

# **Network Cloud Services - Virtual Private Cloud**



- With ever-increasing online service requirements, enterprise networks require a long time to market, have high O&M costs, and are faced with high security risks. More and more enterprises are now deploying their online services using Huawei Virtual Private Cloud (VPC).
- Huawei VPC is an infrastructure networking service. It leverages secure tunneling technology to provide secure and isolated networking environments. This chapter introduces the Huawei VPC service.





- After completing this course, you will:
  - Be familiar with the VPC service.
  - Understand the concepts, functions, and application scenarios of the VPC service.
  - Be able to create and manage VPCs.





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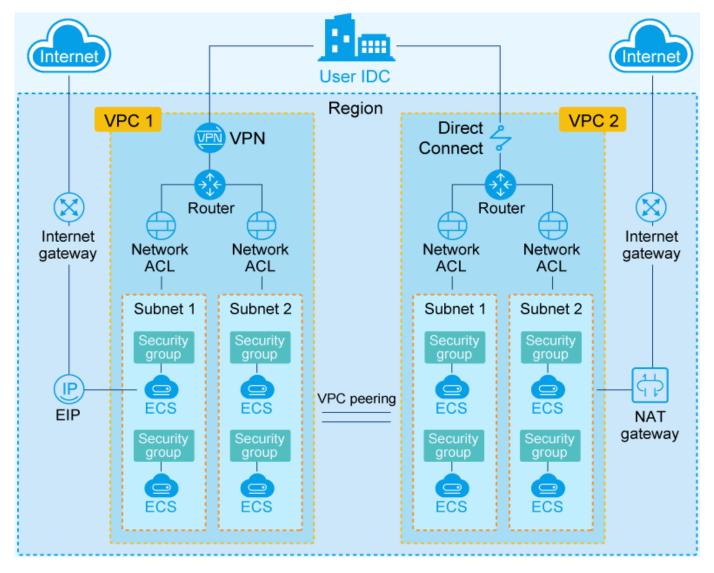


A VPC is an isolated virtual network environment created on HUAWEI CLOUD. You have complete control over your virtual network, including creating subnets and security groups, assigning elastic IP addresses (EIPs), allocating bandwidth, and configuring DHCP.





### **VPC Product Architecture**







### **VPC Product Advantages**



#### **Secure and Reliable**

Private networks on the cloud are completely isolated.
You can create Elastic Cloud Servers (ECSs) that are in different availability zones, in the same VPC.



#### **High-Speed Access**

Dynamic BGP network connections enable seamless high-speed access to services on the cloud.



#### **Flexible Configuration**

Self-service network management frees you from routine network configurations

and allows flexible network deployment.



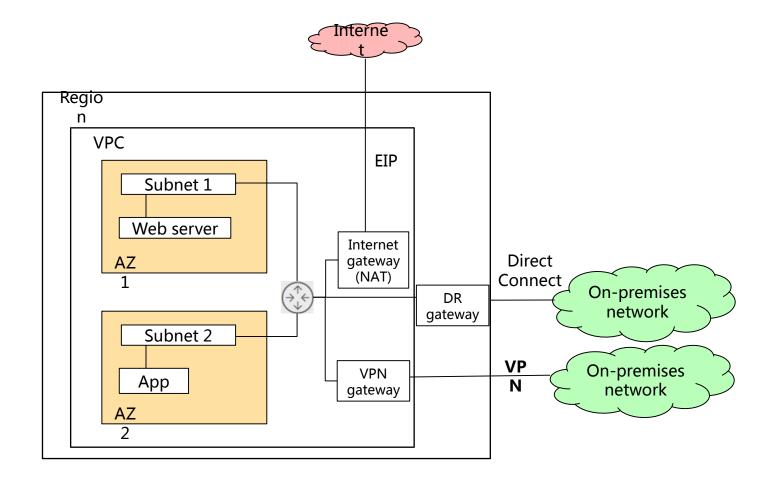
#### Interconnection

VPC peering enables interconnection between VPCs.





# **VPC Application Scenario – Large Internet Applications**







### **VPC Application Scenarios**

- Hosting Universal Web Applications
  - Application scenarios: Blogs and simple websites
  - Characteristics: You can host web applications and websites in a VPC and use the VPC as a common network. You can create a subnet and create ECSs in the subnet. You can also use EIPs to connect ECSs to the Internet for running web applications deployed on the ECSs.
- Building Enterprise Hybrid Cloud
  - Application scenarios: E-commerce websites
  - Characteristics: You can connect a VPC to your private cloud using a VPN connection. With a VPN connection between the VPC and your traditional data center, you can easily use the ECSs and block storage resources. Applications can be migrated to the cloud and additional web servers can be deployed to increase the computing capacity on a network. In this way, a hybrid cloud is built.
- Hosting Security-Demanding Services
  - Application scenarios: Security-demanding service systems
  - Characteristics: You can create a VPC and security groups to host multi-tier web applications in different security zones. You can associate web servers and database servers with different security groups and configure different access control rules for security groups. You can launch web servers in a publicly accessible subnet and database servers in non-publically accessible subnets to ensure high security and meet requirements of security-demanding scenarios.





### **Function Description**

#### Private Network Customization

You can customize private subnets in your VPC and deploy applications and other services in the subnets accordingly.

#### Flexible Security Policy Configuration

You can use security groups to divide ECSs in a VPC into different security zones and then configure different access control rules for each security zone. You can also create network ACLs to control traffic in and out of associated subnets, improving subnet security.

#### EIP Binding

You can assign an independent EIP in your VPC. The EIP can be bound to or unbound from an ECS as required. The binding and unbinding operations take effect immediately after the operations are performed.

#### Direct Connect/VPN Access

You can use a Direct Connect connection or VPN to connect your VPC with the corporate data center to form a hybrid network for smooth application migration to the cloud.





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- Subnet
- EIP
- Bandwidth
- Security group
- VPN
- Remote gateway
- Remote subnet





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# **Typical VPC Application Scenarios**

- Configuring a VPC for ECSs that do not require Internet access
- Configuring a VPC for ECSs that access the Internet using EIPs
- Configuring a VPC for ECSs that access the Internet using a VPN

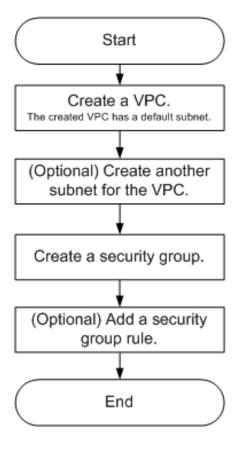




### **VPC Configuration Procedure (1/2)**

If your ECSs do not need to access the Internet (for example, the ECSs functioning as the database or server nodes for deploying a website), follow the procedure in the next slide to

configure a VPC for the ECSs.





# **VPC Configuration Procedure (2/2)**

Task	Description	Mandatory		
01 Create a VPC.	You must configure required parameters to create a VPC. The created VPC comes with a default subnet you specified. After the VPC is created, you can create other required network resources in the VPC based on your service requirements.	Yes		
02 Create another subnet for the VPC.	cultingt in the V/D(			
03 Create a security group.	You can create a security group and add ECSs in the VPC to the security group to improve ECS access security.  After a security group is created, it has a default rule, which allows all outgoing data packets. ECSs in a security group can access each other without the need to add rules. If the default rule meets your service requirements, you do not need to add rules to the security group.	Yes		
04 Add a security group rule.	After a security group is created, it has a default rule, which allows all outgoing data packets. ECSs in a security group can access each other without the need to add rules. If the default rule does not meet your service requirements, you can add a security group rule.	No		





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# **Common Operations**

- VPC Common Operations
- Security Group Common Operations
- EIP Common Operations





# **VPC Common Operations**

- Creating a VPC
- Modifying a VPC
- Creating a subnet for the VPC
- Modifying a subnet
- Deleting a VPC





### **Creating a VPC**

#### Scenario

 A VPC provides an isolated virtual network for ECSs. You can configure and manage the network as required. Perform the following procedure to create a VPC. Then, create subnets, security groups, and VPNs, and assign EIPs based on your actual network requirements.

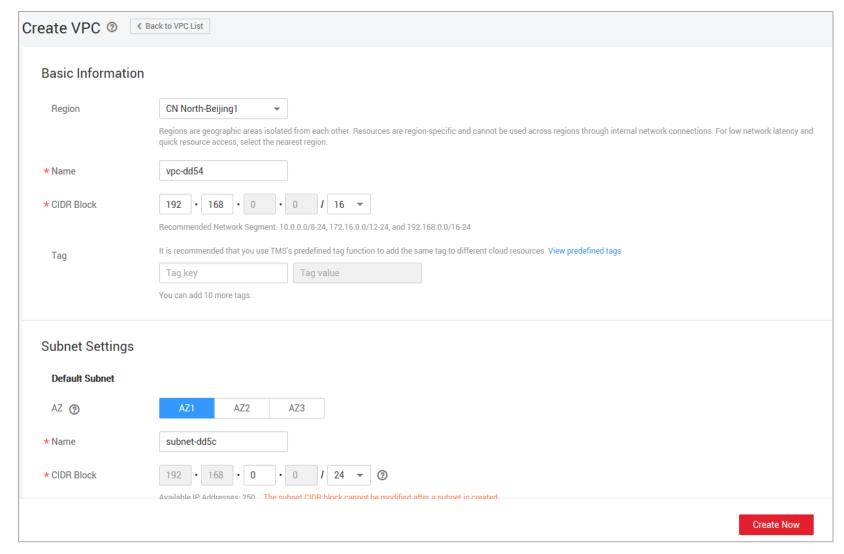
#### Procedure

- Log in to the management console.
- On the console homepage, under Network, click Virtual Private Cloud.
- On the Dashboard page, click Create VPC.
- On the Create VPC page, set parameters as prompted.
- Click Create Now.





### **Console Page for VPC Creation**







### **VPC Configuration Parameters**

Parameter	Description	Example Value	
Region	Specifies the desired region. Regions are geographic areas isolated from each other. Resources are specific to a region and cannot be used across regions through internal network connections. Select the nearest region for quick resource access and low network latency.	CN North-Beijing1	
Name	Specifies the VPC name.	VPC-001	
CIDR Block	Specifies the CIDR block for the VPC. The CIDR block of a subnet can be the same as the CIDR block for the VPC (for a single subnet in the VPC) or a subset (for multiple subnets in the VPC).  The following CIDR blocks are supported: 10.0.0.0 – 10.255.255.255 172.16.0.0 – 172.31.255.255 192.168.0.0 – 192.168.255.255		
Enterprise Project	Specifies the enterprise project to which the VPC belongs. By default, the VPC belongs to the <b>Default</b> project.		
Tag	Specifies the VPC tag, which consists of a key and value pair. You can add a maximum of ten tags to each VPC.	<ul><li>Key: vpc_key1</li><li>Value: vpc-01</li></ul>	
Name (Subnet Settings)	Specifies the subnet name.	Subnet	
CIDR Block (Subnet Settings)	Specifies the CIDR block for the subnet. This value must be within the VPC CIDR range.	192.168.0.0/24	
Gateway	Specifies the gateway address of the subnet.	192.168.0.1	
DNS Server Address	The external DNS server address is used by default. If you need to change the DNS server address, ensure that the configured DNS server address is available.	192.168.1.0	
Tag (Subnet Settings)	Specifies the subnet tag, which consists of a key and value pair. You can add a maximum of ten tags to each subnet.	<ul><li>Key: subnet_key1</li><li>Value: subnet-01</li></ul>	



### **Creating a subnet for the VPC**

#### Scenario

A subnet is automatically created when you create a VPC. If required, you can create another subnet in the VPC.

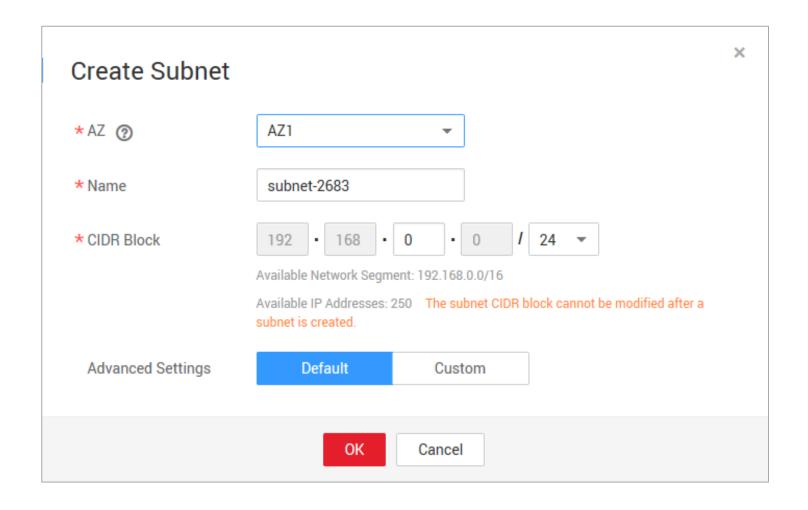
#### Procedure

- 1. Log in to the management console.
- 2. On the console homepage, under **Network**, click **Virtual Private Cloud**.
- 3. In the navigation pane on the left, select the VPC for which a subnet is to be created.
- 4. On the **Subnets** page, click **Create Subnet**.
- 5. In the **Create Subnet** area, set parameters as prompted.
- 6. Click OK.





### **Console Page for Subnet Creation**







## **Subnet Configuration Parameters**

Parameter	Description	Example Value	
Name	Specifies the subnet name.	Subnet	
CIDR Block	Specifies the CIDR block for the subnet. This value must be within the VPC CIDR range.	192.168.0.0/24	
Gateway	Specifies the gateway address of the subnet.	192.168.0.1	
DNS Server Address	The external DNS server address is used by default. If you need to change the DNS server address, ensure that the configured DNS server address is available.	192.168.1.0	
Tag	Specifies the subnet tag, which consists of a key and value pair. You can add a maximum of ten tags to each subnet.	<ul><li>Key: subnet_key1</li><li>Value: subnet-01</li></ul>	





# **Security Group Common Operations**

- Creating a security group
- Adding a security group rule
- Deleting a security group rule
- Deleting a security group





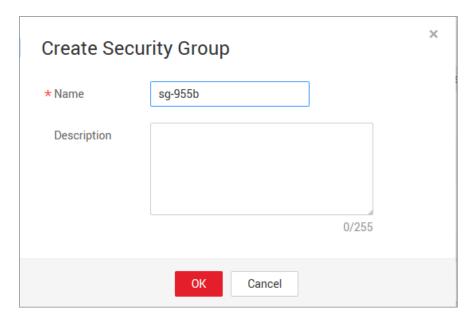
### **Creating a Security Group**

#### Scenario

To improve ECS access security, you can create a security group, define security group rules, and add ECSs in the VPC to the security group. We recommend that you allocate ECSs that have different Internet access policies to different security groups.

#### Procedure

- 1. Log in to the management console.
- 2. On the console homepage, under **Network**, click **Virtual Private Cloud**.
- 3. In the navigation pane on the left, click **Security Group**.
- 4. On the **Security Group** page, click **Create Security Group**.
- 5. In the **Create Security Group** area, set parameters as prompted.
- 6. Click **OK**







### Creating a Security Group Rule (1/2)

#### Scenario

After a security group is created, it has default rules. You can add new inbound and outbound rules to the security group.

Inbound rules control incoming traffic to ECSs in the security group.

Outbound rules control outgoing traffic from ECSs in the security group.

#### Default security group rules

Transfer Direction	Protocol	Port/Rang e	Source/Destination	Description
Outboun d	All	All	Destination: 0.0.0.0/0	Allows all outbound traffic.
Inbound	All	All	Source: Current security group ID (for example, sg-xxxxx)	Allow inbound traffic from ECSs added to the same security group.
Inbound	ТСР	22	Source: 0.0.0.0/0	Allows all IP addresses to access Linux ECSs over SSH.
Inbound	ТСР	3389	Source: 0.0.0.0/0	Allow all IP addresses to access Windows ECSs over RDP.



### Creating a Security Group Rule (2/2)

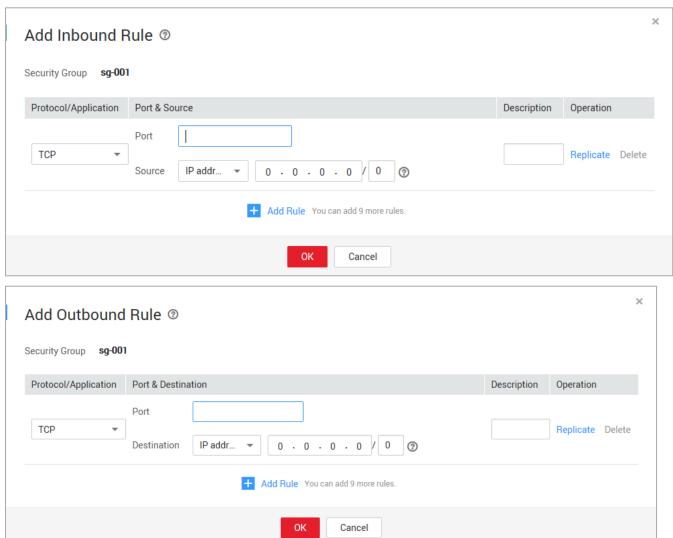
#### Procedure

- 1. Log in to the management console.
- 2. On the console homepage, under **Network**, click **Virtual Private Cloud**.
- 3. In the navigation pane on the left, click **Security Group**.
- 4. On the **Security Group** page, locate the target security group and click **Manage Rule** in the **Operation** column to switch to the page for managing inbound and outbound rules.
- 5. On the **Inbound Rules** or **Outbound Rules** tab, click **Add Rule** to add an inbound or outbound rule.





### **Console Page for Security Group Rule Creation**







### **Security Group Rule Configuration Parameters**

Parameter	Description	Example Value
Protocol	Specifies the network protocol for which the security group rule takes effect.	ТСР
	<b>Port</b> : specifies the port or port range for which the security group rule takes effect. The value ranges from <b>1</b> to <b>65535</b> .	22 or 22-30
Port & Source (Inbound)	Source: specifies the source of the security group rule. The value can be another security group, a CIDR block, or a single IP address. For example:  • xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx/32 (IPv4 address)  • xxx.xxx.xxx.0/24 (CIDR block)  • 0.0.0.0/0 (any IP address)	0.0.0.0/0 default
	<b>Port</b> : specifies the port or port range for which the security group rule takes effect. The value ranges from <b>1</b> to <b>65535</b> .	22 or 22-30
Port & Destination (Outbound)	Source: specifies the source of the security group rule. The value can be another security group, a CIDR block, or a single IP address. For example:  • xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx/32 (IPv4 address)  • xxx.xxx.xxx.0/24 (CIDR block)  • 0.0.0.0/0 (any IP address)	0.0.0.0/0 default
Provides supplementary information about the security group. This parameter is optional.  The security group description can contain a maximum of 255 characters and cannot contain angle brackets (<) or (>).		N/A



### **EIP Common Operations**

- Assigning an EIP and binding it to an ECS
- Querying and modifying bandwidth





### Assigning an EIP and Binding It to an ECS (1/3)

#### Scenario

You can assign an EIP and bind it to an ECS to enable the ECS to access the Internet.

#### Procedure

#### Assign an EIP.

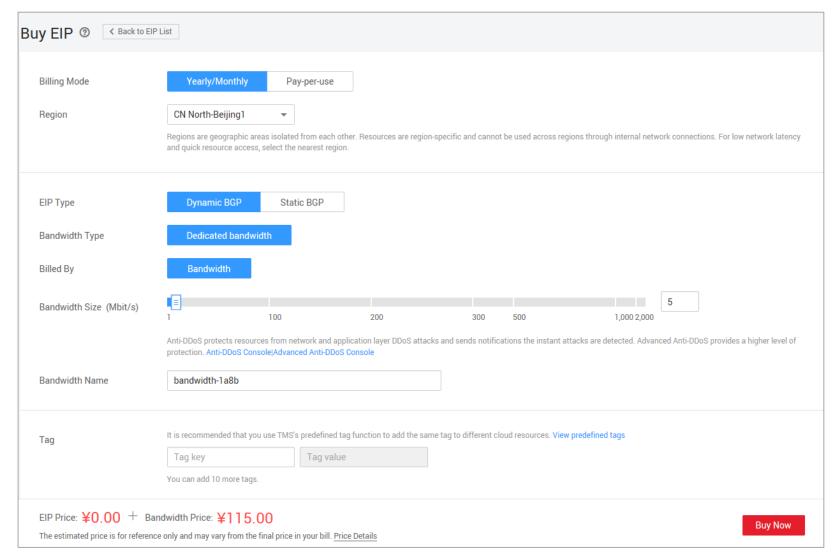
- 1. Log in to the management console.
- 2. On the console homepage, under **Network**, click **Virtual Private Cloud**.
- 3. In the navigation pane on the left, choose **Elastic IP**.
- 4. On the **Elastic IP** page, click **Buy EIP**.
- 5. In the displayed dialog box, set parameters as prompted.
- 6. Click **Buy Now**.





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### Assigning an EIP and Binding It to an ECS (2/3)







## Assigning an EIP and Binding It to an ECS (3/3)

#### Bind an EIP.

- 1. On the **Elastic IP** page, locate the row that contains the target EIP, and click **Bind** in the **Operation** column.
- 2. Select the desired instance.
- 3. Click **OK**

EIP/ID	Status	EIP Ty	Bandwidth	Bandwidth Details	Associa	Billing Mode	Operation
114.116.127.134 691849bb-2c1d-4da5-b75	O Unb	Static	ecs-js7682-bandwidth-3e07 8ec5b11b-2f42-4725-a46f	Bandwidth 5 Mbit/s	-	Pay-per-use Created: Dec 04, 2018 14:29:57	Bind Unbind More ▼





# Querying and Modifying Bandwidth (1/2)

#### Scenario

Modify the name and size of the EIP bandwidth.

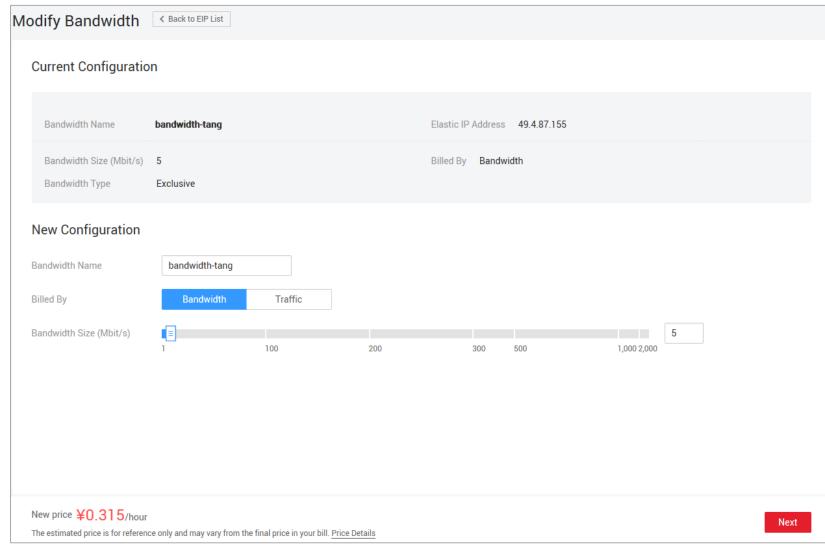
#### Procedure

- 1. Log in to the management console.
- On the console homepage, under Network, click Virtual Private Cloud.
- 3. In the navigation pane on the left, choose **Elastic IP**.
- 4. Locate the row that contains the target EIP in the EIP list, click **More** in the **Operation** column, and select **Modify Bandwidth**.
- 5. Modify bandwidth parameters as prompted.
- 6. Click **OK**





### Querying and Modifying Bandwidth (2/2)







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- Will I Be Charged for Using the VPC Service?
   The VPC service is free of charge itself. However, you are charged for the bandwidth or VPN used in the VPC.
- Which CIDR Blocks Are Available to the VPC Service?

  The VPC service supports the following CIDR blocks: 10.0.0.0 10.255.255.255 172.16.0.0 172.31.255.255 192.168.0.0

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  - Can Subnets Communicate with Each Other?

    Subnets belong to VPCs. Subnets in the same VPC can communicate with each other. Subnets in different VPCs cannot communicate with each other by default. However, you can create VPC peering connections to enable subnets in different VPCs to communicate with each other.
- Can I Modify the CIDR Block of a Subnet?
   The subnet CIDR block cannot be modified after a subnet is created.
- How Many Subnets Can I Create?

  By default, one tenant can create a maximum of 100 subnets. If the number of subnets cannot meet your service requirements, submit a service ticket to increase the quota.
- What Is the Bandwidth Size Range?
   The bandwidth size ranges from 1 Mbit/s to 2000 Mbit/s.
- What Bandwidth Types Does the VPC Service Support?

  The VPC service supports the dedicated bandwidth and shared bandwidth. The dedicated bandwidth can be used by only one EIP, whereas the shared bandwidth can be shared by multiple EIPs.





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### **Related Services**

#### ECS

A VPC provides an isolated virtual network for ECSs. You can configure and manage the network as required. The VPC service provides multiple connectivity options for ECSs to access the Internet. You can also customize the ECS access rules within a security group and between security groups to improve ECS security.

#### ELB

ELB uses the EIP and bandwidth provided by the VPC service.

#### Cloud Eye

After the VPC service becomes available to you, you can use Cloud Eye to view status of monitored objects of the service without requiring additional plug-ins to be installed.

#### Cloud Trace Service (CTS)

With CTS, you can record operations performed on the VPC service for further query, audit, and backtrack purposes.





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- Introduces the HUAWEI CLOUD VPC service.
- Introduces the concepts, functions, and application scenarios of the VPC service.
- Illustrates how to create and manage VPCs.





### Recommendations

Huawei learning website:

http://support.huawei.com/learning/en/newindex.html

HUAWEI CLOUD official websites

https://www.huaweicloud.com/en-us/ (China)

https://intl.huaweicloud.com/?locale=en-us (International)





Acronym	Full Name	
AZ	Availability Zone	
BGP	Border Gateway Protocol	
DNS	Domain Name Server	
EIP	Elastic Internet Protocol	
IPsec	Internet Protocol Security	
VPN	Virtual Private Network	
IGW	Integration Gateway	
NAT	Network Address Translation	



