



# AZURE INFRASTRUCTURE JUMPSTART

**Cloud computing** is an important platform for businesses, providing an environment where infrastructure can rapidly scale up and down. Businesses need to reduce the risk and learn how to start the journey to the cloud, and how to configure the environment to hit the ground running.

## What an Azure Infrastructure (IaaS) Jumpstart can do for you

The Azure IaaS Jumpstart provides education and guidance on extending or expanding on-premises data centers by helping you:

- **Understand** how to leverage Infrastructure as a service capabilities and optimize workload hosting in the cloud
- **Plan** and build a functioning environment in the cloud leveraging Azure networking, storage and VM hosting capabilities of Azure
- **Deploy** Active Directory integration and/or federation to enable hybrid workloads

Once complete the Azure IaaS Jumpstart will have provided:

- **Education Services** to help enhance your support teams technical and operational skills and help drive operational readiness.
- **Onboarding Acceleration** which is a direct engagement with a Microsoft engineer who works with you to provide deployment or migration assistance. This assistance can include planning and validation of a proof of concept or production workload using Microsoft products.

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## Azure Infrastructure Jumpstart Activities and Deliverables

- Up to 1 day White boarding session to:
  - Review high level cloud strategy within your environment
  - Provide knowledge transfer on Azure Virtual Machines, Azure Networking, and Azure Storage services.
- Up to 3 days deployment assistance:
  - Setting up the Microsoft Azure Site-to-Site VPN
  - Configure basic Azure Virtual Network to extend the on premise network to the cloud.
  - Extending On-Premises Active Directory to Microsoft Azure:
    - ◇ Provision a new Virtual Machine
    - ◇ Install a Replica Domain Controller in Microsoft Azure Virtual Network
    - ◇ Provision a domain joined virtual machine on boot
  - Deployment documentation

## Waiting for the Canadian Datacenters?

We hear it many times from customers that they would like to wait until the Canadian Datacenters are up and running. However:

- We can target non-sensitive workloads for current cloud deployment
- Once the Canadian Datacenters are online, Microsoft and HighVail will work closely to migrate the workloads to the Canadian Region.
- We can then deploy any sensitive or compliance based workloads with the peace of mind that they will stay fully within Canada.
- **So why wait?**

## Investment

- \$5,000 CAD
- Azure Subscription (to be provisioned by HighVail if does not already exist)

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## Why Choose HighVail?

- 1. Knowledge:** our professionals are certified experts for each and every product and service we recommend. As a trusted advisor, we provide perspective and apply best practices to multi-vendor environments.
- 2. Lab facilities:** we conduct proof-of-concept testing at our in-house lab before every on-site system implementation. You experience how your new solution works in your environment before it goes live.
- 3. Customer service:** HighVail experts listen and are focused on exceeding expectations. We empower leaders to enable business through IT infrastructure.
- 4. Partnership:** we value collaboration and act as advocates for every client. We also proudly partner with leading-edge suppliers and support the continuous cycle of technology transformations.
- 5. Financing:** our financial solutions and managed programs help Canadian businesses build capacity for tomorrow's requirements today.

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