



**Cloud Adoption
Framework for Azure
Strategy and Plan 1-week
Assessment**



Azure Cloud Adoption Assessment Made Simple



The Advania **Azure Cloud Adoption Framework (Strategy and Plan Assessment)** was developed to help any organisation adopt Azure quickly and with complete peace of mind. Designed to meet challenges and remove barriers for businesses wanting to migrate and transform their IT investments by adopting Microsoft's Azure public cloud platform and services. Advania utilises a mature repeatable approach aligned to the Microsoft Cloud Adoption Framework to ensure the development of a sound public cloud adoption strategy and plan creating the conditions for rapid Azure public cloud adoption. Our expertise, your cloud, right first time.

Cloud Discovery

- Business Stakeholder call
- Business Economic Assessment Review
 - High Level review of Microsoft Tools-based Assessment reports with costs and financial analysis.*
 - Validate and refine decision points and scope for migration.

Cloud Adoption Strategy

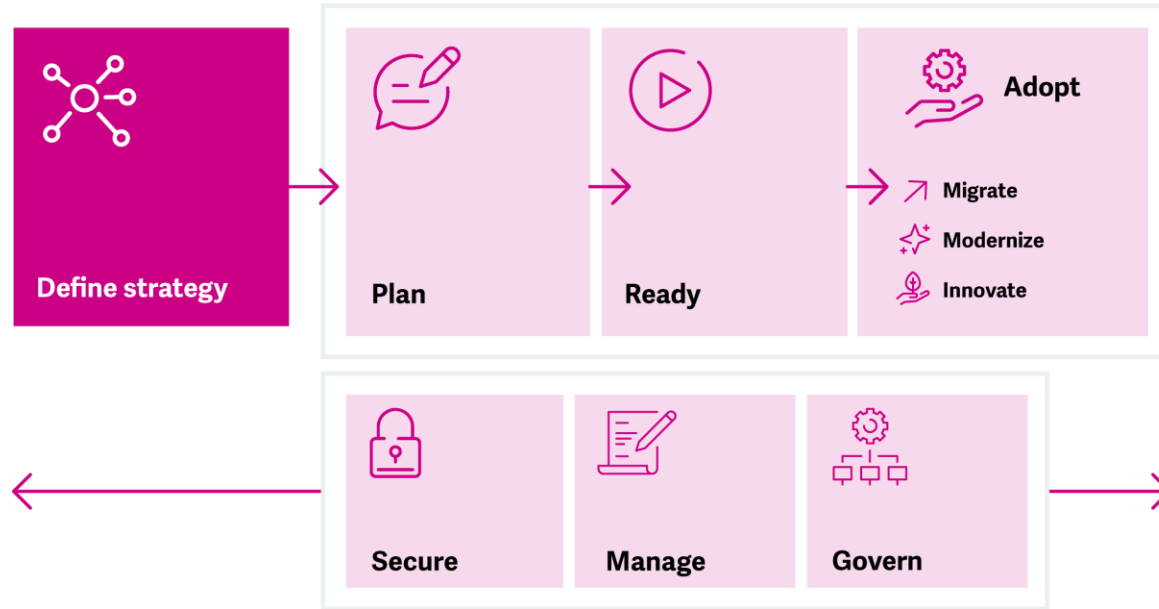
- High-level Strategy Assessment
 - Cloud Adoption Strategy Assessment
 - Cloud Adoption Business Motivations
 - Cloud Adoption Business Outcomes
 - Cloud Adoption Business Justification
 - First Project Identification and Qualification
 - Cloud Journey Tracker Assessment

Cloud Adoption Plan

- High-level Plan Assessment
 - Digital Estate Review
 - Initial Organisation Alignment
 - Skill Readiness gap/plan
 - Cloud Adoption Plan
 - Strategic Migration and Assessment Readiness Tool Assessment
- Personalised Strategy and Plan presentation to business with next steps to Ready and Adopt migration planning.

* Tools-based Azure Migration assessment (Recommended prerequisite.)

APEX Assess Phase | Strategy and Plan



CAF Assessment

A Strategy and Plan Assessment and Recommendations for Adopting Microsoft Azure

A number of engagements will be delivered remotely and typically require up to three days in total following the recommended tools-based assessment of digital estate and will include:

- Business and technical stakeholder calls
- Economic Assessment Review
- Strategy workshop
- Plan workshop
- Delivery of the Cloud Adoption Plan with personalised recommendations and next steps to the Ready and Adopt migration planning stages

Cloud Adoption Strategy Phase

- Business Economic Assessment Review. High level review of Microsoft Tools-based Assessment reports.*
- High-level Strategy Assessment
 - Cloud Adoption Strategy Assessment
 - Identification of first workload/project
 - Cloud Journey Tracker Assessment

Cloud Adoption Plan Phase

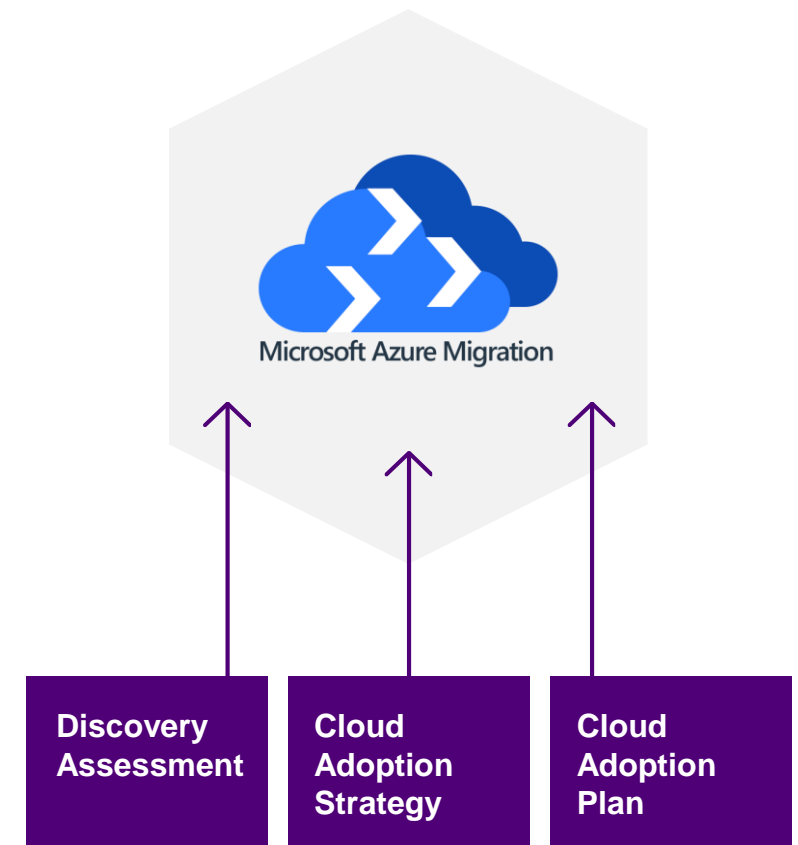
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Outcomes + Benefits

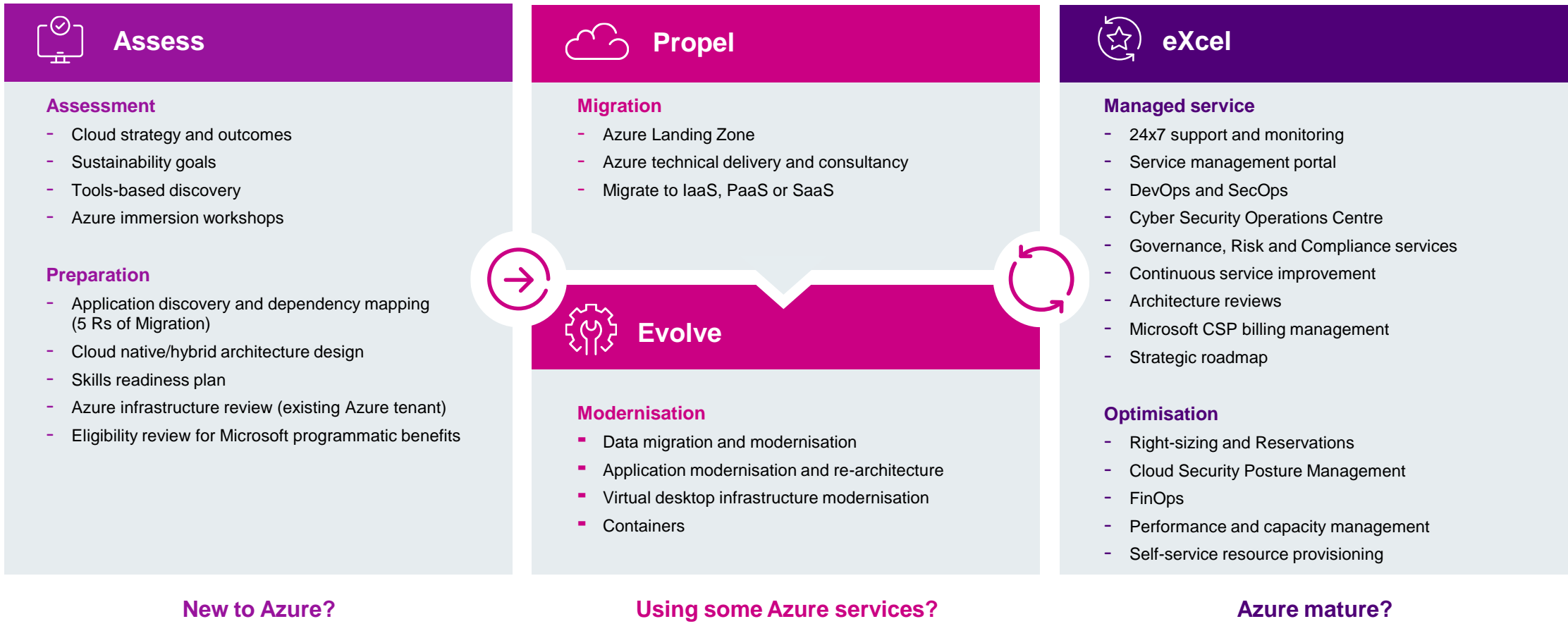
- Gain an understanding of cloud economics and get the financial and technical guidance to help develop your cloud strategy and build your business case.
- Understand your motivations and align clear desired business outcomes and cloud adoption priorities.
- Define your high-level business case and assess business impact of your cloud adoption strategy.
- Review and validate your digital estate and take high-level rationalisation decisions in preparation for hosting them in the cloud.
- Create your cloud adoption plan by prioritising your workloads based on their business impact and technical complexity.
- Define your initial organisational alignment and create your skills readiness plan to prepare your business for changes and new technologies.



APEX – Our Azure Adoption Methodology



APEX represents Advania's approach in supporting clients with their digital transformation journey through Azure adoption. From the initial application assessment and cloud economics, through to migration, modernisation and innovation our team can offer expertise to guide and plan your next steps. Once operating workloads in Azure, we provide ongoing assurance that your service is operating effectively through our accredited cloud experts and comprehensive **Azure Managed Service**.





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