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Dear Sirs,

We are sending herewith copy of a Press Release titled “**TCS Expands Microsoft Expertise; Achieves All 18 Microsoft Gold Competencies**” which will be disseminated shortly.

The Press Release is self-explanatory.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
For **TATA CONSULTANCY SERVICES LIMITED**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Pradeep Manohar Gaitonde'.

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## TCS Expands Microsoft Expertise; Achieves All 18 Microsoft Gold Competencies

*Tata Consultancy Services Demonstrates Best-in-Class Capabilities and Delivery Success Earning Recognition in all Microsoft Competency Areas, Expands List of Advanced Specializations*

**MUMBAI, December 28, 2021:** Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) (BSE: 532540, NSE: TCS) demonstrated the breadth and depth of its expertise on Microsoft Technologies by successfully achieving all 18 Microsoft Gold Competencies across Applications and Infrastructure, Business Applications, Data and AI, and Modern Workplace and Security.

Microsoft Competencies ensure that partners are prepared to meet customers' needs and have demonstrated best-in-class capabilities within a Microsoft solution area. To earn a Microsoft Gold Competency, partners must prove their technology experience and ensure a high standard of staffing capacity. Partners must also submit customer references that demonstrate successful projects, meet a performance commitment, and pass technology and sales assessments.

In addition to achieving all available Gold Competencies, TCS has now earned 11 Microsoft Advanced Specializations, including most recently for SAP on Microsoft Azure, Linux and Open-Source Databases Migration, Microsoft 365 Teamwork Deployment, and Custom Solutions for Microsoft Teams. TCS also became the first partner to earn the Microsoft Azure VMware Solution advanced specialization — making it one of the most recognized partners in Microsoft's ecosystem. TCS is a Preferred Member and Launch Partner for Project Cortex, including SharePoint Syntax, an Azure Stack HCI partner, and is a Member of the 2021/2022 Inner Circle for Microsoft Business Applications.

*"TCS is leveraging its expansive domain knowledge and deep expertise in Microsoft technologies to help clients explore innovative business models, enhance customer experience and drive growth. Our market success and sustained investments in upskilling our workforce have helped us continually expand our number of Gold competencies and advanced specializations,"* said **Siva Ganesan, Global Head, Microsoft Business Unit, TCS.**

TCS has completed over 1,000 successful Azure engagements for more than 225 global customers. TCS recently won the 2021 Microsoft Partner of the Year Awards for Azure Intelligent Cloud in France and Dynamics 365 Field Service in the US. Additionally, it is a designated Microsoft Azure Expert Managed Service Partner, recognizing TCS' expertise in delivering the highest quality of service on Azure. Its over 50,000 professionals deliver industry-focused solutions—all powered by Microsoft's One Commercial Cloud. To learn more, visit [tcs.com/microsoft-business-unit](https://tcs.com/microsoft-business-unit).

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### About Tata Consultancy Services (TCS)

Tata Consultancy Services is an IT services, consulting and business solutions organization that has been partnering with many of the world's largest businesses in their transformation journeys for over 50 years. TCS offers a consulting-led, cognitive powered, integrated portfolio of business, technology and engineering services and solutions. This is delivered through its unique Location Independent Agile™ delivery model, recognized as a benchmark of excellence in software development.

A part of the Tata group, India's largest multinational business group, TCS has over 528,000 of the world's best-trained consultants in 46 countries. The company generated consolidated revenues of US \$22.2 billion in the fiscal year ended March 31, 2021, and is listed on the BSE (formerly Bombay Stock Exchange) and the NSE (National Stock Exchange) in India. TCS' proactive stance on climate change and

award-winning work with communities across the world have earned it a place in leading sustainability indices such as the MSCI Global Sustainability Index and the FTSE4Good Emerging Index. For more information, visit [www.tcs.com](http://www.tcs.com)

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