



## Azure Well-Architected Framework and Knowit

The Azure Well-Architected Framework is a structured approach created by Microsoft for best practices to help customers build cost effective, secure, high-performing, resilient, and efficient infrastructure for their applications.

The review will focus on the 5 pillars of the Azure Well-Architected Framework. Once the review is completed, Knowit will provide a prioritized list of findings allowing you to optimize your environment and governing processes according to Azure best practices

### The 5 pillars of the Well-Architected Framework



## Well-Architected Benefits

### Think Innovation

What used to take months and millions of dollars can now be done in minutes with negligible cost. Agile and cloud-first organizations are developing nice innovations that gives competitive advantages in the competition

### Faster Time-to-market

The business always wants to go faster to the market (as long as it does not break anything). Having a strong infrastructure and processes is foundational to speed.

### Understand Potential Impact

Every change has a potential positive & negative impact. This review process helps to systematically assess these impacts prior to change



### Consistent Approach

To grow your business one has to take a consistent approach. Whether it is a new product or a change to an existing one, everyone in the organization should be using the same framework

### Lower & Mitigate Risks

Security & Risks are priority for every organization. The Well-Architected review allows you to systematically assess each area of critical workloads to identify potential risks and derive remediation plans

### Visibility of Risks

Performing Well-Architected Reviews periodically increases the visibility & transparency of current risks & issues. This transparency is an excellent communication tool to increase accountability

## How does it work?

