

PRIVACY IMPACT ASSESSMENT (PIA)

PRESCRIBING AUTHORITY: DoD Instruction 5400.16, "DoD Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA) Guidance". Complete this form for Department of Defense (DoD) information systems or electronic collections of information (referred to as an "electronic collection" for the purpose of this form) that collect, maintain, use, and/or disseminate personally identifiable information (PII) about members of the public, Federal employees, contractors, or foreign nationals employed at U.S. military facilities internationally. In the case where no PII is collected, the PIA will serve as a conclusive determination that privacy requirements do not apply to system.

1. DOD INFORMATION SYSTEM/ELECTRONIC COLLECTION NAME:

DoW OIG Cloud Azure Tenant

2. DOD COMPONENT NAME:

Department of Defense Inspector General

3. PIA APPROVAL DATE:

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Mission Support Team, Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO)

SECTION 1: PII DESCRIPTION SUMMARY (FOR PUBLIC RELEASE)

a. The PII is: (Check one. Note: Federal contractors, military family members, and foreign nationals are included in general public.)

- ☐ From members of the general public ☐ From Federal employees
- ☒ from both members of the general public and Federal employees ☐ Not Collected (if checked proceed to Section 4)

b. The PII is in a: (Check one.)

- ☐ New DoD Information System ☐ New Electronic Collection
- ☒ Existing DoD Information System ☐ Existing Electronic Collection
- ☐ Significantly Modified DoD Information System

c. Describe the purpose of this DoD information system or electronic collection and describe the types of personal information about individuals collected in the system.

DoW OIG Cloud Azure Tenant (Azure Cloud) is an Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) and Platform as a Service (PaaS) enclave that is utilized for DoW OIG-managed data such as computing, networking, storage, and databases. This enterprise level hosting environment may include collection and use of employee and contractor PII for authentication and verification. The Azure Cloud is DoW Impact Level 5 security approved, which provides Common Access Card (CAC) and FedGov Personal Identity Verification (PIV) smart card authenticated and access-controlled security for US government users from .mil, .gov, and .com domains. The Azure Cloud provides a multitude of services, which include authentication, messaging, backup and recovery, file storage, application hosting, and boundary security. Access to the Azure Cloud is managed through a portal, only accessible to authorized system administrators on the DoW OIG network. Name, username, phone number, and email are used for access to the network and other hosted applications.

d. Why is the PII collected and/or what is the intended use of the PII? (e.g., verification, identification, authentication, data matching, mission-related use, administrative use)

Azure Cloud services are used as part of the application and infrastructure management. Azure collects information such as username and other PII available, to authenticate and verify employee and contractor access.

e. Do individuals have the opportunity to object to the collection of their PII? ☐ Yes ☒ No

(1) If "Yes," describe the method by which individuals can object to the collection of PII.

(2) If "No," state the reason why individuals cannot object to the collection of PII.

To securely access required applications connected to the Azure Cloud, Azure must collect PII such as username and email to authenticate and verify employee and contractor access. This PII is required from employees and contractors to complete their duties as assigned.

f. Do individuals have the opportunity to consent to the specific uses of their PII? ☐ Yes ☒ No

(1) If "Yes," describe the method by which individuals can give or withhold their consent.

(2) If "No," state the reason why individuals cannot give or withhold their consent.

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g. When an individual is asked to provide PII, a Privacy Act Statement (PAS) and/or a Privacy Advisory must be provided. (Check as appropriate and provide the actual wording.)

- ☐ Privacy Act Statement ☐ Privacy Advisory ☒ Not Applicable

The Azure Cloud does not collect PII directly from the public or other external sources. The platform is used to interface with a multitude of

services that supports the DoW OIG mission and stores information for the DoW OIG mission during the course of one's duties.

h. With whom will the PII be shared through data/system exchange, both within your DoD Component and outside your Component?

(Check all that apply)

☐ Within the DoD Component	Specify.	
☐ Other DoD Components (i.e. Army, Navy, Air Force)	Specify.	
☐ Other Federal Agencies (i.e. Veteran's Affairs, Energy, State)	Specify.	
☐ State and Local Agencies	Specify.	
☐ Contractor (Name of contractor and describe the language in the contract that safeguards PII. Include whether FAR privacy clauses, i.e., 52.224-1, Privacy Act Notification, 52.224-2, Privacy Act, and FAR 39.105 are included in the contract.)	Specify.	
☒ Other (e.g., commercial providers, colleges).	Specify.	The Azure Cloud does not share information through data exchange. The Azure Cloud is a platform used to interface with a multitude of services that supports the DoW OIG mission.

i. Source of the PII collected is: (Check all that apply and list all information systems if applicable)

☒ Individuals	☒ Databases
☒ Existing DoD Information Systems	☐ Commercial Systems
☒ Other Federal Information Systems	

Individuals: Employees and contractors for authentication purposes and role-based access.

Existing DoW Information Systems: DLA data and DISA Global Directory.

Other Federal Information Systems: DCPDS and SAM.gov.

Databases: Defense Automated Management Information System (DAMIS), Teammate+, Footprints, Subpoena Program, and Case Reporting and Information Management System (CRIMS)

j. How will the information be collected? (Check all that apply and list all Official Form Numbers if applicable)

☐ E-mail	☐ Official Form (Enter Form Number(s) in the box below)
☐ In-Person Contact	☐ Paper
☐ Fax	☐ Telephone Interview
☒ Information Sharing - System to System	☐ Website/E-Form
☒ Other (If Other, enter the information in the box below)	

The Azure Cloud does not collect PII directly from the public or other external sources. Sources of the PII may be a part of a law enforcement or administrative investigation, policy, or in connection with an audit activity. The Azure Cloud is a platform used to interface with a multitude of services that supports the DoW OIG mission and stores information for the DoW OIG mission during the course of one's duties. Databases hosted in Azure have the appropriate SORN and separate PIA, when applicable.

k. Does this DoD Information system or electronic collection require a Privacy Act System of Records Notice (SORN)?

A Privacy Act SORN is required if the information system or electronic collection contains information about U.S. citizens or lawful permanent U.S. residents that is retrieved by name or other unique identifier. PIA and Privacy Act SORN information must be consistent.

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," enter SORN System Identifier

SORN Identifier, not the Federal Register (FR) Citation. Consult the DoD Component Privacy Office for additional information or <http://dpclid.defense.gov/Privacy/SORNs/>
or

If a SORN has not yet been published in the Federal Register, enter date of submission for approval to Defense Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Transparency Division (DPCLTD). Consult the DoD Component Privacy Office for this date

If "No," explain why the SORN is not required in accordance with DoD Regulation 5400.11-R: Department of Defense Privacy Program.

Azure Cloud is not considered a system of record. It is not an ordinary course of business to retrieve information in the Azure Cloud by using a personal identifier. Each system or application supported or hosted in the Azure Cloud has the appropriate SORN listed, when applicable.

I. What is the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) approved, pending or general records schedule (GRS) disposition authority for the system or for the records maintained in the system?

(1) NARA Job Number or General Records Schedule Authority.

N/A.

(2) If pending, provide the date the SF-115 was submitted to NARA.

(3) Retention Instructions.

The Azure Cloud is not a system of records. It is an enclave and not a specific program.

m. What is the authority to collect information? A Federal law or Executive Order must authorize the collection and maintenance of a system of records. For PII not collected or maintained in a system of records, the collection or maintenance of the PII must be necessary to discharge the requirements of a statute or Executive Order.

(1) If this system has a Privacy Act SORN, the authorities in this PIA and the existing Privacy Act SORN should be similar.

(2) If a SORN does not apply, cite the authority for this DoD information system or electronic collection to collect, use, maintain and/or disseminate PII. (If multiple authorities are cited, provide all that apply).

(a) Cite the specific provisions of the statute and/or EO that authorizes the operation of the system and the collection of PII.

(b) If direct statutory authority or an Executive Order does not exist, indirect statutory authority may be cited if the authority requires the operation or administration of a program, the execution of which will require the collection and maintenance of a system of records.

(c) If direct or indirect authority does not exist, DoD Components can use their general statutory grants of authority ("internal housekeeping") as the primary authority. The requirement, directive, or instruction implementing the statute within the DoD Component must be identified.

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n. Does this DoD information system or electronic collection have an active and approved Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Control Number?

Contact the Component Information Management Control Officer or DoD Clearance Officer for this information. This number indicates OMB approval to collect data from 10 or more members of the public in a 12-month period regardless of form or format.

☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Pending

(1) If "Yes," list all applicable OMB Control Numbers, collection titles, and expiration dates.

(2) If "No," explain why OMB approval is not required in accordance with DoD Manual 8910.01, Volume 2, "DoD Information Collections Manual: Procedures for DoD Public Information Collections."

(3) If "Pending," provide the date for the 60 and/or 30 day notice and the Federal Register citation.

OMB Control number not required. The Azure Cloud does not collect data directly from members of the public.