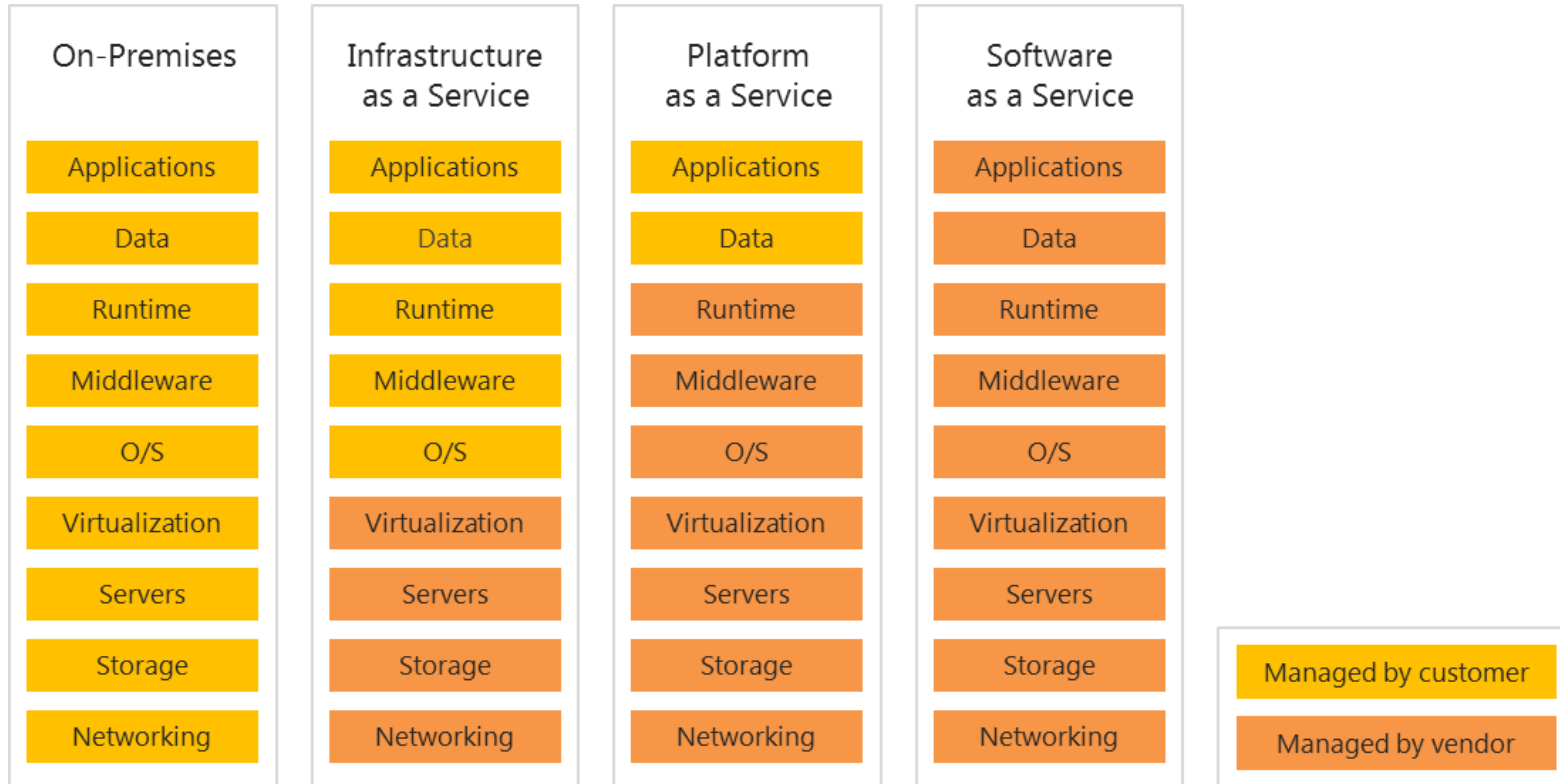




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# Azure Spot instances as your secret weapon

# Cloud



# Azure VMs

VM vs. VMSS

Pay-as-you-go vs. reserved

AHB, Dev/Test

Spot

# Azure VMs

Storage (disks)

IP

Traffic

Image

# Azure Spot VM

Unused capacity

Interruptible workloads

Capacity, Price

Price history and eviction rate

# Azure Spot VM

Dev/test environment, CI/CD

HPC, batch processing

Big data, analytics, large-scale stateless apps

# Scheduled Events



<http://169.254.169.254/metadata/scheduledevents?api-version=2020-07-01>

# Azure Spot VM

Enterprise Agreement

Pay-as-you-go offer code (003P)

Sponsored (0036P and 0136P)  
(CSP)

Separate quota



# Azure Spot VM



<https://prices.azure.com/api/retail/prices>

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