




# Mission-Critical Meets Cloud

*FlashGrid software enables Oracle RAC in Azure Cloud*

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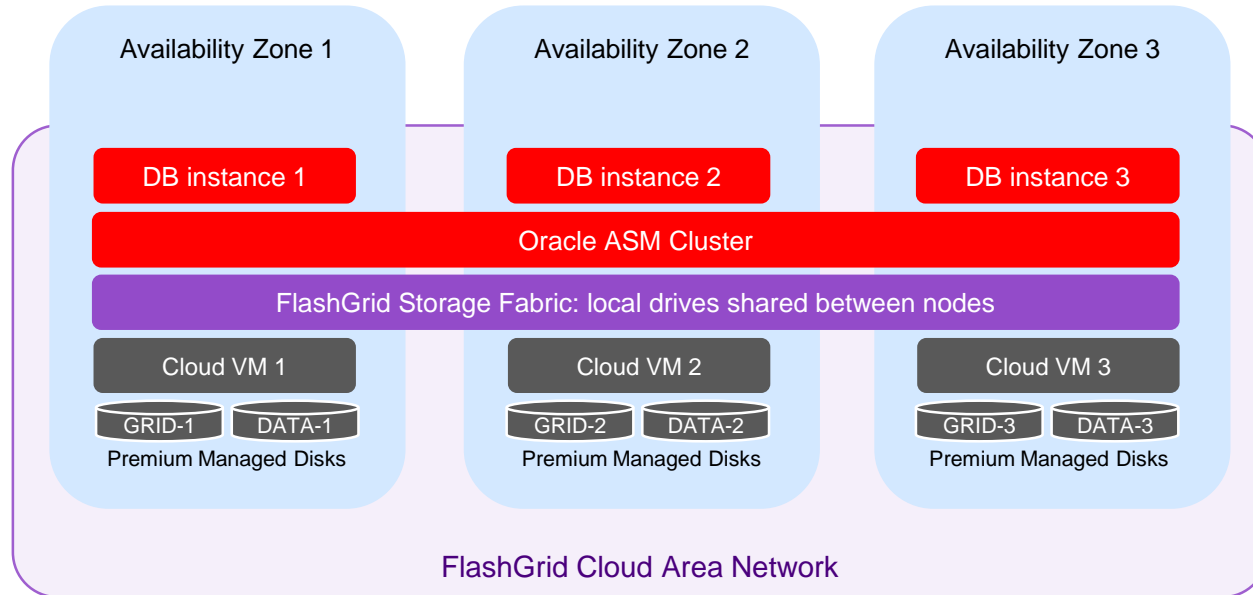
99.99% Azure SLA with two VMs in different availability zones

-  How to use two VMs for Oracle DB?
-  Azure SLA covers only VM uptime, does not cover software or OS patching, crashes, or corruption
-  Oracle RAC provides active-active redundancy between 2+ database node VMs

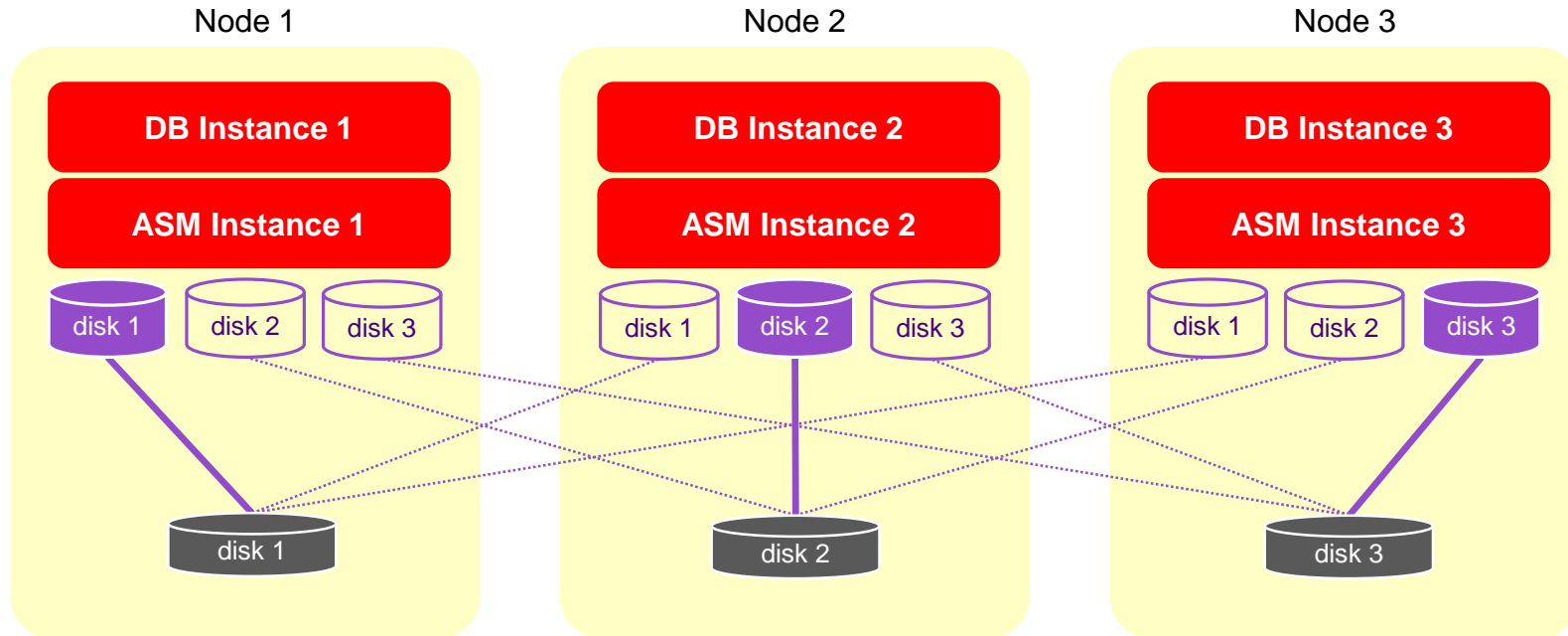


With Oracle RAC the database keeps running when:

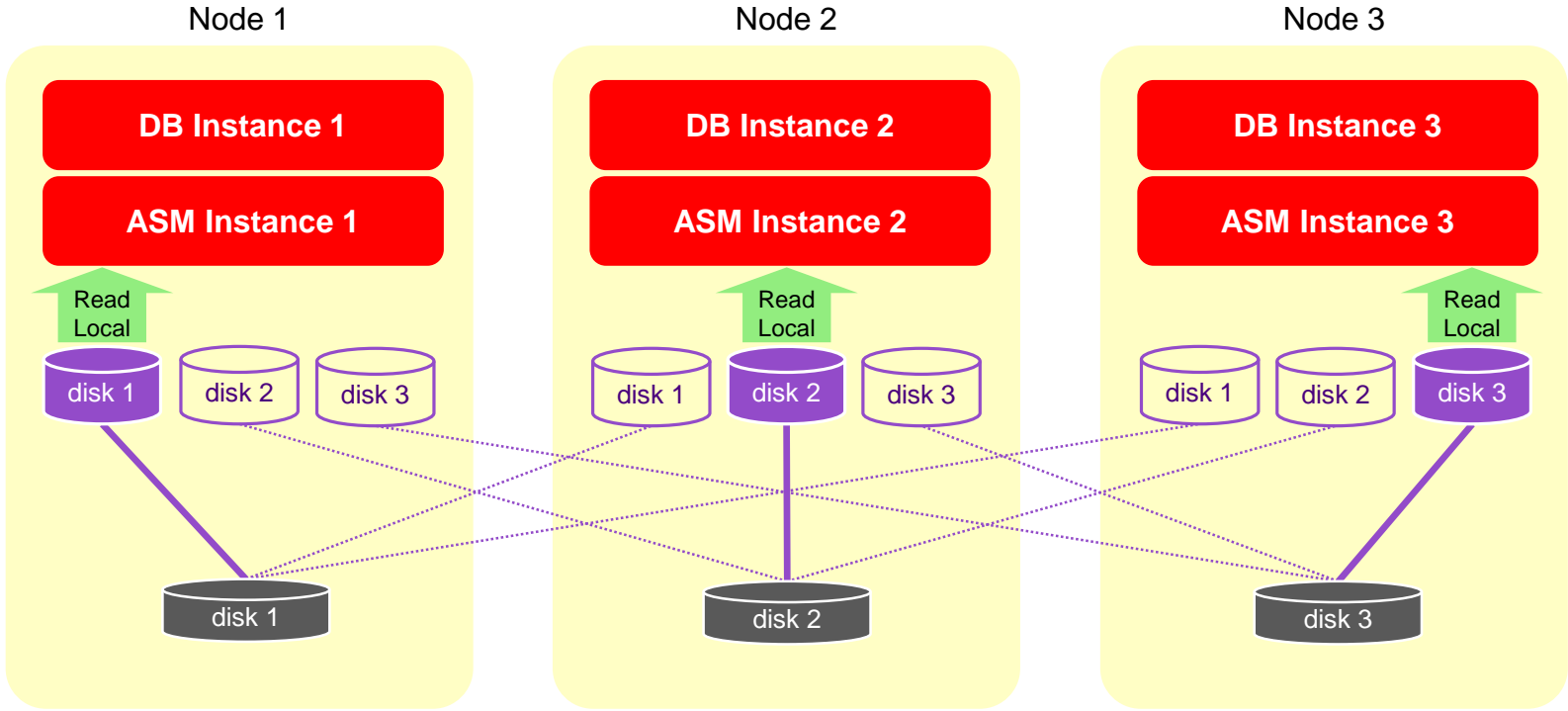
- patching database or OS
- a VM fails (hardware, network, power, or AC failure)
- a VM reboots (hypervisor update or hardware retirement)
- OS crashes (kernel bug, intermittent hardware error)
- database instance crashes
- the system disk is corrupted



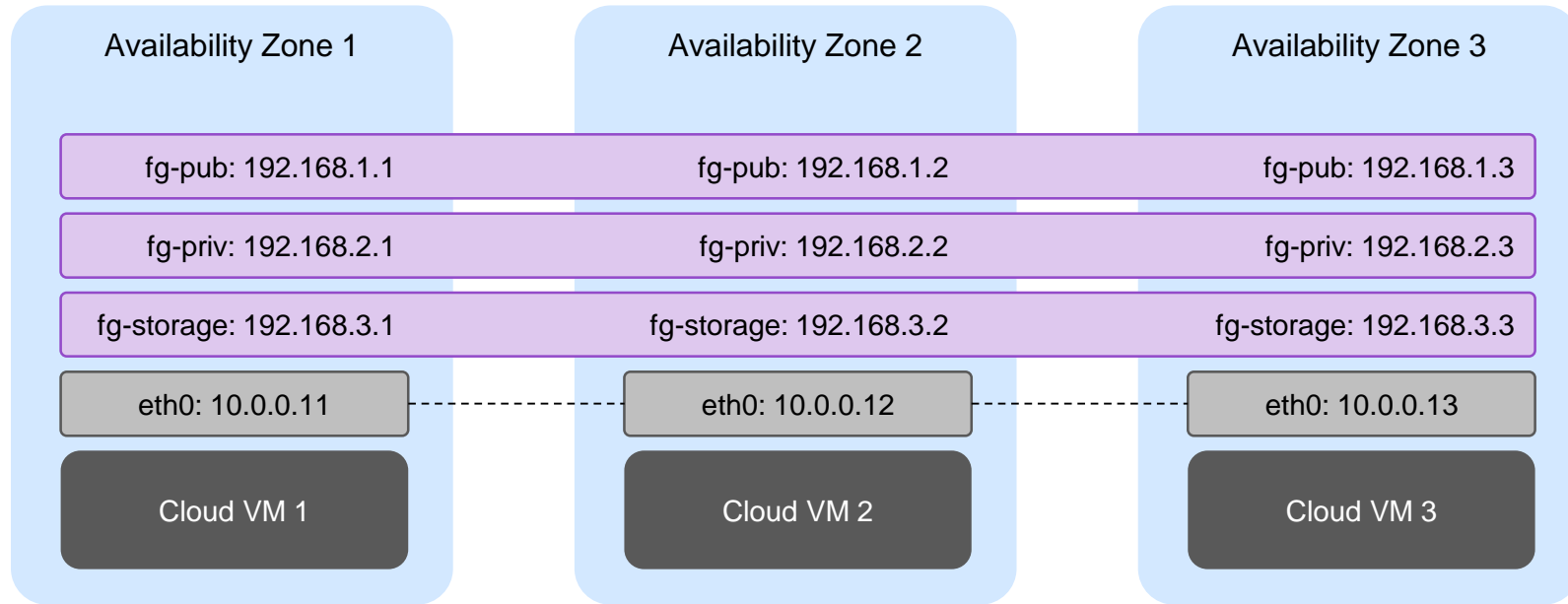
- FlashGrid Cloud Area Network creates a high-speed network overlay with multicast, VIPs, and QoS
- FlashGrid Storage Fabric creates shared storage from locally attached disks (Premium Managed Disks)
- Leverage proven Oracle ASM for high availability and data mirroring



- Oracle ASM manages data, volumes, mirroring, snapshots
- FlashGrid manages storage devices and connections



- Minimize network overhead by serving reads from local disks
- Accelerate both reads and writes



- High-speed network overlay with multicast and VIP support
- Separate CLAN subnet for each type of traffic
- Fully featured layer 2 connectivity via VNET

# Create your cluster today

<https://www.flashgrid.io/cloud-provisioning-for-azure/>

## Questions?

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