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Top security and governance concerns about generative AI

Data oversharing
and data leaks

80%

of leaders cited leakage of sensitive data as their main concern¹

Identification of
risky AI use

41%

of security leaders cited that the identification of risky users based on queries into AI was one of the top AI controls they want to implement²

AI governance and
risk visibility

84%

Want to feel more confident about managing and discovering data input into AI apps and tools²

1. First Annual Generative AI study: Business Rewards vs. Security Risks, Q3 2023, ISMG, N=400

2. [Microsoft data security index 2024 report](#)

Tools to secure and govern your AI use



Address oversharing concerns

- Gain visibility into overshared content
- Remediate excessive permissions
- Prevent AI from processing sensitive files

Secure



Protect against data loss and insider risks

- Get alerts and reports of risky behavior and AI use
- Protect sensitive files and interactions
- Dynamically apply security policies based on risky actions



Govern AI use to meet regulations & policies

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- Investigate for compliance and ethical violations
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Tools to secure and govern your Copilot use



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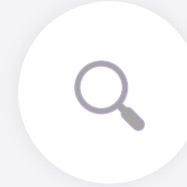
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Prepare data for AI by ensuring correct access to files

What is oversharing?



Copilot + Agents only access data that an individual user is authorized to access



Oversharing happens when an employee has access to information beyond what is necessary to do their job

What causes oversharing?



Accidentally saving a file to a location with broad access permissions



A user sharing content with someone who should not have access



Files do not have access protections

Gain visibility into overshared content

Identify potentially overshared sites and files



Sites and files with sensitive data



Data shared broadly



Frequently accessed data

Prioritize highest impact risks

Risk assessment

High Risk

Medium Risk

Low Risk

Example

A site contains documents with credit card numbers



Everyone in the organization can access the site's content



575 unique users accessed the site's content last week



High Risk: Prioritize remediation

Remediate excessive permissions and apply oversharing protections



Prepare

Fix existing oversharing risks

- Restrict user and/or Copilot + Agent access to risky sites while remediating identified oversharing risks
- Act on policy suggestions to mitigate oversharing risks
- Prevent Copilot + Agents from processing certain sensitive files and from using them in responses if required
- Remove organization-wide site access as needed



Operate

Monitor for new oversharing risks

- Get notifications when new oversharing occurs with options for remediation
- Further secure sensitive data through file level access controls and Data Loss Prevention policies
- Improve Copilot+ Agent responses by archiving or deleting unneeded content

For detailed guidance see: aka.ms/Copilot/OversharingBlueprintLearn

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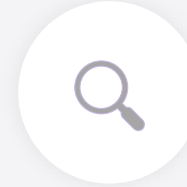
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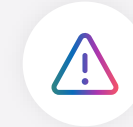
What is data loss and insider risk?



Data loss and insider risks may occur without Copilot + Agent use. The productivity benefits of these tools create opportunities for these risks to happen with less effort



Data loss is when unsafe or inappropriate sharing, transfer, or use of sensitive content occurs



Insider risk involves users misusing their authorized access to cause harm. This misuse may be intentional or unintentional

What causes data loss and insider risks?



Copilot or an Agent creates documents that aren't protected by default, because the inputs weren't protected



Using Copilot or an Agent to access or summarize sensitive data in a way that violates usage guidelines



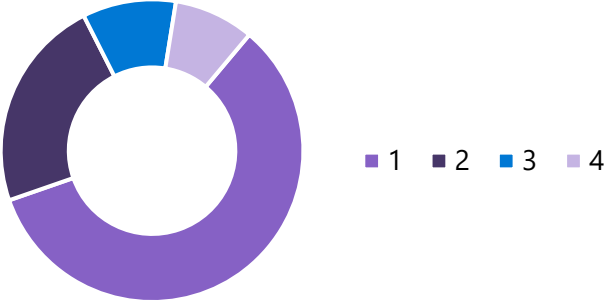
A user's credentials are compromised, and the bad actor uses Copilot or an Agent to access sensitive data



An employee has resigned, wants to keep company IP, and uses Copilot or an Agent to quickly find the most relevant content

Get alerts and reports of risky behavior and AI use

Sensitive interactions



■ 1 ■ 2 ■ 3 ■ 4

Unlabeled files
1,275

Unlabeled sites
328

View reports of sensitive data and unprotected files referenced in Copilot + Agent interactions

⚠ Prompt injection attack

View details

Escalate

Investigate

Get alerted to risky AI use, such as an attempted prompt injection attack

AI interaction: Copilot in Word

Prompt text

Response text

Resources accessed

- Linked file [sensitivity label]
- Linked file [sensitivity label]

View prompt and response text and referenced files

Proactive alerts, real time reports, and visibility to possible risks

Protect sensitive files and Copilot interactions

Document contains **sensitive merger information**



Auto-label as **Mergers and acquisitions**

Detect when content contains sensitive data and auto-apply protections

Copilot, please summarize **Merger document.docx**



Here is the summary of your document...



Copilot, create a new document with this summary



Copilot response and Copilot created documents inherit sensitivity labels and protections

Admin creates policy to prevent Copilot access for files labeled as **Mergers and acquisitions**

Copilot, please summarize **Merger document.docx**



This document is currently protected, so I can't provide details about its content

Optionally, block Copilot access to sensitive files

Protect files even if they are moved or downloaded

Dynamically apply security policies based on risky actions

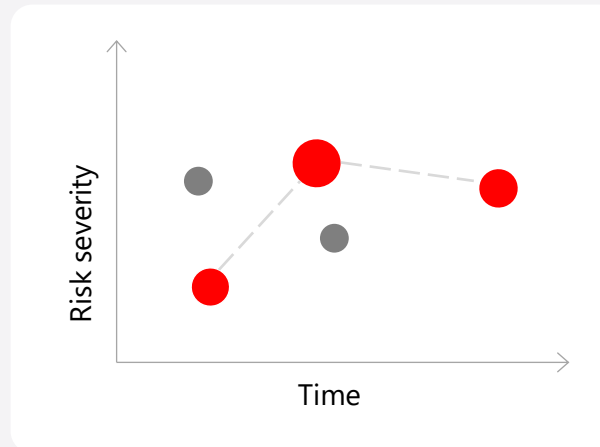
A user performs a series of risky actions



Actions deviate from usual pattern of behavior

- Has a series of risky interactions via Copilot or an Agent
- Downloads 100s of files containing sensitive data

Identifies the sequence of events as a risky pattern



Uses AI for risk analysis

Automatically adds the user to more strict security policies



Block actions until investigated

- Can't access content in sensitive sites
- Prevent sharing or downloading content
- Block from deleting content

Balance productivity and risk mitigation

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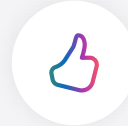
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What is Copilot + Agent governance?



Governance supports Copilot + Agent use in adherence to your organization's policies and regulatory requirements



Governance is enforced by a set of compliance and management controls for the safe and effective use of AI



It includes the option to include interactions in existing compliance, management, and legal processes alongside other types of Microsoft 365 content

Why you need Copilot + Agent governance



Configure admin controls to support compliance with a specific AI regulatory framework, such as EU AI Act, NIST AI Risk Management Framework



Limit exposure from misuse by identifying issues early and mitigating them quickly



Increase Copilot + Agent response quality by limiting its access to outdated information



Keep or delete AI generated content according to your risk management preferences

Audit interactions, enforce lifecycle policies and legal holds

AI interaction: Copilot in Word Audit log entry

Date/time

User

Detailed event data

And more

Audit Copilot + Agent interactions to access detailed log information

Retain for 6 months then delete

Copilot interaction

Delete after 90 days

Meeting recording and transcript



Enforce retention and deletion policies for interactions and meeting recordings + transcripts



Legal hold

Include a user's Copilot and Agent prompts and responses in a legal hold

Investigate for compliance and ethical violations



Copyright violation
Insider trading
Corporate sabotage
Regulatory collusion
And more

Receive an alert if a possible compliance or ethical violation occurs and start an investigation



Perform an admin search for litigation or an investigation and include Copilot and Agent generated content

EU AI Act
NIST AI Risk Management Framework
ISO standards 42001 and 23894

Assess and track adherence to regulatory frameworks

Shadow AI

Mitigate Shadow AI risks with governance

What is Shadow AI and what are the risks?



Employees are excited to try Generative AI apps due to productivity benefits. Sometimes, they will use apps that are not sanctioned nor managed by IT



Left unchecked, sensitive data (e.g. PII, Intellectual Property) might be shared with "Shadow AI" apps, creating risk of leakage, malicious use, or use to train 3rd party algorithms



Monitoring Shadow AI can help uncover use in the business and manage security, privacy, and compliance risks

How to discover and govern Shadow AI use?



Gaining visibility on Shadow AI apps on the corporate environment (endpoints, network)



Understand the security & compliance risks of the specific cloud AI apps against a common benchmark (GDPR, SOC reports, etc)

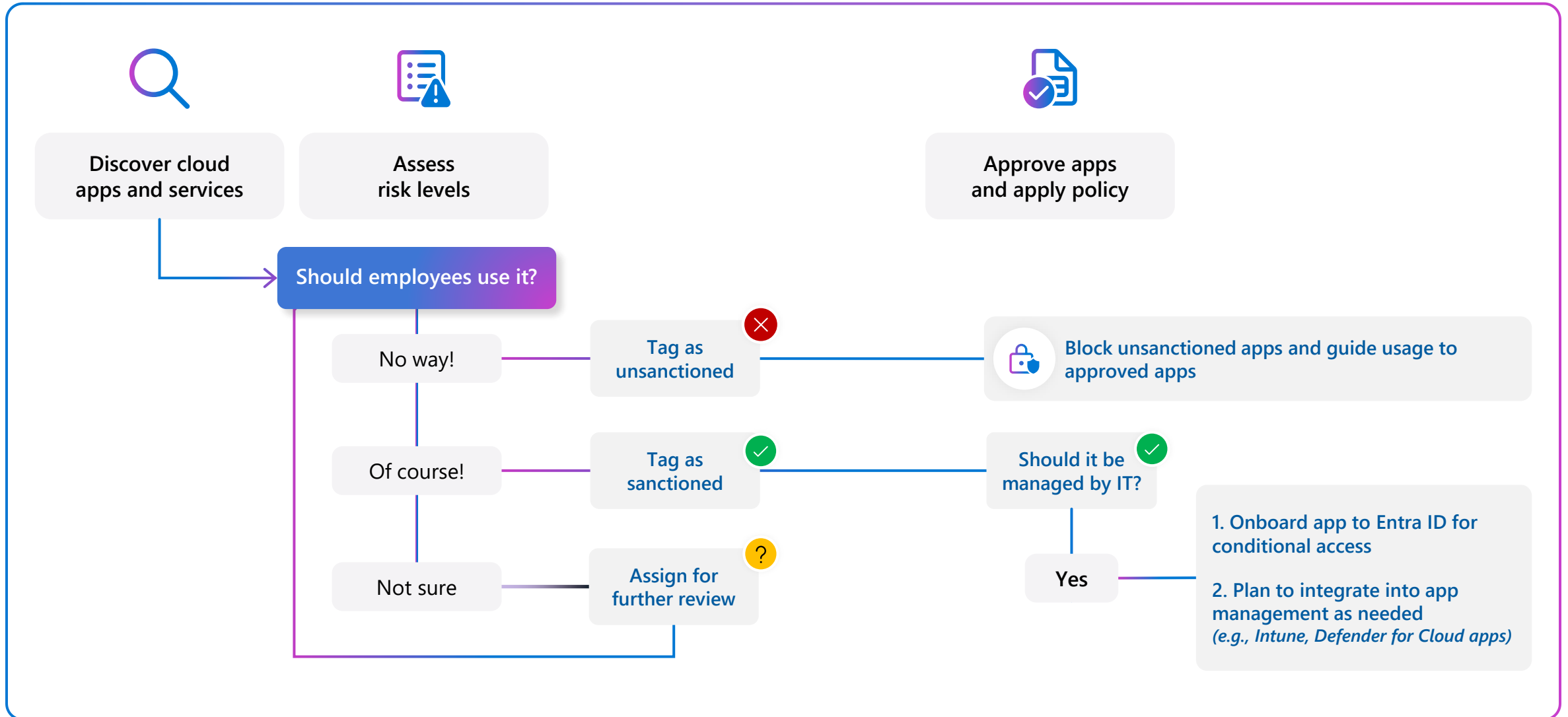


Audit & automatically block unsanctioned apps, while managing relevant apps with IT security

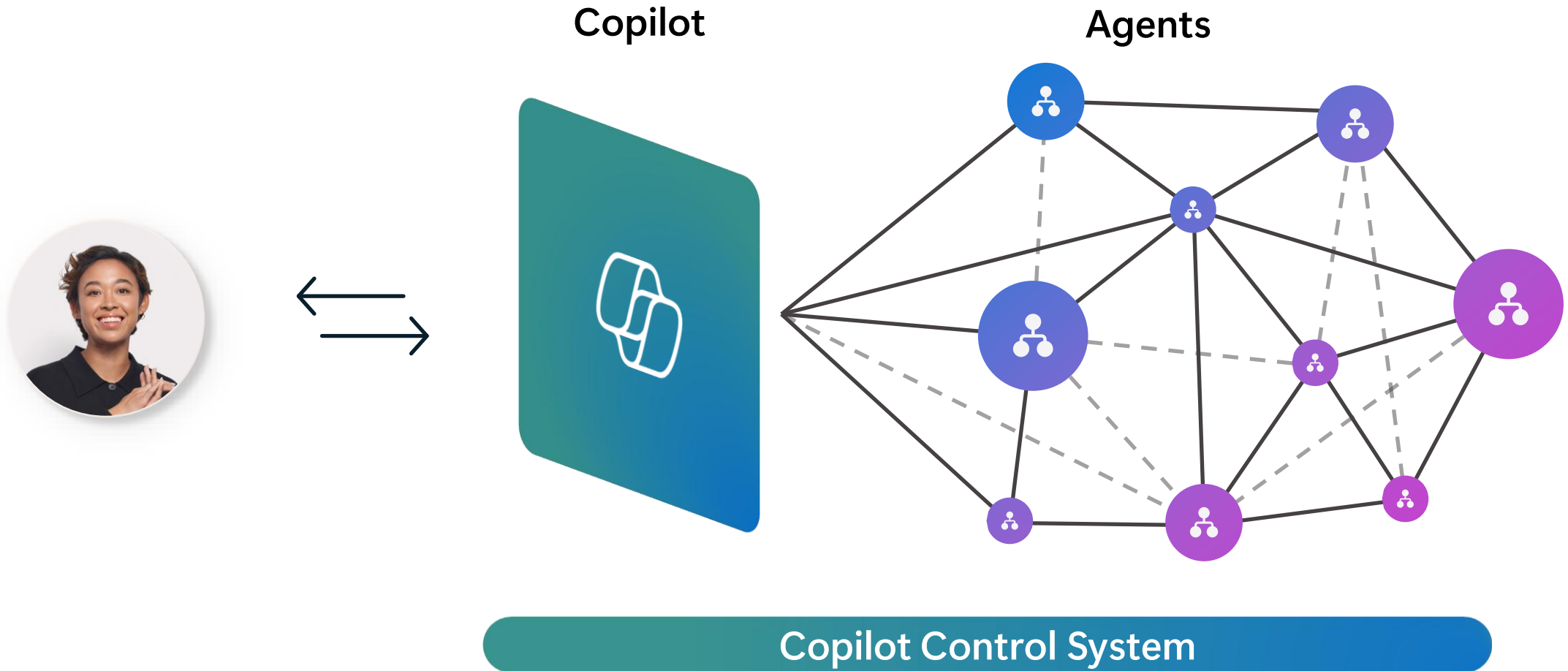


Enhance protection on managed apps by applying data classification best practices

Discover and manage apps in your environment



Copilot is the UI for AI





Microsoft
commitments
and controls



Microsoft 365
Copilot is built
on trust



Tools to manage
Copilot + agents

Microsoft commitments and controls



We secure your data
at rest and in transit



You control your
data



Your data is not used
to train or enrich
foundation models



You're protected
against AI security and
copyright risks¹



**Microsoft 365
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¹ [Learn more about the Customer Copyright Commitment](#)

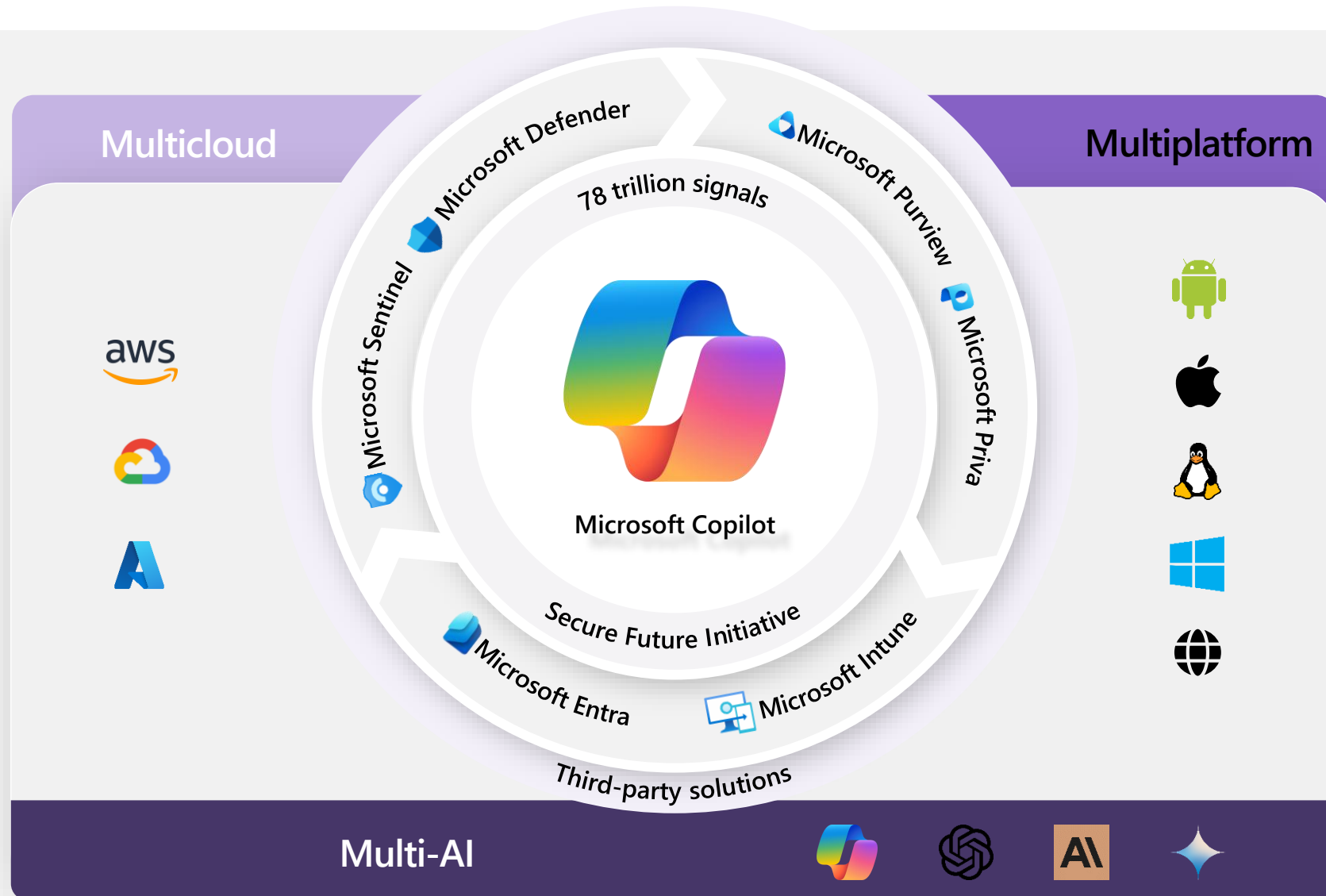
Copilot – Compliance Certifications

1. Our other ISO certifications cover ISO 9001 clauses, as stated in customer-facing footnote. So far, we haven't seen customer demand for ISO 9001 certification, which focuses on quality management systems. If we see demand for ISO 9001, we can then plan and resource accordingly.

2. Microsoft 365 Copilot and Chat in the GCCH environment meet the bar of FedRAMP High controls. Microsoft is working towards FedRAMP High certification.

● Included	Microsoft 365 Copilot & Chat
SOC2 Type 1	●
SOC2 Type 2	In Progress
ISO 27001	●
ISO 27017	●
ISO 27018	●
ISO 27701	●
ISO 9001	N/A ¹
ISO 42001	●
CSA STAR	●
GDPR	●
CCPA	●
HIPAA	●
FedRAMP High	In Progress ²
BSI C5	●

AI-first end-to-end security for the age of AI



Copilot Control System



Copilot + Agents



Security & Governance

Data security
AI security
Compliance & privacy



Management Controls

Copilot licensing
Agent lifecycle
Customization



Measurement & Reporting

Readiness and adoption
Productivity impact
Business value & ROI



Copilot + Agents



Microsoft Purview

Secure

Honors your existing permissions

Protects against data loss and insider risk

Assess oversharing risks and apply recommended corrections

Govern

Supports your lifecycle policies and audit requirements

Detect and investigate non-compliant and unethical usage

Guided assistance to remain compliant with AI regulations

A complete solution for enterprise-ready AI

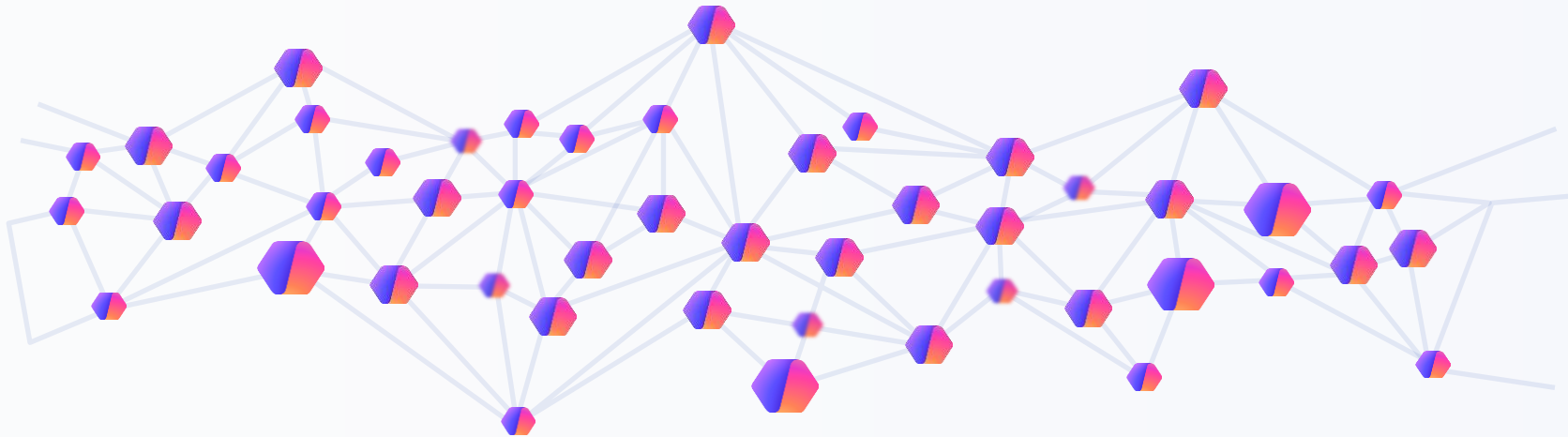


Microsoft Agent 365

The control plane for agents

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Observe



Govern



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Gain visibility into agents in your environment, understand how they're used, and act quickly on performance, behavior, and risk signals before they impact the business.

Microsoft 365 admin center

Home > All agents

All agents

Monitor and manage agents powered by Microsoft Entra in your organization. [Manage in Entra ID](#) | [Learn more about managing agents](#)

Map Registry Requests Catalog

Total agents: **21,762** | Agents at risk: **4** | Ownerless agents: **8** | Blocked agents: **23**

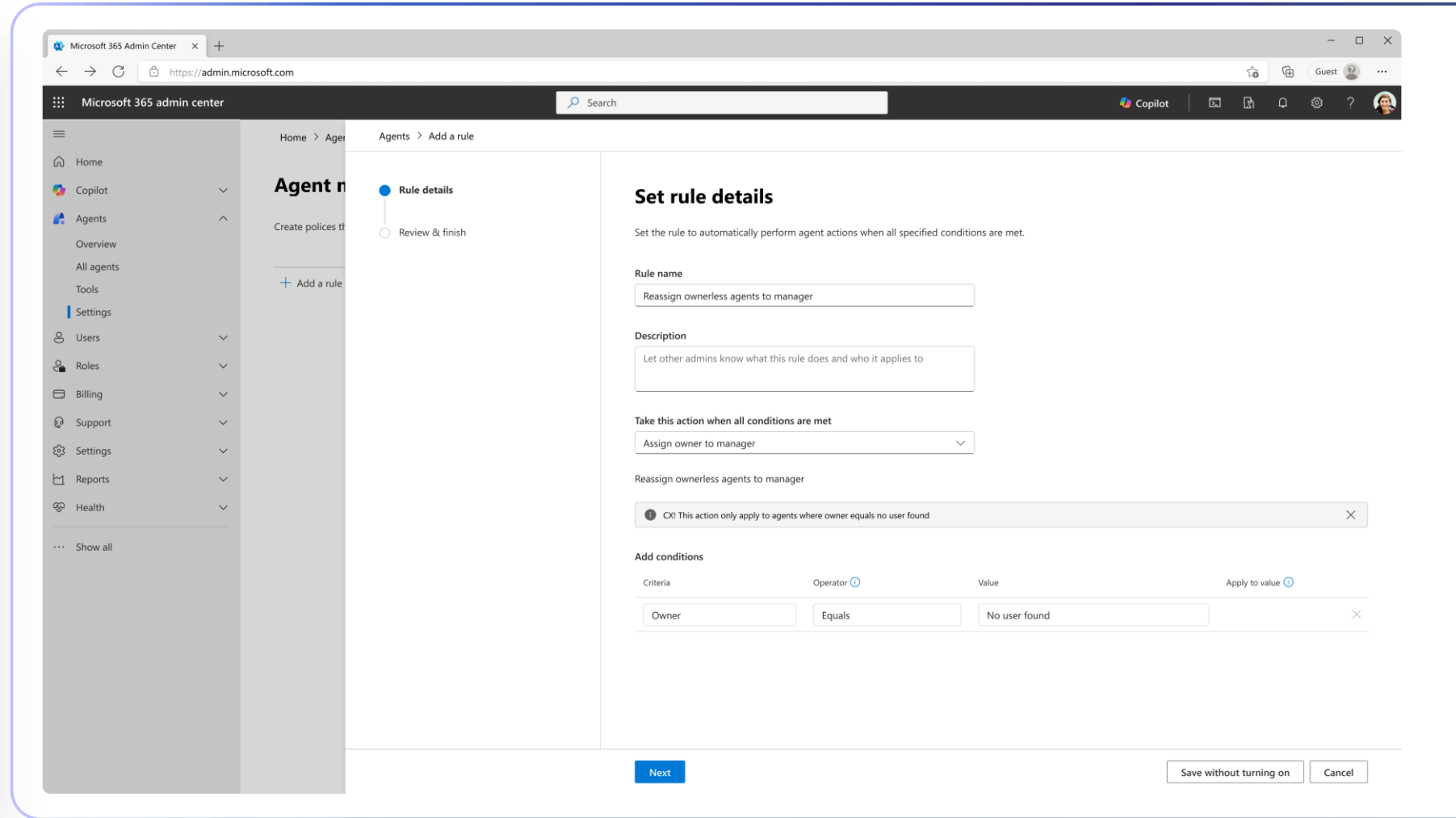
Upload agent | Export to Excel | Pin for users | 21,762 items | Choose columns | Search

Filters: Publisher Availability Channel Platform Acquired from

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Availability	Risks	Active users (30 days)	Total sessions (30 days)	Exception rate (30 days)	Assisted hours (30 days)	Last updated
<input type="checkbox"/>	Zava Fabric Supplier Foundry	🟢 All users	0	642	3,056	10%	2,543	Mar 1, 2026
<input type="checkbox"/>	Finance Data Analysis Foundry	🟢 All users	0	746	2,945	12%	3,598	Mar 1, 2026
<input type="checkbox"/>	Zava Supplier Agent Copilot Studio - Lite	🟢 Some users	🚩 1 alert	956	3,600	10%	52	Mar 1, 2026
<input type="checkbox"/>	Customer Billing Agent Cuopilot Studio - Full	🟢 Some users	🚩 2 alerts	1,203	2,563	5%	945	Mar 3, 2026
<input type="checkbox"/>	Researcher Microsoft	🟢 Some users	0	15	1,299	2%	200	Mar 4, 2026
<input type="checkbox"/>	Genspark Genspark	⚪ Not activated	0	—	—	—	—	Mar 4, 2026
<input type="checkbox"/>	Manus Manus Inc.	🟢 Some users	0	104	1,090	4%	1,798	Mar 7, 2026
<input type="checkbox"/>	n8n Published by your org	🟢 All users	0	391	3,295	2%	963	Mar 7, 2026

Govern

Establish guardrails for agents and people, onboard agents with IT oversight, and govern agent access to resources and data. Be audit ready with built-in compliance and data retention.



Secure

Secure agent identities, control access to resources, prevent data oversharing and leaks, and defend against threats and vulnerabilities with enterprise-grade security solutions.

The screenshot displays the Microsoft Defender AI Agents console. The main view shows a list of incidents for the 'Customer Billing Agent'. The table below summarizes the visible incidents:

Incident name	Incident ID	Priority score	Severity	Assigned to
Collection incident involving one user	2356358	93	Critical	Unassigned
Persistent Jailbreak Attempts on Copilot AI A...		96		Unassigned
AI agent tool invocation blocked by Microso...		90		Unassigned
Multi-stage incident involving initial access & Co...	1134731	84	Medium	#Phishing_Triage_Agent_id
Multi-stage incident involving Execution & Later...	2356377	56	Low	Unassigned
Jailbreak Attempt in a Copilot Studio Agent...		44		Unassigned
Compromised user account identified throu...		43		Unassigned
AI Agent Tool Invocation Blocked by Microsoft D...	23575642	22	Informational	#Phishing_Triage_Agent_id
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The right-hand pane provides a detailed view of the 'Collection incident involving one user' (Incident ID: 2356358). Key details include:

- Priority assessment:** 93. This incident is ranked as top priority and requires immediate attention.
- Incident details:**
 - Assigned to: Unassigned
 - Classification: Not set
 - First activity: Feb 25, 2026 2:41 AM
 - Last activity: Feb 28, 2026 10:11 PM
 - Incident description: Microsoft Defender blocked a tool invocation attempt initiated by the AI agent. Error message: Tool invocation is blocked by Suspicious tool usage detection. Tool name: Send-an-email--V2-Agent...
- Incident recommended actions:** (Section header visible)
- Automated investigation:** (Section header visible)



Microsoft Agent 365

The control plane for agents

Observe

Monitor and manage agents in real time

- Registry
- Agent maps
- Agent analytics
- Role-specific oversight

Govern

Govern agents throughout their lifecycle

- Agent onboarding
- Access and integration governance
- Lifecycle management
- Audit and logging
- Data compliance

Secure

Protect all agents across your enterprise

- Access control
- Data security
- Threat protection

The best way to manage agents is to **extend infrastructure** you use for managing users.



Microsoft 365 Admin Center

Centralized hub to manage users, apps, and settings securely across your Microsoft 365 environment.



Microsoft Defender

Extend comprehensive security posture and advanced threat protection to agents.



Microsoft Entra

Protect agent identities, and secure their access to any app or resource, from anywhere.



Microsoft Purview

Manage, protect and govern data that agents use and create across your entire organization.

Secure and govern M365 Copilot + Agents with confidence



Prepare your environment and implement Zero Trust strategy for secure M365 Copilot + Agents adoption



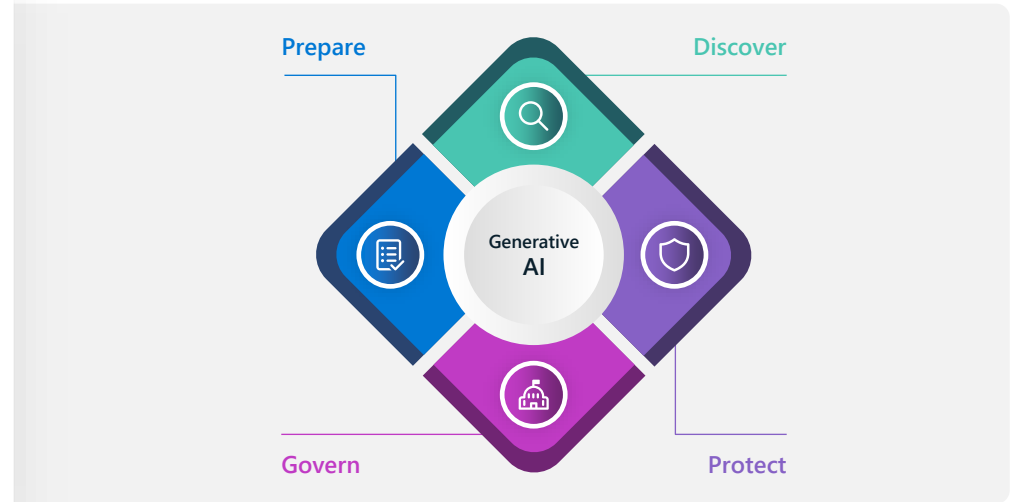
Discover security, privacy, and safety risks with comprehensive visibility



Protect against emerging threats and safeguard sensitive data with end-to-end security



Govern M365 Copilot + Agents usage and systems to comply with code-of-conduct and regulatory policies



Take the Security for AI Assessment



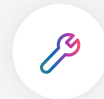
Gain Clarity

on how your security posture aligns with your M365 Copilot + Agents initiatives.



Identify Key Gaps

that could impact your M365 Copilot + Agents transformation.



Receive Tailored Recommendations

to strengthen your M365 Copilot + Agents security strategy.



Download Your Full Report

to share findings and align your team.



Keep the Momentum Going

with expert guidance and next steps.

Thank you!