

# Understanding MPNID: Definition, Purpose, and Location

A practical guide to MPNID and its relevance

## What is a MPNID?

MPNID stands for “Microsoft Partner Network ID.” It is a unique identification number assigned by Microsoft to organisations that are registered members of the Microsoft Partner Network (MPN). This ID helps Microsoft, and its partners manage their relationship and access various benefits, programs, and resources.

## What Does an MPNID Do?

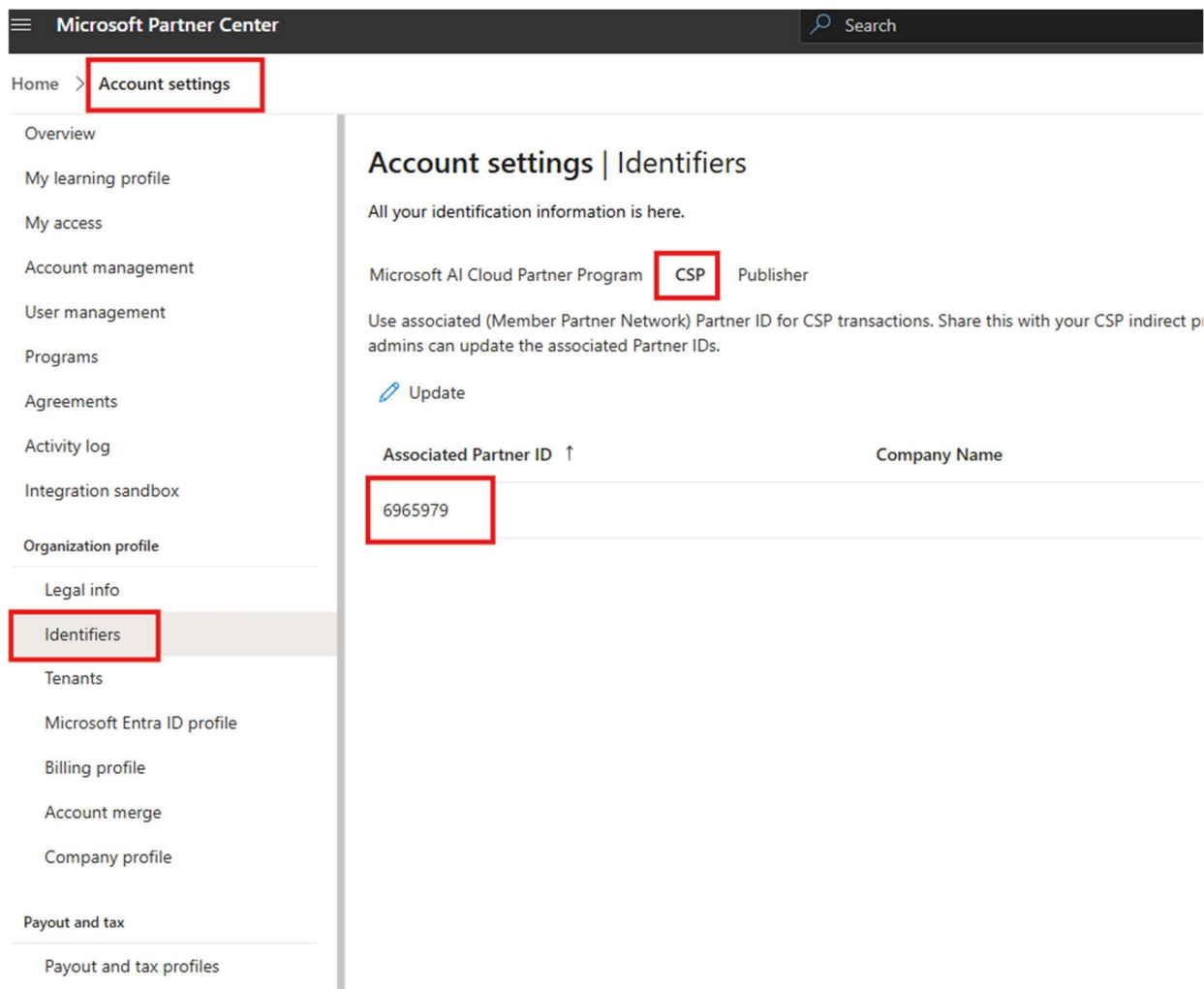
- **Identifies Your Organisation:** The MPNID distinguishes your company within the Microsoft Partner ecosystem, ensuring that all interactions, transactions, and benefits are correctly allocated. Due to this a reseller cannot purchase Microsoft products without an active MPNID,
- **Access to Partner Resources:** It enables your business to access partner benefits like training materials, software licenses, technical support, and marketing resources.
- **Eligibility Verification:** The MPNID is used to verify eligibility for Microsoft programs, incentives, and customer referrals.
- **Program Management:** Microsoft uses the MPNID to track your company's competencies, incentives, and partnership status over time.

## Requirements of a MPNID?

**Vetting process:** To get a MPNID you must first complete the Microsoft vetting process which includes signing up and completing the **Microsoft AI Cloud Partner Program**.

## Where Do I Find My MPNID?

Partner Center Dashboard: The most direct way to find your MPNID is by logging into the Microsoft Partner Center ([partner.microsoft.com](https://partner.microsoft.com))



The screenshot shows the Microsoft Partner Center interface. The top navigation bar includes a search icon and the text "Microsoft Partner Center". The left sidebar contains a list of navigation items: Home, Account settings (highlighted with a red box), Overview, My learning profile, My access, Account management, User management, Programs, Agreements, Activity log, Integration sandbox, Organization profile, Legal info, Identifiers (highlighted with a red box), Tenants, Microsoft Entra ID profile, Billing profile, Account merge, Company profile, Payout and tax, and Payout and tax profiles. The main content area is titled "Account settings | Identifiers" and contains the following information:

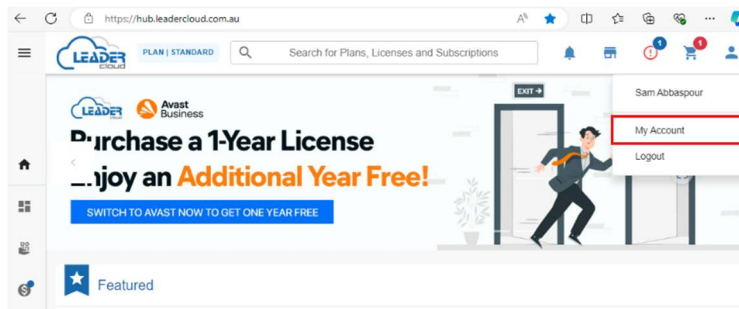
- All your identification information is here.
- Microsoft AI Cloud Partner Program **CSP** (highlighted with a red box) Publisher
- Use associated (Member Partner Network) Partner ID for CSP transactions. Share this with your CSP indirect p admins can update the associated Partner IDs.
- [Update](#) (with a pencil icon)
- Table with 2 columns: Associated Partner ID ↑ and Company Name.

Associated Partner ID ↑	Company Name
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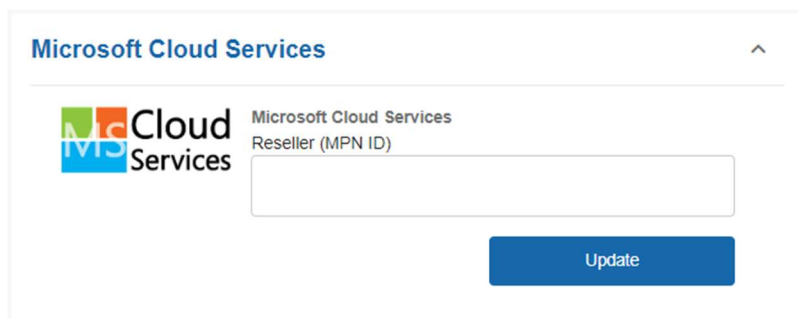
## Link Your MPN ID to Leader Cloud

To be eligible to receive rebates and other benefits, you'll need to link your MPN ID to your Leader Cloud account. Here's how:

1. Go to [leadercloud.com.au](https://leadercloud.com.au) and log in.
2. Navigate to **My Account**.



3. In My Account, Scroll to the bottom of the page until you find the option to **Update MPN ID**.



4. Enter your MPN ID and save your changes.

Once this step is completed, your licenses will be authorised and eligible for Microsoft rebates.