

A group of four people, three women and one man, are gathered around a desk in a modern office. They are looking at a tablet held by one of the women, with another woman pointing at the screen. A man is also looking at the tablet. In the background, a laptop is open on the desk. The scene is brightly lit, and the overall atmosphere is collaborative and professional. The image is partially obscured by a large, semi-transparent white arrow pointing to the right, which is part of the background design.

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Azure Virtual Desktop (AVD) Starter Kit

F a s t a n d e a s y t o a s e c u r e
r e m o t e w o r k p l a c e

The Microsoft Ecosystem

Microsoft 365

MFA/Conditional Access
Microsoft Endpoint Management (MEM)
Teams

Azure

>90 compliance offerings
>3,500 global cybersecurity experts
6.5 trillion global signals daily
\$5b annual cybersecurity investment

Azure Virtual Desktop

Microsoft managed
control plane (free)
Reverse Connect
Azure AD authentication

Customer Concerns

- ✓ Work from home
- ✓ Upgrade or replace current SBC/VDI solution incl. RDS, Citrix and VMware
- ✓ Hardware renewal and/or maintenance contracts
- ✓ Modernizing current workplace
- ✓ Performance and user experience incl. Microsoft 365 Apps (Office 365)
- ✓ Security
- ✓ Scalability
- ✓ Cost savings (PAYG and CapEX vs. OpEX)

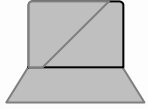
Benefits

AVD allows you to deploy and scale Windows and applications on Azure in minutes, with built-in security and compliance.

AVD includes the following benefits:

- ✓ A scalable service to deploy and manage Windows VMs, using Azure for compute and storage. Includes a managed service with a Broker, Gateway and others.
- ✓ A multi-user Windows 10 experience, including compatibility with Microsoft Store and existing Windows line-of-business apps while delivering cost advantages.
- ✓ Allows you to virtualize both desktops and apps.
- ✓ The best service to virtualize Microsoft 365 Apps for Enterprise (Office 365) running in multi-user virtual scenarios.
- ✓ Provides Windows 7 (legacy) virtual desktops with free Extended Security Updates.

Licensing



Client

Customers are eligible to access Windows 10 single and multi-session or Windows 7 with AVD if they have one of the following licenses*:

Microsoft 365 E3/E5

Microsoft 365 A3/A5/Student Use Benefits

Microsoft 365 F3

Microsoft 365 Business

Windows 10 Enterprise E3/E5

Windows 10 Education A3/A5

Windows 10 VDA per user



Server

Customers are eligible to access Server workloads with AVD if they have one of the following licenses:

RDS CAL license with active Software Assurance (SA)



- ✓ Pay only for the virtual machines (VMs), storage, and networking consumed when the users are using the service
- ✓ AVD session host virtual machines (including Citrix Cloud and VMWare Horizon Cloud on Azure deployments) are charged at Linux compute rates for Windows 10 single, Windows 10 multi-session and Windows Server. Customer only needs to bring appropriate Windows licenses
- ✓ Take advantage of options such as [one-year or three-year Azure Reserved Virtual Machine Instances](#), which can significantly versus PAYG pricing

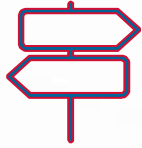
What is the Azure Virtual Desktop Starter Kit?

- ✓ Enables fast and easy rollout of remote workplace capacity.
- ✓ Proofs the concept and technology for your organization (PoC).
- ✓ Includes a AVD workshop, with explanation of the architecture, important components and best practices from both Microsoft and SoftwareONE.
- ✓ Gathers input for a AVD design which translates the requirements and needs of the customer into a professional document.
- ✓ Provides an excellent technical fundament for an AVD environment which can be expanded further by using building blocks.
- ✓ Provides a handover which enables the organization to deliver and support the AVD environment towards the users.

Prerequisites

- ✓ Tenant/identity and working AD Connect in place.
- ✓ Azure subscription(s).
- ✓ Azure Landing Zone (prepare, design and build) is preferred. This delivers an ideal fundament for Azure Virtual Desktop:
 - ✓ Azure fundamentals know-how
 - ✓ Networking based on hub and spoke model (preferred);
 - ✓ Governance implemented with tools like Azure policies;
 - ✓ Security basics
 - ✓ And much, much more....

Steps



In the first step - Prepare - we'll walk through all preparations required to start the actual implementation

- ✓ Deliver fundamental AVD knowledge and gather info through workshop and questionnaire
- ✓ Check important prerequisites like licenses, identity and network



In the second step - Design - we'll create a design document

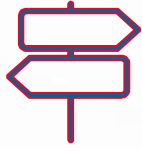
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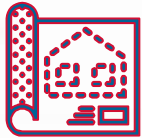
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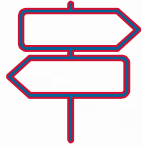
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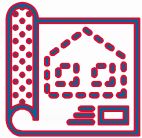
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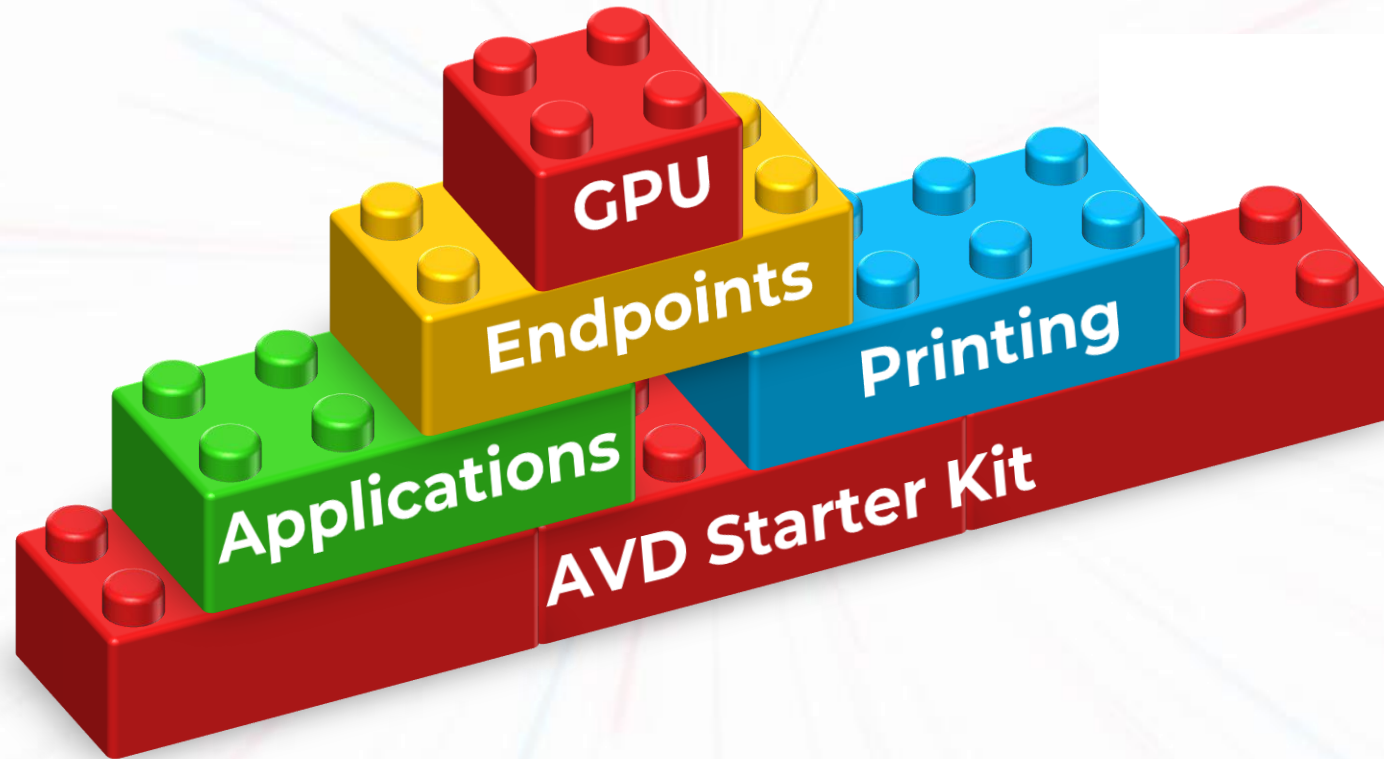
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Building Blocks



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