

Equinox Communications

VIRTUAL SERVER COMPARISON

		Rackspace Cloud	Amazon EC2
SCALE & CONTROL			
Scaling Flexibility	CPU/RAM/Storage (independent)	Bundled Resources (dependent)	Server Scaling Not Available
Scaling Options	Up/Down & Out/In (quick restart)	Up & Out/In (conversion downtime)	Out/In (no server scaling)
Maximum Memory	128 GB	30 GB	68 GB
Maximum Processors	8 Cores	8 Cores	8 Cores
Maximum Disk Space	Unlimited	1200 GB	30 GB + S3
High Availability Included	✓ Yes	✗ No	✗ No
Bandwidth Included	✓ Yes (3 TB)	✗ No (\$0.18/GB usage)	✗ No (\$0.15/GB usage)
MANAGED SUPPORT			
Managed Support Included	✓ Yes	✗ No (\$100 + \$0.12/hr per server)	✗ No (\$400 /month minimum)
Managed Backup (14 Days)	✓ Yes	✓ Yes (if paying for support)	✗ No
ENTERPRISE SECURITY			
VMware Based	✓ Yes	✗ No	✗ No
Unlimited Firewall Zones	✓ Yes	✗ No	✗ No
Web Application Protection	✓ Yes	✗ No	✗ No
Network Isolation	✓ Yes	✗ No	✗ No
DDoS Protection	✓ Yes	✗ No	✗ No
Secure VPN Access	✓ Yes	✗ No	✗ No
PCI/HIPAA Compliant Options	✓ Yes	✗ No	✗ No