

4. Add and arrange tiles on the Azure dashboard to display information about your subscribed services

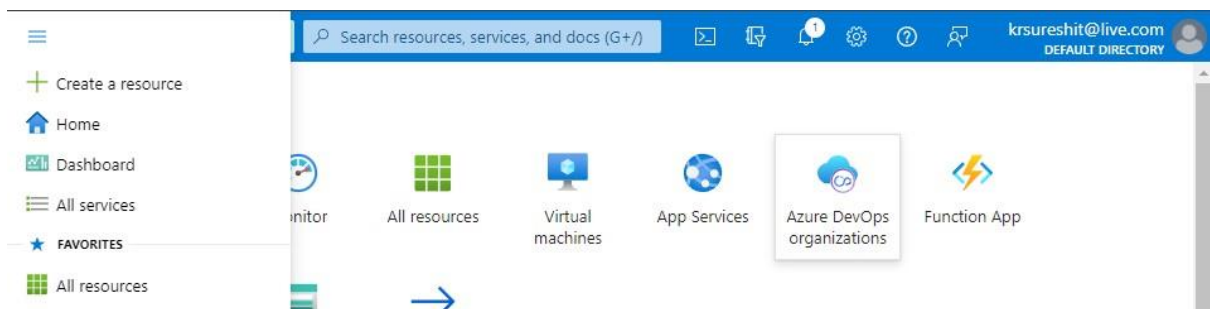
### Adding Tiles:

#### Login to the Azure Portal:

Open your web browser and navigate to the Azure Portal. Sign in with your Azure account.

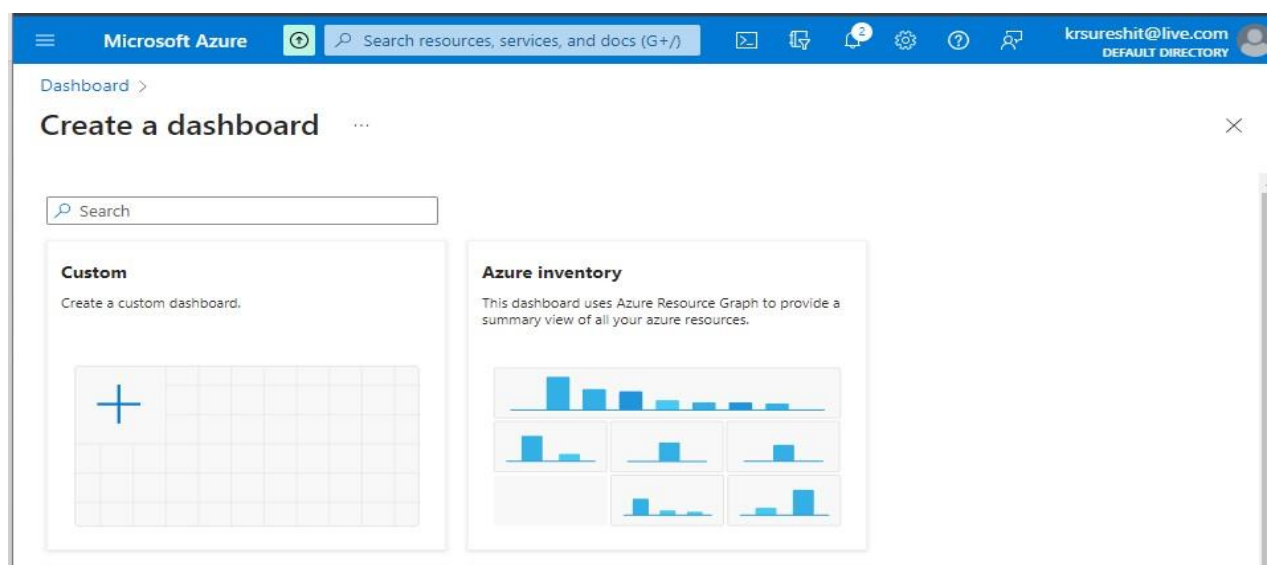
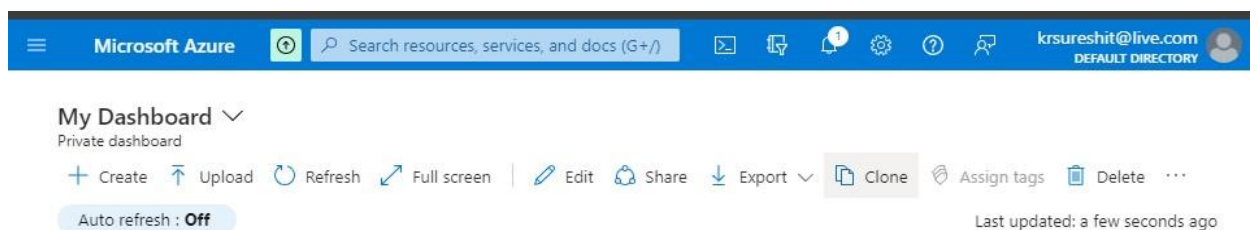
#### Navigate to the Dashboard:

On the left-hand side, you'll find the dashboard icon. Click on it to go to the dashboard.



### Add a Tile:

Select **Create**, then select **Custom**.



## Select a Tile Type:

Choose the type of tile you want to add. There are various tile types available, such as charts, metrics, and specific service-related tiles.

The screenshot displays the Microsoft Azure portal interface. At the top, the header bar includes the Microsoft Azure logo, a search bar, and user information for 'krsureshit@live.com'. Below the header, the main area is divided into two sections. On the left, the 'Demo dashboard' is shown with a 'Save' button and a 'Preview' button. Below the dashboard name, there is a '+ Add tiles' button and a note: 'You can resize, move, edit tiles, or add tiles to your dashboard.' The dashboard itself is a grid of empty tiles. On the right, the 'Tile Gallery' is open, showing a list of available tile types. The gallery includes a search bar, a 'Filter tiles' button, and a list of tiles with their respective icons and descriptions. The tiles listed are: Metrics chart, Resource groups, All resources, Clock, Markdown, Users and groups, and User sign-in summary. Each tile has a small icon and a brief description. At the bottom of the gallery, there is an 'Add' button.

**Microsoft Azure** Search resources, services, and docs (G+)

**Demo dashboard** Save Preview

+ Add tiles

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**All resources** All subscriptions Refresh

- windowsvm Virtual machine
- MSVM-DefaultWorkspace-... Data collection rule
- asmonitor Storage account
- CPU35Percent Metric alert rule
- NotificationActionGroup Action group
- DefaultWorkspace-7bde45e... Log Analytics works...
- NetworkWatcher\_centralindia Network Watcher

See more...

**Resource groups** All subscriptions

- Vmrg
- DefaultR
- DefaultR
- DefaultR
- Network
- webappr

**Tile Gallery**

Drag and drop or select tile and click "Add". You can add other parts of the portal to the dashboard by pinning. [Learn more](#)

Filter tiles

- Metrics chart**  
Metrics in Azure Monitor are lightweight and capable of supporting near real-time scenarios...
- Resource groups**  
A resource group is a container that holds related resources for an Azure solution. See a list of your resource...
- All resources**  
An Azure resource is a manageable item that is available through Azure. Virtual machines, storage accounts,...
- Clock**  
Display the time in the time zone of your choice.
- Markdown**  
Display custom, static content. For example, you can show basic instructions, an image, or a set of...
- Users and groups**  
Display the top Microsoft Entra users and groups.
- User sign-in summary**

Add

## Configure the Tile:

Depending on the tile type, you'll need to configure the settings. For example, if you're adding a metric tile, you might need to select the metric, resource, and other relevant details.

The screenshot shows the Microsoft Azure portal interface. On the left, a 'Demo dashboard' is visible with a line chart and a table of resources. The 'Configure tile settings' dialog is open on the right, allowing configuration for a metric tile.

**Configure tile settings**

**Time settings**

- ☒ Override the dashboard time settings at the tile level.
- Timespan:
- Time granularity:
- Show time as: ☒ UTC ☐ Local (UTC+5:30)

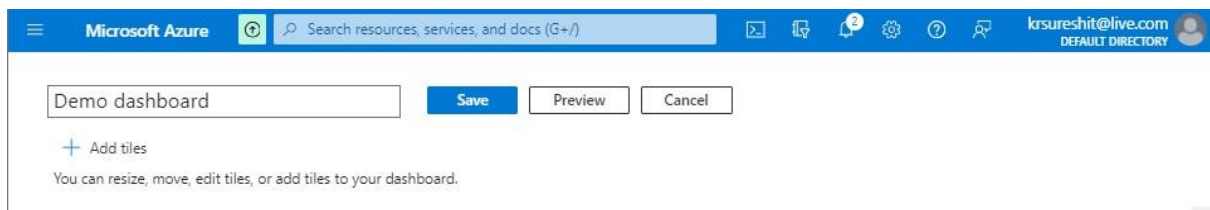
**Resources**

Resource Name	Resource Type
windowsvm	Virtual machine
MSVM-DefaultWorkspace-7bde45ec-4211-4bec-...	Data collection rule
asmonitor	Storage account
CPU35Percent	Metric alert rule
NotificationActionGroup	Action group
DefaultWorkspace-7bde45ec-4211-4bec-...	Log Analytics workspace
NetworkWatcher_centralindia	Network Watcher
windowsvm-ip	Public IP address
windowsvm-nsg	Network security group
windowsvm-vnet	Virtual network
windowsvm202	Network Interface
windowsvm_OsDisk_1_3c3dfd04503e498...	Disk

**Buttons:** Apply, Cancel

## Save the Tile:

After configuring the tile, click "Add" or "Save" to add the tile to your dashboard.



## Arranging Tiles:

### Move a Tile:

Hover over the tile you want to move.

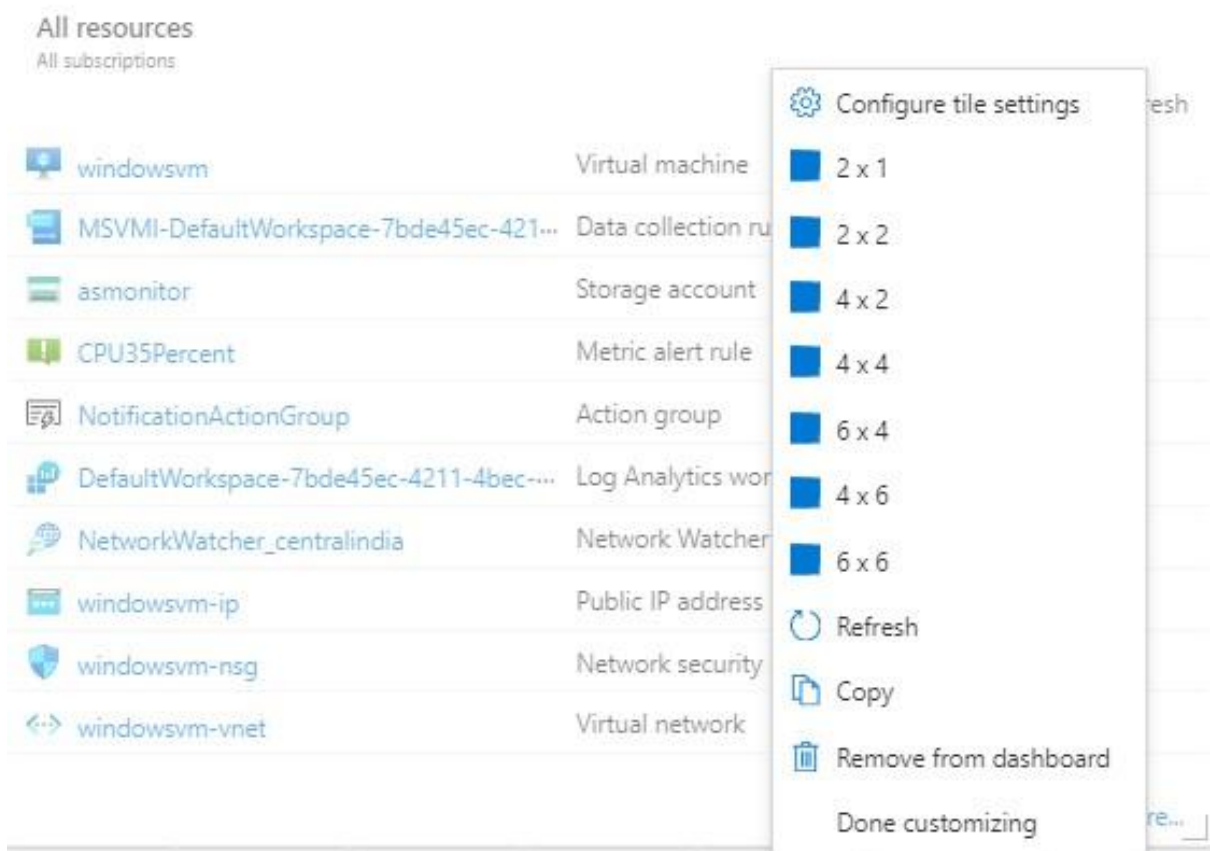
Click and hold the left mouse button to drag the tile to a new position.

### Resize a Tile:

Some tiles can be resized. Look for handles on the edges or corners of the tile.

Click and drag these handles to resize the tile according to your preference.

also, we can resize by right clicking the tile and selecting the required size.



## Remove a Tile:

Hover over the tile you want to remove.  
Click on the ellipsis (three dots) icon.  
Select "Remove from dashboard."

The screenshot shows the 'All resources' section in the Azure portal. A list of resources is displayed, including 'windowsvm', 'MSVMI-DefaultWorkspace-7bde45ec-421...', 'asmonitor', 'CPU35Percent', 'NotificationActionGroup', 'DefaultWorkspace-7bde45ec-4211-4bec...', 'NetworkWatcher\_centralindia', 'windowsvm-ip', 'windowsvm-nsg', and 'windowsvm-vnet'. A context menu is open over the 'windowsvm' resource, showing options: 'Configure tile settings', '2 x 1', '2 x 2', '4 x 2', '4 x 4', '6 x 4', '4 x 6', '6 x 6', 'Refresh', 'Copy', 'Remove from dashboard', and 'Done customizing'.

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windowsvm	Virtual machine	Central India
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CPU35Percent	Metric alert rule	
NotificationActionGroup	Action group	
DefaultWorkspace-7bde45ec-4211-4bec...	Log Analytics workspace	East US
NetworkWatcher_centralindia	Network Watcher	Central India
windowsvm-ip	Public IP address	Central India
windowsvm-nsg	Network security group	Central India
windowsvm-vnet	Virtual network	Central India

## Create Additional Dashboards:

You can create multiple dashboards to organize information better.

Click on the "Dashboards" icon on the left and choose to create a new dashboard.

The screenshot shows a custom dashboard titled 'Demo dashboard' in the Azure portal. The dashboard contains two main tiles: 'All resources' and 'Resource groups'. The 'All resources' tile lists the same resources as the previous screenshot. The 'Resource groups' tile lists resource groups: 'Vmrg', 'DefaultResourceGroup-CCAN', 'DefaultResourceGroup-CID', 'DefaultResourceGroup-EUS', 'NetworkWatcherRG', and 'webapprg'. A clock widget shows the time as 11:23 AM on Wednesday, 17 January 2024. The dashboard is updated automatically every minute.

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NetworkWatcherRG	East US
webapprg	East US