Want to try out WANdisco's LiveData Migrator for Azure with our Trial Sandbox? Follow these simple instructions to get up and running in no time.

What is it?

The Trial Sandbox is a virtual machine (with HDP 3.1.4 and sample data already installed) that is created in your Azure subscription. It contains everything you need to get familiar with our replication and migration software and how it meets your needs before committing to a production implementation.

Important: we can only deploy one Trial Sandbox per Azure subscription. Once it is created you have full control of that cluster and can remove it whenever you are done using it.
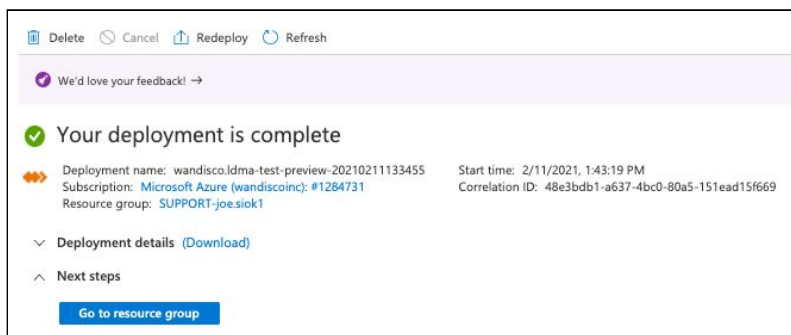
What do I have to do?

First, create the migrator:

1. In the **Create Migrator** page, select **Yes** when asked "Do you need a Hadoop test cluster?"

2. In the credentials fields that appear, specify an admin username and password that you will use to access the Trial Sandbox cluster.

3. Fill in the remaining details and click **Create**.

Next, it deploys:

4. The Trial Sandbox starts deploying. A new resource group and resources is being created and takes 3-5 minutes to complete.

5. Success! You've got a brand new Trial Sandbox cluster. Just a few more steps.

6. Click the **Go to resource group** blue button.

Then, connect to your new Trial Sandbox cluster:

7. In the resource group page, find and select the new virtual machine. Look for the name you gave the migrator when you created it at the start.

8. Find the **Public IP address** at the top right of the page. Copy this IP address.

9. SSH into the Trial Sandbox cluster with the Public IP address you just copied. You'll need the username and password you specified when you created the migrator at the start.

That's it! You're ready to start installing LiveData Migrator for Azure.

Now what?

10. Follow these [simple installation instructions](#) to install LiveData Migrator for Azure. You're using a Trial Sandbox cluster which is the 'own environment' described in the docs.

11. Remember to delete your Trial Sandbox when you are done with it to avoid any unnecessary charges!

Good to know

The Trial Sandbox is an Azure [Standard_D8_v3](#) with 500GB of storage attached.