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## Your Avenue to Microsoft®'s Cloud

Organizations are constantly looking to technology to stay ahead in today's highly competitive markets. With the combined power of Microsoft SharePoint and the latest cloud technologies such as Microsoft Azure, businesses can collaborate confidently across the globe.

AvePoint's cloud solutions and Microsoft Azure combine scalable SharePoint capturing and integration, data protection, and storage management to provide organizations with fully integrated infrastructure-as-a-service (IaaS) or software-as-a-service (SaaS) solutions.

## Key Challenges

While the benefit of cloud computing is clear – lowered total cost of ownership by reducing hardware and human resource costs – many organizations are still cautious to make the switch. Concerns over integration with existing on-premise environments for those considering hybrid deployments, security and configuration management, content and data protection, or even simply how to move into the cloud with minimal disruption to the flow of business, can all inhibit organizations from taking on cloud initiatives.

Minimizing TCO	Optimizing SLAs	Ensuring Compliance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Leveraging cloud technologies without complicating system management</li><li>• Minimizing storage costs while improving IT Service Level Agreements (SLAs)</li><li>• Meeting stringent business demands while enforcing effective chargeback for IT services and resources</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ensuring system availability while migrating to the cloud to avoid disruption to business operations</li><li>• Easily locating business critical content whether on-premises or in the cloud through the same interface</li><li>• Simplifying content publishing and sharing without worrying about IT bottlenecks</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Minimizing risks of non-compliance while simplifying access control across all SharePoint deployments</li><li>• Standardizing global records management rules</li><li>• Prevent violations of industry and corporate policies</li></ul>

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Lowered TCO	Improved SLAs	Trusted Compliance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Retain all metadata, configurations and customizations, and move to Azure with confidence</li><li>• Manage and integrate on-premises and cloud-based SharePoint environments</li><li>• Deploy and scale SharePoint's information and storage architecture to Azure</li><li>• Optimize SQL resources and improve performance with BLOB externalization</li><li>• Reduce storage costs – extend records, audit logs and backup data to geo-redundant Azure datacenters</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Minimize business disruptions with 99%+ up-time for virtual machines and networks hosted on Azure</li><li>• Ensure content protection with full-fidelity backup plus Azure built-in redundancy</li><li>• Automate content publication with minimal SLAs</li><li>• Enable true global collaboration with synchronized content across geographically distributed farms (both on-premises and hosted) including Office 365 sites</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Assess and prevent risks with comprehensive audit reporting on all SharePoint deployments, hosted or on-premises, across the globe</li><li>• Content type based permissions management ensures the users only have access to the right information</li><li>• Quickly pinpoint violations of compliance policies with detailed reports</li><li>• Automate records retention and deletion to according to industry policies</li></ul>

AvePoint's cloud solutions and Microsoft Azure further enhance the scalability of SharePoint deployments using Azure on-demand infrastructure with unified management. Spin up development, testing, and quality assurance environments as needed on Azure while rapidly deploying solutions and customizations with ease.

Embrace the cloud at the pace that works for your organization. Choose hybrid management that allows you to seamlessly move content to the cloud or synchronize on-premises and cloud computing environments, and integrate IaaS over time. Leverage Azure hosted SaaS solutions from AvePoint to manage Microsoft Office 365 sites and simplify content lifecycle and records management, intranet to website publishing, and standardize information architecture, configurations and security across globally distributed environments.

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