

## Chinese Data Centre Services

Access to China has been operating in a Chinese data centre since 2005. We visited and tested many data centres in China.

We found the best Chinese data centre in Suzhou, outside Shanghai. International data centre certification (Tier IV) and independent of ISPs, creating the opportunity to select the best network for an application.

Access to China data centre services supports today's and the growth of your business operations in China.



### Chinese Data Centres

In China, there are many IT cloud and data centre services companies.

Most data centres in China are owned and operated.

- Chinese network companies
- Large national IT companies, such as Alibaba, Tencent \*\*
- Government agencies
- Large network companies: China Telecom, China Unicom, China Mobile

\*\* Overseas IT companies do not operate in China (e.g., Amazon, Google). The exception is Microsoft, which operates a JV in China

If you host public internet content in a Chinese data centre, an Internet Content Provider (ICP) licence or filing is normally required.

Operating standards across Chinese data centre platforms vary widely.

Many IT services are now delivered through platforms that integrate social media and IT services—the most successful of which is WeChat (Tencent).

### Very fast growth in Chinese Data Centres

To enable internet use to grow quickly in China, the Chinese government funded the construction of data centres through regional and national businesses.

Local and regional government agencies administer and monitor the publishing of information independently of any data centre ownership. Their main concern is data made available to the public. Data that flows through company systems within data centres and is not publicly available is generally not an issue, provided the Chinese business is operating legally.

Given the speed at which Data Centres have been built in China, the operating standards can be an issue. We only use Data Centres that are internationally certified.

The growth of platforms combining social media and IT services has enabled the integration of government and public services into a single app.

### **Our Data Centre services in China**

Access to China has been supplying data centre services in China for over 18 years. We have a modern set of services available, e.g.;

- Cloud services for large and smaller needs
- Hardware co-locating
- Networking, switching and firewall setup and management for cloud service and co-locating
- Independent data centre from network providers: multi-network providers, international routing, etc
- High level of site physical security
- International certificated data centre (Tier IV)

Support and advise on ICP requirements. This is one of the early activities we undertake.

### **Access to China Chinese data centre pricing**

There are many types of services, so providing detailed pricing without outline specifications is not possible.

In general, Chinese data centre services are about 20% more expensive than overseas cloud services, primarily due to higher international internet connection costs.

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