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## 10 ways to reduce you Azure bill

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- 1 Move to reserved instances and prepay for resources for a discount
- 2 Switch resources off when they are not being used
- 3 Right-size machines / resources
- 4 Understand your spending by using billing portal, power BI or 3<sup>rd</sup> party tools
- 5 Use Auto-scaling to reduce costs during off peak hours
- 6 Make use of Azure PaaS services as an alternative to deploying VM's on IaaS
- 7 Use cold data storage (for infrequently accessed data)
- 8 Make use of SQL elastic pools
- 9 Delete unused managed and classic disks
- 10 Fine tune application and database performance