

The terminology surrounding cloud adoption and the implementation of landing zones can sometimes lack precision. Traditionally, the typical approach for many Cloud Engineers and Architects involves enabling new services individually.

To ensure compliance with established company guardrails, this process usually begins as a defined project following a template that often varies between organizations and consultants. Consequently, the outcome is a plan to build a specific landing zone tailored to the service in question. This approach is often valuable in preventing rushed deployments and ensuring consideration of important details.

However, our experience indicates that companies frequently struggle with inconsistent cross-service documentation and a lack of standardized company policies. As a result, the definition of guardrails, policies, and other critical elements often falls to a single individual, whether an external consultant or an internal representative. When viewed holistically, this can lead to a highly heterogeneous cloud environment, making it difficult to gain comprehensive insight and nearly impossible to maintain consistent company standards over time.

The Future with MyPlatform

The **MyPlatform** approach offers a significant paradigm shift by prioritizing the establishment of a robust and stringent Governance, Risk, and Compliance (GRC) framework *before* onboarding individual landing zones. Implementing MyPlatform management provides a horizontal cloud management infrastructure with GRC controls that are consistently aligned with company standards.

Because **MyPlatform** governs the core aspects of all GRC elements, individual landing zones for new services can then focus on service-specific requirements more closely tied to business outcomes rather than fundamental compliance concerns. This enables a much faster and more streamlined process for adopting new service areas while ensuring inherent adherence to company-wide GRC standards.

Furthermore, adopting new services within the **MyPlatform** managed service framework is simplified. The platform management ensures that the core infrastructure and GRC controls remain consistently managed and up-to-date, promoting an evergreen approach. This allows the company or consultant to concentrate their efforts solely on realizing the business value and specific configurations of the new service.

Conclusion

MyPlatform is designed to directly address the traditional cloud adoption/operational challenges, and at the same time disrupt the current habitual thinking.

Standardized and automated foundation

MyPlatform provides a standardized and automated Microsoft Azure Cloud platform. It adapts best practices, such as CAF, into an agile, standardized model, incorporating necessary local controls and identity management from the outset.

Managed cloud operation excellence

MyPlatform offers a managed cloud platform designed to keep the environment secure, compliant, and efficient. This includes an always updated - evergreen platform, proactive management, transparent configuration compliance.

Built-in governance and compliance

MyPlatform include all necessary prebuilt controls to support IAM, Cloud security, and Governance as part of its mandatory subscription service. to provide robust GRC guardrails from day one.

Transparency and faster ROI

MyPlatform emphasizes a simplified and transparent model to ensure a low barrier to entry, minimize ongoing governance costs, and allow customers to harvest value immediately with predictable maintenance costs.

Accessible onboarding

Leveraging the Azure Marketplace allows for streamlined deployment and access to the platform's management board in minutes after configuration and approval.

MyPlatform adopt and operate Microsoft Azure effectively, securely and cost-efficiently, without needing the scale or deep pockets previously required.