



# Cisco ISE Meets Azure Cloud

Deploy, Automate, Integrate with Entra ID and Intune

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# Webex App

## Questions?

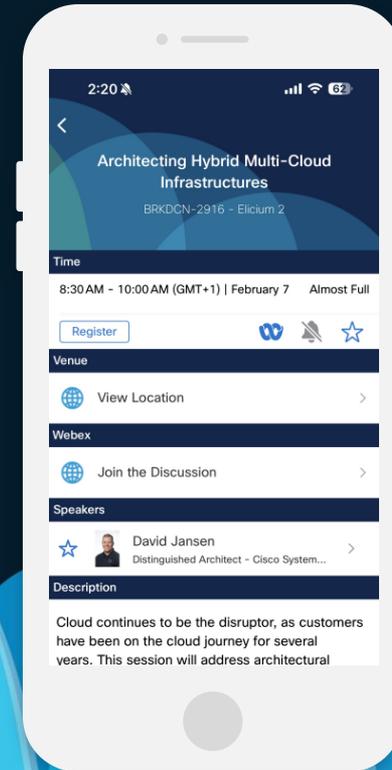
Use the Webex app to chat with the speaker after the session

## How

- 1 Find this session in the Cisco Events mobile app
- 2 Click “Join the Discussion”
- 3 Install the Webex app or go directly to the Webex space
- 4 Enter messages/questions in the Webex space

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# Session Objective

The Goal of this session is to:

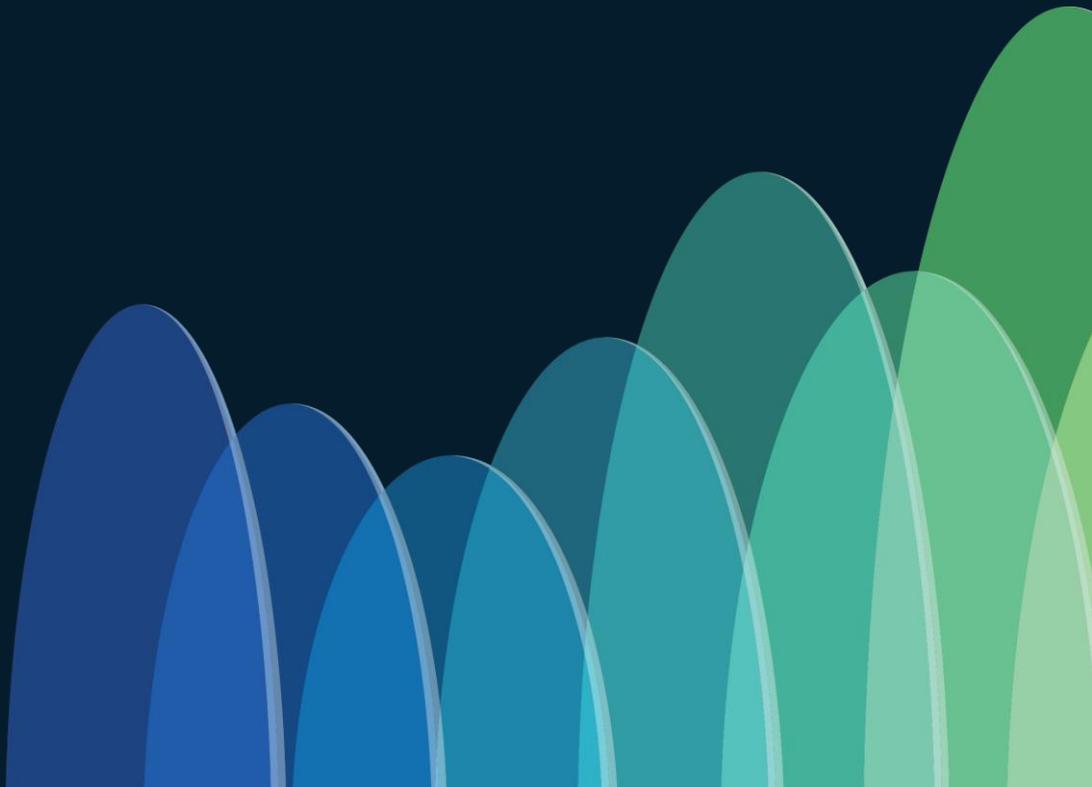


- Make you familiar with ISE Cloud deployments and designs in Azure
- Cover ISE automation techniques
- Explain the SAML Authentication functionality and its implementation on ISE
- Walk you through REST ID Store authentication with ISE and Entra ID
- Demonstrate how Intune integrates with ISE and you can benefit from Compliance Status

# Agenda

- ISE Architecture Concepts
- ISE in Azure Cloud
- ISE SAML SSO
- Entra ID Authentications
- Intune Integration
- Conclusion

# ISE Architecture Concepts



# ISE Design Concepts



## Policy Administration Node (PAN)

- Single plane of glass for ISE admin
- Owns ISE database and replicates it to other nodes



## Monitoring & Troubleshooting Node (MnT)

- Reporting and logging node
- Collects health and log information from other nodes



## Policy Services Node (PSN)

- Makes policy decisions
- RADIUS / TACACS+ Servers



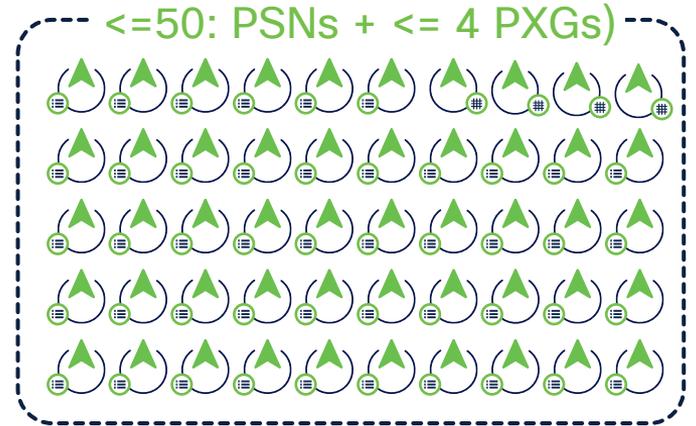
## pxGrid Controller

- Facilitates sharing of context

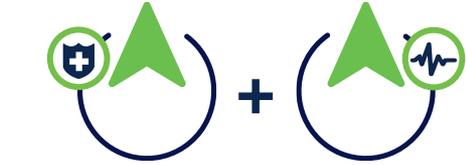
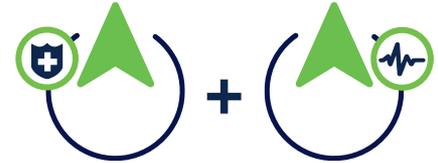
# ISE Scaling



Lab and Evaluation



Medium Multi-node Deployment  
2 x (PAN+MNT+PXG), <= 6 PSN



Large Deployment  
2 PAN, 2 MNT, <=50: PSNs + <= 4 PXGs



Small HA Deployment  
2 x (PAN+MNT+PSN)+ Extra PSN

# Total Maximum Concurrent Active Sessions

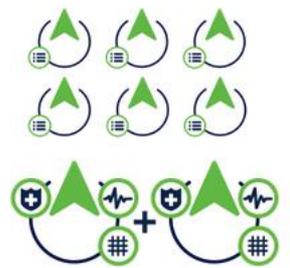


Deployment Type	SNS 3615	SNS 3715	SNS 3595	SNS 3655	SNS 3755	SNS 3695	SNS 3795
Large deployment	Unsupported	Unsupported	500,000	500,000	750,000	2,000,000	2,000,000
Medium deployment	12,500	75,000	20,000	25,000	150,000	50,000	150,000
Small deployment	12,500	25,000	20,000	25,000	50,000	50,000	50,000

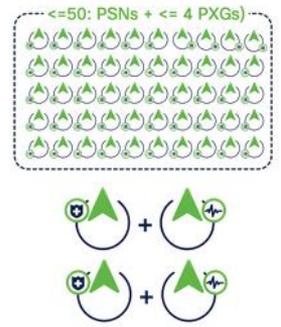
Small Deployment



Medium Deployment



Large Deployment



# PSN Maximum Concurrent Active Sessions



PSN Type	SNS 3615	SNS 3715	SNS 3595	SNS 3655	SNS 3755	SNS 3695	SNS 3795
Concurrent active endpoints supported by a dedicated PSN (ISE node has only PSN persona)	25,000	50,000	40,000	50,000	100,000	100,000	100,000
Concurrent active endpoints supported by a shared PSN (ISE node has multiple personas)	12,500	25,000	20,000	25,000	50,000	50,000	50,000

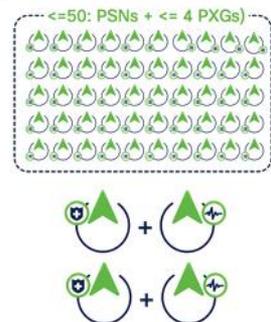
Small Deployment



Medium Deployment



Large Deployment



# Cisco Cloud Platforms Sizing

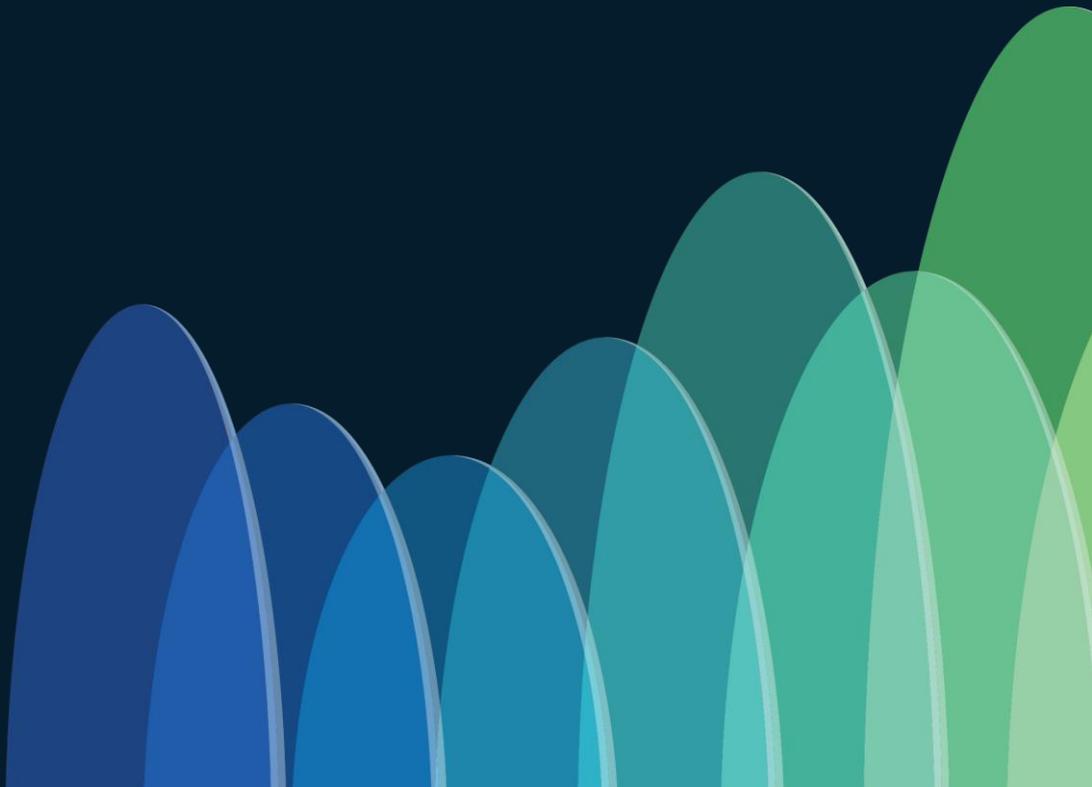
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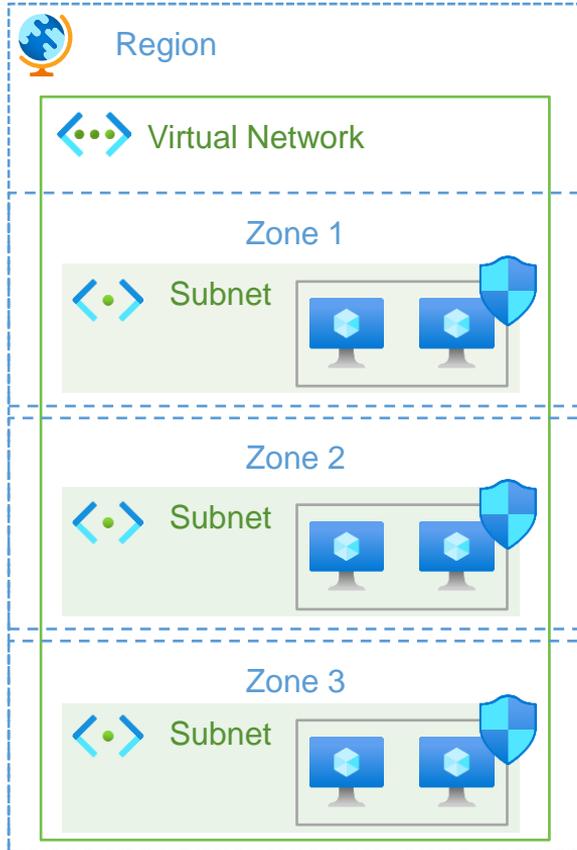
Models	SNS 3615	SNS 3595	SNS 3655	SNS 3695	SNS 3715	SNS 3795
VM Appliance	16 vCPU 32 GB	16 vCPU 64 GB	24 vCPU 96 GB	24 vCPU 256 GB	24 vCPU 32 GB	40 vCPU 256 GB
AWS	c5.4xlarge*	m5.4xlarge	c5.9xlarge* m5.8xlarge	m5.16xlarge	c5.9xlarge* m5.8xlarge	m5.16xlarge
Azure	Standard_F16s_v2*	Standard_D16s_v4	Standard_F32s_v2* Standard_D32s_v4	Standard_D64s_v4	Standard_F32s_v2* Standard_D32s_v4	Standard_D64s_v4
OCI	Optimized3.Flex* (8 OCPU** and 32 GB)	Standard3.Flex (8 OCPU and 64 GB)	Optimized3.Flex* (16 OCPU and 64 GB) Standard3.Flex (16 OCPU and 128 GB)	Standard3.Flex (16 OCPU and 256 GB)	Optimized3.Flex* (16 OCPU and 64 GB) Standard3.Flex (16 OCPU and 128 GB)	Standard3.Flex (32 OCPU and 256 GB)

\* This instance is compute-optimized and provides better performance compared to the general purpose instances.  
 \*\* In OCI, you choose CPU in terms of Oracle CPU (OCPU). Each OCPU equals two hardware execution threads known as vCPUs.

# ISE in Azure Cloud

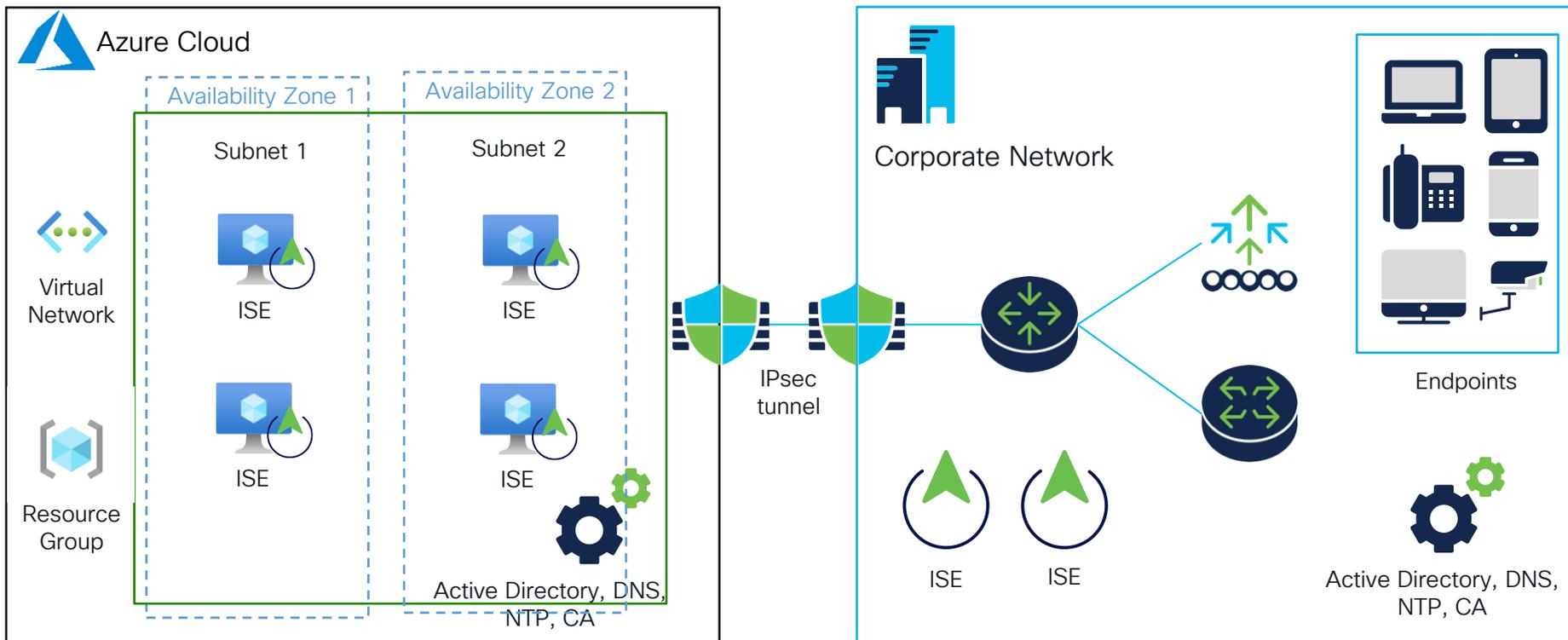


# Azure basics



- Each **Region** is fully isolated from another region to achieve fault tolerance.
  - (US) East US
  - (Europe) West Europe
  - (Asia Pacific) Central India
- Each **Zone** has independent power, cooling, and networking, making it highly resilient.
  - Zone 1
  - Zone 2
- **Virtual Network** spans all the Availability Zones in the Region.
- **Subnets** are subsets of Virtual Network to isolate Virtual Machines
- **Network Security Group** is used to filter inbound and outbound traffic from the Virtual Machine
- **Virtual Machine** hosted in Azure Cloud

# Design Scenarios - Azure



# Know Before You Go



Problem: EAP-TLS Authentications might fail due to the fragmentation issue.

Failure Reason: 5440 Endpoint abandoned EAP Session and started new

Failure Reason: 5411 Supplicant stopped responding to ISE



## Technical Background and Solution:

There is a bug in the Azure fragmentation reassembly code. While Microsoft plans to address this issue, a temporary solution has been proposed for Cisco ISE customers utilizing Azure instances.

To implement the short-term fix, ISE customers are advised to raise an Azure support ticket. Microsoft has committed to:

1. Pinning the subscription to ensure that all instances within that subscription are deployed on Gen7 hardware.
2. Allowing out-of-order fragments to pass to the destination instead of being dropped.

## Latest Update:

Regions where Azure Cloud has already [implemented](#) the fixes: **East Asia** (eastasia) and **West Central US** (westcentralus)

# Demo. ISE Azure Application Deployment

### Azure services



Create a resource



Network security groups



Virtual machines



Marketplace



Public IP addresses



Private DNS zones



DNS zones



Network security grou...



Microsoft Entra ID



More services

### Resources

Recent Favorite

Name	Type	Last Viewed
ISE1-Azure	Virtual machine	11 minutes ago
ASAv-ekorneyc	Virtual machine	40 minutes ago
ekorneyc-RG	Resource group	41 minutes ago
ASAv-Outside-NSG	Network security group	2 days ago
ASAv-ekorneyc-SecurityGroup	Network security group	2 days ago

# Azure VM vs Azure Application

Create ISE Instance using  
Azure Virtual Machine /  
Application



Home > Marketplace > Cisco Identity Services Engine (ISE) >

## Create a virtual machine

Help me create a low cost VM Help me create a VM optimized for high availability Help me choose the right

### User data

Pass a script, configuration file, or other data that will be accessible to your applications throughout the lifetime of the virtual machine. Don't use user data for storing your secrets or passwords. [Learn more about user data for VMs](#)

Enable user data

User data \*

### Performance (NVMe)

Enable capabilities to enhance the performance of your resources.

Higher remote disk storage performance with NVMe

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## ISE as Azure Virtual Machine

- Use User data to bootstrap ISE
- Offers choice for Availability Zones

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Home > Marketplace > Cisco Identity Services Engine (ISE) >

## Create Cisco Identity Services Engine (ISE) BYOL 3.4

1 Basics 2 Network Settings 3 Services 4 User Details 5 Review + submit

### ISE ARM Template Deployment

#### Project details

Select the subscription to manage deployed resources and costs. Use resource groups like folders to organize and manage all your resources.

Subscription \*

Resource group \*   
[Create new](#)

#### Instance details

Region \*

Host Name \*

Time Zone \*

VM Size \*

Disk Storage Type \*

Disk Encryption Key

Volume Size \*

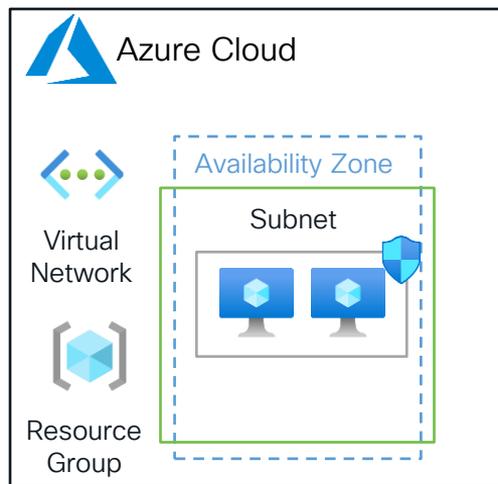
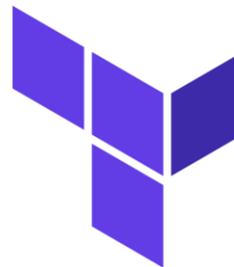
## ISE as Azure Application

- ARM Template helps to setup ISE with menu prompts

What if you would  
like to install whole  
infrastructure?

# Terraform

- Infrastructure as a Code to automate the provisioning of your infrastructure resources



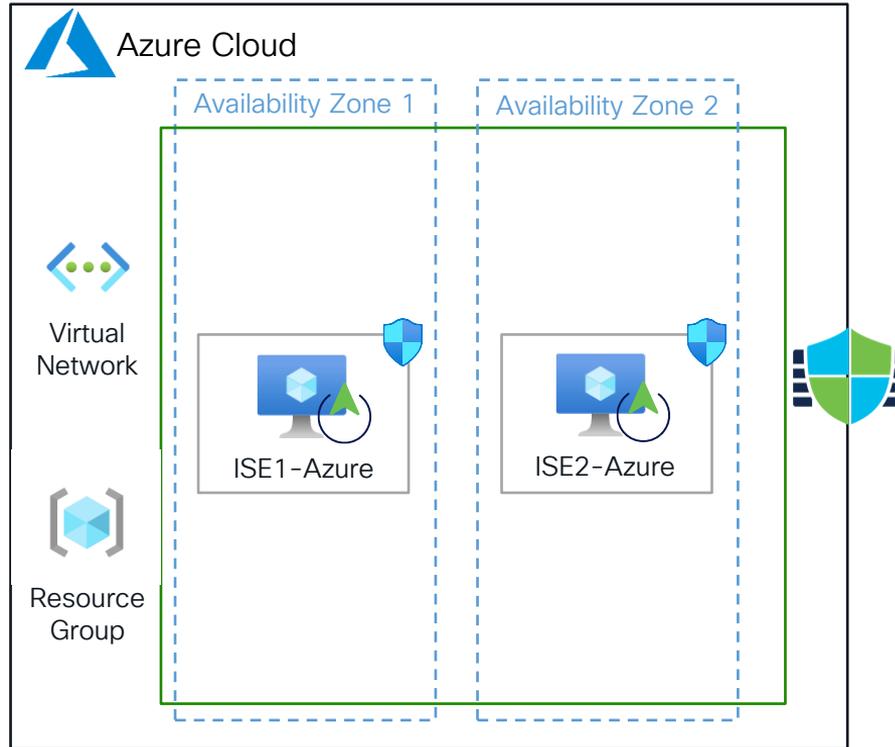
- Create Network Interface
- Create Network Security Group
- Create Virtual Machine
- Create Resource Group

- Relies on the main.tf (terraform config) file to provision resources
- Terraform keeps the state of the infrastructure, compare the end result to what the current state is and provisions resources accordingly



# Demo. ISE installation on Azure using Terraform

# Demo Topology



```
ekorneyc@EKORNEYC-M-CW9R Terraform % terraform apply
```

Terraform used the selected providers to generate the following execution plan. Resource actions are indicated with the following symbols:

+ create

Terraform will perform the following actions:

# azurerm\_linux\_virtual\_machine.ise-azure-1 will be created

```
+ resource "azurerm_linux_virtual_machine" "ise-azure-1" {
+   admin_username           = "iseadmin"
+   allow_extension_operations = true
+   computer_name            = (known after apply)
+   disable_password_authentication = true
+   extensions_time_budget   = "PT1H30M"
+   id                       = (known after apply)
+   location                 = "eastus"
+   max_bid_price            = -1
+   name                     = "ISE1-Azure"
+   network_interface_ids    = (known after apply)
+   patch_mode               = "ImageDefault"
+   platform_fault_domain    = -1
+   priority                 = "Regular"
+   private_ip_address       = (known after apply)
+   private_ip_addresses     = (known after apply)
+   provision_vm_agent       = true
+   public_ip_address        = (known after apply)
+   public_ip_addresses     = (known after apply)
+   resource_group_name      = "ekorneyc-RG"
```



# Common Installation Problems with Terraform

ISE Virtual Machine created, but you:

Can't login to it via Serial Console (wrong credentials)

Services are not coming up

Terraform Takes longer time to setup Virtual Machines

Hostname is different from the one configured

```
ISE2-Azure login: iseadmin
Password:
Login incorrect
```



```
azurermlinuxvirtualmachine.ise-azure-2: Still creating... [20m20s elapsed]
azurermlinuxvirtualmachine.ise-azure-1: Still creating... [20m20s elapsed]

Error: waiting for creation of Linux Virtual Machine: (Name "ISE1-Azure" / Resource Group "ekorneyc-RG"): Code="OSProvisioningTimeout" Message="OS Provisioning for VM 'ISE1-Azure' did not finish in the allotted time. The VM may still finish provisioning successfully. Please check provisioning state later. For details on how to check current provisioning state of Windows VMs, refer to https://aka.ms/WindowsVMLifecycle and Linux VMs, refer to https://aka.ms/LinuxVMLifecycle."

with azurermlinuxvirtualmachine.ise-azure-1,
on main.tf line 85, in resource "azurermlinuxvirtualmachine" "ise-azure-1":
85: resource "azurermlinuxvirtualmachine" "ise-azure-1" {}

Error: waiting for creation of Linux Virtual Machine: (Name "ISE2-Azure" / Resource Group "ekorneyc-RG"): Code="OSProvisioningTimeout" Message="OS Provisioning for VM 'ISE2-Azure' did not finish in the allotted time. The VM may still finish provisioning successfully. Please check provisioning state later. For details on how to check current provisioning state of Windows VMs, refer to https://aka.ms/WindowsVMLifecycle and Linux VMs, refer to https://aka.ms/LinuxVMLifecycle."

with azurermlinuxvirtualmachine.ise-azure-2,
on main.tf line 121, in resource "azurermlinuxvirtualmachine" "ise-azure-2":
121: resource "azurermlinuxvirtualmachine" "ise-azure-2" {}

(CL) ekorneyc@EKORNEYC-M-CW9R Terraform %
```

```
ISE1-Azure | Serial console ...
Virtual machine

? Feedback [?] [?] [?] [?]

2025-01-21T20:34:11.162826Z INFO Daemon Daemon Certificate with thumbprint

Failed to log in 1 time(s)
Last failed login on Wed Jan 22 02:31:53 2025 from ttyS0
Failed to connect to server
Exit

ISE1-Azure login: [ ]
```

That's not it, you  
need to  
configure  
things...

# Ansible

- Ansible playbooks are written in YAML
- Ansible playbooks consist of plays, which are sets of Tasks



galaxy.ansible.com

Namespaces > cisco > ise

 cisco.ise

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[Install](#) [Documentation](#) [Contents](#) [Import log](#) [Dependencies](#)

## Install

Ansible Modules for Cisco ISE

[collection](#) [sdn](#) [ise](#) [cisco](#) [cloud](#) [networking](#)

Installation `ansible-galaxy collection install cisco.ise`

**Note:** Installing collections with ansible-galaxy is only supported in ansible-core >=2.13.9

Download [Download tarball](#)

Requires Ansible >=2.15.0

Ansible Collection - cisco.ise

Play (set of tasks)

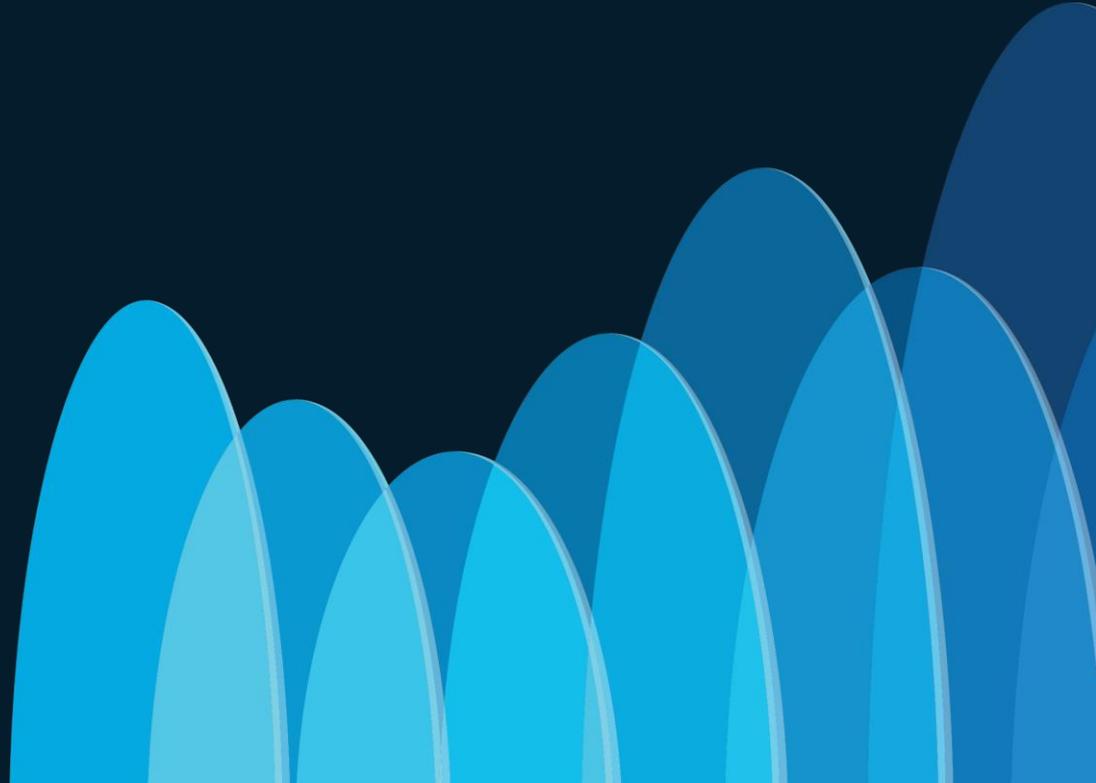
Task

Playbook (set of plays)

```
- hosts: ise_servers
vars_files:
  - credentials_emea.yml
gather_facts: no
tasks:

- name: Create or update ASAv
  cisco.ise.network_device:
    ise_hostname: "{{ise_hostname}}"
    ise_username: "{{ise_username}}"
    ise_password: "{{ise_password}}"
    ise_verify: "{{ise_verify}}"
    state: present
    name: ASAv2
  NetworkDeviceIPList:
    - ipaddress: 172.31.108.43
      mask: 32
  authenticationSettings:
    radiusSharedSecret: 'cisco'
    networkProtocol: 'RADIUS'
    description: 'ASAv in AWS'
  register: result
```

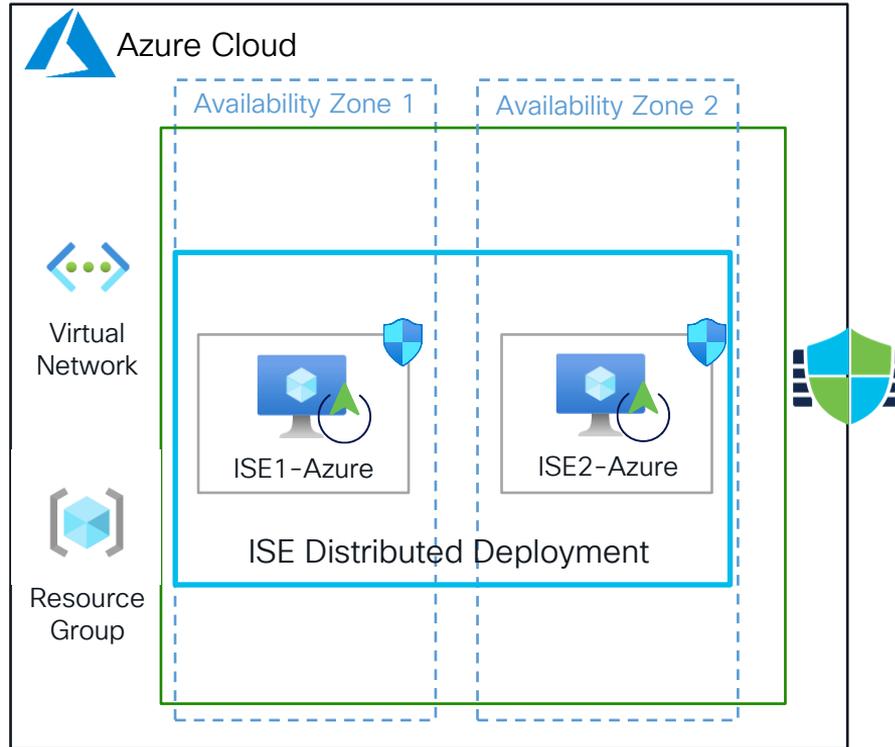
# Demo. ISE configuration using Ansible



# Demo Topology



ISE Configuration



```
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```

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# ISE in the Cloud. Licensing

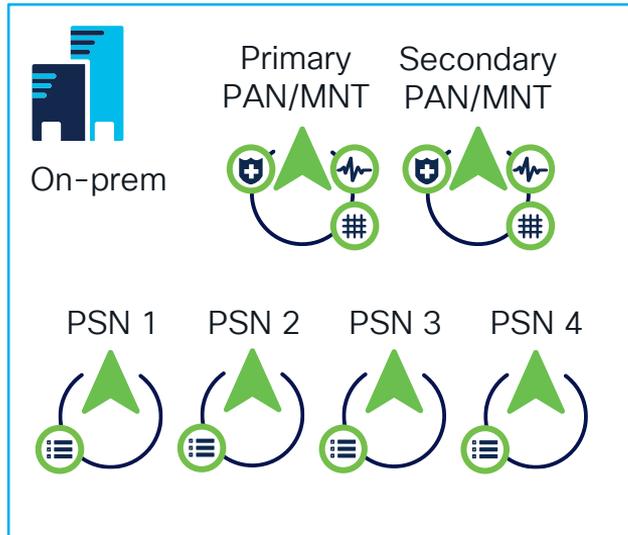
Cisco ISE leverages the Bring Your Own License (BYOL)

- ISE Comes with 90-days Evaluation License
- Use the Common VM License to enable Cisco ISE on cloud platforms, in addition to the other Cisco ISE licenses that you need for the Cisco ISE features you want to use.



# Migration and Upgrades

# Migration



Scenario: ISE 3.3 patch 4 Medium Deployment Migration to Cloud Infrastructure

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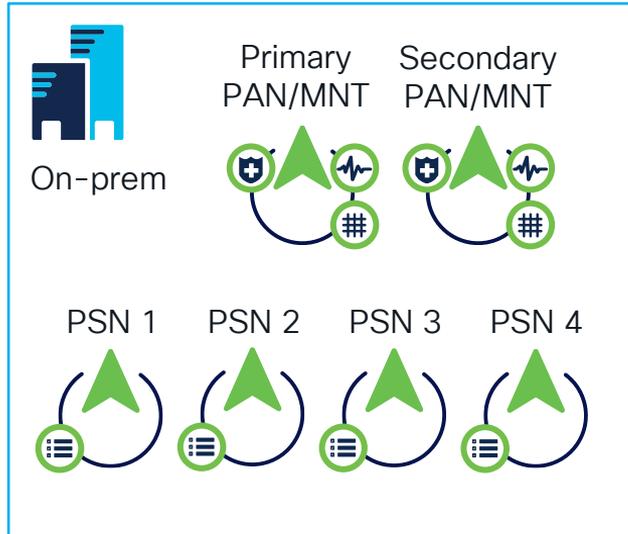
--- === Phase 0 === ---

- Plan
  - Take a Backup
  - Run Health Checks
  - FQDN's of ISE Nodes to be used
  - IP addresses of ISE Nodes to be used
  - End to End connectivity with the Cloud Providers
  - Test Infrastructure
  - Time and Date for MW



Azure Cloud

# Migration



--- === Phase 1 === ---

1. Deregister Secondary PAN/MNT
2. Deploy Cloud Instance
3. Install Patch
4. Add Node to the existing Deployment



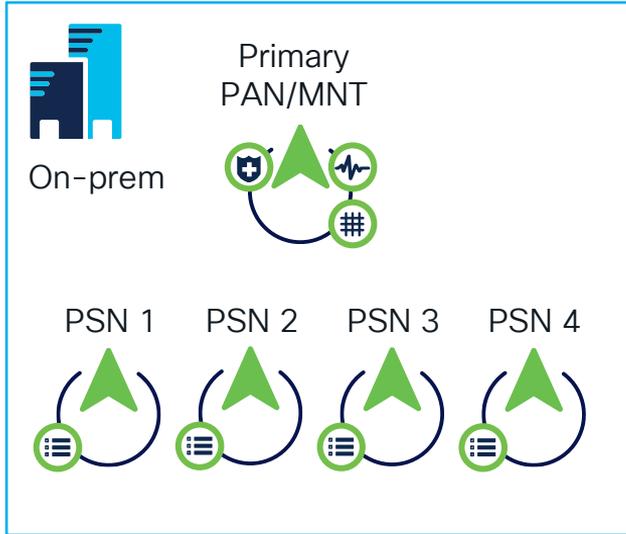
Secondary PAN/MNT



## Considerations:

- (Optional) Certificates to be exported prior Deregistration of Secondary PAN, imported before adding Node to the Deployment

# Migration

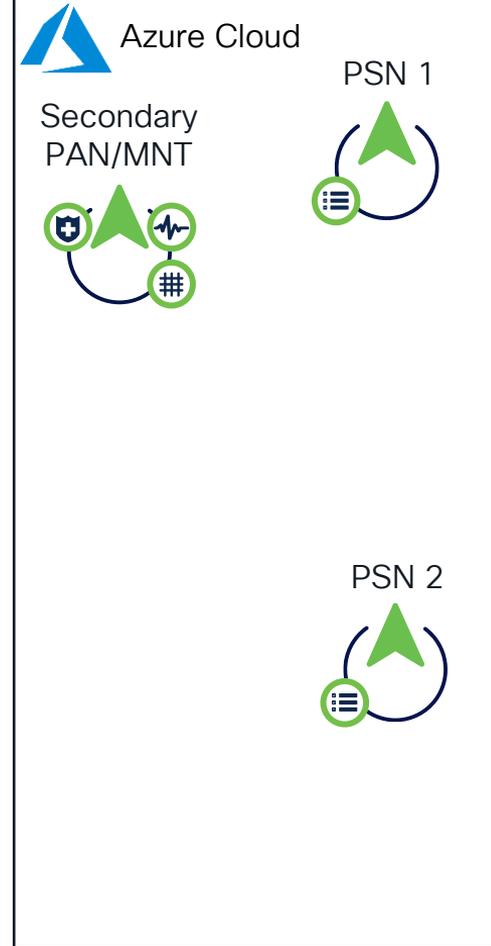


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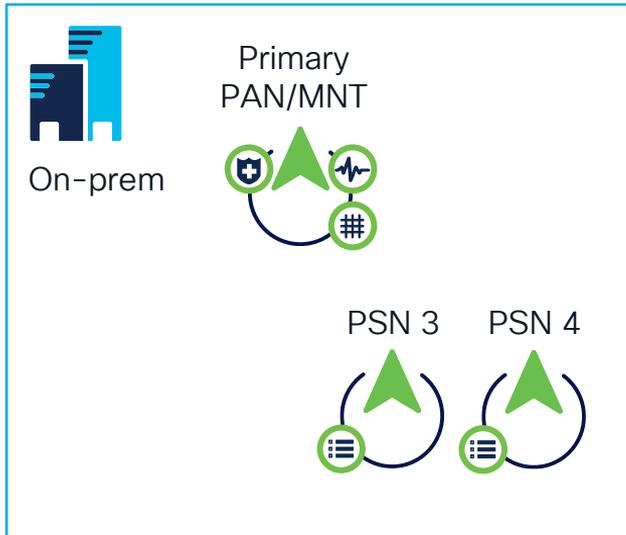
1. Deregister PSN1, PSN2
2. Deploy Cloud Instances
3. Install Patch
4. Add Nodes to the Deployment
5. Test

## Considerations:

- (Optional) Certificates to be exported prior Deregistration, imported before adding Nodes to the Deployment
- NAD's configuration should be evaluated prior to Phase 2. Exclude PSN1 and PSN2 from LB Groups or ensure that high availability configuration includes PSN3 and PSN4



# Migration



--- === Phase 3 === ---

1. Deregister PSN3, PSN4
2. Deploy Cloud Instances
3. Install Patch
4. Add Nodes to the Deployment
5. Test

## Considerations:

- (Optional) Certificates to be exported prior Deregistration, imported before adding Nodes to the Deployment
- NAD's configuration should be evaluated prior to Phase 3. Exclude PSN3 and PSN4 from LB Groups or ensure that high availability configuration includes PSN1 and PSN2



Secondary PAN/MNT



PSN 1



PSN 3



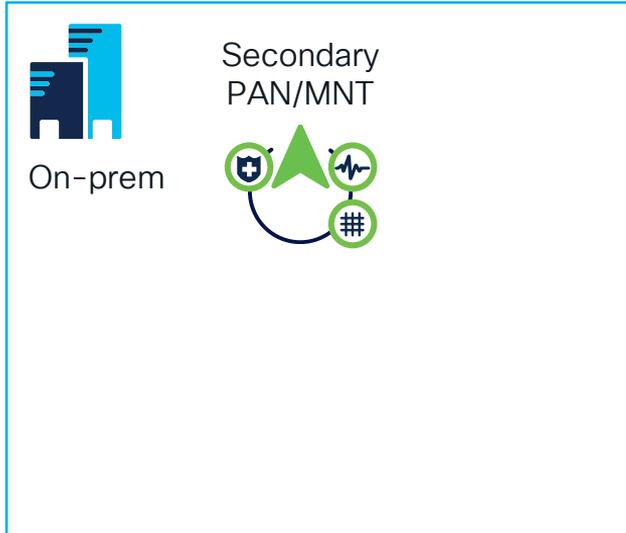
PSN 2



PSN 4



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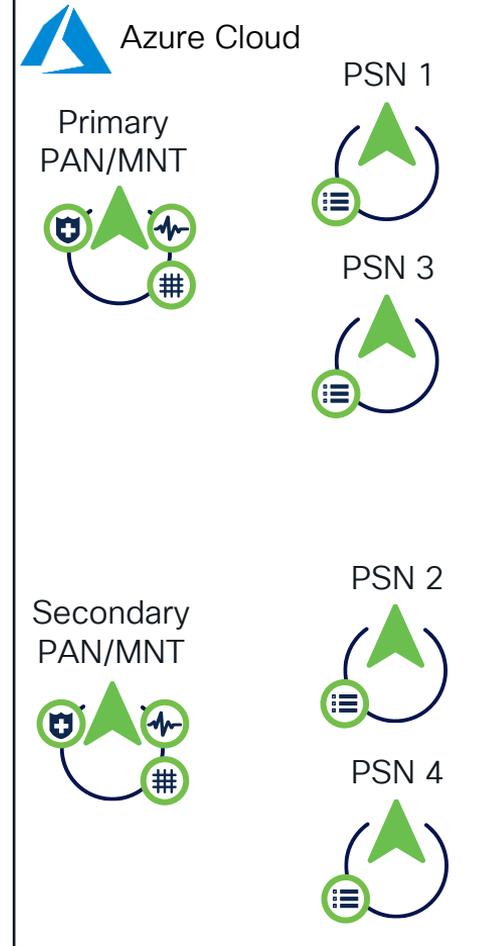


--- === Phase 4 === ---

1. Promote Secondary PAN/MNT to Primary
2. Remove Secondary PAN/MNT
3. Deploy Cloud Instance
4. Install Patch
5. Add Node to the Deployment

## Considerations:

- (Optional) Certificates to be exported prior Removal of PAN, imported before adding Node to the Deployment



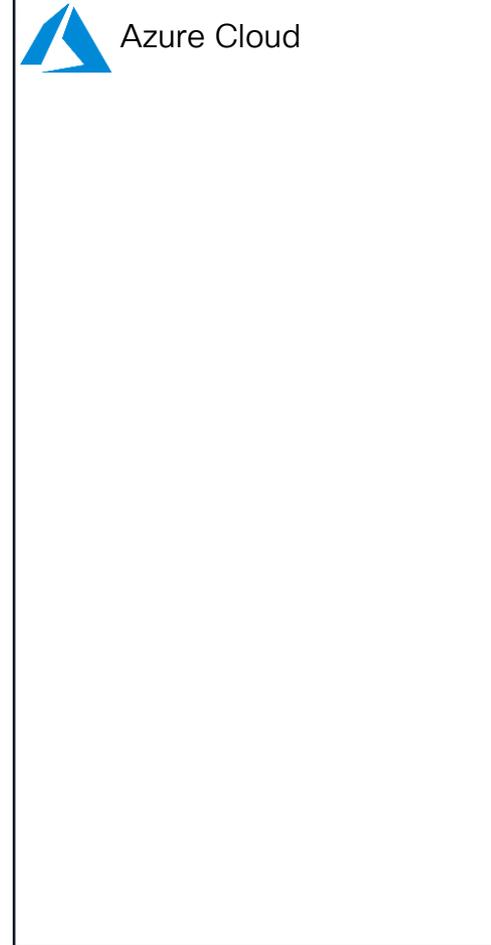
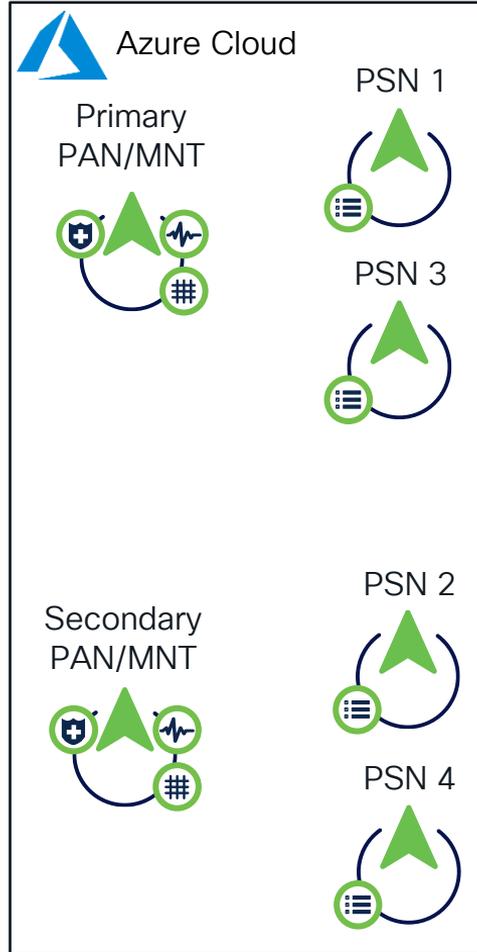
# Upgrade



--- === Phase 0 === ---

- Plan
  - Review the Upgrade Guide
  - Take a Backup
  - Test Infrastructure
  - Time and Date for MW
  - Run Health Checks

Scenario: ISE 3.2 patch 4 Medium  
Deployment Upgrade to ISE 3.3 patch 4



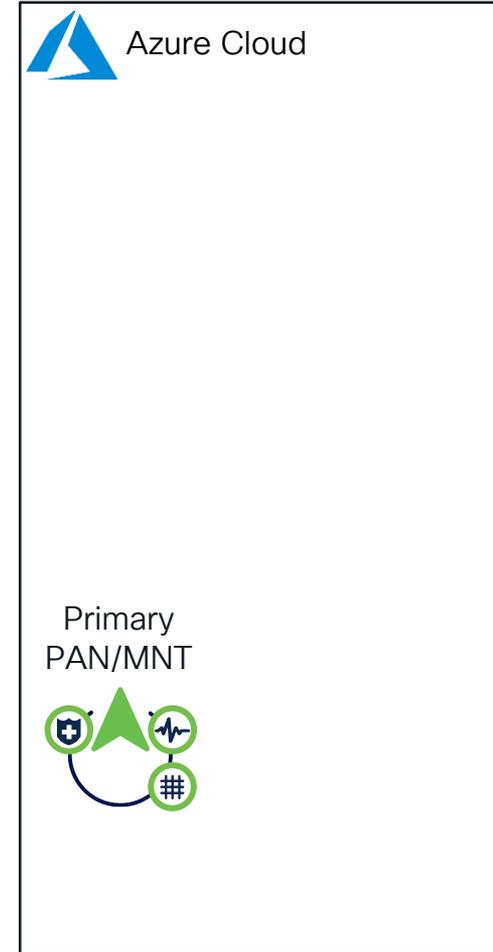
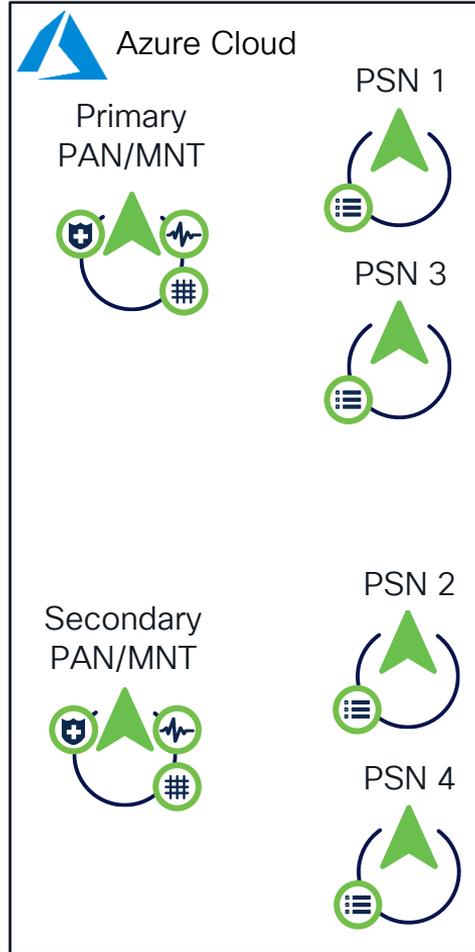
# Upgrade

--- === Phase 1 === ---

- Deregister Secondary PAN/MNT and delete the instance
- Deploy the new instance to destination ISE release.
- Install the patch
- Restore the Backup
- Promote the Standalone Node to Primary PAN/MNT

## Considerations:

- (Optional) Certificates to be exported prior Deregistration of Secondary PAN, imported after the Backup Restore



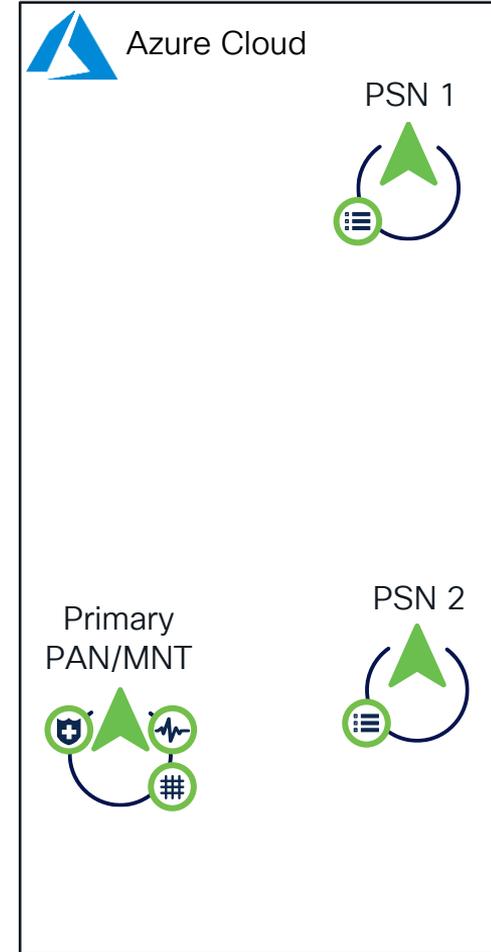
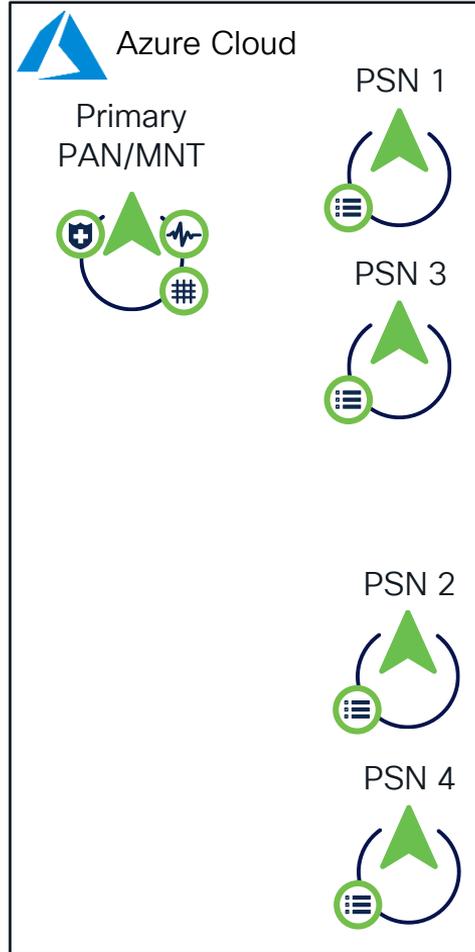
# Upgrade

--- === Phase 2 === ---

- Deregister PSN1 and PSN2 and delete the instances
- Deploy the new instances to destination ISE release.
- Install the patch
- Join the new deployment
- Test

## Considerations:

- (Optional) Certificates to be exported prior Deregistration of PSN1 and PSN2, imported before Joining the Deployment
- NAD's configuration should be evaluated prior Deregistration. Exclude PSN1 and PSN2 from LB Groups or ensure that high availability configuration includes PSN3 and PSN4



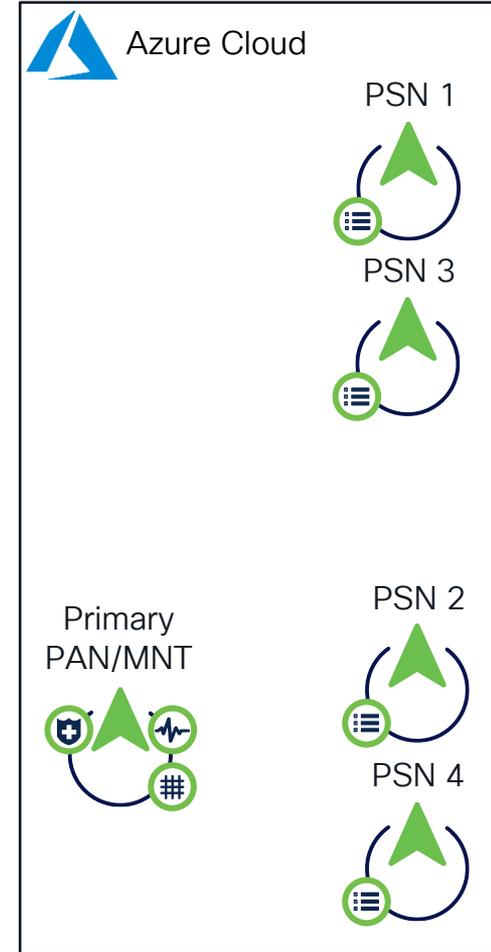
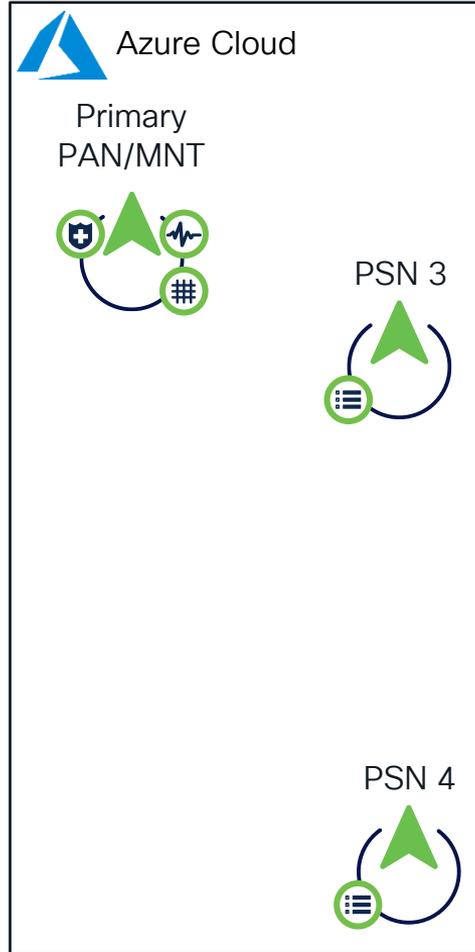
# Upgrade

--- === Phase 3 === ---

- Deregister PSN3 and PSN4 and delete the instances
- Deploy the new instances to destination ISE release.
- Install the patch
- Join the new deployment
- Test

## Considerations:

- (Optional) Certificates to be exported prior Deregistration of PSN3 and PSN4, imported before Joining the Deployment
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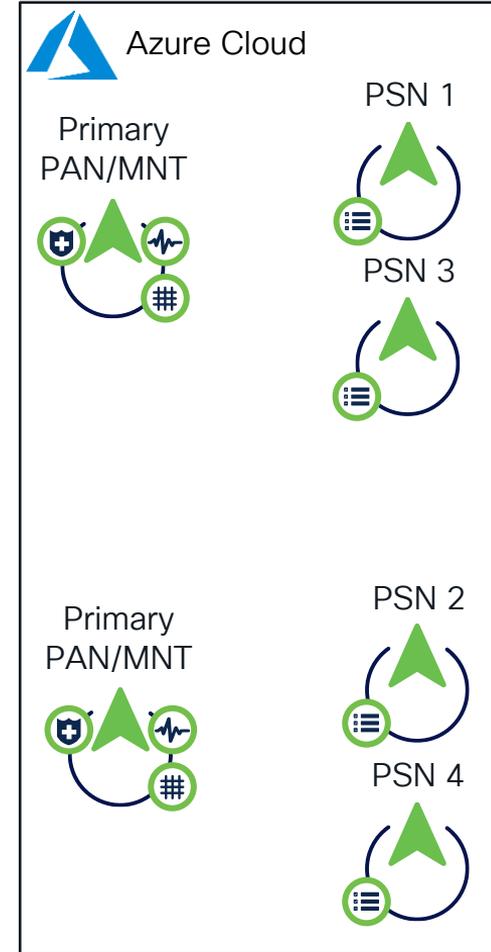
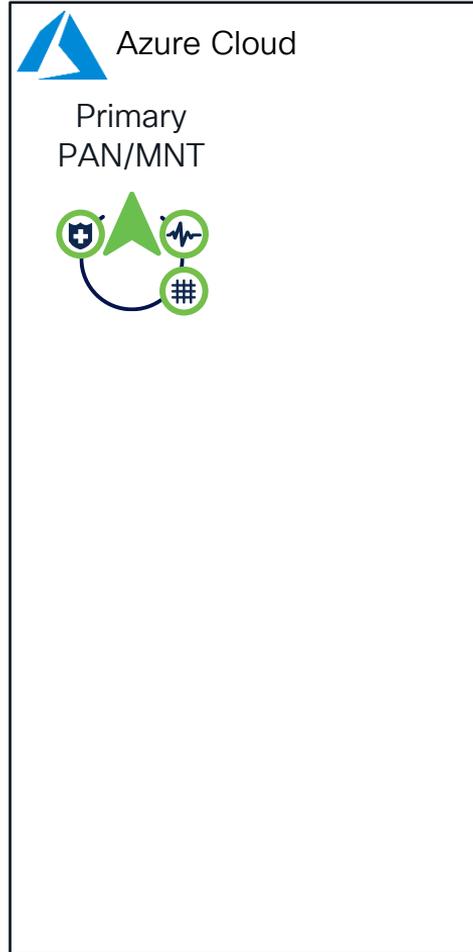
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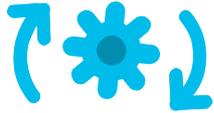
- Delete Primary PAN/MNT of old deployment
- Deploy the new instance to destination ISE release.
- Install the patch
- Join the new deployment
- Promote Secondary PAN/MNT to Primary PAN/MNT
- Test

## Considerations:

- (Optional) Certificates to be exported prior Deregistration of Primary PAN, imported before joining the deployment



# ISE in the Cloud. Design Considerations



- Inline upgrade workflow is not supported. Only fresh installs are supported. However, you can carry out backup and restore of configuration data



- SSH access to Cisco ISE CLI using password-based authentication is not supported. You can only access the Cisco ISE CLI through a key pair



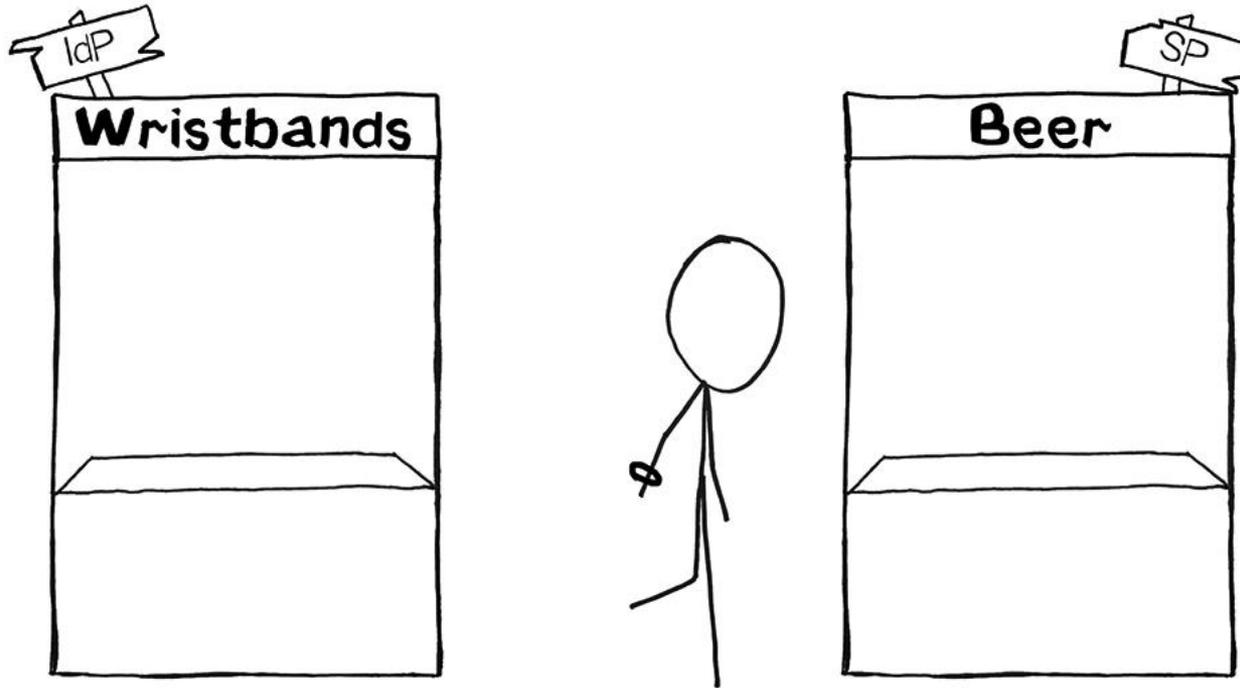
- Latency should be below 300 msec



- Starting ISE 3.2 default GUI username is “iseadmin”

# ISE SAML SSO

# What is SAML?



[The Beer Drinker's Guide to SAML](#)

Web Browser



ISE



Entra ID



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User opens admin portal webpage

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Internal Redirection to Azure  
<https://login.microsoftonline.com/>

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SAML Request, Identity Provider (Entra ID) authenticates the user

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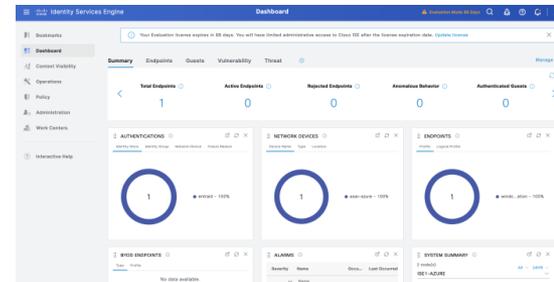
Encoded SAML Response is returned along with assertion data

5

SAML Response is sent to Service Provider  
(ISE)

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ISE confirms successful authentication as a result  
of SAML Response parsing, browser is redirected  
to the next page in the flow



# CSCwh49351 SAML request PSN exclusion

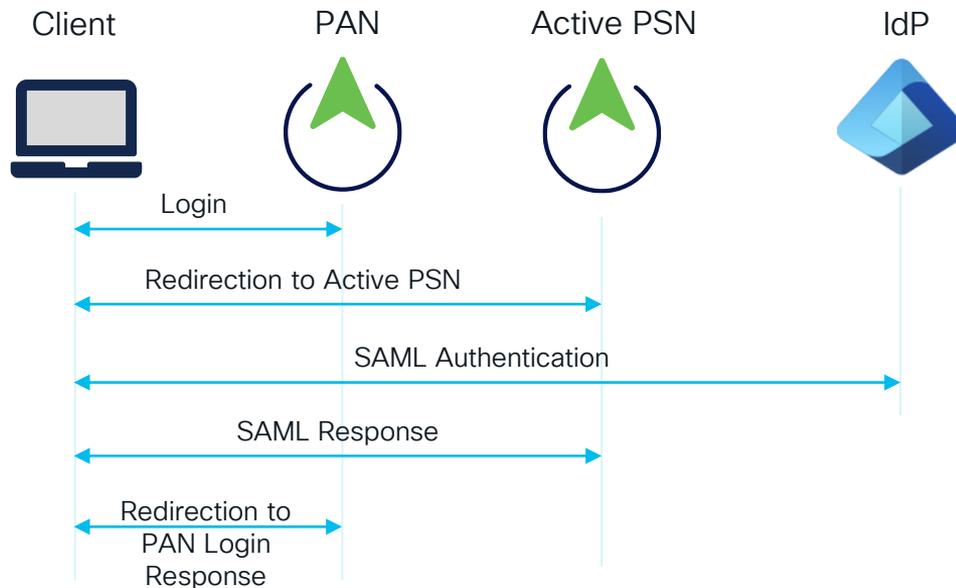


Problem:

- ISE Deployment has a dependency on PSN node (we call it “Active PSN”)
- Active PSN is automatically selected by ISE

Administrator has no control over it

- Admin SAML authentication doesn't work if:
  - Active PSN is not reachable from client
  - Active PSN is down
  - Active PSN domain is not the same as the ISE node where admin logging in



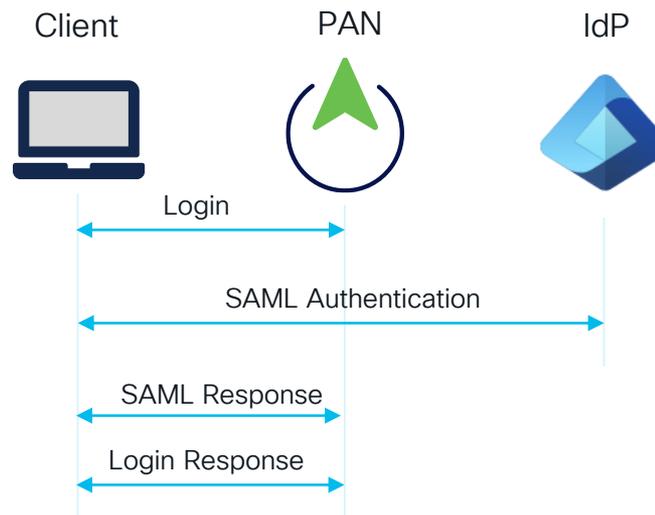
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Solution:

- No dependency with any other node
- Entire flow gets executed with ISE node (where admin user logs in)

Action: None (if all Assertion Consumer Services URL's are already present in IdP as Reply URL's)



Known Fixed Releases:

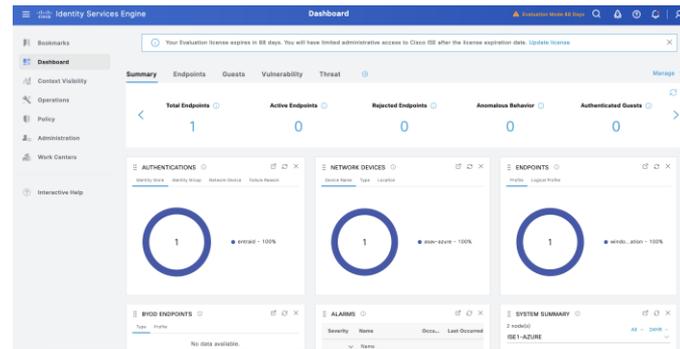
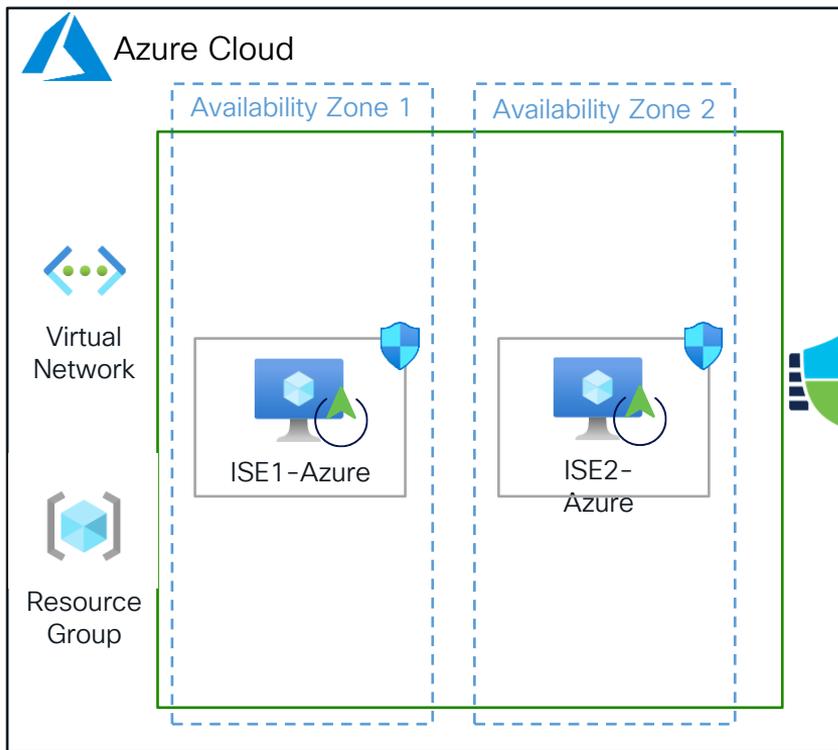
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ISE 3.4

# Demo. ISE Admin Portal Authentication with SAML SSO

# Demo Topology



Site to Site VPN Tunnel



Entra ID SAML  
Identity  
Provider

Configure SAML SSO with  
Entra ID for Admin Access

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Summary

Endpoints

Guests

Vulnerability

Threat

Manage

Total Endpoints

1

Active Endpoints

0

Rejected Endpoints

0

Anomalous Behavior

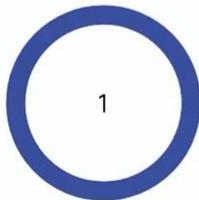
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Authenticated Guests

0

AUTHENTICATIONS

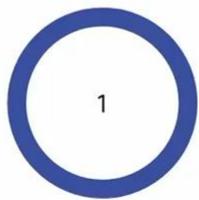
Identity Store Identity Group Network Device Failure Reason



● entraid - 100%

NETWORK DEVICES

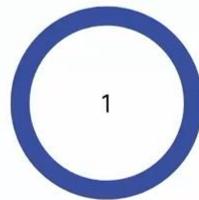
Device Name Type Location



● asav-azure - 100%

ENDPOINTS

Profile Logical Profile



● windo...ation - 100%

BYOD ENDPOINTS

Type Profile

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ALARMS

Severity Name Occu... Last Occurred

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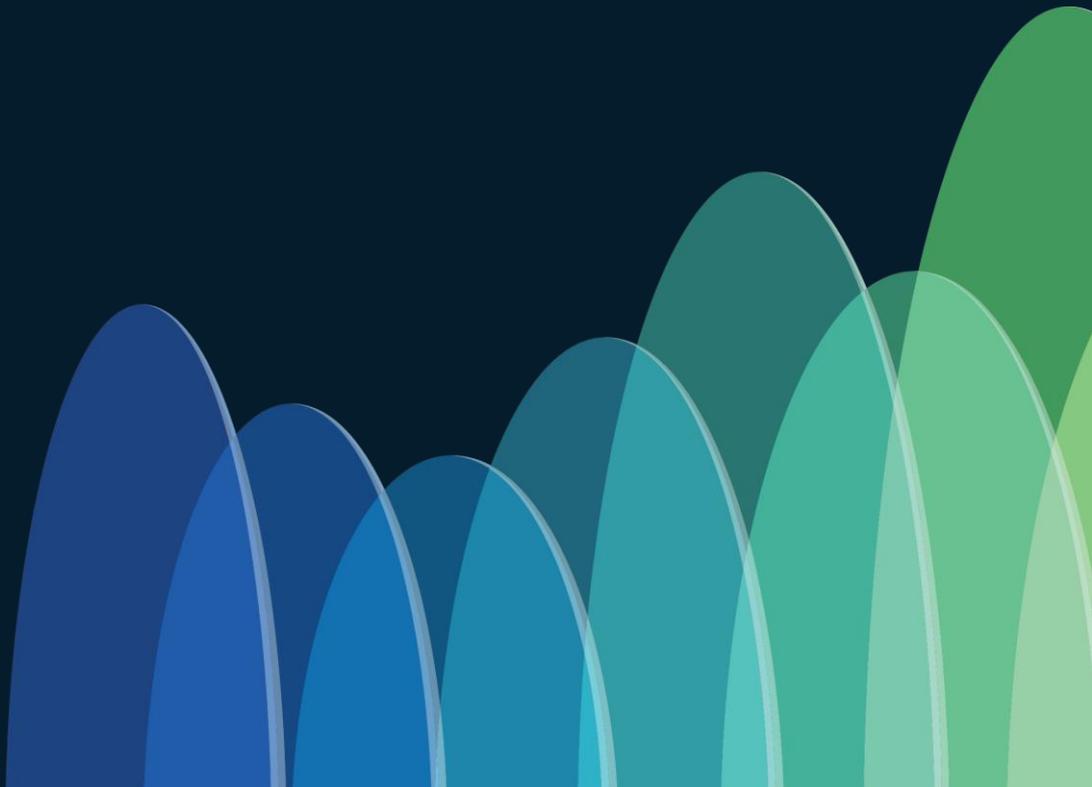
SYSTEM SUMMARY

2 node(s)

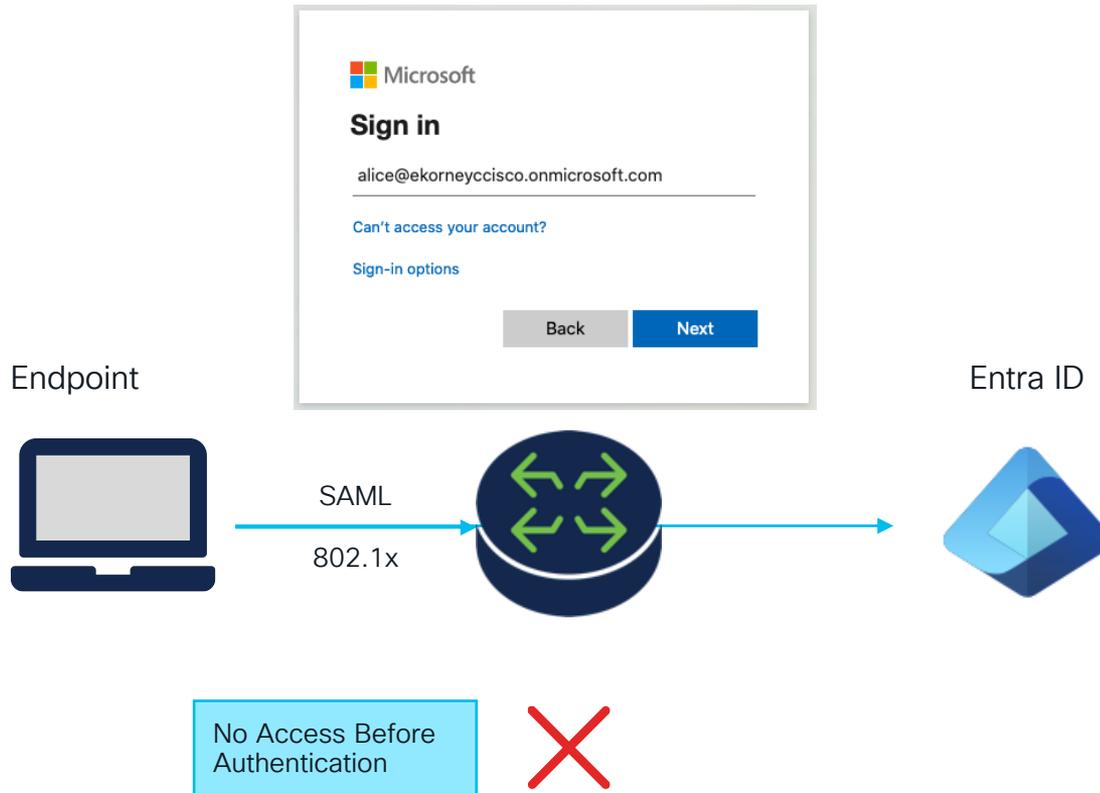
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All 24HR

# Entra ID Authentications



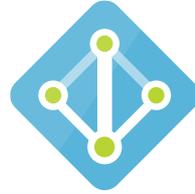
# 802.1x Authentication Problem with SAML



SAML assumes network connectivity, so the Endpoint can reach Identity Provider

802.1x being a Layer 2 authentication protocol, will grant Network Access after Authentication is completed

# Microsoft Active Directory vs Entra ID



Aspect	Active Directory	Entra ID
Purpose	Centralized management for users and groups Validating identity of the users and devices Granting permissions to the resources based on the roles	
Architecture	On-premises infrastructure	Cloud Native
Authentication Protocols	Kerberos and NTLM for on-prem authentication	OAuth, OpenID, SAML for cloud-based apps
Device Management	Manages on-prem devices via GPO	Manages variety of devices via Intune

# Active Directory User vs Entra ID User



Active Directory User



alice  
alice@cxsecurity.onmicrosoft.com  
Member

User principal name: [alice@cxsecurity.onmicrosoft.com](#)

Object ID: [f43b00a4-5604-4936-8b0c-7f4ffbd8c4b2](#)

Created date time: Dec 4, 2022, 1:02 PM

User type: Member

Identities: [cxsecurity.onmicrosoft.com](#)

Group memberships: 4

Applications: 5

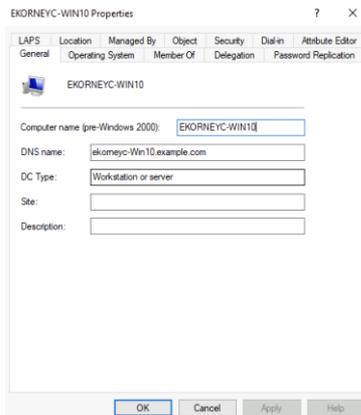


Entra ID User

Aspect

Aspect	Active Directory User	Entra ID User
Purpose	Represent User Identity	
Identifier	User Principle Name (UPN), Distinguished Name (DN), SID, sAMAccountName	User Principle Name (UPN), Object ID
Management	Active Directory, Group Policy (GPO)	Entra ID, Intune
Source	Manual Creation	Manual Creation, Synchronized via Entra Connect

# Active Directory Computer vs Entra ID Device



Aspect



Active Directory Computer



Entra ID Device

Purpose	Represent Computer/Device Identity	
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Management	Active Directory, Group Policy (GPO)	Entra ID, Intune
Source	Automatic Creation	Automatic Creation, Synchronized via Entra Connect

# Entra ID Device Join Types

Microsoft Azure

Home > cxsecurity | Devices > Devices | Overview >

## All devices ...

Download devices Refresh Manage view ✓ Enable ⊘ Disable 🗑 Delete ⚙ Manage | 🖨 Preview features

Search by name or device ID or object ID Add filters

5 devices found

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name ↑↓	Enabled	OS	Version	Join type	MDM
<input type="checkbox"/>	 JTOOTHMA-AZVM	✔ Yes	Windows	10.0.22621.3007	Microsoft Entra joined	<a href="#">Microsoft Intune</a>
<input type="checkbox"/>	 NXHG8AA001922099	✔ Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Microsoft Entra joined	None
<input type="checkbox"/>	 DESKTOP-5FR9KQJ	✔ Yes	Windows	10.0.19045.4412	Microsoft Entra registered	None
<input type="checkbox"/>	 DESKTOP-ELL9K5S	✔ Yes	Windows	10.0.19045.3803		<a href="#">Microsoft Intune</a>
<input type="checkbox"/>	 EKORNEYC-WIN11	✔ Yes	Windows	10.0.22000.2713	Microsoft Entra registered	<a href="#">Microsoft Intune</a>

## Registered Device:

- BYOD Device
- Login with personal credentials
- Corporate credentials when registering
- Register via Settings

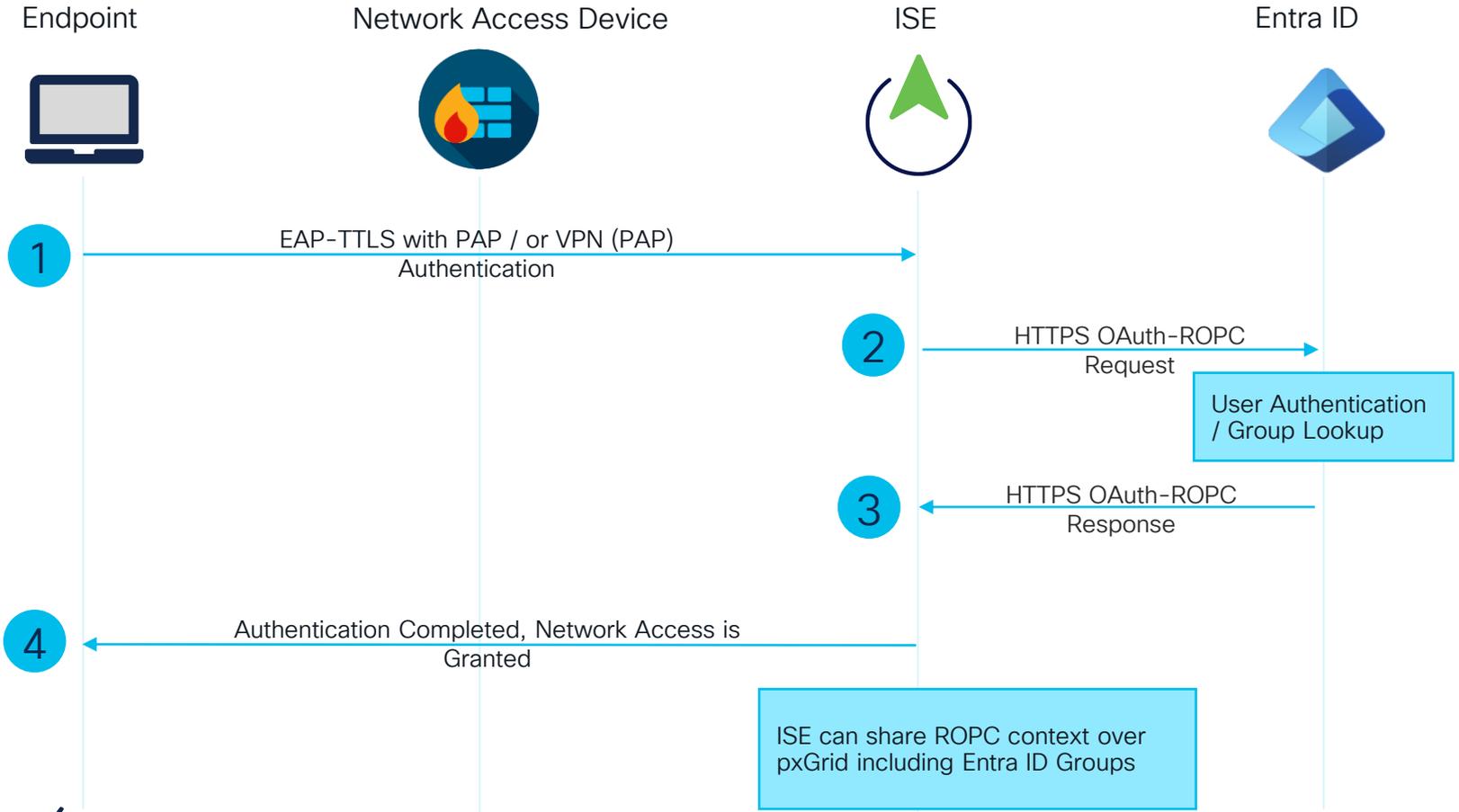
## Joined Device:

- Generally, Company Owned Device
- Login with Entra ID credentials
- Autopilot, Out Of Box Experience
- Full control over the Device

## Hybrid Joined Device:

- Joined to on-premises Active Directory and Microsoft Entra ID
- Login with corporate credentials
- Synchronized via Entra Connect

# ROPC Flow Diagram



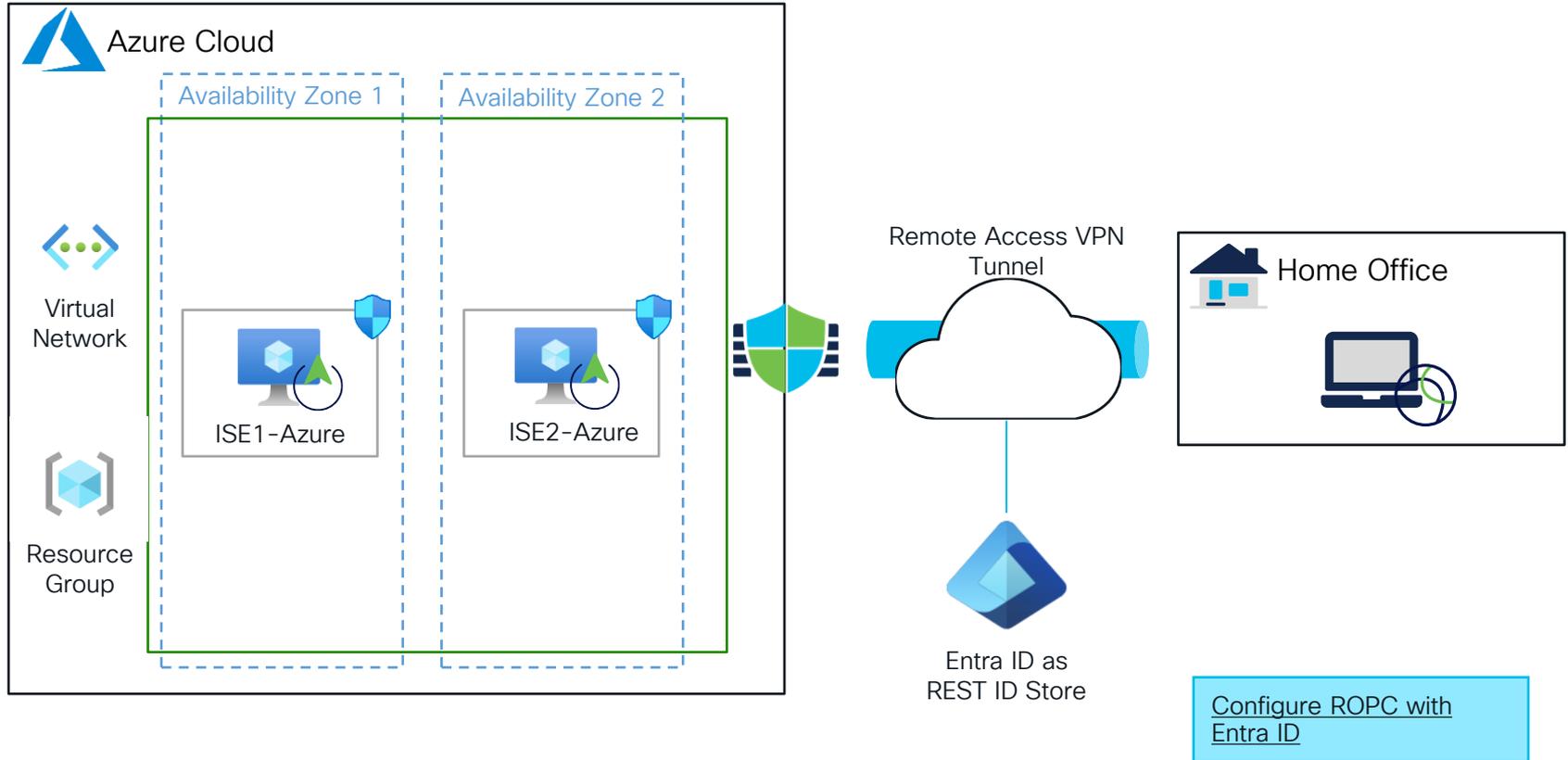
# ROPC Limitations



- No user interactions allowed for password changes, MFA, or AUPs
- No new accounts that have not yet changed the default password
- Only user authentication is supported

# Demo. ROPC Authentication with VPN Use Case

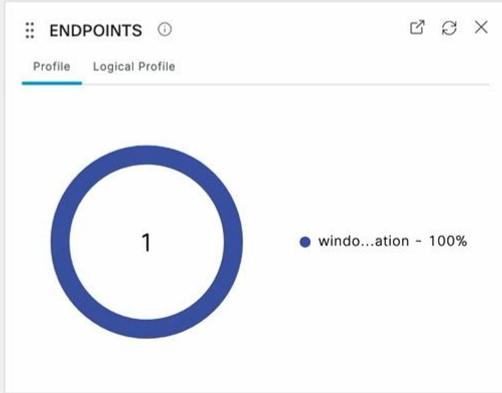
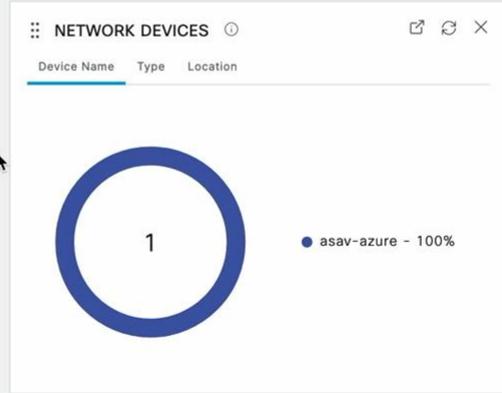
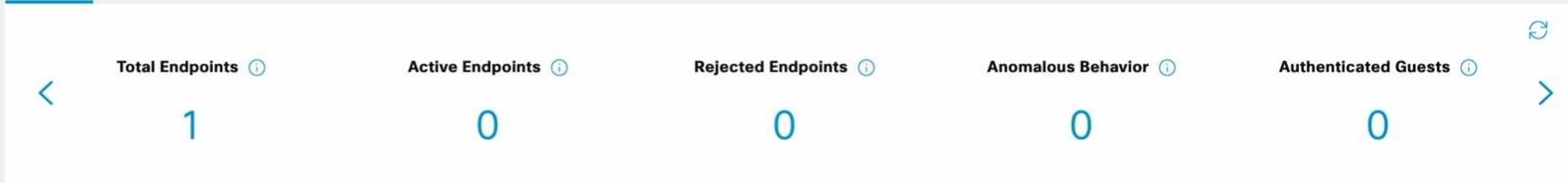
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Summary Endpoints Guests Vulnerability Threat Manage



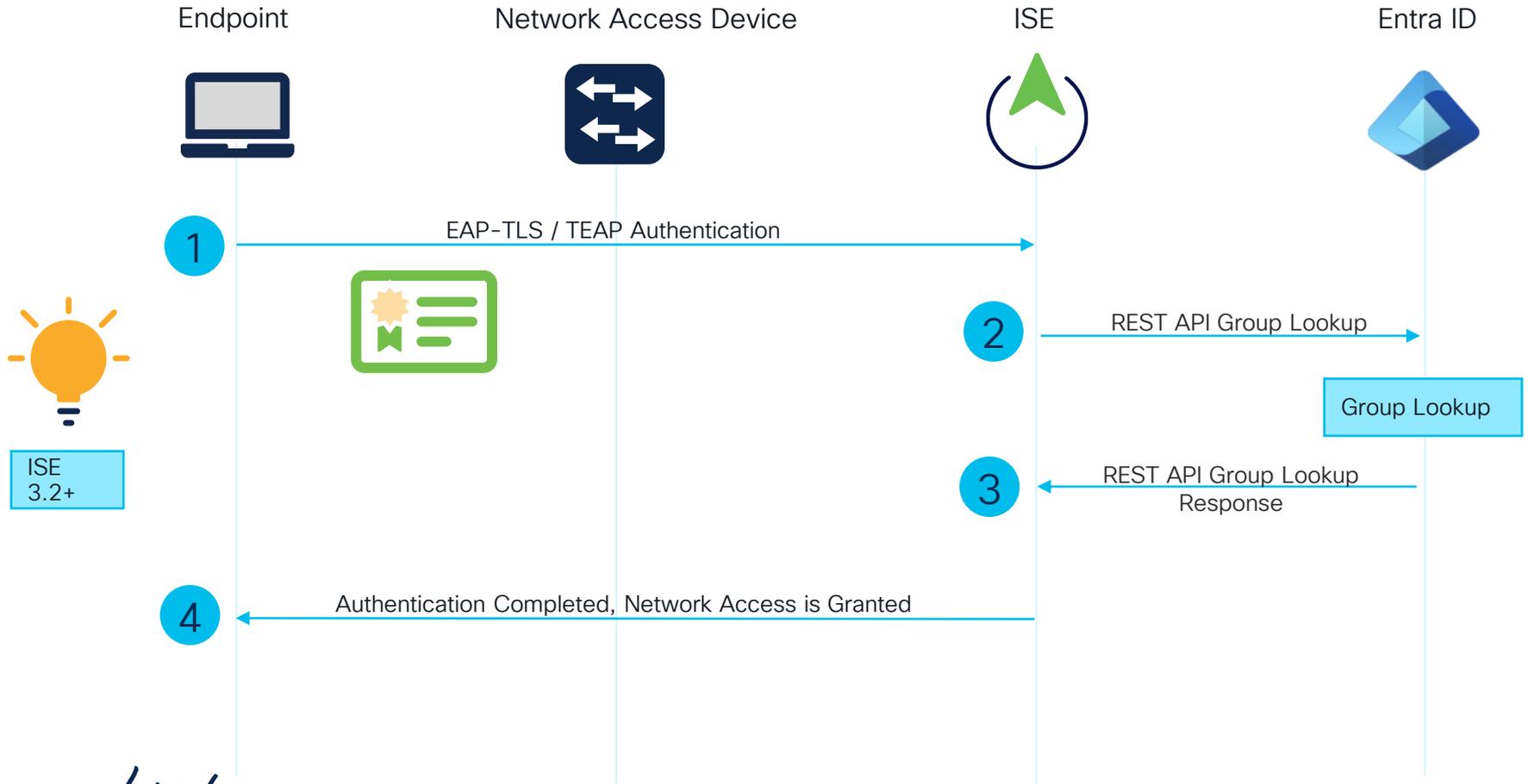
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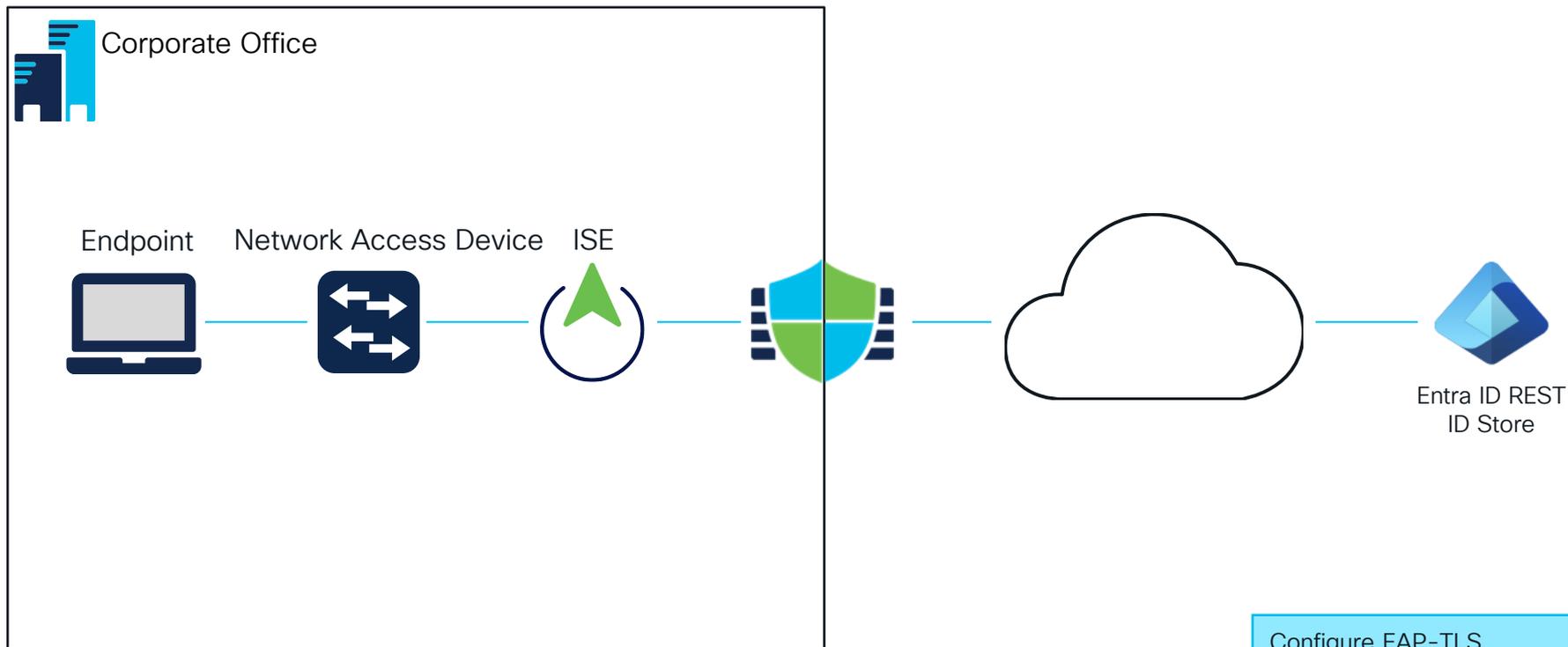
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ISE1-AZURE

# EAP-TLS Authorization with Entra ID



# Demo. REST ID Store Authorization with EAP-TLS

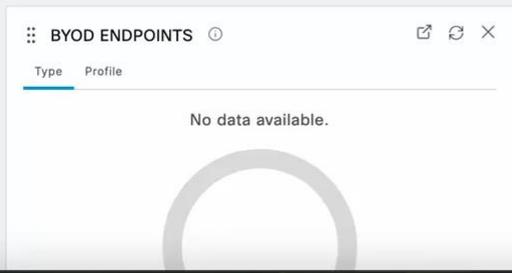
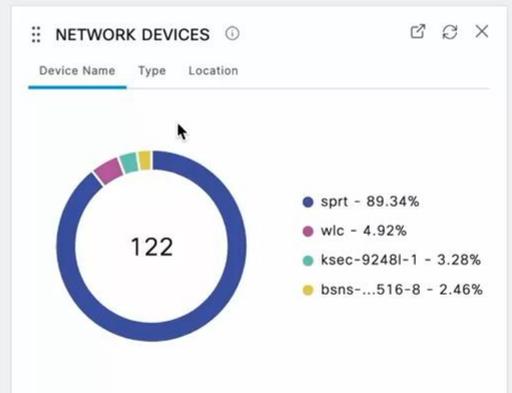
# Demo Topology



Configure EAP-TLS  
Authorization with Entra ID

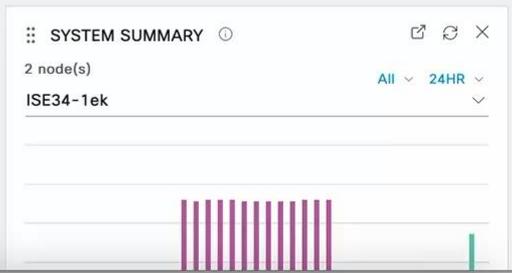
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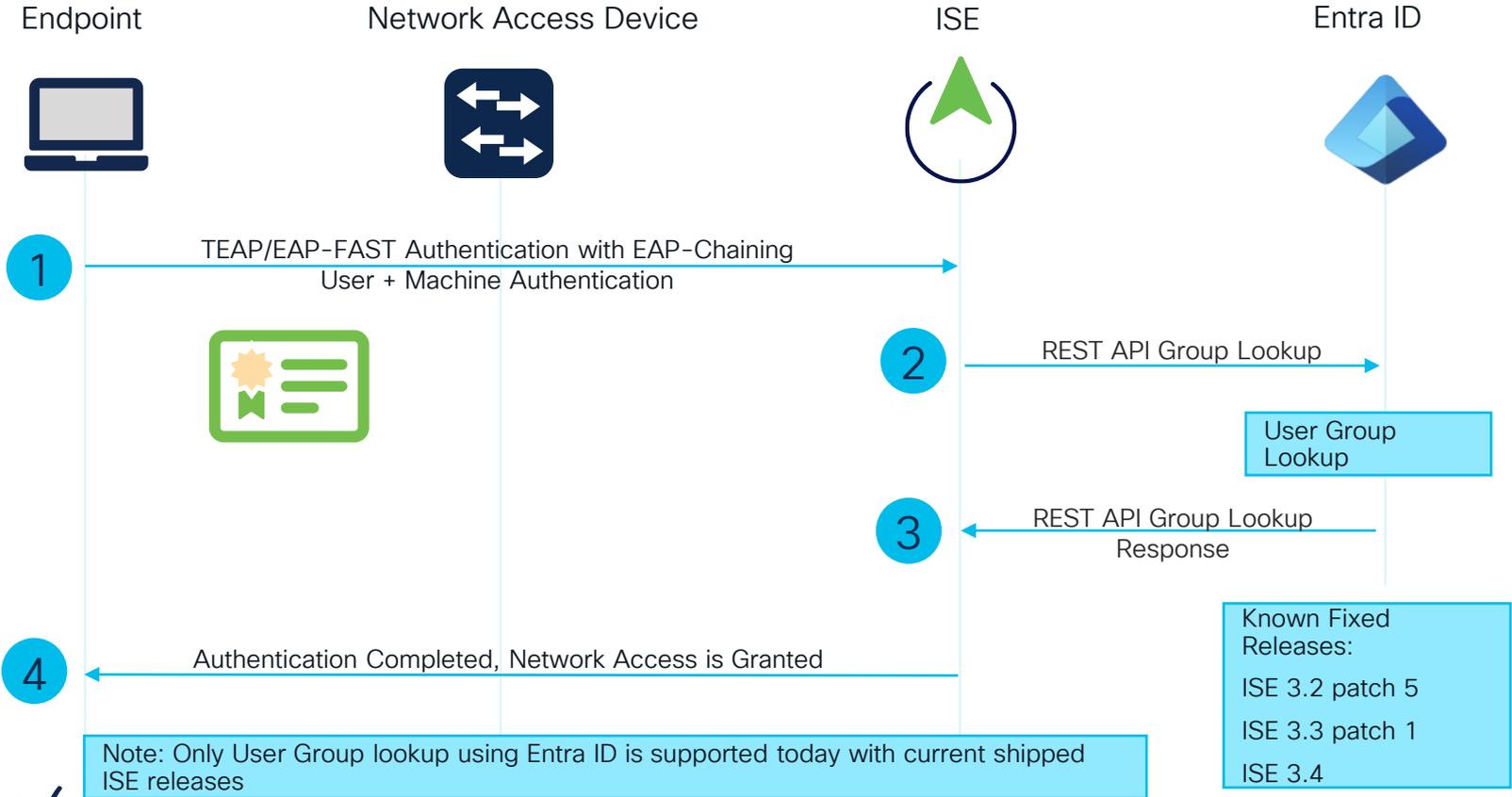


### ALARMS

Severity	Name	Occu...	Last Occurred
Info	Configuration Changed	1023	less than 1 min
Warning	ISE Authentication In...	6392	3 mins ago



# [CSCwd34467](#) ISE Authz rule evaluation broken for attempts using eap-chaining and Azure AD groups



# Intune Integration



# Intune – Mobile Device Manager (MDM) / Mobile Application Manager (MAM)

**Microsoft Intune admin center**

**My Dashboard** Private dashboard

+ New dashboard Refresh Full screen Edit Export Clone Delete

**Device enrollment**

**OK** ✓

No Intune enrollment failures last 7 days

**Device compliance**

**2** !

devices not in compliance

**Device configuration**

**OK** ✓

No policies with error or conflict

**Welcome to the Microsoft Intune admin center**

Microsoft Intune gives you easy access to device and client app management capabilities from the cloud. It enables secure productivity across all of your device types, including Windows, iOS, macOS, and Android. In Microsoft Intune you can:

- Enroll and configure your devices
- Upload and distribute your apps
- Protect your organization's data
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**Client apps**

**OK** ✓

No installation failures

[Details](#)

**Intune enrolled devices**

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Platform	Devices
Windows	3
Linux	0
Android	0
iOS/iPadOS	0
macOS	0
Windows Mobile	0
Total	3

**Device compliance status**

Status	Devices
Compliant	1
In grace period	0
Not evaluated	0
Not compliant	2 <span>!</span>
Total	3

**Please delete this tile**

This pinned part on the dashboard refers to a resource type or service that is deprecated. Please remove this part from the dashboard.

<https://intune.microsoft.com>

# Problem with MAC address MDM Lookup

1 Docking Station / Dongles



2 Wired vs Wireless



3 Random MAC address



Microsoft Intune admin center

Home > Devices | Windows > Windows | Windows devices > EKORNEYC-WIN11

EKORNEYC-WIN11 | Hardware ...

System

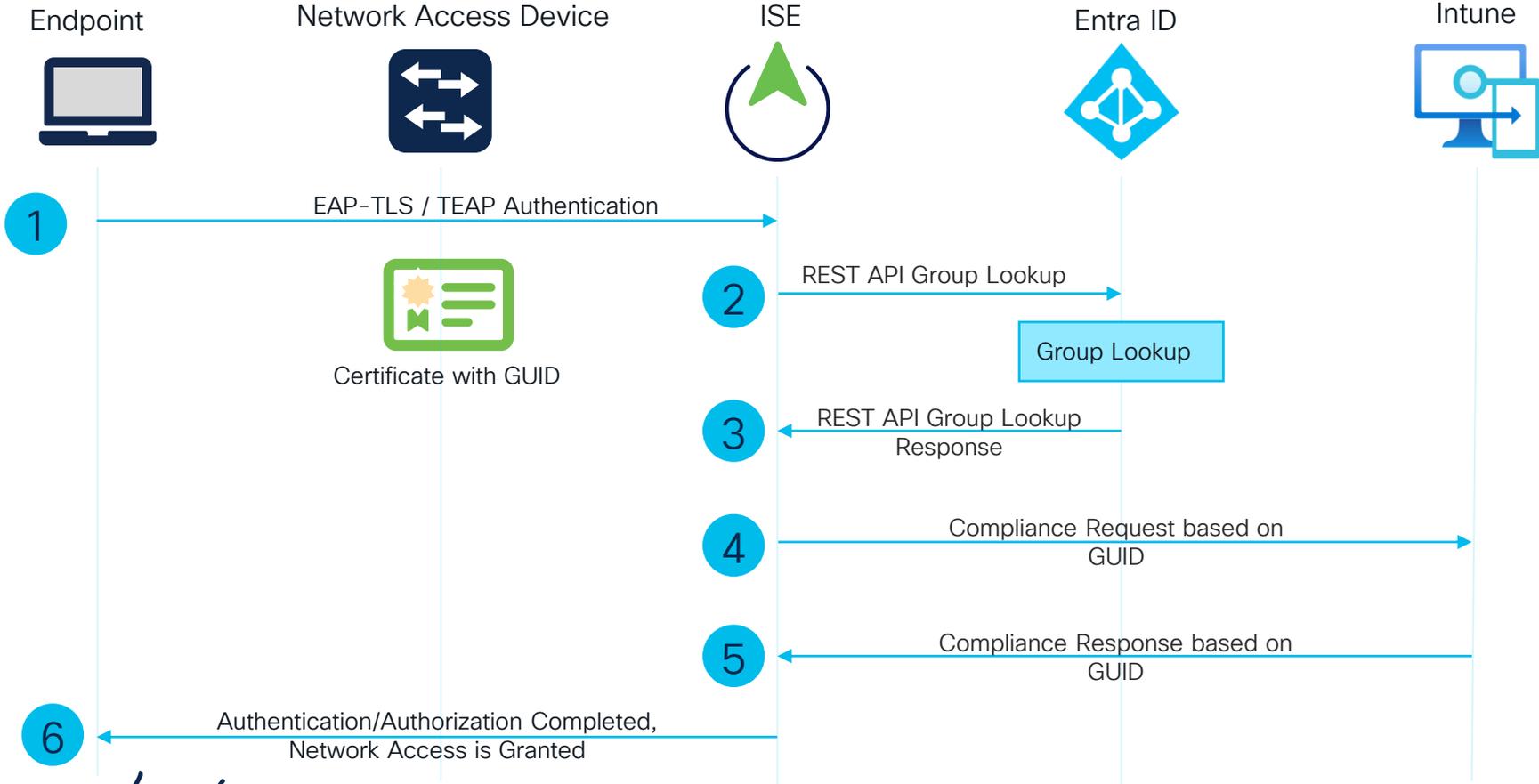
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Management name	alice_Windows_12/20/2023_4:24 PM
Intune Device ID	631405e4-6924-42d7-99b9-9780d26fa7b7
Microsoft Entra Device ID	b69c5040-730d-4ab1-98ef-d36eee53ab4c
Serial number	VMware-42 1c 40 fb 5f 4b e5 38-79 ad 4a de 23 ab 99 d3

Global Unique Identifier (GUID)



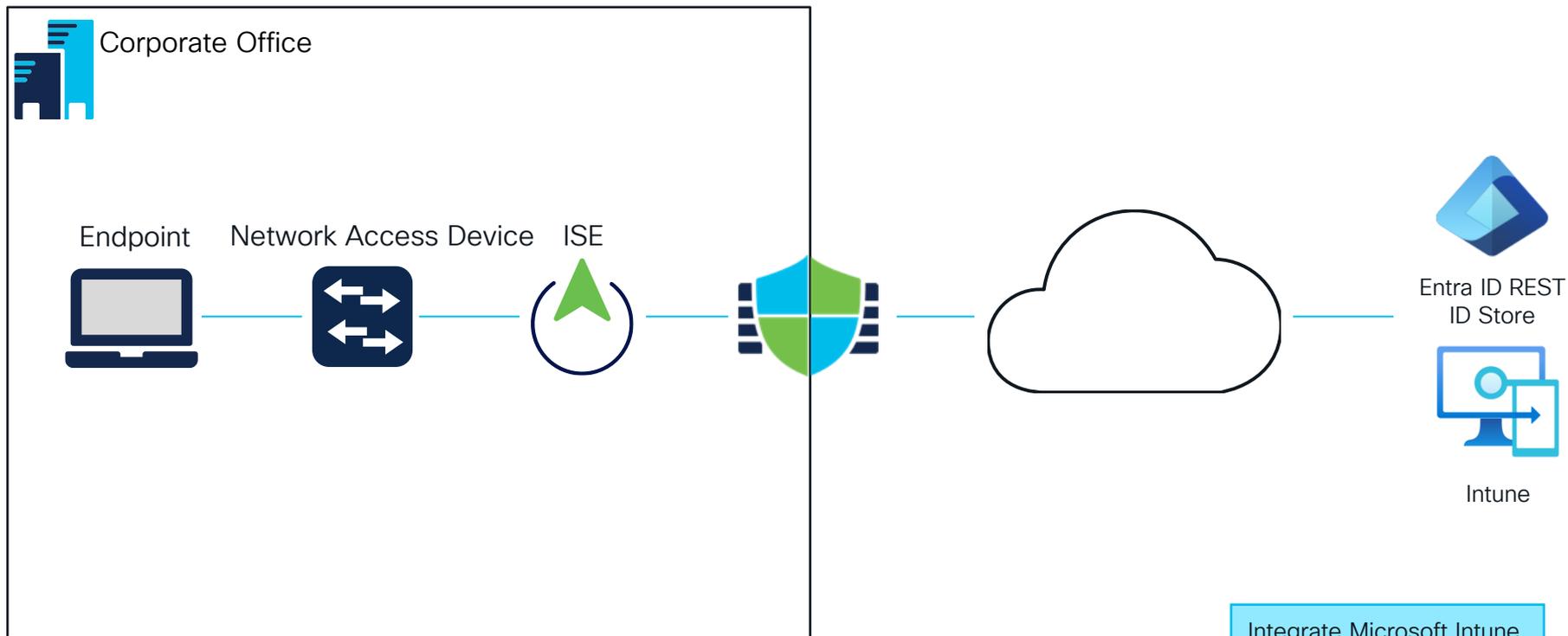
Certificate with GUID

# EAP-TLS with Azure Entra ID and Intune MDM



# Demo. Intune MDM Integration

# Deployment Topology

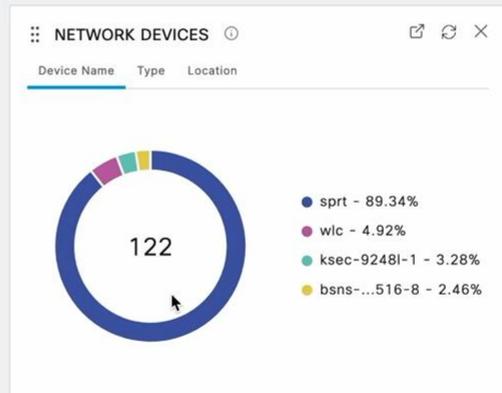


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Summary Endpoints Guests Vulnerability Threat + Manage ▼

Summary Metrics:

- Total Endpoints: 136
- Active Endpoints: 4
- Rejected Endpoints: 0
- Anomalous Behavior: 0
- Authenticated Guests: 0



### BYOD ENDPOINTS

Type | Profile

No data available.

### ALARMS

Severity	Name	Occu...	Last Occurred
<span>▼</span>	Name		
<span>ℹ</span>	Configuration Changed	890	less than 1 min
<span>⚠</span>	ISE Authentication In...	6422	16 mins ago

### SYSTEM SUMMARY

2 node(s) All 24HR

ISE34-1ek

# ISE Intune Integration Field Notices



[Field Notice: FN74227 - Cisco Identity Services Engine: Authentication and Certificate-Based Logins Will Fail Due to Microsoft Intune Security Identifier Changes - Software Upgrade Recommended](#)

Problem:

As part of Windows update May 10, 2022 ([KB5014754: Certificate-based authentication changes on Windows domain controllers](#)) requires certificates for users or computers to be strongly mapped to Active Directory. To do this Microsoft Intune adds Security Identifiers (SIDs) to Uniform Resource Identifier (URI) of certificate using {{ OnPremisesSecurityIdentifier }} variable.

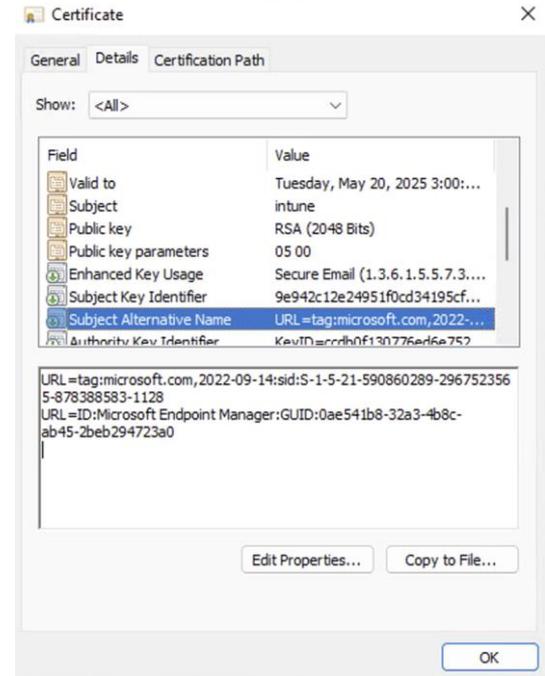
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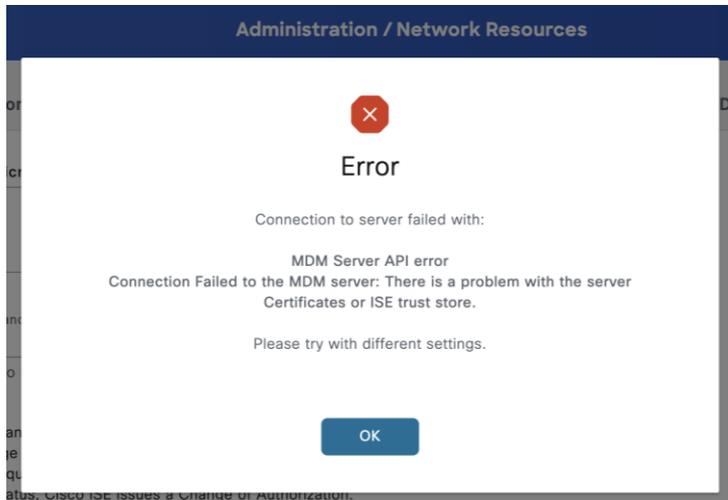
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ISE 3.3 patch 4

ISE 3.4 patch 1



# Intune Integration Troubleshooting



No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Lengt	Info
14	0.376116	10.48.26.64	10.48.26.63	TLSv1.2	391	Client Hello (SNI=ISE34-2ek.example.com)
19	0.378627	10.48.26.64	10.48.26.63	TLSv1.2	391	Client Hello (SNI=ISE34-2ek.example.com)
30	0.392936	10.48.26.63	10.48.26.64	TLSv1.2	391	Client Hello (SNI=ISE34-1ek.example.com)
255	7.372347	10.48.26.64	10.48.26.63	TLSv1.2	354	Client Hello (SNI=ISE34-2ek.example.com)
278	7.943812	10.48.26.64	64.103.36.133	TLSv1.2	322	Client Hello (SNI=www.ciscoconnectdna.com)
588	19.959208	10.48.26.63	10.48.26.64	TLSv1.2	357	Client Hello (SNI=ISE34-1ek.example.com)
649	22.814347	10.48.26.64	10.48.26.63	TLSv1.2	354	Client Hello (SNI=ISE34-2ek.example.com)
686	24.302912	10.48.26.64	64.103.36.133	TLSv1.2	417	Client Hello (SNI=login.microsoftonline.com)
723	24.573553	10.48.26.64	64.103.36.133	TLSv1.2	411	Client Hello (SNI=graph.microsoft.com)
819	25.032051	10.48.26.64	64.103.36.133	TLSv1.2	417	Client Hello (SNI=login.microsoftonline.com)
867	25.580248	10.48.26.64	64.103.36.133	TLSv1.2	393	Client Hello (SNI=fef.msua08.manage.microsoft.com)

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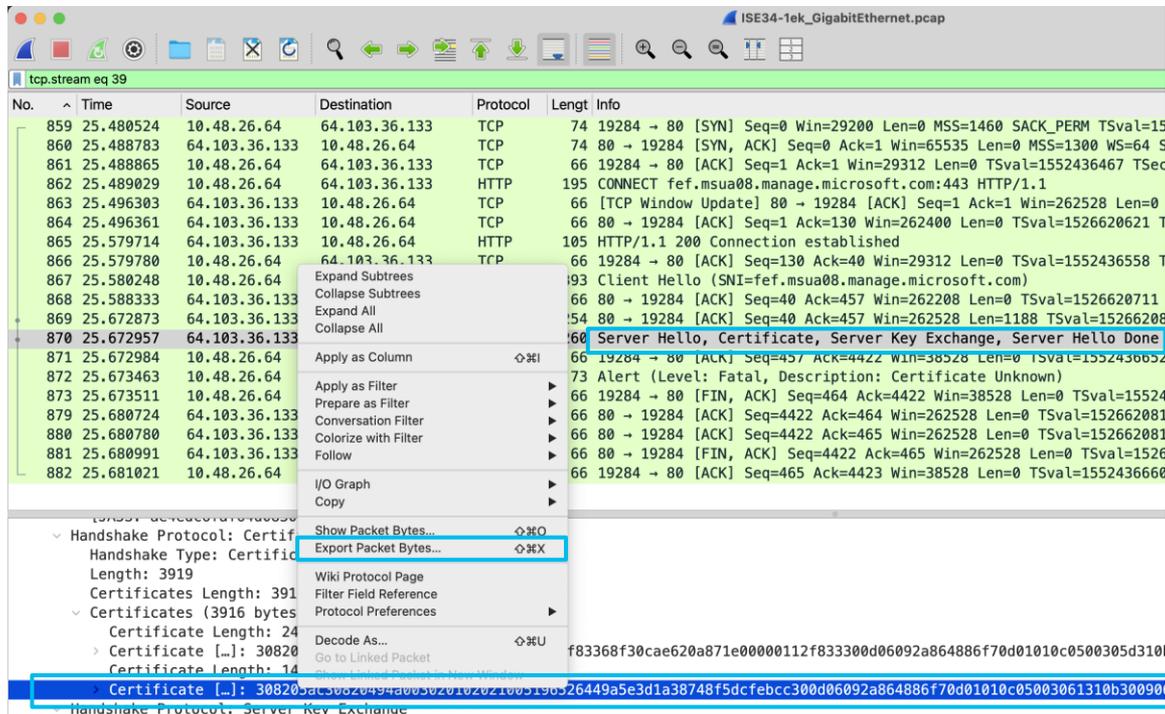
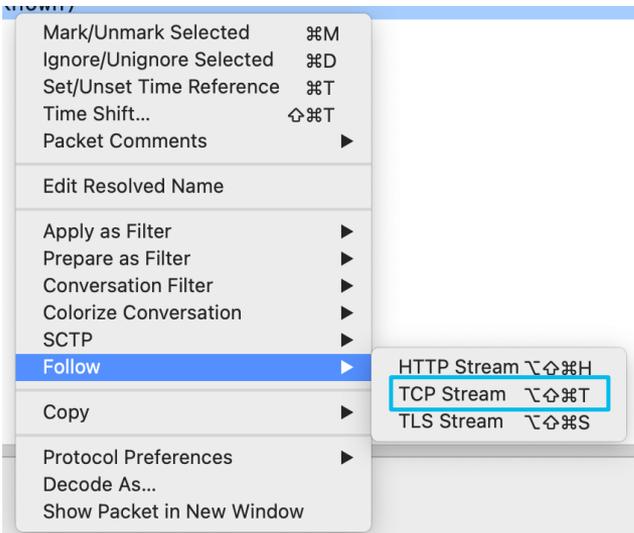
Wireshark filter: `tls.handshake.type == 1`, to filter Client Hello messages

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Lengt	Info
872	25.673463	10.48.26.64	64.103.36.133	TLSv1.2	73	Alert (Level: Fatal, Description: Certificate Unknown)

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Wireshark filter: `tls.alert_message.desc == 46`, to filter Certificate Unknown TLS Alerts

# Intune Integration Troubleshooting



3 Wireshark: Right Click > Follow > TCP Stream

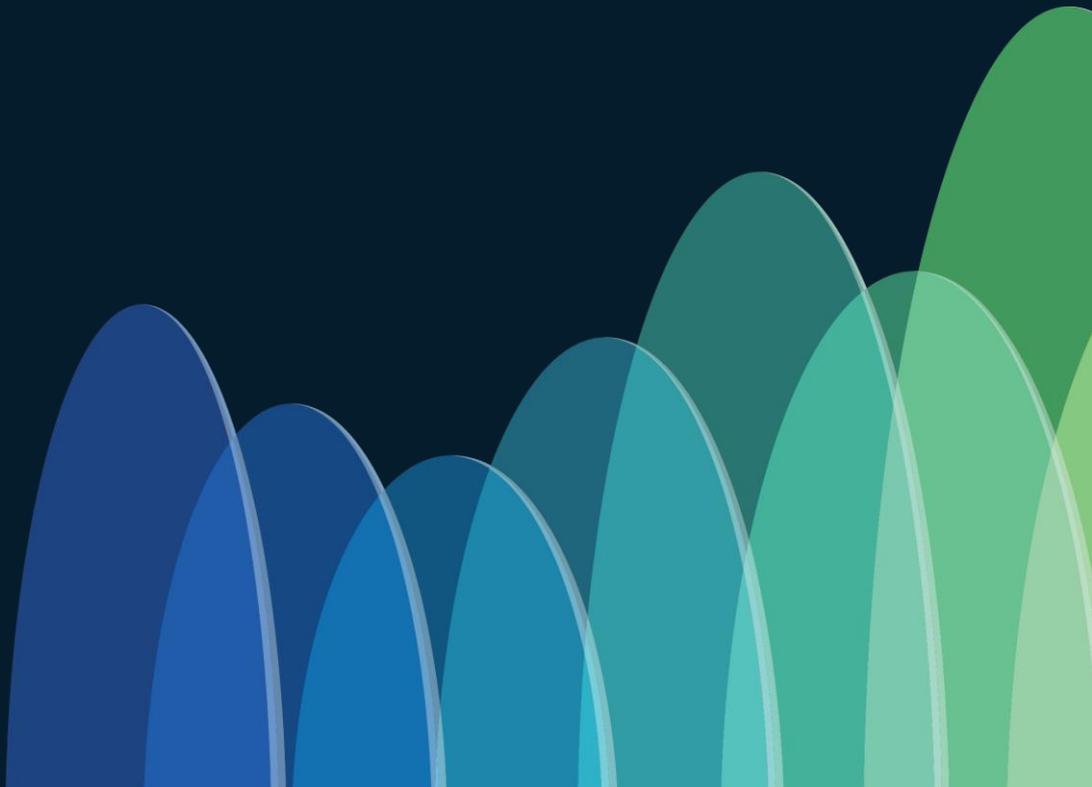
5 Import Certificate into ISE Trusted Store Administration > System > Certificates > Trusted Certificates > Import

4

- Locate Server Hello, Certificate message
- Locate Certificates under Packet Details
- Right Click > Export Packet Bytes



# Conclusion



# Key Takeaways

- ISE can be deployed natively on Azure as Virtual Machine or Application, installation and configuration can be automated with IaC tools like Terraform and Ansible
- SAML SSO is available on ISE for Portals (Admin, Guest, Sponsor, etc.)
- 802.1X authentications, RA VPN authentications are possible with Entra ID as an External Identity Store
- ISE MDM integration allows more granular network access based on the Compliance Status

# Webex App

## Questions?

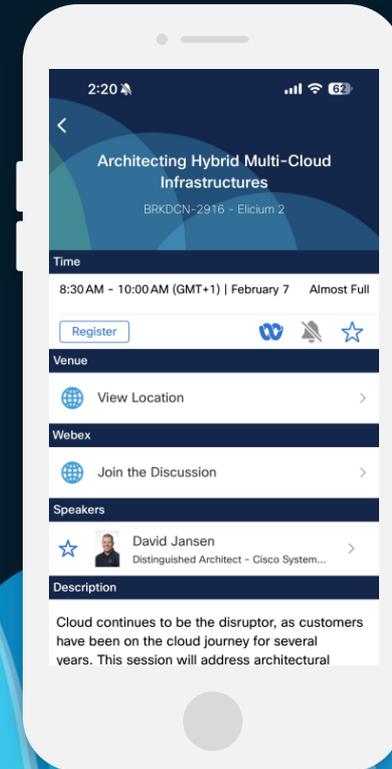
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