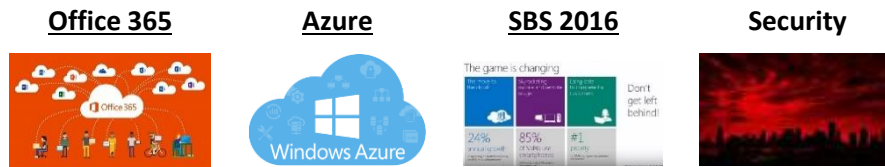


# Cloud - Small Business Server 2012 and 2016

SME (Small and Mediumsized Enterprises) can get a far more efficient, manageable and secure IT by upgrading, migrating and consolidating to the 'Cloud'. Many enterprises save money by getting rid of their old and expensive IT solutions. It can even finance the innovation. (See the links.)



Small Business Server (SBS) still exists. SBS can be made on any Windows 2019, 2016 and 2012 Server by activating the server role 'Essentials Experience'. SBS 2012/16/19 and are ideal for enterprises and departments that want control over their intranet and local storage of their vital data. SBS can also integrate with Cloud services, like Office 365 and Azure – or with their own virtual intranet with Exchange, SQL, SharePoint server etc. SBS is a 'State of the Art' solution – that is a pre-configured windows server with user-friendly administration consol. It helps to minimize waste of time, resources and money. A SBS has:

- ✓ Easy standardization of the PCs to a joint workplace and domain
- ✓ Portals, internal and to Office 365, with Remote Web Access
- ✓ Office 365 (and Exchange) e-mail, calendars, contacts and Skype
- ✓ Easy access to Azure Backup, AD, updates and virtualization
- ✓ Easy internal support by use of 'health status' for the infrastructure
- ✓ Local backup and recovery for documents, files, PCs and servers
- ✓ Essential Experience is very inexpensive for SME until 25 users.

Click to see the pictures: 1 'Activating SBS Essentials', 2 'SBS domain' and 3 'SBS Cloud services'.



Click to see the videos: 1 'SBS Essentials overview', 2 'How to configurate' and 3 'How to install'.



Larger enterprises, with over 100 users should consider hybrid solutions with several servers instead.

SME can also choose a national hosting partner with [Azure Stack](#) to ensure that their virtual servers stays in their nation and not abroad. For example, a SME can have its own SBS 2016 domain in Azure with their own database, SharePoint/OneDrive and/or Exchange server with Outlook and Skype for Business.



Large enterprises, both private and public, as well as the public sector, should now consider to purchase their own Azure Stack. It provides full Azure functionality in their own server-rack, that is installed locally – and not in a Microsoft Cloud. It eliminates the national judicial obstacles and the hazardous internet.

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