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# Microsoft Azure Legal Information

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The [Product Terms](#) details the availability, use terms, and privacy/security commitments for Microsoft Products and Services, including Azure.

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The [Service Level Agreements](#) describe commitments around uptime and connectivity for Azure.

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