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Automate governance of environments with AWS Control Tower

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Agenda

- AWS Control Tower deployment/setup
- AWS Control Tower overview
- Hands-on lab: <https://controltower.aws-management.tools>
- Next steps

AWS Control Tower setup



AWS Control Tower deployment/setup

- AWS account (required): In order to launch AWS Control Tower, create a brand-new AWS account – this will be the AWS Control Tower Management Account
 - Launch Amazon EC2 to test the account – [Instructions to launch Amazon EC2](#)
- Launch/setup AWS Control Tower:
 - From the AWS Management Console, launch AWS Control Tower using the AWS account created in step #1
 - The setup of AWS Control Tower requires 2 emails for the audit and logging accounts created by AWS Control Tower
 - Launch/setup AWS Control Tower – [Instructions to launch AWS Control Tower](#)
- Credit is provided for the resources created during the lab

Credits

- \$25 promotional credit provided for each attendee
- You can apply credit to only one AWS account (payer account)
- You can redeem credit in an existing account or a new AWS account that you created today
- More Information: aws.amazon.com/awscredits

AWS Control Tower overview



AWS Control Tower: A self-service solution to automate the setup of new AWS multi-account environments



AWS-managed-service
version of multi-account
environment



Deployment of AWS
best-practice
blueprints and
guardrails

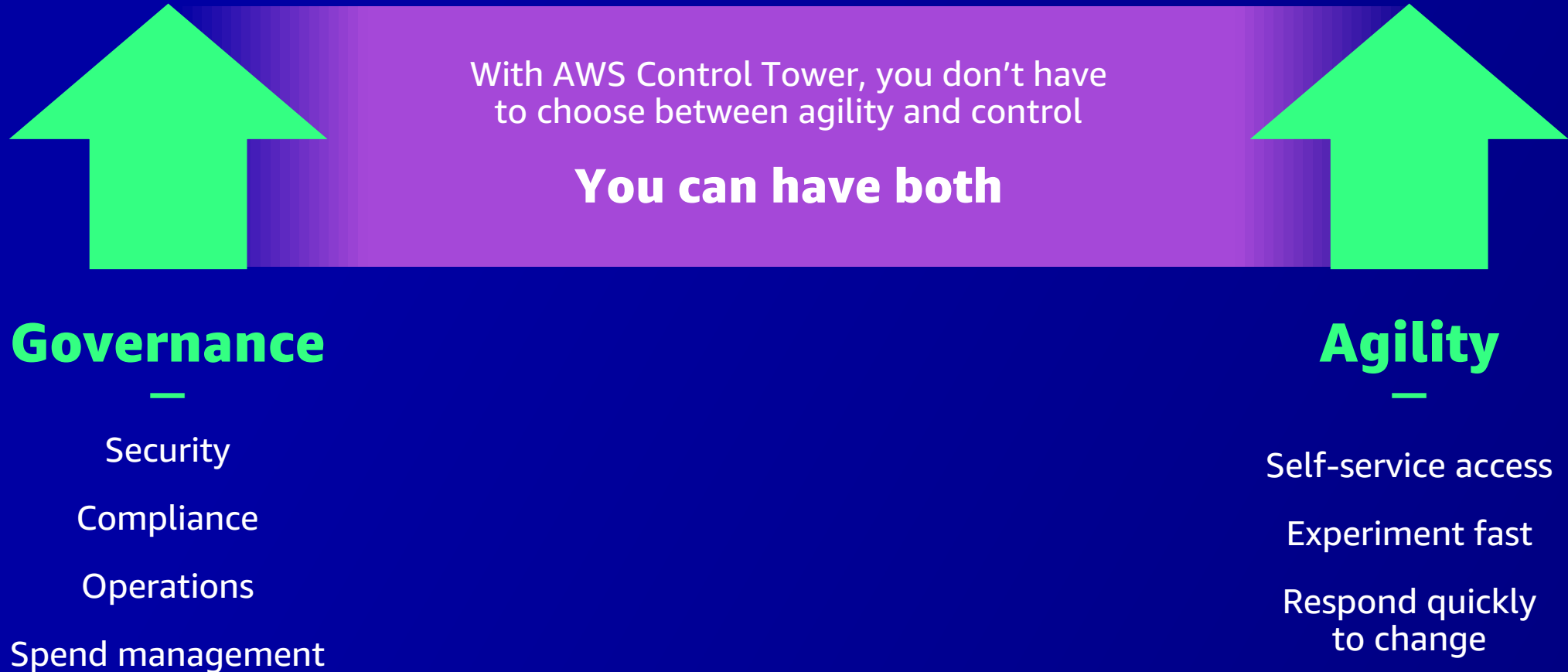


Automated account
creation based on AWS
best practices



Dashboard for
monitoring
compliance status

Business agility and governance control



AWS Control Tower benefits



Automated landing zone with best practice blueprints



AWS best-practice guardrails for policy management



Account factory for account provisioning



Dashboard for visibility and actions



Built-in identity and access management (IAM)



Preconfigured log archive and audit access to accounts

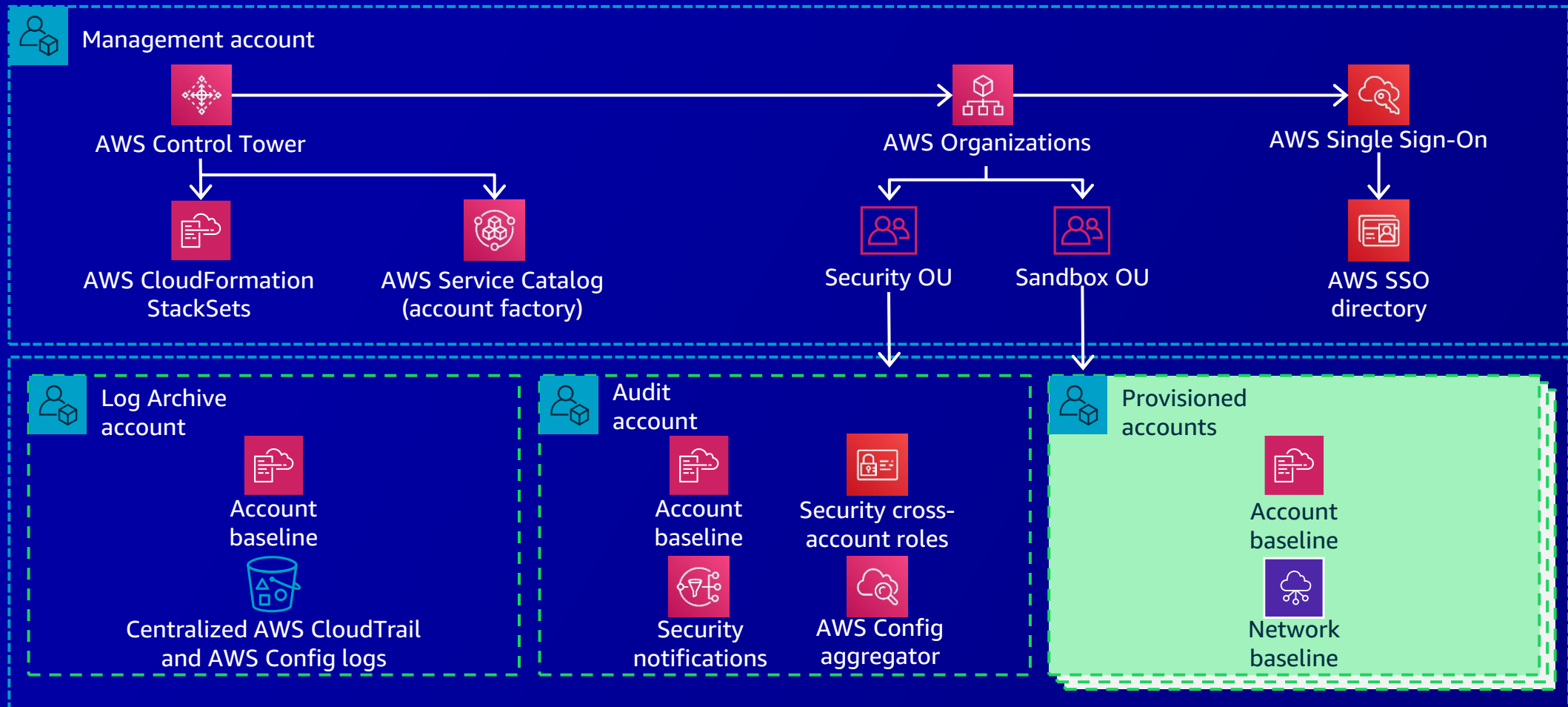


Built-in monitoring and notifications



Extensible with third-party ISV solutions available through AWS Marketplace

AWS Control Tower landing zone foundation

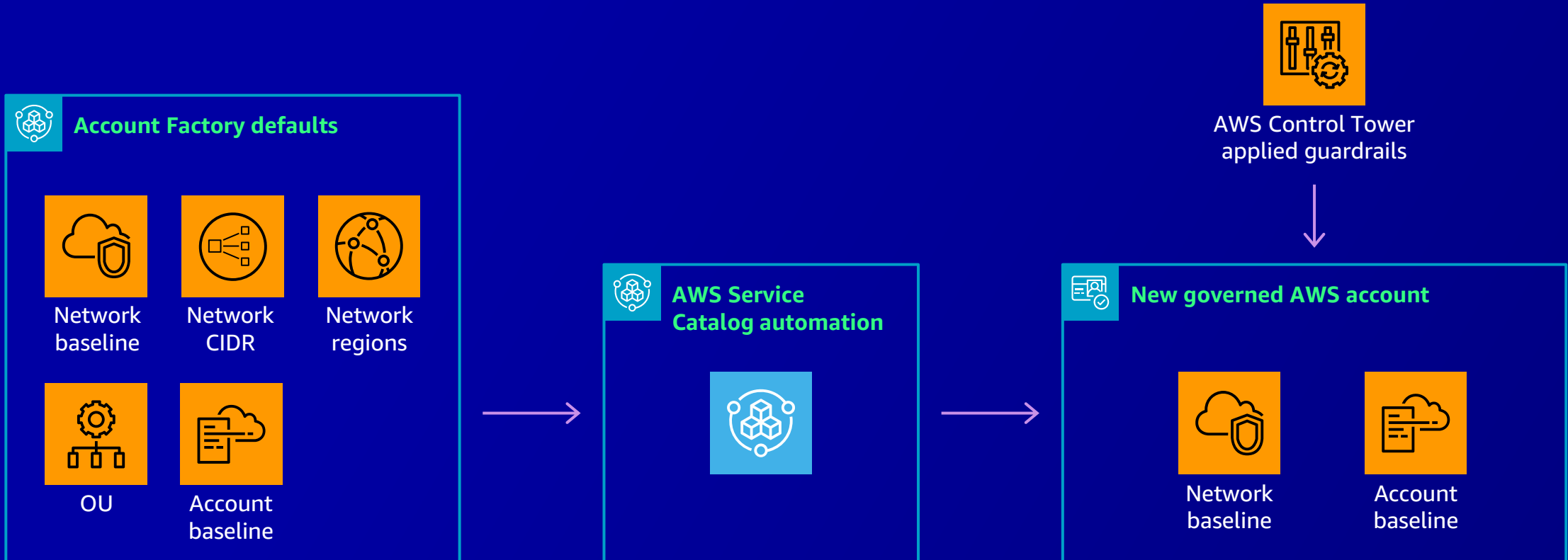


AWS Control Tower orchestrates AWS Single Sign-On to centralize identity and access

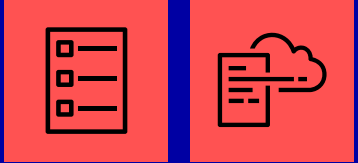


- AWS SSO provides default directory for identity
- AWS SSO also allows federated access management across all accounts in your organization
- Preconfigured groups (such as AWS Control Tower administrators, auditors and AWS Service Catalog end users)
- Preconfigured permission sets (such as admin, read-only, write)
- AWS SSO integrates with third-party IDP (Microsoft Azure AD, Ping, Okta)

Provisioning with AWS Service Catalog: AWS Control Tower Account Factory

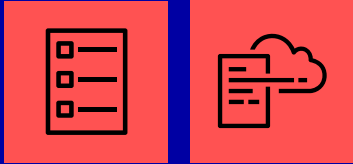


Customizations for AWS Control Tower



- CI/CD pipeline to extend Account Factory
- Keeps resources in sync via CloudFormation StackSets
- Account creation and customization of new or existing accounts
- Customization to meet your procedures

Terraform pipeline to provision and customize accounts in AWS Control Tower

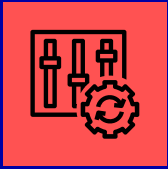


- AWS Control Tower Account Factory for Terraform (AFT)
- AWS Control Tower governance benefits with Terraform-based account provisioning pipeline
- Supports Terraform Cloud, Terraform Enterprise, and Terraform Open Source
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Two types of guardrails: Preventive and detective



Simplify data residency controls with AWS Control Tower

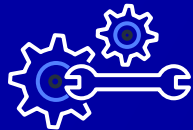


- Limit customer data within geographic locations
- Reduce complexity
- Keep your customer data compliant
- Use purpose-built guardrails
- Set up in minutes

Enhance the AWS Control Tower experience



Scale with superior
visibility and control



Automate operations
with integrated
security services

**Cloud
operations**



Enforce guardrails
for centralized
security



Global security and
compliance controls

**Security
operations**



Centralized
security and
network operations

**Network
operations**

Extend AWS Control Tower with AWS Organizations



Centrally provision resources in a multi-account environment



AWS CloudFormation



AWS Systems Manager



AWS Service Catalog

<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/organizations/>



Share resources and control access to accounts, regions, and services



AWS Personal Health Dashboard



AWS Resource Access Manager



AWS Backup and backup policies



Tag policies



Optimize costs and identify cost-saving measures



AWS Trusted Advisor



AWS Compute Optimizer



AWS Cost Explorer



AWS License Manager



Amazon S3 Storage Lens



Seamlessly integrate with AWS security services



AWS Audit Manager



Amazon GuardDuty



Amazon Cloud Directory



AWS Firewall Manager



Amazon Macie



AWS Security Hub



AWS IAM Access Analyzer



AI/ML Policies



Pricing and availability



Generally available in

- **Americas (Canada, N. Virginia, Ohio, Oregon, Brazil)**
- **APAC (Australia, Singapore, India, Japan, Korea)**
- **EU (Ireland, Germany, England, Sweden, France)**



No additional charge for using AWS Control Tower



Pay only for underlying AWS services (such as AWS Config rules or AWS CloudTrail) that are activated

Hands-on lab



Lab steps

1. Deploy AWS Control Tower in your account (<https://controltower.aws-management.tools/core/overview/>)
2. Create a new organizational unit (OU) (<https://controltower.aws-management.tools/core/accountfactory/>)
3. Apply elective guardrail to the OU (<https://controltower.aws-management.tools/core/accountfactory/>)
4. Create a new AWS account in the OU (<https://controltower.aws-management.tools/core/accountfactory/>)
5. Test the applied guardrail (<https://controltower.aws-management.tools/core/accountfactory/>)
6. Tasks in AWS Control Tower (<https://controltower.aws-management.tools/core/cttasks/>)
7. AWS data residency guardrails (https://controltower.aws-management.tools/security/restrict_regions/)
8. Cleanup resources

Next step



More resources

- Getting [started](#)
- AWS Control Tower [workshops](#)
- Attend an AWS Control Tower activation day held regionally/time-zone based – Contact your account team
- AWS Well-Architected Management and Governance [Lens](#)
- AWS Management and Governance [blog](#)
- AWS Management and Governance [YouTube channel](#)



AWS Control Tower
getting started



AWS Management and
Governance blog



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Thank you!

