

AIS' ATO ACCELERATOR

Applied Information Sciences (AIS) delivered the first DoD IL5 Azure ATO with connection to the DISA CAP in the DoD 4th Estate. Through our experience, we have established the standard for a secure cloud journey in the Federal Sector with defined and scalable processes that drive accelerated Authority to Operate (ATO) timelines.

Common Customer Challenges

Unsure how to get started? You're not alone. Many organizations are facing similar challenges, such as limited familiarity and experience with the ATO process, an inability to predict timeframes, or apprehension translating requirements in the cloud. AIS' ATO processes, combined with DevSecOps, addresses these challenges. We bring the entire DevSecOps pipeline for infrastructure as code, jumpstarting your cloud journey with mature DevSecOps practices from start to finish.

About Our ATO Process

Creating a cloud environment for federal organizations involves numerous steps to meet security and accreditation requirements. Many agencies complete the assessment and the technical requirements for a cloud migration only to wait months for the ATO process to catch up. Through standardized ATO and blueprints developed by AIS for Microsoft, we mitigate these challenges. With past performance across the DoD and Federal Government providing Risk Management Framework (RMF) and FedRAMP ATO support, AIS can provide the following services:

- End-to-end ATO consulting for laaS, PaaS and SaaS FedRAMP ATO's
- Assessment of security documentation and ATO packages
- Recommendations for audit readiness
- Sample NIST 800-53 r4 cloud security control responses
- ATO Templates populated with sample cloud content
- · Automated continuous monitoring strategies
- Guidance using Microsoft Blueprints and CSP control inheritance

Accelerated ATO Process

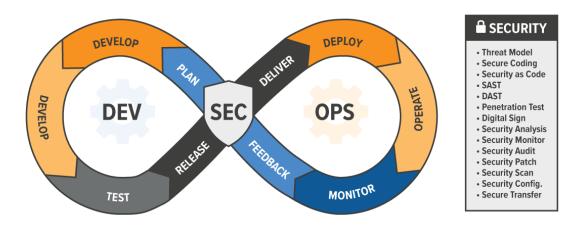


Engagement Outcomes

Our process delivers efficiency gains without sacrificing security and compliance. This unlocks cloud benefits, such as cost savings, scalability, security, and speed of deployment, faster than many agencies thought possible. This translates to outcomes such as improved mission effectiveness, agility and flexibility, operational efficiencies, and faster time to value.

AIS' DevSecOps Methodology

- Integrate DevSecOps Pipeline
- Perform continuous monitoring of system and governance
- Automate the deployment of cloud environments against secure baselines



Why AIS?

- Delivered the first DoD IL5 Azure ATO with connection to the DISA CAP in the DoD 4th Estate
- · Documented, repeatable end-to-end processes with resources and templates to predict timeframes
- Past successes in migrating the DoD, public sector, and commercial market to the cloud by using our full Cloud Adoption Framework along with experience overcoming common challenges
- Cross-functional teams, with deep skills in cloud architecture, security, compliance, business processes, and more
- · Experience and visibility into similar DoD/Federal ATO Projects
- Specialized expertise in moving mission-critical workloads to the cloud
- Microsoft Partner since 1994 with 6 Gold Competencies, 2 Microsoft MVP's, and involvement in Microsoft programs such as Regional Director, Azure Gov Meetups, and Partner & Customer Advisory Councils
- We've been working with the Azure, Office 365, and Power Platform product teams for 10+ years
- Contract Vehicles: NASA SEWP, ACCENT, GSA 70, and more
- CMMISVC/3 Appraised, ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 27001:2013 Certified, and SOC 2 Type II Certification









