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#### NEW QUESTION 1

- (Exam Topic 1)

You need to recommend a notification solution for the IT Support distribution group. What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. Azure Network Watcher
- B. an action group
- C. a SendGrid account with advanced reporting
- D. Azure AD Connect Health

**Answer:** D

#### Explanation:

References:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/active-directory/hybrid/how-to-connect-health-operations>

#### NEW QUESTION 2

- (Exam Topic 1)

You need to recommend a strategy for migrating the database content of WebApp1 to Azure. What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. Use Azure Site Recovery to replicate the SQL servers to Azure.
- B. Use SQL Server transactional replication.
- C. Copy the BACPAC file that contains the Azure SQL database file to Azure Blob storage.
- D. Copy the VHD that contains the Azure SQL database files to Azure Blob storage

**Answer:** D

#### Explanation:

Before you upload a Windows virtual machine (VM) from on-premises to Azure, you must prepare the virtual hard disk (VHD or VHDX).

Scenario: WebApp1 has a web tier that uses Microsoft Internet Information Services (IIS) and a database tier that runs Microsoft SQL Server 2016. The web tier and the database tier are deployed to virtual machines that run on Hyper-V. Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/virtual-machines/windows/prepare-for-upload-vhd-image>

#### NEW QUESTION 3

- (Exam Topic 1)

You need to recommend a solution to meet the database retention requirement. What should you recommend?

- A. Configure a long-term retention policy for the database.
- B. Configure Azure Site Recovery.
- C. Configure geo replication of the database.
- D. Use automatic Azure SQL Database backups.

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 4

- (Exam Topic 1)

What should you include in the identity management strategy to support the planned changes?

- A. Move all the domain controllers from corp.fabrikam.com to virtual networks in Azure.
- B. Deploy domain controllers for corp.fabrikam.com to virtual networks in Azure.
- C. Deploy a new Azure AD tenant for the authentication of new R&D projects.
- D. Deploy domain controllers for the rd.fabrikam.com forest to virtual networks in Azure.

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

Directory synchronization between Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) and corp.fabrikam.com must not be affected by a link failure between Azure and the on-premises network. (This requires domain controllers in Azure)

Users on the on-premises network must be able to authenticate to corp.fabrikam.com if an Internet link fails. (This requires domain controllers on-premises)

#### NEW QUESTION 5

- (Exam Topic 2)

You need to recommend a solution for protecting the content of the payment processing system. What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. Transparent Data Encryption (TDE)
- B. Azure Storage Service Encryption
- C. Always Encrypted with randomized encryption
- D. Always Encrypted with deterministic encryption

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 6

- (Exam Topic 3)

Your company plans to publish APIs for its services by using Azure API Management. You discover that service responses include the ASP.NET-Version header.

You need to recommend a solution to remove ASP.NET-Version from the response of the published APIs. What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. a new product
- B. a modification to the URL scheme
- C. a new policy
- D. a new revision

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

References:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/api-management/transform-api>

**NEW QUESTION 7**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are developing a sales application that will contain several Azure cloud services and will handle different components of a transaction. Different cloud services will process customer orders, billing, payment, inventory, and shipping.

You need to recommend a solution to enable the cloud services to asynchronously communicate transaction information by using REST messages.

What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. Azure Service Bus
- B. Azure Blob storage
- C. Azure Notification Hubs
- D. Azure Application Gateway

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Service Bus is a transactional message broker and ensures transactional integrity for all internal operations against its message stores. All transfers of messages inside of Service Bus, such as moving messages to a dead-letter queue or automatic forwarding of messages between entities, are transactional.

Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/service-bus-messaging/service-bus-transactions>

**NEW QUESTION 8**

- (Exam Topic 3)

Your company has the divisions shown in the following table.

Division	Azure subscription	Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) tenant
East	Sub1, Sub2	East.contoso.com
West	Sub3, Sub4	West.contoso.com

You plan to deploy a custom application to each subscription. The application will contain the following:

- A resource group
- An Azure web app
- Custom role assignments
- An Azure Cosmos DB account

You need to use Azure Blueprints to deploy the application to each subscription.

What is the minimum number of objects required to deploy the application? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Management groups:

1

2

3

4

Blueprint definitions:

1

2

3

4

Blueprint assignments:

1

2

3

4

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Box 1: 2

One management group for East, and one for West.

When creating a blueprint definition, you'll define where the blueprint is saved. Blueprints can be saved to a management group or subscription that you have Contributor access to. If the location is a management group, the blueprint is available to assign to any child subscription of that management group.

Box 2: 1

One definition as the you plan to deploy a custom application to each subscription.

With Azure Blueprints, the relationship between the blueprint definition (what should be deployed) and the blueprint assignment (what was deployed) is preserved.

Box 3: 4

One assignment for each subscription. Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/governance/blueprints/overview>

**NEW QUESTION 9**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a storage solution that will use Azure Blob storage. The data will be stored in a cool access tier or an archive access tier based on the access patterns of the data.

You identify the following types of infrequently accessed data: Telemetry data: Deleted after two years D18912E1457D5D1DDCBD40AB3BF70D5D

- Promotional material: Deleted after 14 days
- Virtual machine audit data: Deleted after 200 days
- A colleague recommends using the archive access tier to store the data. Which statement accurately describes the recommendation?

- A. Storage costs will be based on a minimum of 30 days.
- B. Access to the data is guaranteed within five minutes.
- C. Access to the data is guaranteed within 30 minutes.
- D. Storage costs will be based on a minimum of 180 days.

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

The following table shows a comparison of premium performance block blob storage, and the hot, cool, and archive access tiers.

	Premium performance	Hot tier	Cool tier	Archive tier
Availability	99.9%	99.9%	99%	Offline
Availability (RA-GRS reads)	N/A	99.99%	99.9%	Offline
Usage charges	Higher storage costs, lower access, and transaction cost	Higher storage costs, lower access, and transaction costs	Lower storage costs, higher access, and transaction costs	Lowest storage costs, highest access, and transaction costs
Minimum object size	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Minimum storage duration	N/A	N/A	30 days <sup>1</sup>	180 days
Latency (Time to first byte)	Single-digit milliseconds	milliseconds	milliseconds	hours <sup>2</sup>

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/storage/blobs/storage-blob-storage-tiers>

**NEW QUESTION 10**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are planning to deploy an application named App1 that will run in containers on Azure Kubernetes Service (AKS) clusters. The AKS clusters will be distributed across four Azure regions.

You need to recommend a storage solution for App1. Updated container images must be replicated automatically to all the AKS clusters.

Which storage solution should you recommend?

- A. Premium SKU Azure Container Registry
- B. Azure Content Delivery Network (CDN)
- C. geo redundant storage (GRS) accounts
- D. Azure Cache for Redis

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Enable geo-replication for container images.

Best practice: Store your container images in Azure Container Registry and geo-replicate the registry to each AKS region.

To deploy and run your applications in AKS, you need a way to store and pull the container images. Container Registry integrates with AKS, so it can securely store your container images or Helm charts. Container Registry supports multimaster geo-replication to automatically replicate your images to Azure regions around the world.

Geo-replication is a feature of Premium SKU container registries. Note:

When you use Container Registry geo-replication to pull images from the same region, the results are: Faster: You pull images from high-speed, low-latency network connections within the same Azure region.

More reliable: If a region is unavailable, your AKS cluster pulls the images from an available container registry.

Cheaper: There's no network egress charge between datacenters. Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/aks/operator-best-practices-multi-region>

**NEW QUESTION 10**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) tenant.

You plan to provide users with access to shared files by using Azure Storage. The users will be provided with different levels of access to various Azure file shares based on their user account or their group membership.

You need to recommend which additional Azure services must be used to support the planned deployment. What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. an Azure AD enterprise application
- B. Azure Information Protection
- C. an Azure AD Domain Services (Azure AD DS) instance
- D. an Azure Front Door instance

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Azure Files supports identity-based authentication over Server Message Block (SMB) through two types of Domain Services: on-premises Active Directory Domain Services (AD DS) and Azure Active Directory Domain Services (Azure AD DS).

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/storage/files/storage-files-identity-auth-active-directory-domain-service>

**NEW QUESTION 14**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have 100 servers that run Windows Server 2012 R2 and host Microsoft SQL Server 2012 R2 instances. The instances host databases that have the following characteristics:

- The largest database is currently 3 TB. None of the databases will ever exceed 4 TB.
- Stored procedures are implemented by using CLR.

You plan to move all the data from SQL Server to Azure.

You need to recommend an Azure service to host the databases. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- Whenever possible, minimize management overhead for the migrated databases.
- Minimize the number of database changes required to facilitate the migration.
- Ensure that users can authenticate by using their Active Directory credentials.

What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. Azure SQL Database single databases
- B. Azure SQL Database Managed Instance
- C. Azure SQL Database elastic pools
- D. SQL Server 2016 on Azure virtual machines

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

References:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/sql-database/sql-database-managed-instance>

**NEW QUESTION 16**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are developing a web application that provides streaming video to users. You configure the application to use continuous integration and deployment.

The app must be highly available and provide a continuous streaming experience for users.

You need to recommend a solution that allows the application to store data in a geographical location that is closest to the user.

What should you recommend?

- A. Azure App Service Web Apps
- B. Azure App Service Isolated
- C. Azure Redis Cache
- D. Azure Content Delivery Network (CDN)

**Answer:** D



**Explanation:**

Azure Content Delivery Network (CDN) is a global CDN solution for delivering high-bandwidth content. It can be hosted in Azure or any other location. With Azure CDN, you can cache static objects loaded from Azure Blob storage, a web application, or any publicly accessible web server, by using the closest point of presence (POP) server. Azure CDN can also accelerate dynamic content, which cannot be cached, by leveraging various network and routing optimizations.

References:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-in/azure/cdn/>

**NEW QUESTION 19**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You need to deploy resources to host a stateless web app in an Azure subscription. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- Provide access to the full .NET framework.
- Provide redundancy if an Azure region fails.
- Grant administrators access to the operating system to install custom application dependencies. Solution: You deploy a web app in an Isolated App Service plan. Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

Instead, you should deploy an Azure virtual machine to two Azure regions, and you create a Traffic Manager profile.

**NEW QUESTION 22**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a message application that will run on an on-premises Ubuntu virtual machine. The application will use Azure Storage queues.

You need to recommend a processing solution for the application to interact with the storage queues. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- > Create and delete queues daily.
- > Be scheduled by using a CRON job.
- > Upload messages every five minutes.

What should developers use to interact with the queues?

- A. Azure CLI
- B. AzCopy
- C. Azure Data Factory
- D. .NET Core

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/storage/queues/storage-tutorial-queues>

**NEW QUESTION 24**

- (Exam Topic 3)

Note: This question is part of a series of questions that present the same scenario. Each question in the series contains a unique solution that might meet the stated goals. Some question sets might have more than one correct solution. while others might not have a correct solution.

After you answer a question In this section, you will NOT be able to return to it As a result these questions will not appear In the review screen.

You have an on-premises Hyper-V cluster that hosts 20 virtual machines Some virtual machines run Windows Server 2016 and some run Linux

You plan to morale the virtual machine? to an Azure subscription

You need to recommend 9 solution 10 replicate the disks of the virtual machines to Azure. The solution must ensure that the virtual machines remain available during the migration of the disks.

Solution: You recommend implementing a Recovery Services vault and then using Azure Site Recovery. Dees this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Site Recovery can replicate on-premises VMware VMs, Hyper-V VMs, physical servers (Windows and Linux), Azure Stack VMs to Azure.

Note: Site Recovery helps ensure business continuity by keeping business apps and workloads running during outages. Site Recovery replicates workloads running on physical and virtual machines (VMs) from a primary site to a secondary location. When an outage occurs at your primary site, you fail over to secondary location, and access apps from there. After the primary location is running again, you can fail back to it.

References:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/site-recovery/site-recovery-overview>

**NEW QUESTION 29**

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