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**Batch: CC-9      Roll No.: 16010122323**  
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**Grade: AA / AB / BB / BC / CC / CD / DD**

**Title: Microsoft Azure portal services, VM creation and management using Microsoft Azure**

**Objective:** To implement Microsoft Azure portal services, VM creation and management using Microsoft Azure services.

**Expected Outcome of Experiment:**

CO	Outcome
CO4	Build cloud services and applications

**Books/ Journals/ Websites referred:**

**Microsoft Azure Documentation:** <https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/>

**Azure Virtual Machines Documentation:** <https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/virtual-machines/>



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**Microsoft Learn - Free Training on Azure:** <https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/training/>

**Azure Portal:** <https://portal.azure.com/>

**Azure YouTube Channel:** <https://www.youtube.com/user/windowsazure>



**Abstract:-**

This experiment explores the use of the Microsoft Azure cloud platform for creating and managing virtual machines (VMs). Cloud computing has revolutionized the way IT resources are utilized by offering on-demand computing services over the internet. Azure, one of the leading cloud platforms, allows users to deploy, monitor, and manage virtual machines with flexibility and scalability. The focus of this experiment is to understand Azure portal services, perform the creation of a VM, and manage it effectively through various administrative tools provided by the platform. By doing so, students gain hands-on experience in cloud infrastructure management, a critical skill in modern computing environments.

**Related Theory: -**

Microsoft Azure is a comprehensive cloud computing platform offered by Microsoft, providing a wide range of services including computing, analytics, storage, and networking. Among these, Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) enables users to create and manage virtual machines.

A Virtual Machine (VM) in Azure acts like a physical computer, running an operating system and applications, and is fully customizable in terms of CPU, memory, and disk configuration. Azure VMs are commonly used for development, testing, hosting applications, and extending data centers.

**Key components and concepts involved in Azure VM management:**

- Azure Portal: A web-based interface for managing Azure resources including VMs.
- Resource Groups: Logical containers to group and manage resources.
- Virtual Networks and Subnets: Provide isolated network environments for VMs.
- Public IP Address and Network Security Group (NSG): Manage VM connectivity and security.
- Disks: Azure provides both OS disks and data disks, with support for standard and premium storage.

**VMs can be provisioned with either Windows or Linux OS. Once created, users can:**

- Connect via Remote Desktop (Windows) or SSH (Linux)



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- Start, stop, restart, or delete VMs
- Scale resources and monitor performance
- Set up auto-shutdown and backup policies

Azure provides high availability and redundancy, making it suitable for production-grade deployments. Understanding VM management in Azure is crucial for cloud administrators and developers to optimize performance and ensure operational reliability.

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### Create a virtual machine

Help me create a low cost VM Help me create a VM optimized for high availability Help me choose the right VM size for my workload

Basics Disks Networking Management Monitoring Advanced Tags Review + create

Create a virtual machine that runs Linux or Windows. Select an image from Azure marketplace or use your own customized image. Complete the Basics tab then Review + create to provision a virtual machine with default parameters or review each tab for full customization. [Learn more >](#)

**This subscription may not be eligible to deploy VMs of certain sizes in certain regions.**

**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 for Students

Resource group \* waduhk\_group

Create new

**Instance details**

Virtual machine name \* waduhk

Virtual machine name must be unique in the current resource group.

Region \* (Asia Pacific) East Asia

Availability options \* Availability zone

Zone options \* Self-selected zone

Choose up to 3 availability zones, one VM per zone

Azure-selected zone (Preview)

Let Azure assign the best zone for your needs

Availability zone \* Zone 1

You can now select multiple zones. Selecting multiple zones will create one VM per zone. [Learn more >](#)

Security type \* Trusted launch virtual machines

Configure security features

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Image \*

VM architecture ☐ Arm64 ☒ x64

Run with Azure Spot discount ☐

Size \*

Enable Hibernation ☐

Administrator account

Authentication type ☐ SSH public key ☒ Password

Username \*

Password \*

Confirm password \*

Inbound port rules

Select which virtual machine network ports are accessible from the public internet. You can specify more limited or granular network access on the Networking tab.

Public inbound ports \* ☐ None ☒ Allow selected ports

Select inbound ports \*

This will allow all IP addresses to access your virtual machine. This is only recommended for testing. Use the Advanced controls in the Networking tab to create rules to limit inbound traffic to known IP addresses.

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Azure VMs have one operating system disk and a temporary disk for short-term storage. You can attach additional data disks. The size of the VM determines the type of storage you can use and the number of data disks allowed. [Learn more](#)

VM disk encryption

Azure disk storage encryption automatically encrypts your data stored on Azure managed disks (OS and data disks) at rest by default when persisting it to the cloud.

Encryption at host ☐

OS disk

OS disk size

OS disk type \*

Delete with VM ☒

Key management

Enable Ultra Disk compatibility ☐

Data disks for waduhek

You can add and configure additional data disks for your virtual machine or attach existing disks. This VM also comes with a temporary disk.

LUN	Name	Size (GiB)	Disk type	Host caching	Delete with VM
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Create and attach a new disk Attach an existing disk

Advanced

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Define network connectivity for your virtual machine by configuring network interface card (NIC) settings. You can control ports, inbound and outbound connectivity with security group rules, or place behind an existing load balancing solution. [Learn more >](#)

#### Network interface

When creating a virtual machine, a network interface will be created for you.

Virtual network \*  [Create new](#)

Subnet \*  [Manage subnet configuration](#)

Public IP \*  [Create new](#)

NIC network security group ☐ None ☒ Basic ☐ Advanced

Public inbound ports \* ☐ None ☒ Allow selected ports

Select inbound ports \*

**This will allow all IP addresses to access your virtual machine. This is only recommended for testing. Use the Advanced controls in the Networking tab to create rules to limit inbound traffic to known IP addresses.**

Delete public IP and NIC when VM is deleted ☐

Enable accelerated networking ☒

#### Load balancing

You can place this virtual machine in the backend pool of an existing Azure load balancing solution. [Learn more >](#)

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Configure management options for your VM.

#### Microsoft Defender for Cloud

Microsoft Defender for Cloud provides unified security management and advanced threat protection across hybrid cloud workloads. [Learn more >](#)

**Your subscription is protected by Foundational Cloud Security Posture Management Free Plan.**

#### Identity

Enable system assigned managed identity ☐

#### Microsoft Entra ID

Login with Microsoft Entra ID ☐

**RBAC role assignment of Virtual Machine Administrator Login or Virtual Machine User Login is required when using Microsoft Entra ID login. [Learn more >](#)**

**Microsoft Entra ID login now uses SSH certificate-based authentication. You will need to use an SSH client that supports OpenSSH certificates. You can use Azure CLI or Cloud Shell from the Azure Portal. [Learn more >](#)**

#### Auto-shutdown

Enable auto-shutdown ☐

#### Backup

Enable backup ☐

#### Guest OS updates

Enable periodic assessment ☐

Patch orchestration options

**Some patch orchestration options are not available for this image. [Learn more >](#)**

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Configure monitoring options for your VM.

**Alerts**

Enable recommended alert rules ☐

**Diagnostics**

Boot diagnostics ☐ Enable with managed storage account (recommended)  
☐ Enable with custom storage account  
☐ Disable

Enable OS guest diagnostics ☐

**Health**

Enable application health monitoring ☐

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Add additional configuration, agents, scripts or applications via virtual machine extensions or cloud-init.

**Extensions**

Extensions provide post-deployment configuration and automation.

Extensions

**VM applications**

VM applications contain application files that are securely and reliably downloaded on your VM after deployment. In addition to the application files, an install and uninstall script are included in the application. You can easily add or remove applications on your VM after create. [Learn more >](#)

[Select a VM application to install](#)

**Custom data and cloud init**

Pass a cloud-init script, configuration file, or other data into the virtual machine **while it is being provisioned**. The data will be saved on the VM in a known location. [Learn more about custom data for VMs >](#)

Custom data

Custom data on the selected image will be processed by cloud-init. [Learn more about custom data for VMs >](#)

**User data**

Pass a script, configuration file, or other data that will be accessible to your applications throughout the lifetime of the virtual machine. Don't use user data for storing your secrets or passwords. [Learn more about user data for VMs >](#)

Enable user data ☐

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The screenshot displays the Microsoft Azure portal interface. The top section shows the deployment details for 'CreateVm-canonical.0001-com-ubuntu-server-jammy-2-20250403152958'. The deployment is complete, and a table lists the resources: waduhek, waduhek209\_z1, waduhek-vnet, and waduhek-ip, all with a status of 'OK'. The bottom section shows the 'waduhek\_group' resource group overview, including a table of resources with columns for Name, Type, and Location.

Resource	Type	Status	Operation details
waduhek	Microsoft.Compute/virtualMachines	OK	<a href="#">Operation details</a>
waduhek209_z1	Microsoft.Network/networkInterfaces	OK	<a href="#">Operation details</a>
waduhek-vnet	Microsoft.Network/virtualNetworks	OK	<a href="#">Operation details</a>
waduhek-ip	Microsoft.Network/publicIPAddresses	OK	<a href="#">Operation details</a>

Name	Type	Location
studentdisk	Disk	East Asia
waduhek	Virtual machine	East Asia
waduhek-ip	Public IP address	East Asia
waduhek-vnet	Virtual network	East Asia
waduhek209_z1	Network interface	East Asia
waduhek_OsDisk_1_6643c3cac3e4166914b18dadcc723	Disk	East Asia





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The screenshot shows the Microsoft Azure portal interface for a virtual machine named 'waduhek'. The left sidebar contains navigation options like Overview, Activity log, Access control (IAM), Tags, Diagnose and solve problems, Resource visualizer, Connect, Networking, Settings, Disks, Extensions + applications, Operating system, Configuration, Advisor recommendations, Properties, Locks, Availability + scale, Security, Backup + disaster recovery, Operations, Monitoring, Automation, and Help. The main content area is divided into 'Essentials' and 'Properties' sections. The 'Essentials' section displays key information: Resource group (waduhek-group), Status (Running), Location (East Asia Zone 1), Subscription (Azure for Students), Subscription ID (15c90191-6812-4b13-9fed-8a3c143ae990), Availability zone (1), Tags (tag1), Operating system (Linux (Ubuntu 22.04)), Size (Standard D4s v3 (4 vcpus, 16 GB memory)), Public IP address (20.232.234), Virtual network/subnet (waduhek-vnet/default), DNS name (Not configured), Health state (Healthy), and Time created (4/3/2025, 10:02 AM UTC). The 'Properties' section provides detailed specifications for the virtual machine, including its name, operating system, VM generation, architecture, agent status, agent version, hibernation status, host group, host, proximity placement group, collocation status, capacity reservation group, and disk controller type. It also lists the source image details, including the publisher (canonical), source image offer (0001-com-ubuntu-server-jammy), and source image plan (22\_04-lts-gen2).

The screenshot shows the Microsoft Azure portal interface for the 'waduhek' virtual machine, specifically the 'Disks' section. The left sidebar is identical to the previous screenshot. The main content area displays the 'OS disk' and 'Data disks' sections. The 'OS disk' section shows a single disk with the name 'waduhek\_OsDisk\_1\_6943c9ac3e4166914b18dad0c7723', storage type 'Premium SSD LRS', size '30' GB, max IOPS '120', max throughput '25', encryption 'SSE with PMK', and host caching 'Read/write'. The 'Data disks' section shows a table with one disk: 'studentDISK', storage type 'Premium SSD (locally-r...', size '4' GB, max IOPS '120', max throughput '25', encryption 'Platform-managed key', and host caching 'Read/write'. Below the table, there are buttons for 'Apply' and 'Discard changes'.

The screenshot shows two success messages from the Azure portal. The first message, titled 'Updated virtual machine', states 'Successfully updated virtual machine 'waduhek'.' and is timestamped 'a few seconds ago'. The second message, titled 'Successfully created disk', states 'Successfully created disk 'studentDISK'.' and is also timestamped 'a few seconds ago'. Both messages have a green checkmark icon and a close button (X).



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The screenshot displays the Microsoft Azure portal interface for a virtual machine named 'studentdisk'. The left sidebar shows navigation options like Overview, Activity log, Access control (IAM), Tags, Diagnose and solve problems, Resource visualizer, Settings, Monitoring, Automation, and Help. The main content area is divided into 'Essentials' and 'Properties' tabs. The 'Essentials' tab shows a summary of the VM's configuration, including its resource group, disk state, last ownership update time, location, subscription, and time created. The 'Properties' tab provides detailed information about the VM's disk, size, security type, encryption, and networking. The disk is named 'studentdisk' and is a 4 GB Premium SSD LRS. The VM is running on Windows Server 2019 Datacenter and is located in the East Asia region. The subscription is 'K J Somaiya College of Engineering' and the time created is 4/3/2025, 3:37:55 PM.

Property	Value
Resource group	studentdisk_group
Disk state	Attached
Last ownership update time	4/3/2025, 3:38:00 PM
Location	East Asia
Subscription	K J Somaiya College of Engineering
Subscription ID	15d90191-6812-4b13-9f6d-b63c143ed90
Time created	4/3/2025, 3:37:55 PM
Tags	None
Disk size	4 GB
Storage type	Premium SSD LRS
Managed by	studentdisk
Operating system	Windows Server 2019 Datacenter
Max shares	0
Availability zone	1
Performance tier	P1 - 120 IOPS, 25 MB/s
Security type	Standard
Operating system type	Windows
Create option	Empty
VM generation	1
VM architecture	x64
Availability zone	1
Completion percent	100
Provisioning state	Succeeded
Max shares	0
On-demand bursting	Not supported
Hibernation supported	Not supported
Encryption type	Platform-managed key
Connection type	AllowAll

**Conclusion:- Understood the creation and management of VM in Microsoft Azure**