# APPLICATION MODERNIZATION

Future-proof the applications that power your business today.



# Modern life runs on code

### BMW

### Challenge

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Create an intelligent, highly personalized world of digital services that integrate the vehicle seamlessly into the customer's life and are available 24/7, anywhere.

Solution

BMW created the Open Mobility Cloud, an intelligent, continuously learning platform based on Azure that melds environment, context and services to address individual mobility needs. **Dinner with Robert** 

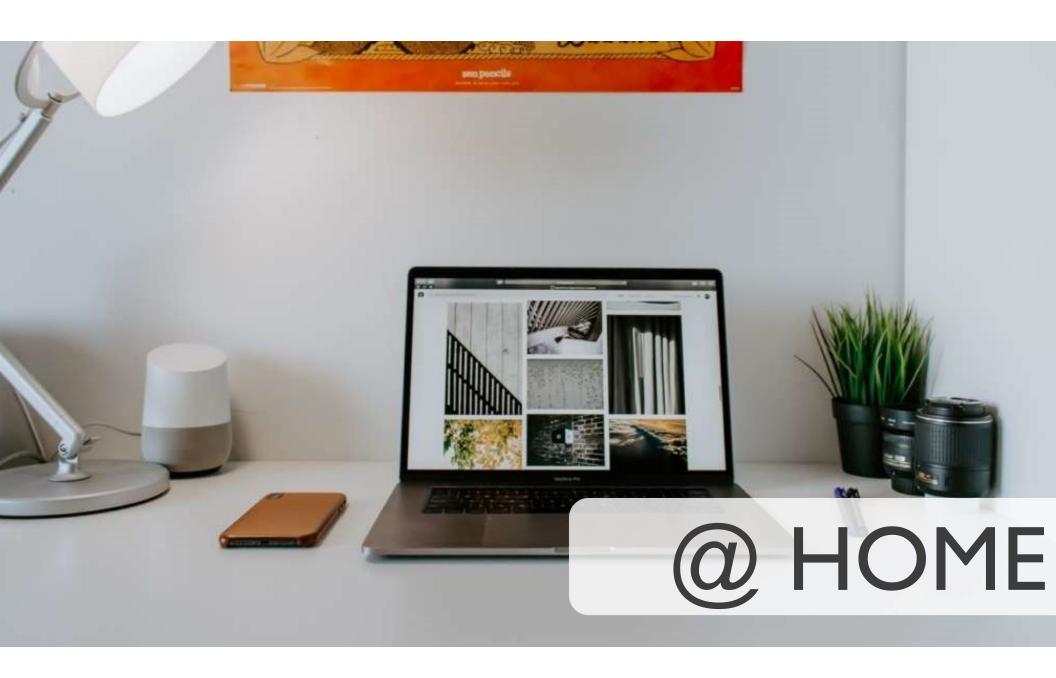
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"Technology-driven disruption is providing exponential growth opportunities".

Gene Hall, Gartner CEO





### Expectations





EXPERIENCE

DEVICE AGNOSTIC COGNITIVE

Microsoft Azure Has all the tools You need.



# **Operational Benefits**







LESS IT OPERATIONS FASTER APP DEVELOPMENT SECURE & COMPLIANT







#### **CLOUD BENEFITS**

This scenario encompasses a **lift&shift** of the entire IT stack from storage & networking up to the application code. **Virtual machines are leased within a Microsoft datacenter.** 

#### **BLOCKERS**

Some legacy software works with **physical dependencies** such as USB license dongles, (bar code) scanners, medical equipment,... **Compliance** with local laws is an attention point.

#### PRO

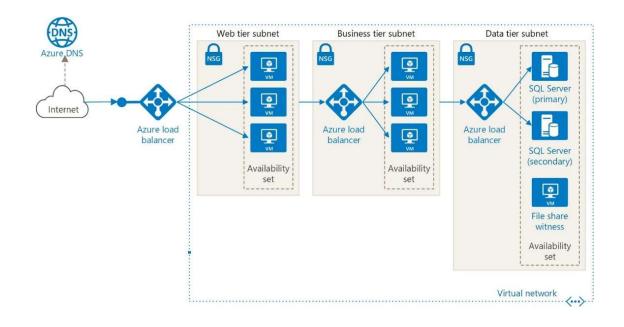
This approach results in **less IT Operations** since customers enjoy managed services and higher value services for DNS, secret management,... This is a **least effort** approach. No application or architectural changes are made.

#### **CONTRA**

The value of cloud is rather small.



- Managed up to operating system
- > Higher added value services such as Azure DNS, Azure Recovery Services,...



#### **CLOUD OPTIMIZED**

In a cloud optimized scenario the applications are hosted within **PaaS components** such as App Services or Container services which share the operating system layer.

#### PRO

Improvedproductivity&DevOpsagilityisthemainbenefitofthisappmodernizationstage.Containerization of applicationsenable the portability of an appand its dependencies.



#### **BLOCKERS**

Not all applications are meant to run on PaaS components

#### **CONTRA**

Containerization has a learning curve and requires an additional effort.

### Modernizing with PAAS services



Infrastructure management slows down business processes

Inefficient resource management

Lock-in to a limited (legacy) stack. Lack of portability across clouds

Deployment not automated, slow, wasted time due to manual tasks

Production infrastructure can not be replicated on developer machines



Managed services let you focus on apps, not admin and speed up deployments

Smaller instances increase packing density and improve resource utilization

Managed services support all stacks. Containers run on any cloud

Fast and agile app deployment with built-in DevOps and instant startup

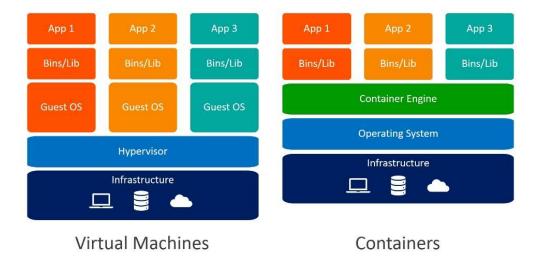
Environments are consistent across development, test and production



# Refactoring with container technology

- > Containers are isolated but share the same OS
- > Increase the compute density and memory utilization
- > Lightweight alternative to virtual machines
- > Support all frameworks & technology stack across clouds and on-premises







#### **CLOUD NATIVE**

The ultimate cloud experience is realized by applying **heavy code changes** or rewrites using serverless cloud components.

#### PRO

Cloud native development ensures a focus on the application. **IT Operations & DevOps efforts are minimized**. The application is now optimized for long term agility.

#### **BLOCKERS**

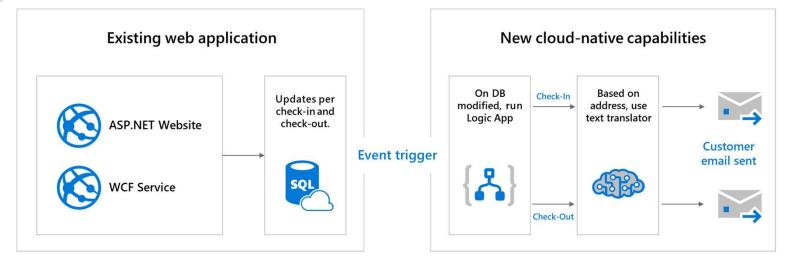
Business case. Not all applications are meant to drive this far. There must be a clear future for the application with

#### **CONTRA**

This is the **highest effort** scenario. Deep integration with vendor cloud components results in lock-in.

### Future-proofing applications with serverless

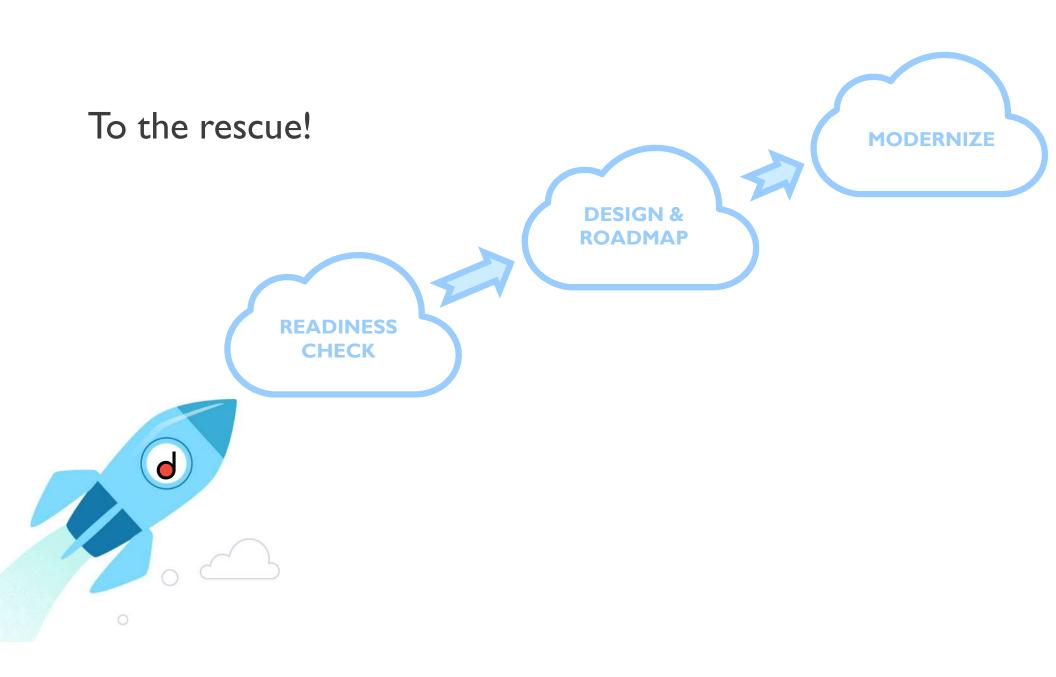
- > Adding new capabilities to existing applications:
  - > Existing code and functionality is left as-is and moved to managed cloud services
  - > New capabilities are added incrementally using serverless functions triggered by events



How can I make sure that my existing applications can take maximum advantage of cloud capabilities?

How do I get started, I have so many apps!

I'm worried that I need to start from zero and rebuild for the cloud?



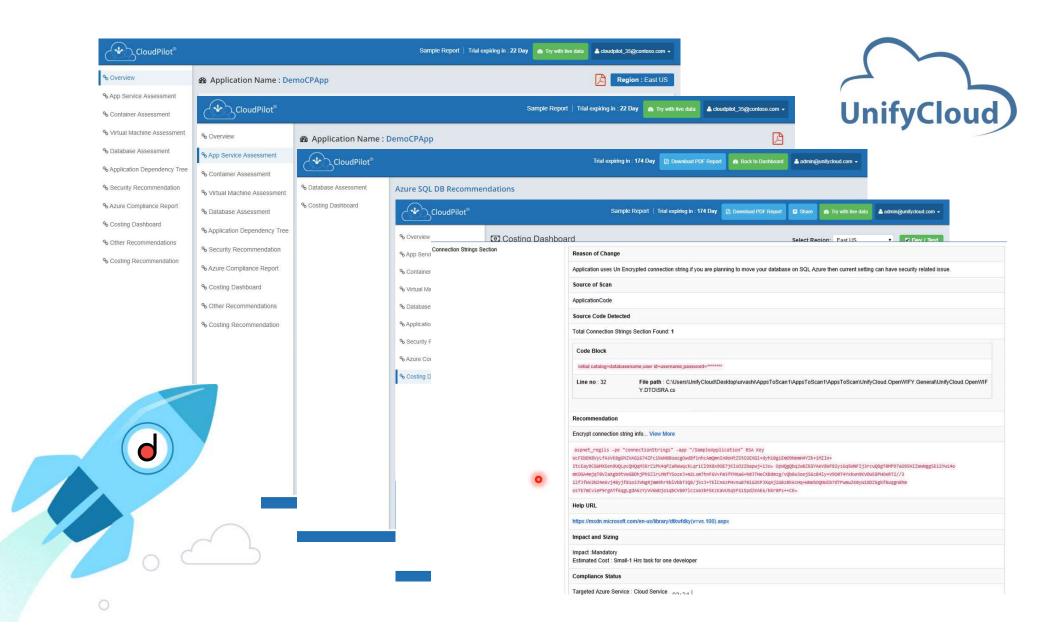


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- > Gather business expectations:
  - > Future view on the application
  - > Criticality
  - > Target audience
- > Technical assessment:
  - > Agent-based scan of codebase & configurations
    - > Detailed report:
      - > (In)compatibilities
      - > Effort & development planning
      - > Required detailed code-level changes (with recommendation)
  - > Gathering of load estimations
  - > TCO calculation





### DELIVERABLE

> Decision on TO BE modernization stage





- > Set concrete actions towards milestones
- > Define roles & responsibilities

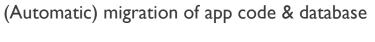






Automated lift&shift of virtual servers

Addition of value add services (DNS, Backup, DR, secret management,...)



Containerization





Application (re)write on top of serverless components









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