



# What's new in Azure DevOps and .NET

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# Azure DevOps Overview



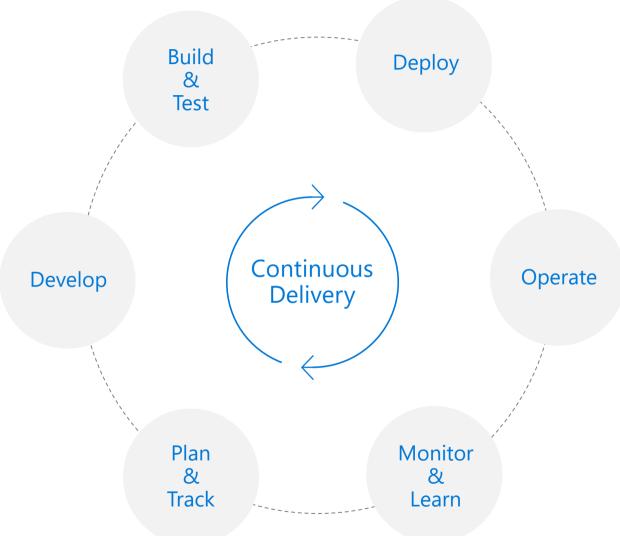
### What is DevOps?

People. Process. Products.



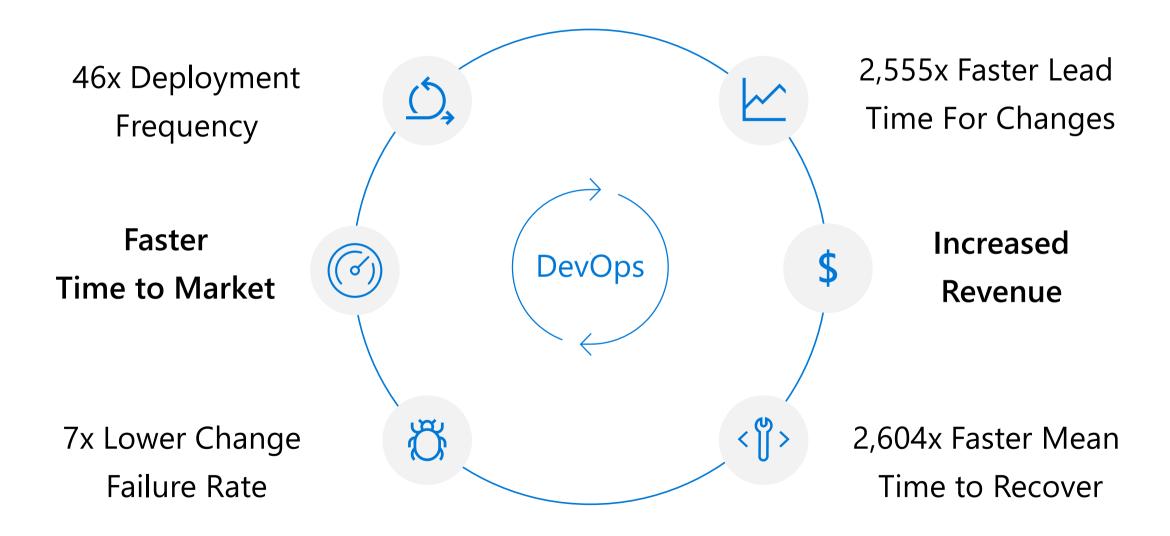
DevOps is the union of people, process, and products to enable continuous delivery of value to your end users.





### High Performance DevOps Companies Achieve...





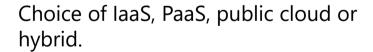
### How Microsoft can help



Microsoft Azure is a powerful and flexible foundation for past, present, and future apps – easily build, manage, and deploy any application and any stack on a massive, global network using your favorite tools and frameworks.

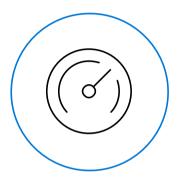


Flexible



Mirror or modernize app infrastructure with VMs, containers, microservices or serverless.

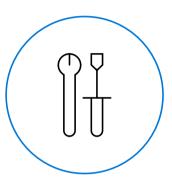
Supports all stages of the app modernization journey – from lift-andshift to Cloud-Native.



Powerful

Instantly improve the performance, scalability and resiliency of your apps by moving them to the cloud.

Increase business agility with Cloud-Native capabilities and built-in DevOps for continuous innovation.



Open

Bring your stack, we bring a cloud that runs any app, on any platform, and any language.

Build applications using the language and tools of your choice - Azure supports what you already use and love so you can get up and running fast – just bring code.

### What technologies do I need to support DevOps?



DevOps brings together people, processes, and technology, automating software delivery to provide continuous value to your users. Using Azure DevOps, you can deliver software faster and more reliably - no matter how big your IT department or what tools you're using.



#### **Continuous Integration (CI)**

- Improve software development quality and speed.
- When you use Azure Pipelines or Jenkins to build apps in the cloud and deploy to Azure, each time you commit code, it's automatically built and tested and bugs are detected faster.

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#### **Continuous Deployment (CD)**

- By combining continuous integration and infrastructure as code (IaC), you'll achieve identical deployments and the confidence to deploy to production at any time.
- With continuous deployment, you can automate the entire process from code commit to production if your CI/CD tests are successful.



#### **Continuous Learning & Monitoring**

- With Azure Application Insights you can identify how your applications are performing and test if the recent deployment made things better or worse.
- Using CI/CD practices, paired with monitoring tools, you'll be able to safely deliver features to your customers as soon as they're ready.

# Introducing Azure DevOps





#### **Azure Boards**

Deliver value to your users faster using proven agile tools to plan, track, and discuss work across your teams.



#### **Azure Test Plans**

Test and ship with confidence using manual and exploratory testing tools.



#### **Azure Pipelines**

Build, test, and deploy with CI/CD that works with any language, platform, and cloud. Connect to GitHub or any other Git provider and deploy continuously.



#### **Azure Artifacts**

Create, host, and share packages with your team, and add artifacts to your CI/CD pipelines with a single click.



#### **Azure Repos**

Get unlimited, cloud-hosted private Git repos and collaborate to build better code with pull requests and advanced file management.



https://azure.com/devops

### **Azure DevOps**

Better together











**Azure Repos** 

**Azure Pipelines** 

**Azure Test Plans** 

**Azure Artifacts** 

An end-to-end solution for organizations looking for an enterprise-grade toolchain

Fully Integrated with end to end traceability

Scalable to any team and project size

Highly available, multi region, hybrid cloud & on-prem

Customer Support

Consistent admin and access control



### Azure DevOps: choose the tools and clouds you love



Azure
DevOps lets
developers
choose the
tools that
are right for
them





Mix and match to create workflows with tools from Microsoft, open source or your favorite 3rd party tools

Target any cloud, on-prem or both and deploy to the servers you need











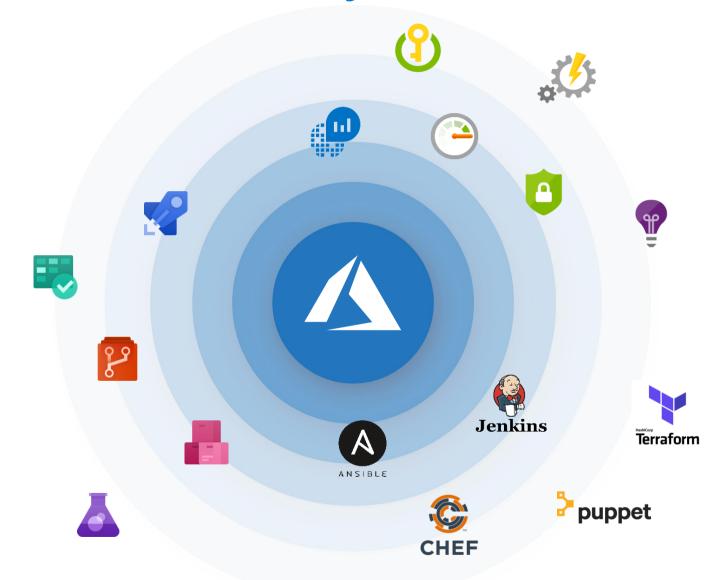






### **Broadening the Azure Ecosystem**





# **Azure Pipelines**



# You could deploy from Visual Studio

but...



### **Azure Pipelines**

Cloud-hosted pipelines for Linux, Windows and macOS, with **unlimited minutes** for open source



#### Any language, any platform, any cloud

Build, test, and deploy Node.js, Python, Java, PHP, Ruby, C/C++, .NET, Android, and iOS apps. Run in parallel on Linux, macOS, and Windows. Deploy to Azure, AWS, GCP or on-premises



#### Extensible

Explore and implement a wide range of community-built build, test, and deployment tasks, along with hundreds of extensions from Slack to SonarCloud. Support for YAML, reporting and more



#### **Containers and Kubernetes**

Easily build and push images to container registries like Docker Hub and Azure Container Registry. Deploy containers to individual hosts or Kubernetes.

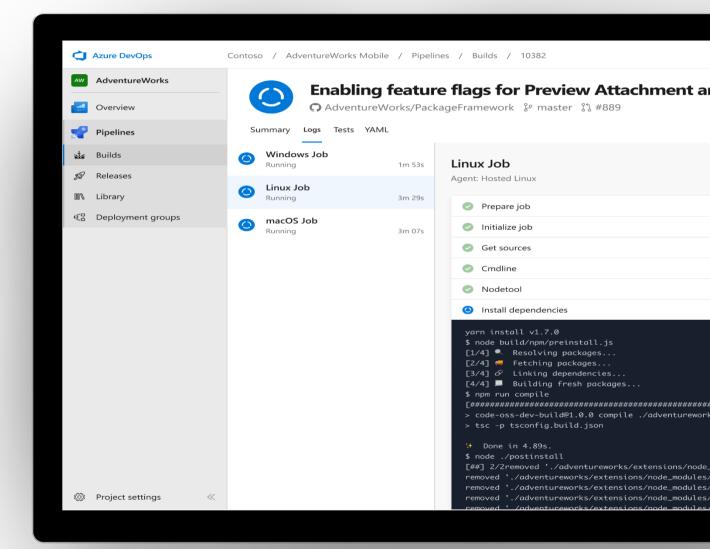


#### Best-in-class for open source

Ensure fast continuous integration/continuous delivery (CI/CD) pipelines for every open source project. Get unlimited build minutes for all open source projects with up to 10 free parallel jobs across Linux, macOS and Windows







### **Deploy Repeatedly & Reliably**



#### **Azure Resource Manager & DevOps Tools integration**

- → Infrastructure as Code, built-in with ARM
- → Use Azure Config & Automation to automate repetitive tasks
- Support for DevOps tools and OSS tooling such as Terraform, Ansible, Chef, Puppet & SaltStack



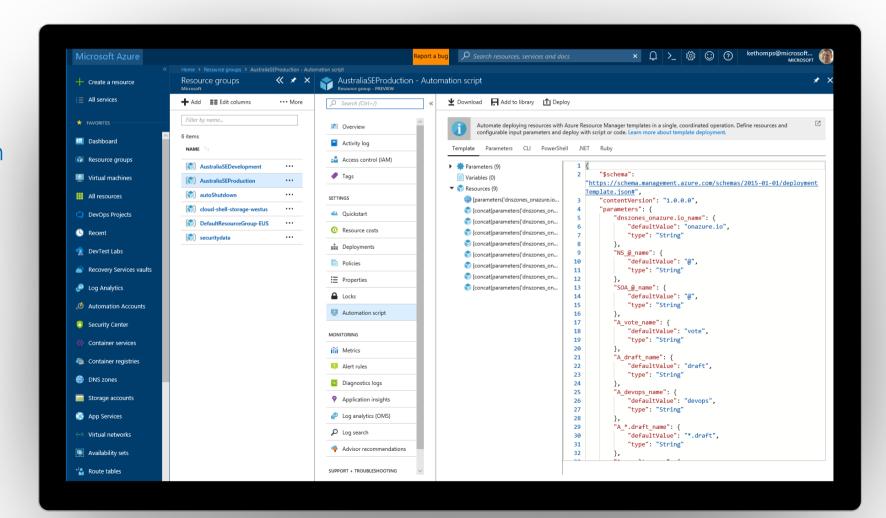














### **Azure Pipelines**

Free **unlimited** build minutes for public projects

Up to 10 free parallel jobs across Windows, Linux and macOS

**Private projects** include 1800 minutes per month





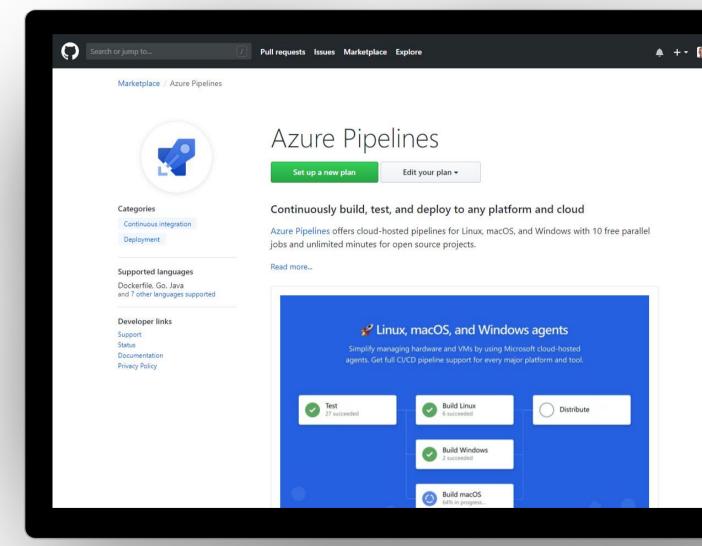
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### **Integrated with GitHub**

Azure Pipelines available now to any developer from the GitHub Marketplace









## Early adopters

GitHub projects already powered by Azure Pipelines for CI









atom/atom

python/cpython

dotnet/reactive

microsoft/vscode

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#### **Azure Boards**

Track work with Kanban boards, backlogs, team dashboards, and custom reporting



#### Connected from idea to release

Track all your ideas at every development stage and keep your team aligned with all code changes linked directly to work items.



#### Scrum ready

Use built-in scrum boards and planning tools to help your teams run sprints, stand-ups, and planning meetings.

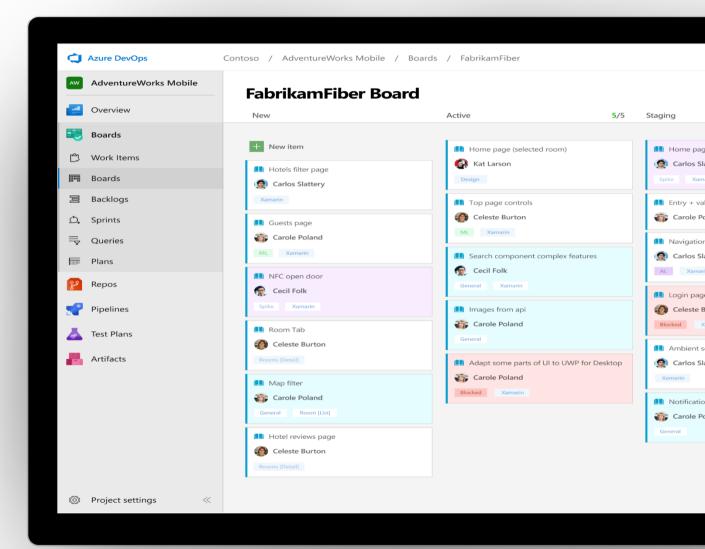


#### **Project insights**

Gain new insights into the health and status of your project with powerful analytics tools and dashboard widgets.







### **Azure Repos**

Unlimited private Git repo hosting and support for TFVC that scales from a hobby project to the world's largest Git repositories



#### Works with your Git client

Securely connect with and push code into your Git repos from any IDE, editor, or Git client.



#### Web hooks and API integration

Add validations and extensions from the marketplace or build your own using web hooks and REST APIs.

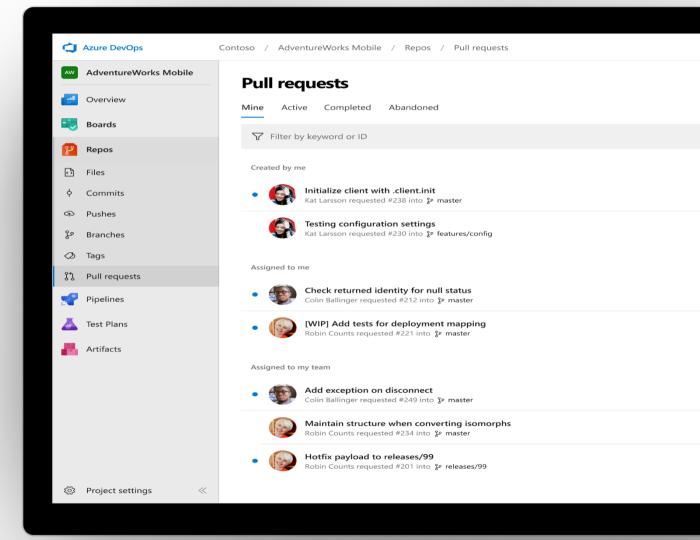


#### Semantic code search

Quickly find what you're looking for with code-aware search that understands classes and variables.







#### **Azure Test Plans**

Get end-to-end traceability. Run tests and log defects from your browser. Track and assess quality throughout your testing lifecycle.



#### Capture rich data

Capture rich scenario data as you execute tests to make discovered defects actionable. Explore user stories without test cases or test steps. You can create test cases directly from your exploratory test sessions.



#### Test across web and desktop

Test your application where it lives. Complete scripted tests across desktop or web scenarios. Test onpremises application from the cloud and vice-versa.

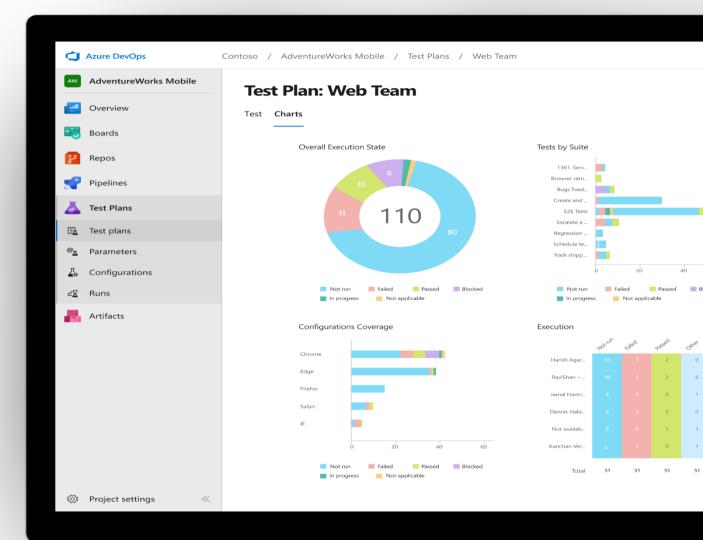


#### Get end-to-end traceability

Leverage the same test tools across your engineers and user acceptance testing stakeholders. Pay for the tools only when you need them.







#### **Azure Artifacts**

Create and share Maven, npm, and NuGet package feeds from public and private sources – fully integrated into CI/CD pipelines



#### Manage all package types

Get universal artifact management for Maven, npm, and NuGet.



#### Add packages to any pipeline

Share packages, and use built-in CI/CD, versioning, and testing.

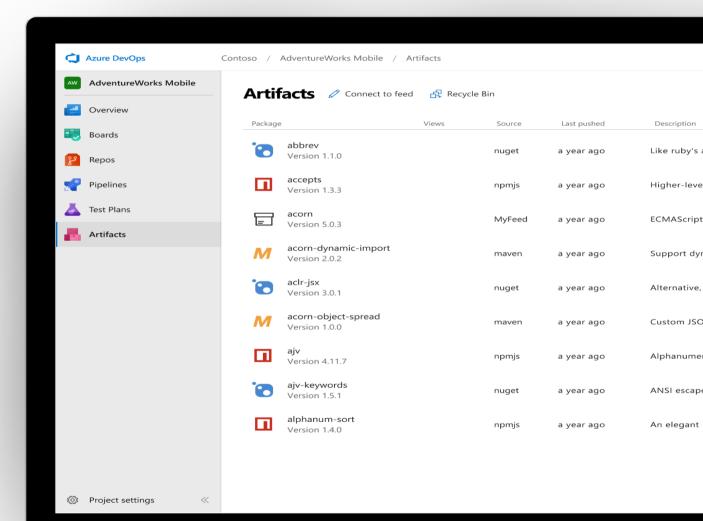


#### Share code efficiently

Easily share code across small teams and large enterprises.







### **DevOps at Microsoft**



Azure DevOps is the toolchain of choice for Microsoft engineering with over 90,000 internal users



https://aka.ms/DevOpsAtMicrosoft

372k
Pull Requests per month

4.4m
Builds per month

5m Work items viewed per day

2m Git commits per month 500m
Test executions per day

500k Work items updated per day 78,000
Deployments per day

### Changes for existing VSTS / TFS customers



The same functionality you know and love today, with greater openness, flexibility and focus

#### **Existing Accounts**

- Existing https://contoso.visualstudio.com URL continues to work. https://dev.azure.com/contoso available for opt-in.
- New UI opt-in per user as preview feature. Will start
  advertising new UI once feedback from new accounts and
  early adopters has been incorporated.
- Can disable services on a per project basis for new UI
- New Azure branding in communications and documentation (emails, alerts etc).
- Websites and documentation will move from Visual Studio to Azure based locations (with redirects in place).
- Redirects available for some time.
- TFS will remain the on-premises brand until the next major version in 2019. The new UI will be enabled in that release.
- Existing TFS branded information and downloads remain in Visual Studio locations until next release.

#### **Pricing**

- Public project usage is now free.
- The free tier for Pipelines now includes 1,800 minutes per month, up from 240.
- Pipelines can be used independently from Repos so if you are only using Pipelines and your repos are hosted on GitHub you don't need to pay for Repos or Boards (Basic) users.

#### **New Accounts**

- https://dev.azure.com/contoso based URL.
- New navigation & branding by default.

https://azure.microsoft.com/enus/blog/introducing-azure-devops-server-2019-rc1/

### Migrating from TFS to Azure DevOps



Move from Team Foundation Server to Azure DevOps and bring your data along

#### Benefits of Cloud Hosted Azure DevOps Services

- Global availability
- Hosted and maintained by Microsoft with 99.9% uptime guarantee and 24x7 support
- Immediate access to latest features
- Simplified deployment to Azure

#### **TFS Import Service**

- Fully supported high fidelity migration path
- Trusted by many large enterprises
- Now faster and easier to use





### **Azure DevOps Services Pricing**



#### **Open Source Projects**

#### Free

#### Unlimited users and build time

- Azure Pipelines: 10 parallel jobs with unlimited minutes for CI/CD
- Azure Boards: Work item tracking and Kanban boards
- Azure Repos: Unlimited public Git repos

#### **Small Teams**

#### Free

#### Start free with up to 5 users

- Azure Pipelines: Run 1 Microsoft-hosted job for 1,800 minutes per month and 1 self-hosted job for any amount of time
- Azure Boards: Work item tracking and Kanban boards
- Azure Repos: Unlimited private Git repos
- Azure Artifacts: package management
- Load testing (20,000 VUMs/month)
- Unlimited stakeholders

#### Teams of any size

#### Starts at €5

per user, per month for Boards & Repos\*

Easy pricing that grows with your team

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- Visual Studio subscribers included free



<sup>\* 5</sup> Boards & Repos users and 5 Artifacts users free. Pipelines with unlimited minutes, Test Plans users and additional Artifacts users also available. Please see the Azure pricing calculator for details.

Demo

# Azure DevOps



### **Azure DevOps**













Plan smarter, collaborate better, and ship faster with a set of modern dev services



Any developer, any platform, any cloud. Full support for hybrid cloud, on-premises & containers.



Use all the Azure DevOps services or choose just what you need to complement your existing workflows



Best in class builds for open source. Free unlimited build minutes for public projects and up to 10 free concurrent jobs across Windows, Linux and macOS



Get started for free for small teams, scales to support the largest enterprises

Start free today



### **Azure DevOps**



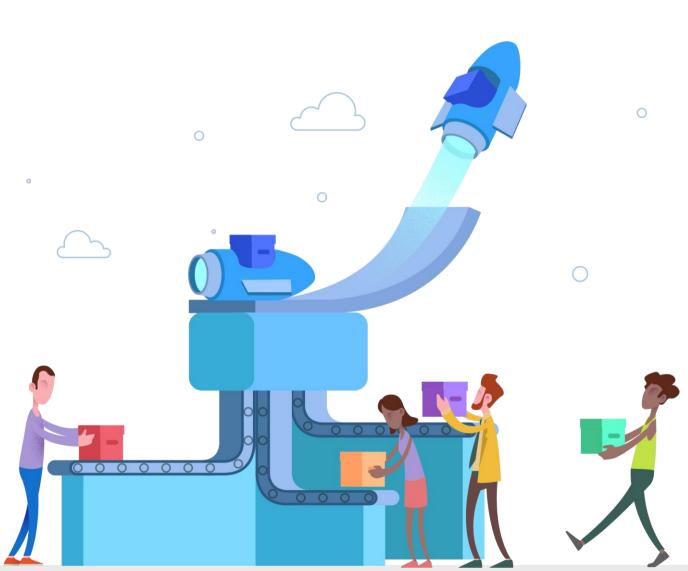
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https://aka.ms/AzureDevOpsForum

https://aka.ms/DevOpsBlog/



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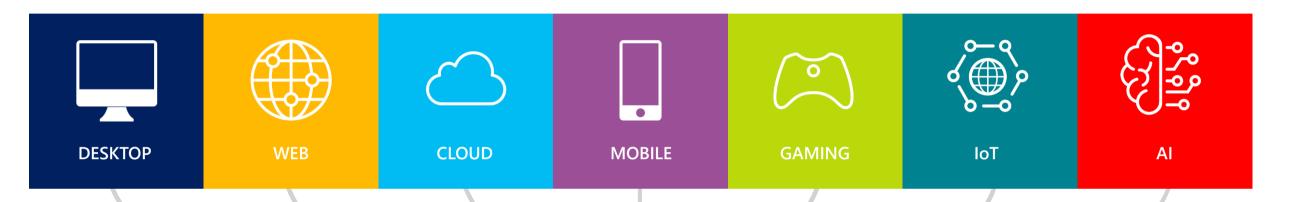


# What's new in .NET ecosystem



### Your platform for building anything











#### **Major Features**

#### .NET Core

**Global Tools** 

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Sockets

HttpClient Performance

**Windows Compatibility Pack** 

#### **EF** Core

Lazy Loading

Value conversions

Query types

Data seeding

#### **ASP.NET Core**

**HTTPS** 

Razor UI as a library

**IHttpClientFactory** 

ASP.NET Core SignalR

### www.dot.net

https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/dotnet/2018/05/30/announcing-net-core-2-1/



#### **Global Tools**

A .NET Core Global Tool is a special NuGet package that contains a console application. A Global Tool can be installed on your machine on a default location that is included in the PATH environment variable or on a custom location.

dotnet tool install -g \$packageId

https://github.com/natemcmaster/dotnet-tools



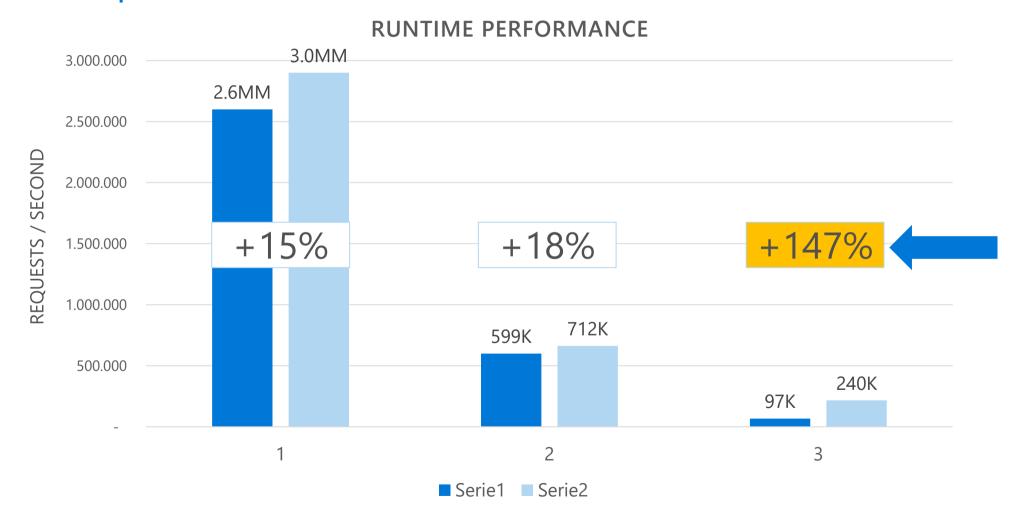
#### Span<T>

A **new value type** at the heart of .NET. It enables the representation of **contiguous regions of arbitrary memory**, regardless of whether that memory is associated with a managed object, is provided by native code via interop, or is on the stack. And it does so while still providing **safe access** with **performance** characteristics like that of arrays.

https://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/magazine/mt814808.aspx https://channel9.msdn.com/Events/Connect/2017/T125

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#### **Performance improvements**



Data sourced from tests on TechEmpower round 16



#### Windows Compatibility Pack

When porting **existing code** from the .NET Framework to .NET Core, you can use the <u>Windows Compatibility Pack</u>.

It provides access to an additional 20,000 APIs, compared to what is available in .NET Core. This includes System.Drawing, EventLog, WMI, Performance Counters, and Windows Services.

If you plan to make your code **cross-platform**, use the new <u>API Analyzer</u> to ensure you don't accidentally *depend on Windows-only APIs*.

https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/dotnet/2017/11/16/announcing-the-windows-compatibility-pack-for-net-core/

## **ASP.NET Core 2.1**



#### HttpClientFactory

Helps to solve some common problems that developers may run into when using HttpClient instances to make external web requests from their applications.

https://www.stevejgordon.co.uk/introduction-to-httpclientfactory-aspnetcore

# **Azure SignalR General Availability**

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Add real-time web functionalities easily with Azure and .NET Core

Enable via "services.AddSignalR().AddAzureSignalR()"



#### Fully managed service

No more worries about capacity provisioning, scaling, or persistent connections



#### Native SignalR development

Use ASP.NET Core SignalR to build real-time experiences such as chat, stock tickers, live dashboards, and instant broadcasting

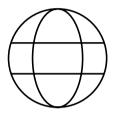


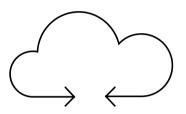
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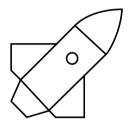




#### **Main Themes**







Improved Web API Development

Microservices and Azure

Continued Performance Improvements

.NET Core 2.2 Preview 3 Now Available

https://aka.ms/DotNetCore22



#### **Major Features**

#### .NET Core

**Multi-tier JIT compilation** 

SQL Connection token auth

#### **EF** Core

Cosmos DB provider

Spatial extensions for SQL Server

and SQLite providers

Reverse engineering of database

views

Collections of owned entities

Query tagging

#### **ASP.NET Core**

Template updates: Bootstrap 4,

Angular 6

Web API improvements,

including API security

HTTP/2

IIS in-process hosting

Health checks

**Endpoint routing** 

SignalR Java client

https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/dotnet/2018/08/02/tiered-compilation-preview-in-net-core-2-1/

# .NET Core v.Next



#### Visual Studio 15.9 and .NET Core Tooling support

Up to 15.8.x., installing a preview version of the .NET Core SDK would cause **all** Visual Studio tooling for .NET Core to use that SDK because it had a higher version.

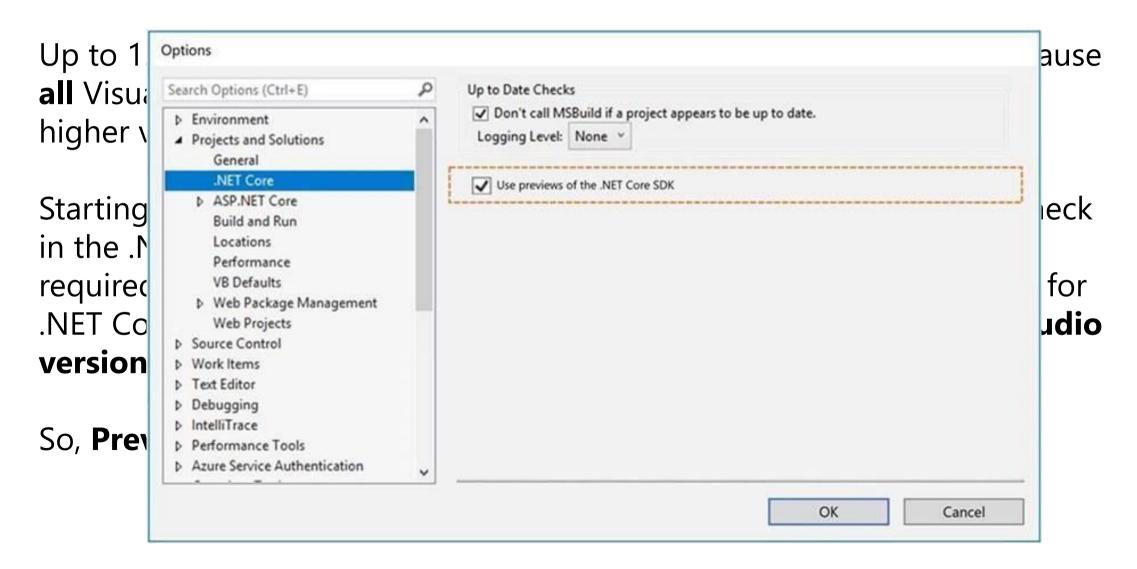
Starting with Visual Studio 2017 version 15.9, there is a compatibility check in the .NET Core SDK that allows for a given SDK to mark a minimum required Visual Studio version. This ensures that the Visual Studio tools for .NET Core will not try to use an SDK that requires a newer Visual Studio version.

So, Preview SDKs will not be consumed by default.

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# .NET Core 3.0 .NET Standard 2.1 .NET Framework 4.8





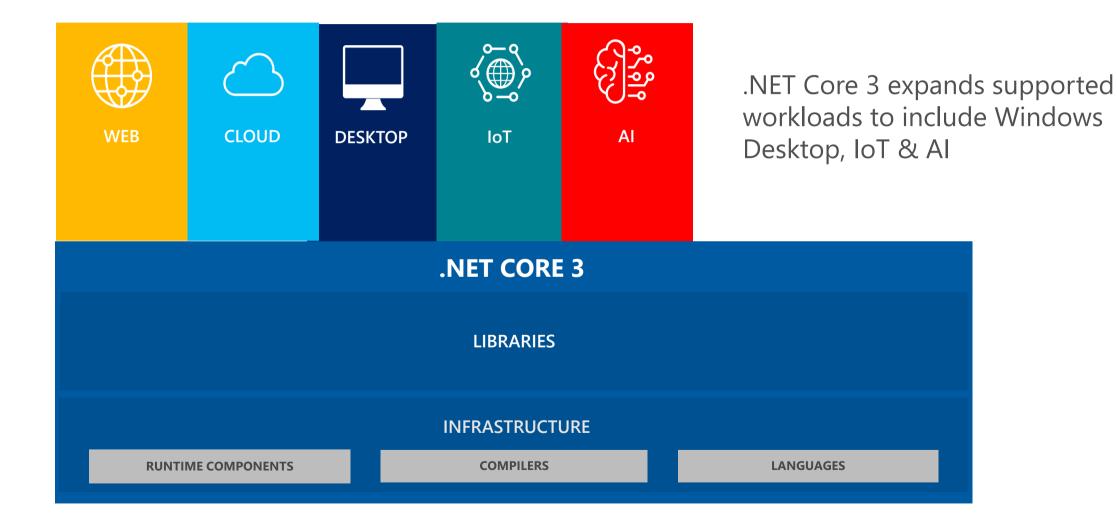




.NET Core is perfectly suited for the requirements of cloud-native, cross-platform workloads

# LIBRARIES INFRASTRUCTURE RUNTIME COMPONENTS COMPILERS LANGUAGES







Why Windows Desktop on .NET Core?

- Side by side
- Machine global or app local framework
- Core runtime and API improvements
- SDK based .csproj project system

https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/dotnet/2018/05/07/net-core-3-and-support-for-windows-desktop-applications/

# .NET Standard 2.1



- New 3000 APIs are planned to be added
- Targets .*NET Core 3.0*, the open-source, cross-platform and fast-moving version of .NET.

Supporting side-by-side, .NET Core will get new APIs and language features over time that .NET Framework cannot.

https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/dotnet/2018/11/05/announcing-net-standard-2-1/

# .NET Framework 4.8



- Modern browser and modern media controls
- Access to touch and UWP Controls
- High DPI improvements

Will move at a slower pace than .NET Core

**WILL NOT SUPPORT .NET Standard 2.1** 

https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/dotnet/2018/10/30/announcing-net-framework-4-8-early-access-build-3673/



#### **Desktop Improvements**

### .NET Core 3 supports WinForms and WPF frameworks

- XAML Islands WinForms & WPF can host UWP
- XAML Controls WinForms & WPF browser and media UWP controls
- High DPI fixes for WinForms

#### Access to all the Windows 10 API's

#### .NET Core App Bundler

- Precompiled, fast startup
- Small apps by removing unused dependencies, link away unused IL
- Single self-contained .exe

.NET Core 3.0 Preview Soon Available

https://github.com/dotnet/core-sdk

# C# 8.0



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#### **New Features**

Planned to ship with .NET Core 3.0 and Visual Studio 2019

# **Nullable reference types**

References must be declared nullable, to be null-assigned

string? s = null;

## **Async streams**

Introduce IAsyncEnumerable<T>, an asynchronous version of IEnumerable<T>, with await foreach and yield return support

https://www.infoq.com/articles/Async-Streams

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## **Default implementations of Interface members**

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# Ranges, Indices and Recursive Patterns

```
New index 'A' and range ' Operators similar to Python behavior
http:
interface IDefaultInterfaceMethod
{
    public void DefaultMethod()
    {
        Console.WriteLine("I am a default method in the interface!");
    }
}
class AnyClass : IDefaultInterfaceMethod
{
}
```



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# Blazor



# **Blazor**



#### .NET in the Browser (EXPERIMENTAL)

#### **Build client-side Web UI in .NET**

You don't need to know AngularJS, React, Vue, etc. Take advantage of stability and consistency of .NET

#### Runs in all browsers

Native performance
Strongly typed on client and server
Requires no plugin or code *transpilation*Share C# code with the client and the server

https://blazor.net/docs/index.html https://channel9.msdn.com/Events/dotnetConf/2018/S207

# **Blazor Components**



#### "Server-side Blazor"

Blazor programming model integrated into ASP.NET Core

Runs server-side on .NET Core

Handle client UI interactions using SignalR

Same code can run client-side on WebAssembly with no code changes WebAssembly support remains experimental while runtime matures

**Shipping in ASP.NET Core 3.0** 

# Demo Blazor



# Machine Learning .NET



# **ML.NET**



#### Machine Learning Framework for .NET developers & apps

#### **Just announced ML.NET 0.7**

https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/dotnet/2018/11/08/announcing-ml-net-0-7-machine-learning-net/

#### **Support for many ML scenarios**

Binary/Multiclass Classification

Clustering

Regression

Recommendation

Anomaly detections

Deep Learning (e.g. Image Classification with TensorFlow)

#### Helpful data readers, learners and transforms

Learners: FFM, LightGBM, Ensemble, SymSGD, ... Transforms: LightLDA, Word Embeddings, ...

# Data Pipeline customization ONNX, F# Support, Python bindings (experimental)

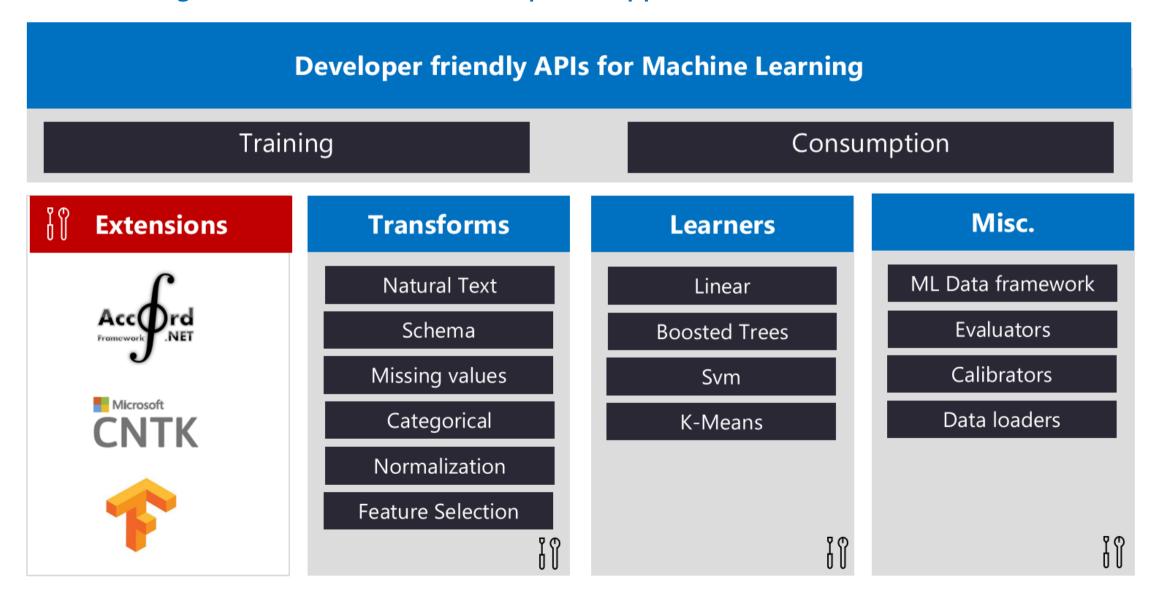
**ML.NET Samples repo** 

https://github.com/dotnet/machinelearning-samples

# **ML.NET**



#### Machine Learning Framework for .NET developers & apps



### Demo

# Machine Learning .NET





Tuesday, December 4 8.30 – 17.30 PST

# Microsoft Connect(); 2018

https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/connectevent/

# Q&A



# Thank You

# **About**



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# **About**







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Programming in C# with JavaScript & CSS3

Windows Store Apps Using C# Web Applications

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- Virtual Reality (Oculus Rift, Gear VR, WinMR, Unity 3D)
- Augmented/Mixed Reality (HoloLens, Magic Leap)
- Immersive video streaming and 3D graphics for sport events
- **NUI Prototypes (Microsoft Kinect, Leap Motion)**
- Mobile App developer (Windows / Android / Xamarin)
- Cloud solutions with Microsoft Azure (serverless, video workflow)













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