

Monitoring Tools

Here we discuss a few tool Azure offers to monitor your subscription.

Azure Advisor

Azure Advisor is a native, digital consultant that uses telemetry of your resource configuration and usage to provide your personalized recommendations. Its main task is to assign your infrastructure to the Microsoft Azure Well-Architected Framework. By offering onsite guidance, Advisor makes sure that your cloud environment is not only good, but efficient, safe, and resilient.

Link: <https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/advisor/advisor-overview>

One of Azure recommendation is to create alerts within “Service Health”. It notifies you about Azure service incidents and planned maintenance so you can take action to mitigate downtime.

Note: Service health is looking at Azure services as whole (not particularly our resources).

Link: <https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/get-started/azure-portal/service-health/>

Azure Monitor

This is a centralized dashboard of all logging and analytics of your account.

In Azure Monitor we have a few ways of viewing the data: Metrics view, logs view, ...

For each resource we can view issues. There are prewritten queries as well.