

Using Azure Updates

This guide helps you navigate Azure Updates including filter definitions and information on how to share, follow, download, and provide feedback

Overview

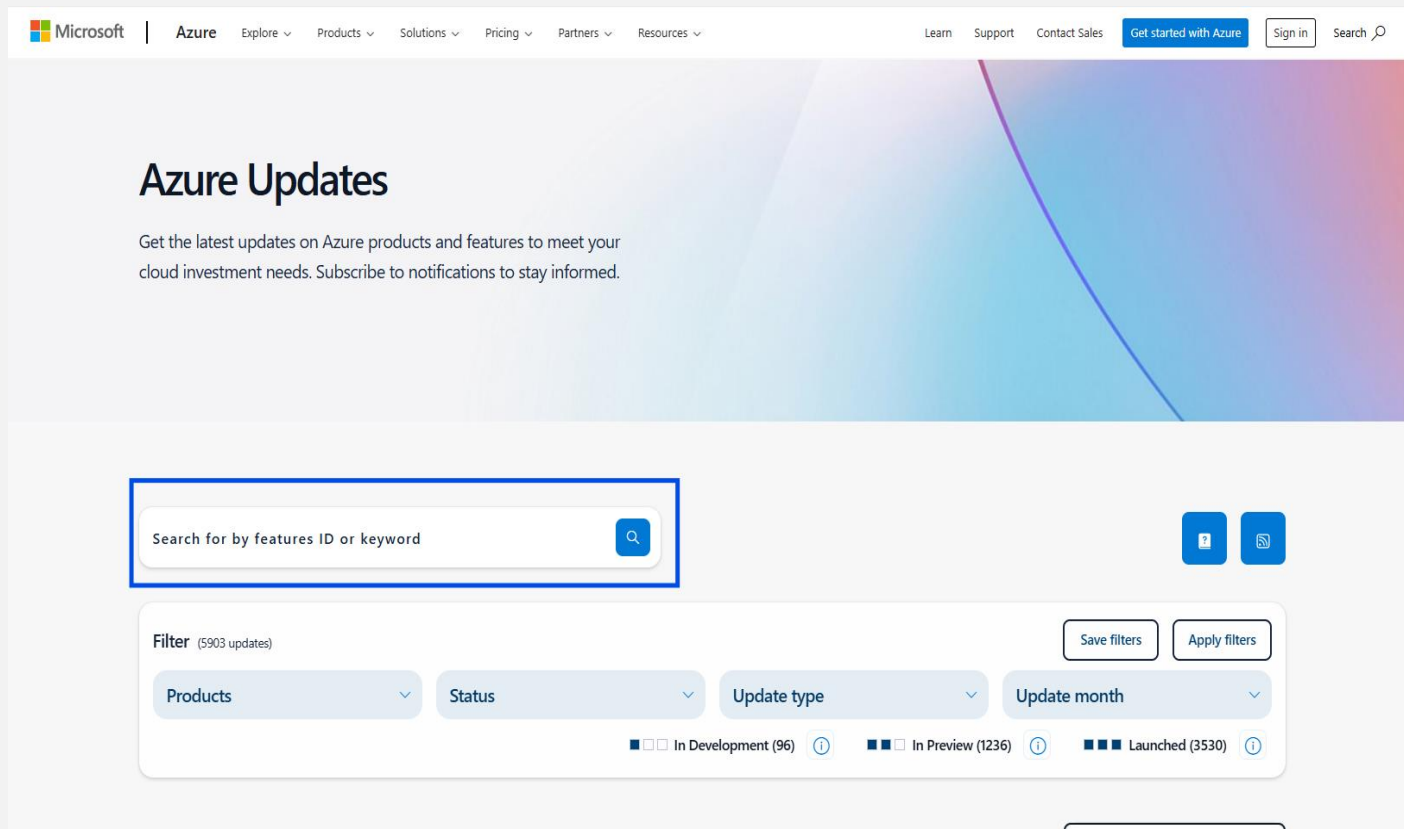
With dozens of apps and services across Azure, it can be challenging to keep up with what's new and what's coming soon

That's where the Azure Updates comes in

Azure Updates is the central location for IT professionals, business decision makers, and anyone else who's interested, to see what's coming

Search

Find features by typing in a product, keyword, or feature ID into the search bar



Search tips:

- Tags can be used in search and are also filter options
- Keywords, such as “policy” or “security”, that might be found in the description can be used in search

Feature cards

Features are displayed on expandable “feature cards”

101 services at FedRAMP High as Azure Government continues expanding capacity

Archive Storage

Azure Blueprints

Cloud Shell

AI Enrichment

Azure Stack Edge

Azure Data Explorer

Azure Database Migration Service

Azure Dedicated HSM

Azure Firewall

Azure Managed Applications

Azure Resource Graph

Azure Stream Analytics

Microsoft Cost Management

Network Watcher

Azure AI Speech

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172 Azure offerings achieve HITRUST certification

Today we're announcing Microsoft Azure has increased the scope of its HITRUST CSF certification to include 172 Azure offerings across 49 Azure regions. Azure's HITRUST certification letters are available on the [Service Trust Portal](#) and include the full list of HITRUST CSF certified Azure offerings and regions.

Azure has partnered with the HITRUST Alliance to deliver the [HITRUST Shared Responsibility Matrix for Microsoft Azure](#). Azure customers can leverage Azure's HITRUST CSF certification to inherit controls and apply them to their own assessments.

Azure customers can also accelerate their HITRUST CSF deployments by using [Azure's HITRUST Blueprint](#). This blueprint helps customers deploy a core set of policies by defining a repeatable set of standards, patterns, and requirements enforced across Azure resources.

Azure ID

172-azure-offerings-achieve-hitrust-certification

Product Categories(s)

Deprecated

Update Types(s)

Compliance

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Azure expands HITRUST certification across 51 Azure regions

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Feature cards

Expand the feature card to explore more details such as feature ID, description, status, etc.

Sort feature cards by products, status or update type

And by newest to oldest, or oldest to newest

Filter (7935 updates) Save filters Apply filters

Products ▼ Status ▼ Update type ▼ New or updated ▼

■ ■ ■ In Development (128) i ■ ■ ■ In Preview (2452) i ■ ■ ■ Now available i

Support for Azure Machine Learning Explanation and Fairness Dashboards is ending on 14 March 2025 ■ ■ ■ LAUNCHED +
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App Center

Visual Studio App Center is scheduled for retirement on March 31, 2025.

After that date it will not be possible to sign in with your user account nor make API calls. App Center will continue to be supported until March 31, 2025, with critical bug fixes and technical support.

Go to [Microsoft Learn](#) for additional information about the App Center retirement, and alternative solutions.

Azure ID: visual-studio-app-center-retirement Product Categories(s): Deprecated Update Types(s): Retirements

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Feature status

Feature cards are easy to expand or collapse depending on the level of details you want to see

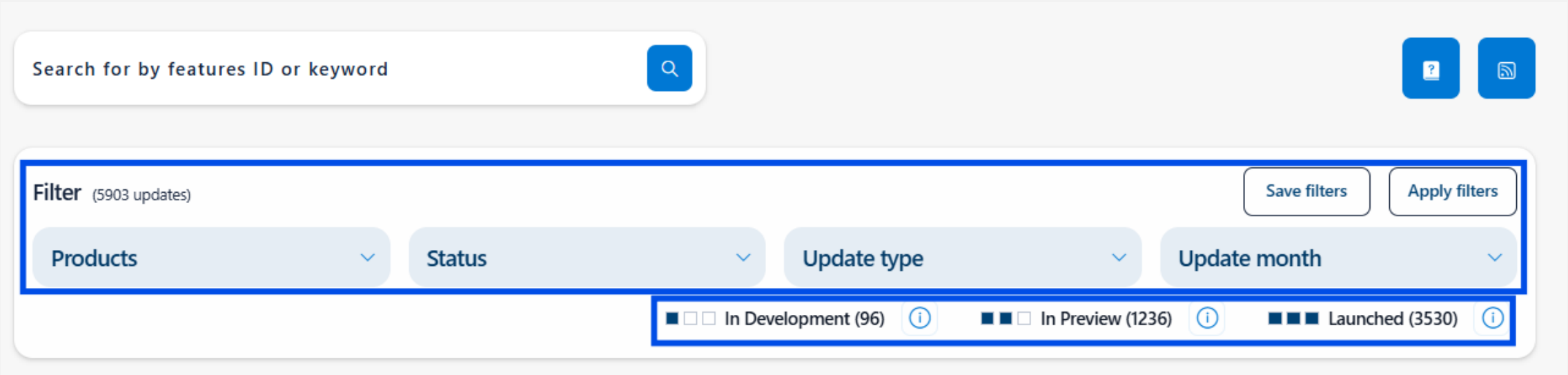
Tags are organized by category (Azure ID, Product Categories, Update Type)

Filters

Selecting filters

Narrow down feature cards by setting filters – Product, Status, Update type, or Update month

When a filter is selected, you will see filter selections listed out above the status bar



Filters

Products

A list of [Azure Updates products](#), sorted alphabetically

If multiple products are selected, results will show all features tagged with any of the selected products

Update type

Where applicable, features will be tagged with an Update type:

- Compliance
- Features
- Management
- Pricing and Offering
- Gallery
- Region and Datacenters
- Services
- Retirement
- Security
- Open Source
- Ignite

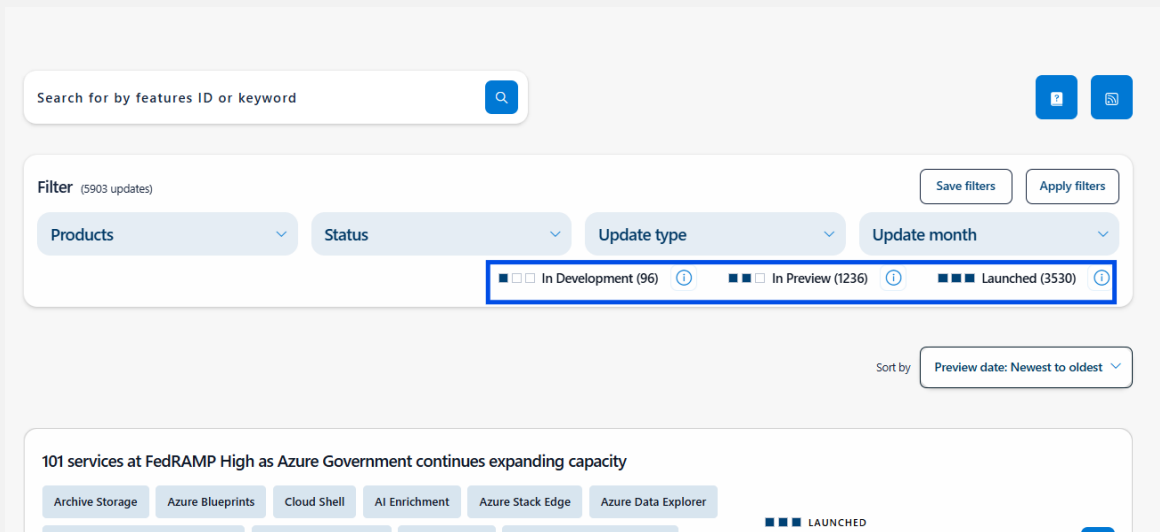
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Status

Each feature is assigned a status which is updated over the lifecycle of the feature

Features can be filtered by status

Each card will show a visual representation of its status



Here's how we define each of these statuses:

Status	Description
In Development/ In Preview	The feature is currently in development and testing, and may be available to some customers who have elected to participate in a preview program
Launched	The feature is available to all applicable customers

Sort

Filter (8192 updates)

Products

Status

Update type

New or updated

In development (119)

In preview (2534)

Launched (4068)

Save filters

Apply filters

Sort by

Recently Modified: Newest to oldest

Sort by

Recently Modified: Newest to oldest

RECENTLY MODIFIED

Newest to oldest

Oldest to newest

Sorting by date

Each feature can be sorted by the recently modified date (i.e. Newest to oldest, Oldest to newest)

RSS feed

For entire page

Subscribe to updates for all features on the site, straight to your Outlook or RSS reader



For a single feature

Click the RSS icon on an individual feature to follow only the updates of that feature

Follow the directions from your RSS reader to optimize your experience

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Search for by features ID or keyword



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Share a link

Select a Specific Azure Updates Post

Expand the feature card, then click the link button to copy and share

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Email a link

To a single feature

The envelope icon within a specific feature listing will open the mail app with a link to the feature in the body of the mail

Azure Spatial Anchors Retirement

As the needs of our customers evolve, we regularly update our product lineup to best support them. From time to time, this includes introducing technical innovations and retiring products.

Please note that Azure Spatial Anchors (ASA) will be retired on **November 20, 2024**.

Microsoft continues to invest in developing robust spatial computing technologies and platforms. We are actively working on expanding our spatial computing capabilities to meet industrial scale and performance.

To learn more about the next generation of our spatial computing platform, please reach out to mejabi@microsoft.com.




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Azure Synapse Runtime for Apache Spark 3.2 End of Support

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