

Cloud Hosting VS. Hosted Services



	HOSTED SERVICES	CLOUD HOSTING
What is it?	Hosted services are web-based applications that are managed by a third-party provider.	Whereas cloud hosting is a type of web hosting that uses a network of remote servers to store and manage your website data.
No. of Servers	Hosted Services usually just use a single or fixed server.	In cloud hosting multiple servers are working on the same platform.
Scalability	Hosted Services is not as scalable when compared to cloud services.	The scalability of cloud hosting makes it easy to grow with your company.
Cost	You pay a fixed recurring fee and get the services you pay for.	With cloud hosting, you only pay for the resources that you use.
Reliability	With hosted services, your website may be inaccessible if the private server where it is hosted goes down.	Cloud computing, however, offers a higher degree of resilience. Data is hosted in a distributed environment where it is accessible even if one or a few servers go down.
Control	A hosted service means that your website is hosted in a specific server. You can easily access and control resources in a customizable environment.	Cloud hosting is shared and distributed. You lack the same level of control that you would have with a hosted service.