



# Rackspace Service Blocks: Architect & Deploy for Azure

Certified Rackspace experts design, build and deploy your cloud Azure infrastructure for optimal performance and reliability.

When planning your move to the Microsoft® Azure® public cloud, it's critical that your cloud environment is architected and deployed properly to take full advantage of the flexibility, agility, potential cost savings and digital transformation capabilities that the cloud has to offer. Rackspace experienced cloud architects custom design your cloud environment to help ensure optimal performance, security and cost-efficiency — while managing your deployment from start to finish.

## Why Rackspace Service Blocks for Architect & Deploy?

Rackspace manages the full cloud lifecycle to help ensure that your solution achieves its full potential. With Rackspace Service Blocks™, certified cloud architects and engineers design, build and deploy your cloud infrastructure to meet your specific requirements. Rackspace leverages the deep experience of its collective teams along with industry best practices to deliver optimal cloud performance and reliability for your organization.

## Key Features

**Consultative Approach:** Rackspace works closely with your teams to identify your key business drivers and construct a cloud strategy that aligns your public cloud environments with best practices for security, availability and operational excellence.

**Centralized Project Management:** Your onboarding manager serves as a single-point-of-contact and escalation for your team, tracking Rackspace deliverables, risks and timelines throughout the deployment.

**Deep Public Cloud Expertise:** Your organization will work with solution architects and engineers who are experts in public cloud solution design and deployment. In addition to Microsoft and Azure certifications, they have extensive experience across core pillars of public clouds, including security, availability, performance and cost-efficiency.

**Custom Solutions with Upfront Pricing:** Your needs are unique. The Rackspace team will work closely with your team to understand your business and technical requirements. Prior to ordering, you'll see the all-in order fee based on your design requirements. After ordering, you'll be presented with a detailed technical design. Once approved, build engineers will implement the solution that solves your technical challenges, helping you meet your goals efficiently and effectively.

**Best Practices from the Ground Up:** From day one, your solution will be configured in accordance with best practices for security, monitoring and alerts. This can enable immediate operational visibility into the infrastructure that supports your workloads, while keeping them secure.

**Reduced Time-to-Market:** Rackspace solution architects and build engineers have worked on thousands of cloud deployments. If you have a specific need, chances are they've already solved it. They will call upon their deep experience to help you get up and running on the public cloud quickly and effectively.

## About Rackspace

Rackspace is your trusted partner across cloud, applications, security, data and infrastructure.

- A leader in the 2019 Gartner Magic Quadrant for Public Cloud Infrastructure Professional and Managed Services, Worldwide
- 3,000+ cloud experts
- Hosting provider for more than half of the Fortune 100
- 20+ years of hosting experience
- Customers in 150+ countries

## Qualifications

- 1,500+ Microsoft certifications worldwide
- 150+ Microsoft Azure certifications worldwide
- 13 Microsoft competencies
- Five-time Microsoft Hosting Partner of the Year
- 18+ years supporting Microsoft technology
- Compliance adherence with ISO 27001, PCI, SSAE1, SOC, GDPR, CPS, HIPAA, FEDRAMP, FISMA and DFARS



## Fanatical Experience™

Experts on your side, doing what it takes to get the job done right. From first consultation to daily operations, Rackspace combines the power of always-on service with best-in-class tools and automation to deliver technology when and how you need it.

**Easy Launch:** The first step in designing your ideal public cloud deployment is a commitment-free meeting with a Rackspace solution architect. Once your requirements have been determined, you'll be presented with a solution proposal to approve, as well as a price quote for deploying the solution to the public cloud.

### **Additional Services**

Managed Public Cloud Service Blocks include several service options that enhance your public cloud performance based on your specific needs, including:

**Platform Essentials:** Manage your accounts and user permissions in a consolidated control panel with 24x7x365 ticketed access to Rackspace cloud experts.

**Discover & Enhance:** Aligns existing public cloud environments with best practices for security, availability and operational excellence.

**Manage & Operate:** Reduce the burden of managing, monitoring and operating your public cloud infrastructure through enhanced tooling and 24x7x365 operational support from a team of certified cloud specialists.

**Complex Cloud Operations:** Gain access to advanced, named technical resources to optimize public cloud operations and architectural infrastructure.

### **Take the Next Step**

Let's talk about how Architect & Deploy help you achieve your infrastructure and performance goals.

Learn more: [www.rackspace.com/cloud/public/service-blocks](http://www.rackspace.com/cloud/public/service-blocks)

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