Large Scale Adoption of Azure

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Our Cloud Journey So Far

E.ON's business-driven journey towards the adoption of cloud computing was — and still is — a multi-year endeavor



E.ON's transformation towards the new energy world required enhanced IT capabilities which are enabled by cloud computing

Business Strategy

- Close integration with customers & partners
- Digital business models, products
 & services
- Collaboration in dynamic multienterprise ecosystems
- Transformation into decentral & distributed energy world

Business Drivers & Requirements

- Quick response to unpredictable demand or requests of customers & partners
- Time to market / quick availability of services and products to customers & partners
- Flexible / scalable cost
- Analysis of large data volumes to predict customer demand / service adoption

Cloud Characteristics

Elasticity

Ability to handle expected & unexpected changes in load

Speed

Faster availability of business functionality

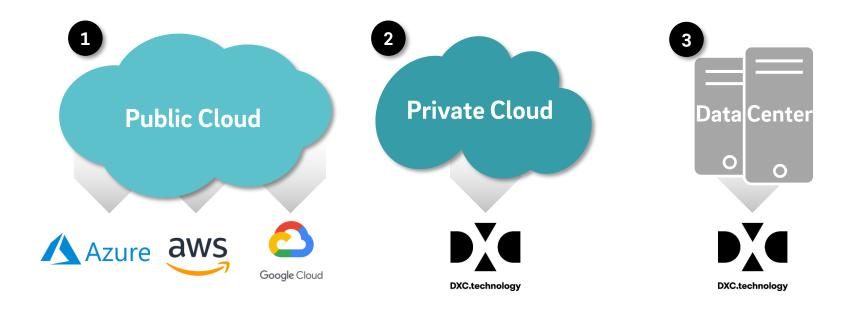
Cost Flexibility

- Flexible IT costs (as you go model)
- Low costs of adoption & exit cost

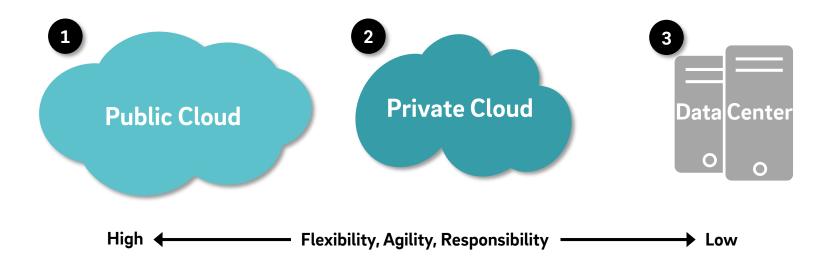
New Technologies & Architectures

Leverage quick access to new application platforms & services

E.ON is implementing a hybrid cloud strategy which defines multiple options for transforming our application portfolio and optimize business value, cost and risk



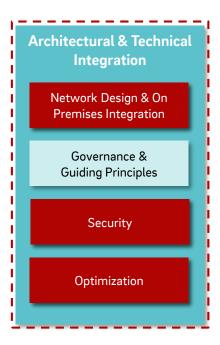
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E.ON's Central Cloud Framework

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Demand & Request Management



Service Management Integration

Commercial Integration

Network Design & Integration

We support the deployment an application based on different configurations of the Azure Virtual Networks

Supported Virtual Network Configurations

No Virtual Network

 Deployment scenario for a single isolated laaS or PaaS (e.g. Azure Website without any connection to another Azure service)

Isolated Virtual Network

- Scenario when a set of Azure services have to be connected but no external communication is required
- IP addresses only have to be aligned within this isolated virtual network

Virtual Network with Point-to-Site Connection

- Deployment scenario when the virtual network should be accessible exclusively for limited number of users through VPN tunnel (e.g. access for developers)
- IP Range should be assigned
- Certificate management for VPN tunnel is required

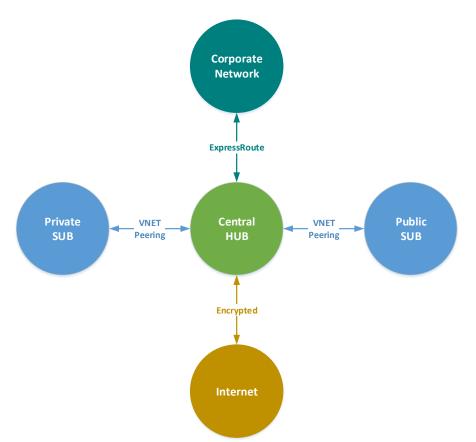
Virtual Network with Site-to-Site Connection

- Scenario when the virtual network has to be accessible via the corporate network (CN)
- IP Range has to be assigned
- Security Standards

Virtual Network with ExpressRoute Connection (S2S backup)

- ExpressRoute for CN Extension
- IP Range has to be assigned
- Security Standards

Central Cloud Framework: Introduction



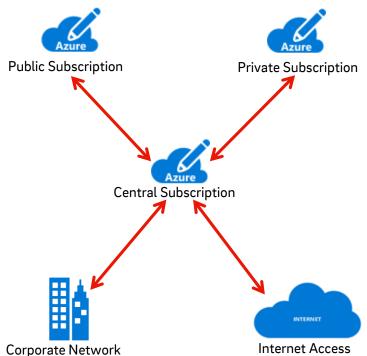
Introduction

- The Central Cloud Framework for Azure supports EON to quickly develop and implement Microsoft Azure-based solutions while reducing complexity and risk
- It is based on a combination of Microsoft guidelines, recommended compute, network and storage best practices and E.ON IT security requirements
- The laaS construct is inspired from the Hub-Spoke network topology, which is included in the Microsoft Azure Virtual Datacenter concept
- PaaS can easily be integrated

Azure Central Hub

Native security controls





EON's Azure Central Cloud Framework design specifies a centralized set of IT security and management capabilities located in the CCF – Central Hub Subscription.

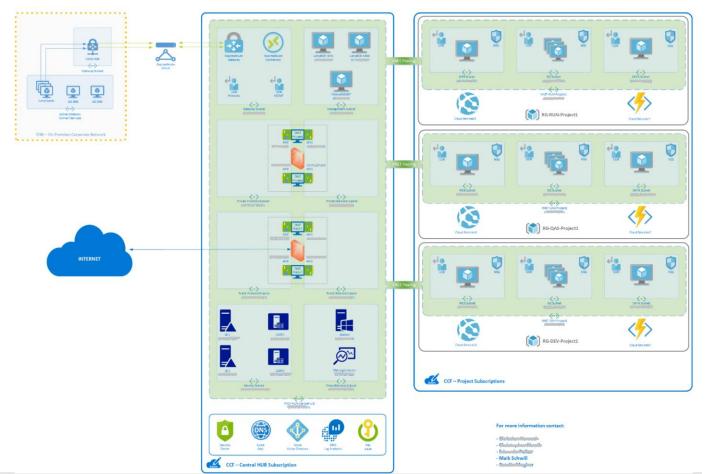
The intention is to have the capability to deploy individual workloads with the agility and flexibility common to Azure solutions, while adhering to central IT policies.

The initial architecture is created in the Azure

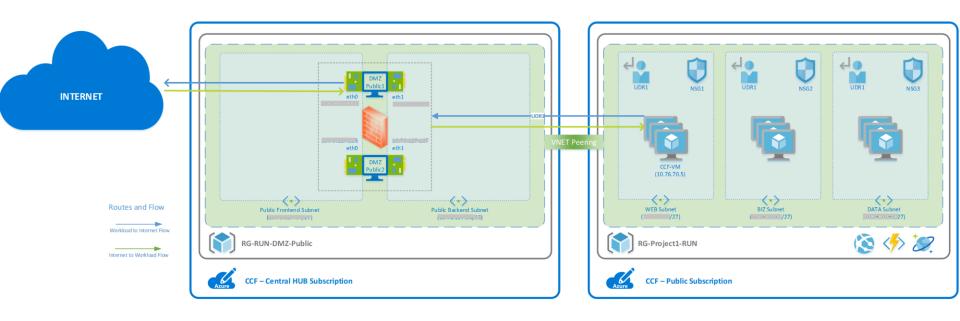
The initial architecture is created in the Azure West Europe Datacenter and thus enforces the projects to be also created in this location.

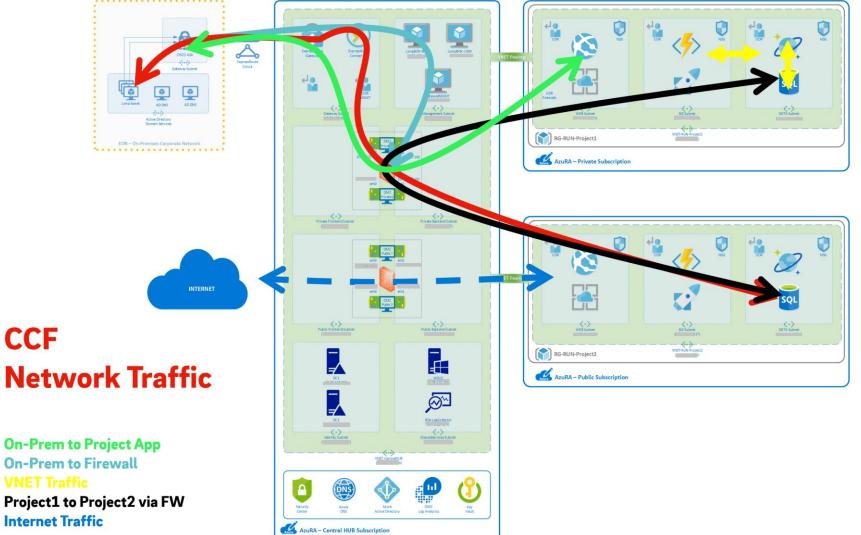
The central infrastructure is supported by a huband-spoke network architecture connecting the central IT infrastructure with workloads. All intranet traffic to on-premises and Internetbound traffic must pass through firewalls.

Azure Central Cloud Framework: Overview



Azure Central Hub: Public Firewall





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Security & Optimization

Central Governance Elements

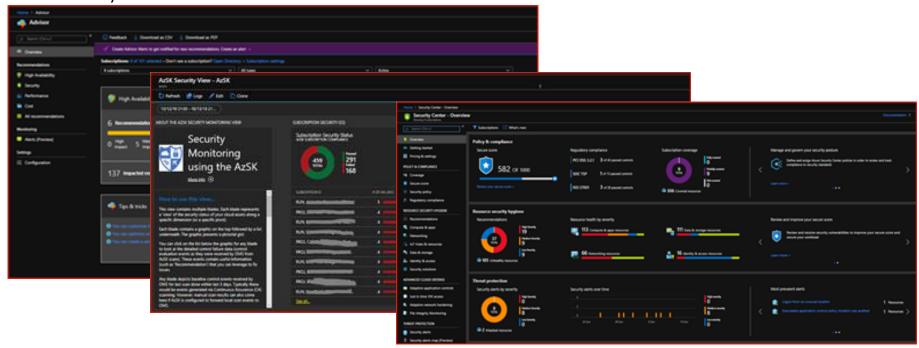
- Cloud Assessment Tool
- Cloud Governance Policy
- Information Security Standards
- Central Cloud Framework
- Azure Inventory Tool (Power BI based)
- Central Cost Monitoring (Power BI based)
- Azure Advisor
- Azure Secure DevOps Kit (Central Dashboard)
- Azure Security Center

Monitoring/Optimization & Security Tooling

Azure Advisor

Azure Secure DevOps Kit (Decentral Dashboard on Subscription)

Azure Security Center



AzSK – Azure Secure DevOps Kit

AzSK enables you to keep up date with current security related suggestions for your infrastructure directly by Microsoft.

It enables DevOps teams to integrate security into their CI/CD pipeline.

https://azsk.azurewebsites.net/



Azure Advisor and Azure Security Center

Live Demo @ DigitalLab Subscription

Summary & Outlook

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