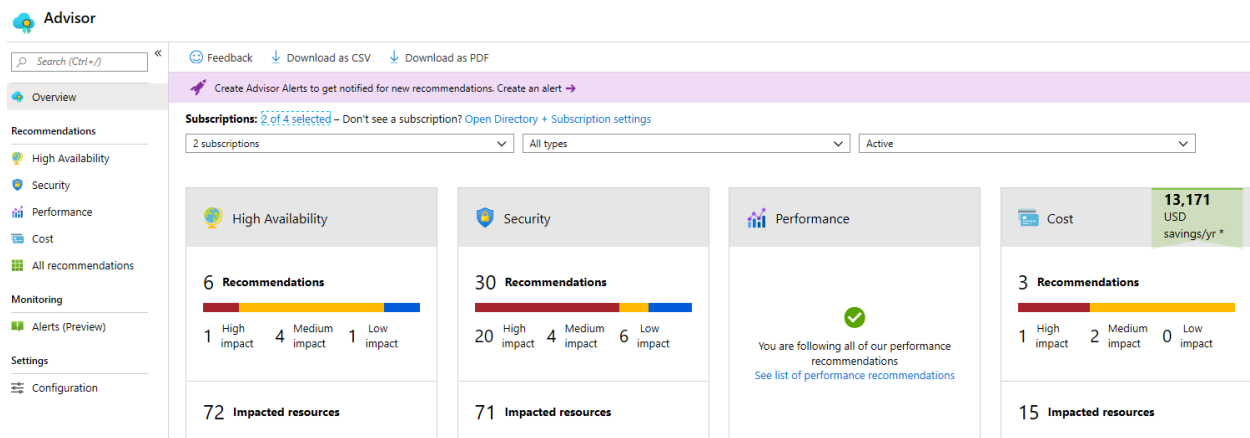
```
Get-AzVM -name myVMPS -status | Format-Table -autosize
```

Task 4: Review Azure Advisor Recommendations

Note: This same task is in the Create a VM with Azure CLI lab.

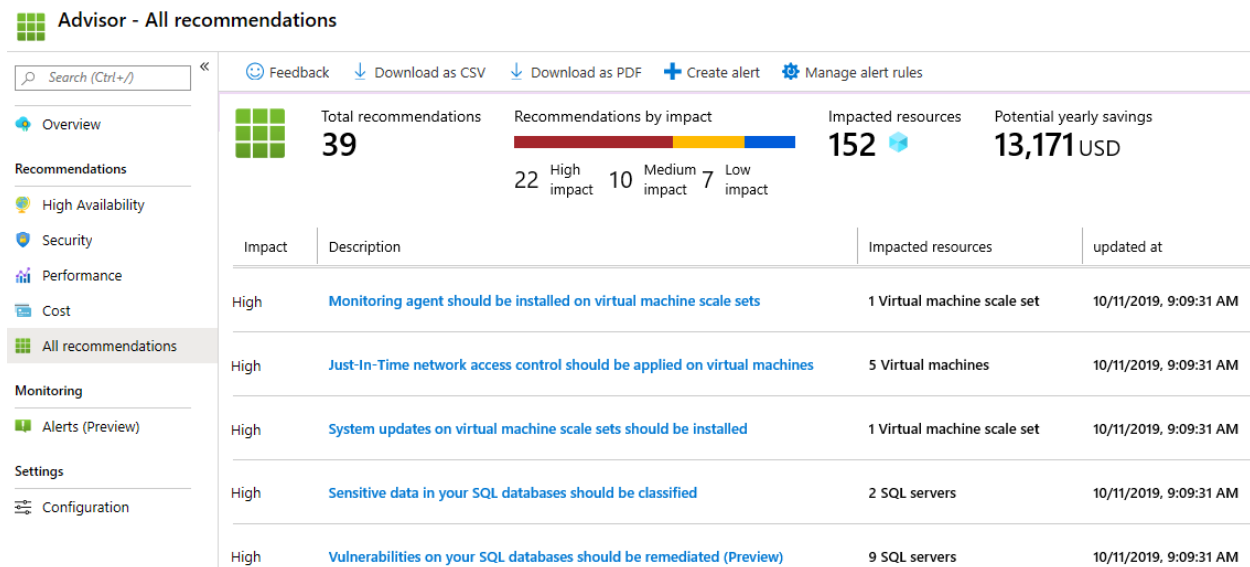
In this task, we will review Azure Advisor recommendations for our virtual machine.

1. From the **All services** blade, search for and select **Advisor**.
2. On the **Advisor** blade, select **Overview**. Notice recommendations are grouped by Reliability, Security, Performance, and Cost.



3. Select **All recommendations** and take time to view each recommendation and suggested actions.

Note: Depending on your resources, your recommendations will be different.



4. Notice that you can download the recommendations as a CSV or PDF file.
5. Notice that you can create alerts.
6. If you have time, continue to experiment with Azure PowerShell.

Congratulations! You have configured Cloud Shell, created a virtual machine using PowerShell, practiced with PowerShell commands, and viewed Advisor recommendations.

Note: To avoid additional costs, you can optionally remove this resource group. Search for resource groups, click your resource group, and then click **Delete resource group**. Verify the name of the resource group and then click **Delete**. Monitor the **Notifications** to see how the delete is proceeding.

Congratulations!

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14 - Manage access with RBAC (5 min)

In this walkthrough, we will assign permission roles to resources and view logs.

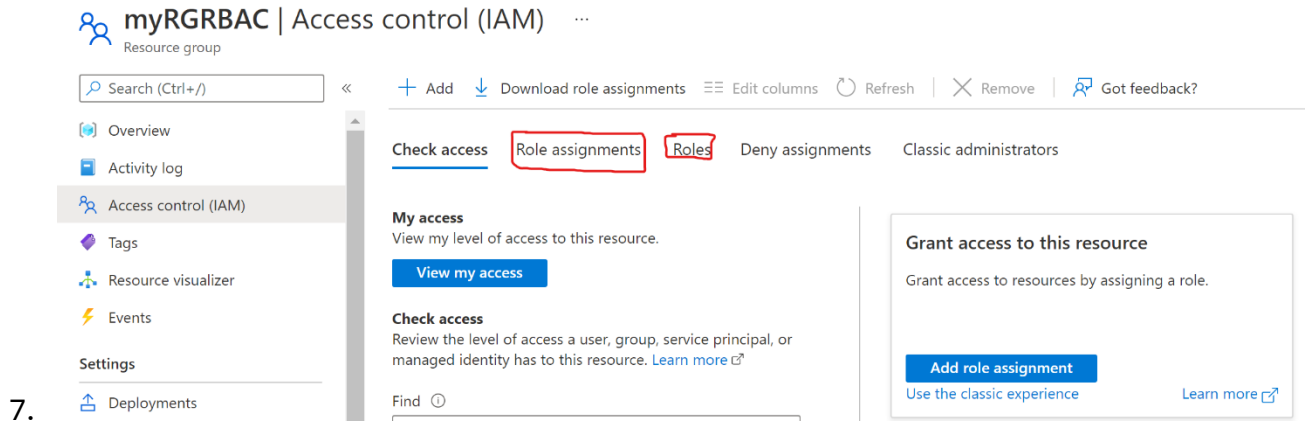
Task 1: View and assign roles

In this task, we will assign the Virtual machine contributor role.

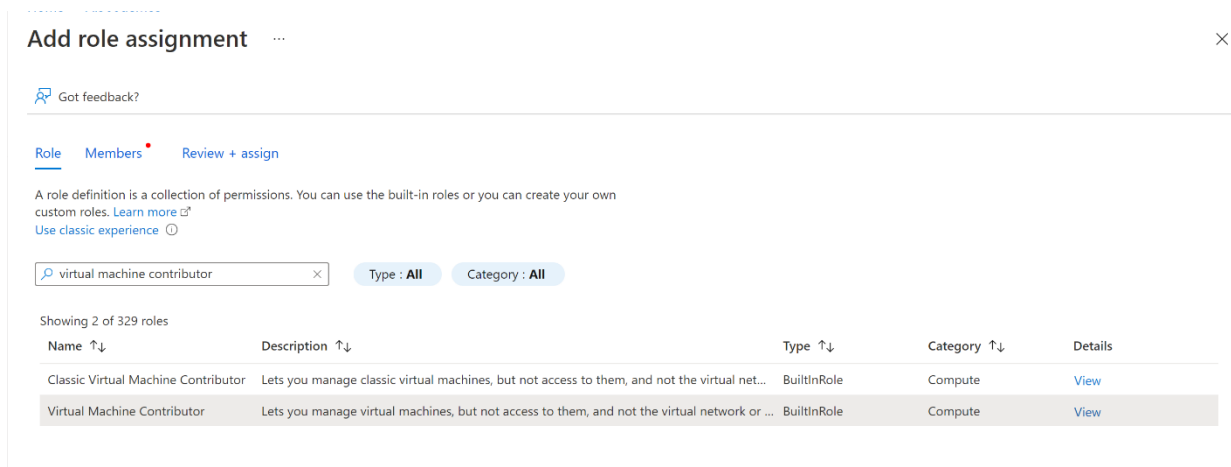
1. Sign in to the Azure Portal at <https://portal.azure.com>
2. From the **All services** blade, search for and select **Resource groups**, then click **+Add +New +Create**.
3. Create a new resource group. Click **Create** when you are finished.

Setting	Value
Subscription	Use default provided
Resource group	myRGRBAC
Region	(US) East US

4. Create **Review + create** and then click **Create**.
5. **Refresh** the resource group page and click the entry representing the newly created resource group.
6. Click on the **Access control (IAM)** blade, and then switch to the **Roles** tab. Scroll through the large number of roles definitions that are available. Use the Informational icons to get an idea of each role's permissions. Notice there is also information on the number of users and groups that are assigned to each role.

7. 

8. Switch to the **Role assignments** tab of the **myRGRBAC - Access control (IAM)** blade, click **+ Add** and then click **Add role assignment**. Search for the Virtual Machine Contributor role and select. Switch to the "Members" tab and Assign access to: User, group, or service principal. Then click + Select members and type in your name to the popup search function and hit 'select.' Then hit 'Review and Assign'



Name ↑↓	Description ↑↓	Type ↑↓	Category ↑↓	Details
Classic Virtual Machine Contributor	Lets you manage classic virtual machines, but not access to them, and not the virtual net...	BuiltInRole	Compute	View
Virtual Machine Contributor	Lets you manage virtual machines, but not access to them, and not the virtual network or ...	BuiltInRole	Compute	View

Note: The Virtual machine contributor role lets you manage virtual machines, but not access their operating system or manage the virtual network and storage account they are connected to.

9. **Refresh** the Role assignments page and ensure you are now listed as a Virtual machine contributor.

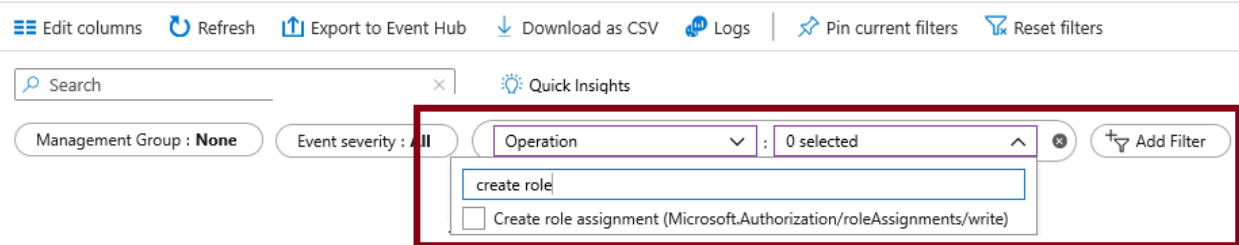
Note: This assignment does not actually grant you any additional privileges, since your account has already the Owner role, which includes all privileges associated with the Contributor role.

Task 2: Monitor role assignments and remove a role

In this task, we will view the activity log to verify the role assignment, and then remove the role.

1. On the myRGRBAC resource group blade, click **Activity log**.
2. Click **Add filter**, select **Operation**, and then **Create role assignment**.

Activity log



3. Verify the Activity log shows your role assignment.

Note: Can you figure out how to remove your role assignment?

Congratulations! You created a resource group, assigned an access role to it and viewed activity logs.

Note: To avoid additional costs, you can optionally remove this resource group. Search for resource groups, click your resource group, and then click **Delete resource group**. Verify the name of the resource group and then click **Delete**. Monitor the **Notifications** to see how the delete is proceeding.

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19 - Use the Pricing Calculator (10 min)

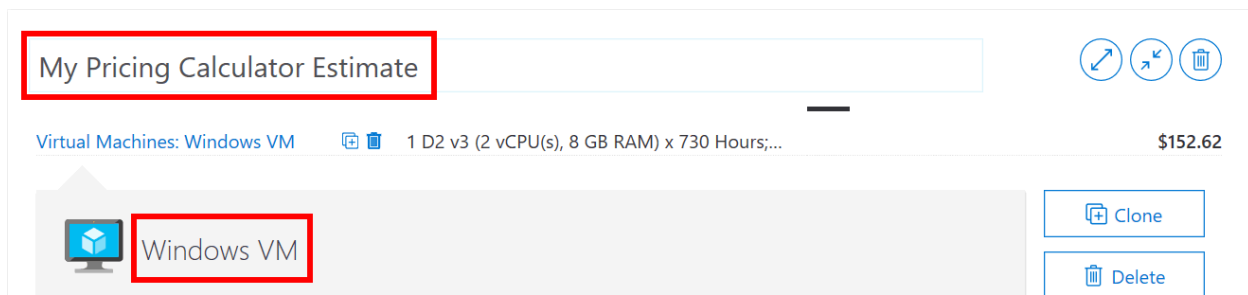
In this walkthrough, we will use the Azure Pricing Calculator to generate a cost estimate for an Azure virtual machine and related network resources.

Task 1: Configure the pricing calculator

In this task, we will estimate cost of a sample infrastructure by using the Azure Pricing Calculator.

Note: To create an Azure Pricing Calculator estimate, this walkthrough provides example configurations for the VM and related resources. Use this example configurations or provide the Azure Pricing Calculator with details of your *actual* resource requirements instead.

1. In a browser, navigate to the [Azure Pricing Calculator](#) webpage.
2. To add details of your VM configuration, click **Virtual Machines** on the **Products** tab. Scroll down to view the virtual machine details.
3. Replace **Your Estimate** and **Virtual Machines** text with more descriptive names for your Azure Pricing Calculator estimate and your VM configuration. This walkthrough example uses **My Pricing Calculator Estimate** for the estimate, and **Windows VM** for the VM configuration.



4. Modify the default VM configuration.

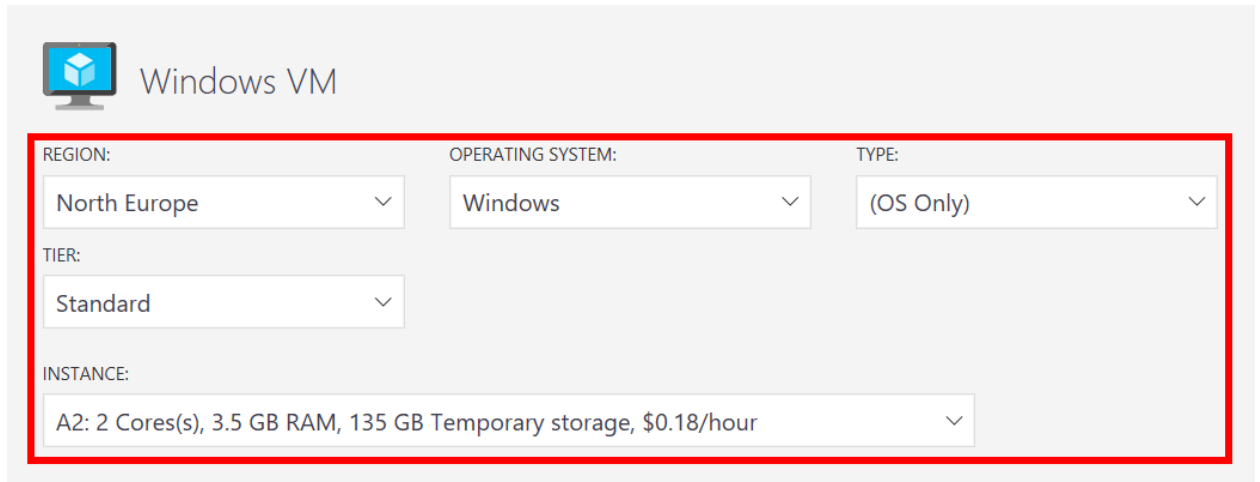
Settings	Value
Region	North Europe
Operating System	Windows
Type	(OS only)
Tier	Standard

Settings

Value

Instance

A2: 2 Core(s), 3.5 GB RAM, 135 GB Temporary storage



Windows VM

REGION: North Europe

OPERATING SYSTEM: Windows

TYPE: (OS Only)

TIER: Standard

INSTANCE: A2: 2 Cores(s), 3.5 GB RAM, 135 GB Temporary storage, \$0.18/hour

- 5.
6. **Note:** The VM instance specifications and pricing may differ from those in this example. Follow this walkthrough by choosing an instance that matches the example as closely as possible. To view details about the different VM product options, choose **Product details** from the **More info** menu on the right.
7. Set the **Billing Option** to **Pay as you go**.

Billing Option

1 year reserved option is not available for your instance selection.

3 year reserved option is not available for your instance selection.

☒ Pay as you go

☐ 1 year reserved

☐ 3 year reserved

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8. In Azure, a month is defined as 730 hours. If your VM needs to be available 100 percent of the time each month, you set the hours-per-month value to 730. This

walkthrough example requires one VM to be available 50 percent of the time each month.

Leave the number of VMs set at 1, and change the hours-per-month value to 365.

Billing Option

1 year reserved option is not available for your instance selection.

3 year reserved option is not available for your instance selection.

- ☒ Pay as you go
- ☐ 1 year reserved
- ☐ 3 year reserved

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1

Virtual machines

×

365

Hours

=

\$65.70
Per month

9. In the **Managed OS Disks** pane, modify the default VM storage configuration.

Tier	Disk size	Number of disks	Snapshot	Storage transactions
Standard HDD	S30: 1024 GiB	1	Off	10,000

Managed OS Disks

TIER:
Standard HDD

DISK SIZE:
S30: 1024 GiB, \$40.960/month

☐ ADD SNAPSHOT

1

×

\$40.96

=

\$40.96

Disks
Per month

Storage transactions

10000

×

\$0.0005

=

\$5.00

Transaction units
(10,000 transactions)
Per unit

10.

11. To add networking bandwidth to your estimate, go to the top of the Azure Pricing Calculator webpage. Click **Networking** in the product menu on the left, then click the **Bandwidth** tile. In the **Bandwidth added** message dialog, click **View**.

Featured
Compute
Networking
Storage
Web
Mobile
Containers
Databases
Analytics
AI + Machine Learning
Internet of Things
Integration
Identity

Virtual Network
Provision private networks, optionally connect to on-premises networks

Load Balancer
Deliver high availability and network performance to your applications

Application Gateway
Build secure, scalable, and highly available web front ends in Azure

VPN Gateway
Establish secure, cross-premises connectivity

Azure DNS
Host your DNS domain in Azure

Content Delivery Network
Ensure secure, reliable content delivery with broad global reach

Azure DDoS Protection
Protect your applications from Distributed Denial of Service (DDoS) attacks

Traffic Manager
Route incoming traffic for high performance and availability

ExpressRoute
Dedicated private network fiber connections to Azure

Network Watcher
Network performance monitoring and diagnostics solution

Bandwidth
Data transferred out of Azure data centers

IP Addresses
A dynamic or reserved address used to identify a given Virtual Machine or Cloud Service

Bandwidth added. [View](#)

12. Add a name for your VM bandwidth configuration. This walkthrough example uses the name **Bandwidth: Windows VM**. Modify the default bandwidth configuration by adding the following details.

Region Zone 1 Outbound Data Transfer Amount

North Europe 50 GB

The screenshot shows the Azure Pricing Calculator interface. At the top, a blue icon with a white 'x' is next to the text "Bandwidth: Windows VM", which is enclosed in a red rectangular box. Below this, a "REGION:" dropdown menu is set to "North Europe" and is also enclosed in a red rectangular box. The section is titled "Outbound Data Transfer". A light blue information box states: "The first 5 GB/Month of data transfer is free in each zone." Below this, the "Zone 1: North America, Europe" section shows a value of "50" in a box, with "GB" and a dropdown arrow below it, all enclosed in a red rectangular box. To the right, the price is displayed as "= \$3.91".


13.

14. To add an Application Gateway, return to the top of the Azure Pricing Calculator webpage. In the **Networking** product menu, click the **Application Gateway** tile. In the **Application Gateway** message dialog, click **View**.

The screenshot shows the Azure Pricing Calculator's product menu on the left, with "Networking" highlighted in a blue box and enclosed in a red rectangular box. The main area displays a grid of product tiles. The "Application Gateway" tile, which includes the text "Build secure, scalable, and highly available web front ends in Azure", is enclosed in a red rectangular box. At the bottom right, a dark blue message dialog box with a blue icon and the text "Application Gateway added. View" is also enclosed in a red rectangular box.

15. Add a name for your Application Gateway configuration. This walkthrough uses the name **App Gateway: Windows VM**. Modify the default Application Gateway configuration by adding the following details.

Settings	Value
Region	North Europe
Tier	Basic
Size	Small
Instances	1
Hours	365
Data processed	50 GB
Zone 1: North America, Europe	50 GB

 App Gateway: Windows VM

REGION: North Europe TIER: Basic

SIZE: Small

Gateway hours

1 Instances × 365 Hours = \$10.22

Data processed

50 GB = \$0.40

Zone 1: North America, Europe

50 GB = \$3.91

Sub-total \$14.54

16.

Task 2: Review the pricing estimate

In this task, we will review the results of the Azure Pricing Calculator.

1. Scroll to the bottom of the Azure Pricing Calculator webpage to view total **Estimated monthly cost**.

Note: Explore the various options available within the Azure Pricing Calculator. For example, this walkthrough requires you to update the currency to Euro.

2. Change the currency to Euro, then select **Export** to download a copy of the estimate for offline viewing in Microsoft Excel (.xlsx) format.

Estimated monthly cost €109.72

Export
Save
Share
Euro (€)

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Save
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Service type	Custom name	Region	Description	Estimated Cost
Virtual Machines	Windows VM	North Europe	1 A2 (2 vCPU(s), 3.5 GB RAM) x 365 Hours; Windows – (OS Only);	€94.16
Bandwidth	Bandwidth: Windows VM	North Europe	Zone 1: North America, Europe, 50 GB	€3.30
Application Gateway	App Gateway: Windows VM	North Europe	Basic tier, Small Instance size: 1 Gateway hours instance(s) x 365 H	€12.26
Support			Support	€0.00
			Licensing Program	Microsoft Online S
			Monthly Total	€109.72
			Annual Total	€1,316.66

Disclaimer
All prices shown are in Euro (€). This is a summary estimate, not a quote. For up to date pricing information please visit
This estimate was created at 3/30/2019 10:01:38 PM UTC.

Congratulations! You downloaded an estimate from the Azure Pricing Calculator.

Congratulations!

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20 - Use the Azure TCO Calculator (10 min)

In this walkthrough, you will use the Total Cost of Ownership (TCO) Calculator to generate cost comparison report for an on-premises environment.

Note: This walkthrough provides example definitions of on-premises infrastructure and workloads for a typical datacenter. To create a TCO Calculator report, use the example definitions or provide details of your *actual* on-premises infrastructure and workloads.

Task 1: Configure the TCO calculator

In this task, we will add infrastructure information to the calculator.

1. In a browser, navigate to the [Total Cost of Ownership \(TCO\) Calculator](#) page.
2. To add details of your on-premises server infrastructure, click **+ Add server workload** in the **Define your workloads** pane.

Settings	Value
Name	Servers: Windows VMs
Workload	Windows/Linux server
Environment	Virtual Machines
Operating system	Windows
VMs	50
Virtualization	Hyper-V
Core(s)	8
RAM (GB)	16
Optimize by	CPU
Windows Server 2008/2008 R2	Off

3. Select **+ Add server workload** to make a row for a new server workloads definition.

Settings	Value
Name	Servers: Linux VMs

Settings	Value
Workload	Windows/Linux server
Environment	Virtual Machines
Operating system	Linux
VMs	50
Virtualization	VMware
Core(s)	8
RAM (GB)	16
Optimize by	CPU
Windows Server 2008/2008 R2	Off

4. In the **Storage** pane, click **Add storage**.

Settings	Value
Name	Server Storage
Storage type	Local Disk/SAN
Disk type	HDD

Settings	Value
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Capacity	60 TB
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Backup	120 TB
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Archive	0 TB
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5. In the **Networking** pane, add bandwidth.

Settings	Value
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Outbound bandwidth	15 TB
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6. Click **Next**.
7. Explore the options and make any adjustments that you require.

Settings	Value
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Currency	Euro
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8. Click **Next**.

Task 2: Review the results and save a copy

In this task, we will review cost saving recommendations and download a report.

1. Review the Azure cost saving recommendations and visualizations.

Settings	Value
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Timeframe	3 years
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Region	North Europe
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2. To modify the information you provided, go to the bottom of the page, and click **Back**.
3. To save or print a PDF copy of the report, click **Download**.

Total on-premises cost over three year(s)	€9,518,639.12	Total Azure cost over three year(s)	€7,720,377.77
		A total savings of €1,798,261.35 with Microsoft Azure	
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Congratulations! You have used the TCO Calculator to generate a cost comparison report for an on-premises environment.

Congratulations!

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