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You have an Azure subscription named Subscription1. You sign in to the Azure portal and create a resource group named RG1. From Azure documentation, you have the following command that creates a virtual machine named VM1. az vm create --resource-group RG1 --name VM1 --image UbuntuLTS --generate-ssh-keys

You need to create VM1 in Subscription1 by using the command.

Solution: From the Azure portal, launch Azure Cloud Shell and select PowerShell. Run the command in Cloud Shell.

Does this meet the goal?

A. Yes

B. No


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by [peteC](#) at Nov. 26, 2019, 2:25 p.m.

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  **Bobby_Popa** Highly Voted  4 years, 10 months ago

you can run your Bash, and Azure CLI commands in the PowerShell console. It supports both!

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  **Urpiano** 3 years, 9 months ago

I suppose it's correct but launching CMD commands from PowerShell can work or not, it depends how the CMD command works. Sometimes it's necessary to do supplementary actions:

<https://www.powershellmagazine.com/2013/01/02/calling-native-commands-from-powershell/>

<https://social.technet.microsoft.com/wiki/contents/articles/7703-powershell-running-executables.aspx?PageIndex=3>

<https://4sysops.com/archives/use-powershell-to-execute-an-exe/>

Don't know if this Command Shell line can be executed successfully on PowerShell, and can test it :-)

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  **RougePotatoe** 1 year, 9 months ago

Good thing the question didn't ask you about command prompt commands

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  **Safwan5** 1 year ago

You can run bash commands in powershell yes, but technically you'd be running them from the bash shell within powershell.

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  **DBoss** Highly Voted  4 years, 10 months ago



Powershell support both Azure cli and powershell commands

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  **Ansible** 3 years, 4 months ago

It's not PowerShell but CloudShell Support both Azure CLI and PowerShell Commands

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  **kelvintoys93** 3 years, 1 month ago

But the question mentioned that PowerShell is selected in CloudShell. You sure it works with the command line, with ubuntu image?

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  **NavShett** 2 years, 7 months ago

If I remember there was another question where CMD and MS PowerShell was run from Windows Desktop, and that too allowed Azure CLI commands to operate.

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  **NoursBear** Most Recent  1 month, 2 weeks ago

[https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/cli/azure/get-started-tutorial-2-environment-syntax?](https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/cli/azure/get-started-tutorial-2-environment-syntax?tabs=Bash#:~:text=Azure%20CLI%20commands%20can%20be,shell%20(Cmd)%20scripting%20languages)

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  **Nathan12345** 1 month, 3 weeks ago

Selected Answer: A

it make sense

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  **NoursBear** 3 months ago

See question 195

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  **Mole857** 6 months, 1 week ago

CLI and powershell commands are different. This code will only run in an Azure CLI environment, ie Bash

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  **Yomzie** 7 months, 1 week ago

This script:


`az vm create --resource-group RG1 --name VM1 --image UbuntuLTS --generate-ssh-keys`, is a BASH script.

The equivalent PowerShell script would be:

New-AzVm -ResourceGroupName myResourceGroup -Name myVM -Image UbuntuLTS -AdminUsername myUsername -GenerateSshKeys

So, the answer is "NO", because the instruction mentioned "...launch Azure Cloud Shell; Select PowerShell..." which would result in an error when you run the Bash Cmd inside the PowerShell window.



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  **linux_admin** 7 months, 2 weeks ago

Selected Answer: B



The given command is written for Azure CLI, not PowerShell.

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  **shadhussain12** 8 months, 2 weeks ago

The answer is no. The given command is an example of Azure CLI. The question prompt states that the user selects PowerShell in the Azure Cloud Shell. In order to run this command, the user must translate it to the equivalent PowerShell syntax. Therefore the answer is No.

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  **imransh** 10 months, 4 weeks ago

Selected Answer: A


I tried it and it works!

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  **fruade** 1 year ago

Tested in the Azure cloud shell, a virtual machine was created.

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  **Yomzie** 7 months, 1 week ago

It's a lie!!

The provided Bash command:

az vm create --resource-group RG1 --name VM1 --image UbuntuLTS --generate-ssh-keys
...will not work directly in a PowerShell environment without modification.

In PowerShell, the syntax for command-line arguments, variables, and other features differs from Bash. Additionally, Azure CLI commands themselves are specific to Bash syntax and would need to be translated or adapted to PowerShell syntax for them to work correctly in a PowerShell environment. For example, to make the above command work in PowerShell, it would have to be written in TWO double-quotes like this:

az "vm create --resource-group RG1 --name VM1 --image UbuntuLTS --generate-ssh-keys"

Note: To use Azure CLI commands in PowerShell, you would typically run them using the az command followed by the Azure CLI command as a string.

The 'az' comes before the " " containing the vm create... statement

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  **Safwan5** 1 year ago

I think the way these questions are formed has made some of us paranoid that we complicate things so much :D. Simply... Bash commands and powershell commands are distinct, which is the reason why Windows OS is different from a Linux or Mac OS.

The command provided is an azure bash command, the equivalent for powershell would be like: New-AzVm
_____blabla_____

if you have basic familiarity with bosh shells, you can easily tell that powershell isn't meant for this command.

If the question stopped at opening the Azure cloud shell without specifying "powershell" then it would be a valid solution, but since PS is mentioned, answer is NO !!

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  **SAFM** 1 year ago

Selected Answer: B

I vote "No" because I see that Bash can run correctly in Azure CLI but not in Power shell:

<https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/cli/azure/choose-the-right-azure-command-line-tool>

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  **PeterV72** 1 year, 1 month ago

Not a fan of how MS words this question, but yes it can be done.

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  **SNBose** 1 year, 1 month ago

Selected Answer: B

No, the provided solution does not meet the goal. Launching Azure Cloud Shell from the Azure portal and selecting PowerShell is the correct step to use the Azure CLI, but the Azure CLI command provided in the question is for creating a

virtual machine using the Azure CLI, not PowerShell.

To create VM1 in Subscription1 using the provided Azure CLI command, you should:

Launch Azure Cloud Shell from the Azure portal.

Select the Bash environment (not PowerShell) because the Azure CLI commands are typically run in a Bash shell.

Run the provided Azure CLI command:



bash

Copy code

```
az vm create --resource-group RG1 --name VM1 --image UbuntuLTS --generate-ssh-keys
```

This will create VM1 in the RG1 resource group within Subscription1 using the Azure CLI in a Bash environment, which is the appropriate way to execute the given Azure CLI command.

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  **Alif3** 1 year, 1 month ago

Running the command in Azure Cloud Shell, whether in PowerShell or Bash, does not change the context or the subscription where the resources will be created. By default, the Azure Cloud Shell will use the default subscription associated with your Azure account, not necessarily Subscription1.

To ensure that VM1 is created in Subscription1 using the provided command, you should either:

Set the Subscription Context: You can use the az account set --subscription command to set the subscription context before running the az vm create command

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  **Rini1702** 1 year, 1 month ago

BASH COMMAND:

```
az vm create --resource-group myResourceGroup --name myVM --image UbuntuLTS --admin-username myUsername --generate-ssh-keys
```

POWERSHELL COMMAND:

```
New-AzVm -ResourceGroupName myResourceGroup -Name myVM -Image UbuntuLTS -AdminUsername myUsername -GenerateSshKeys
```

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