

## TRABAJO PRÁCTICO 2

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### Disadvantages of Cloud Computing

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Cloud computing may have several benefits like any other technology but it has disadvantages too.

**Possible downtime without internet connection:** Cloud computing is totally dependent on internet connection. When the internet connection or network is down, cloud services are down as well. If the connection runs slow, then your services will also run slow and the output of your enterprise gets affected. Your entire system or operations may become idle if you do not have the necessary backup or alternative internet connection.

**Security and privacy:** Cloud computing means Internet computing, consequently you should use or store only that data that you are comfortable having on the Internet. Although security in the cloud is generally good and reliable, cloud computing vendors ensure they have the latest, most sophisticated data security systems because data security is always a big concern for businesses. There are still serious security concerns that hackers can attack and breach the system. As the servers are interconnected in the cloud, a hacker can breach one system and then get into other linked systems.

**Privacy:** If a user can log in from any location to access data and applications, it's possible the user's privacy could be compromised. Cloud computing companies protect their clients' privacy through authentication techniques such as user names and passwords. They also use an authorization format, where each user can access only the data and applications relevant to his job.

**Cost:** Analyzing cost and savings before implementing Cloud computing can be a tricky. For a small business a cloud computing application may appear to be cheaper than a particular software solution installed and run in-house. On the other hand, it may appear expensive to set up cloud computing on a small-scale basis. You need to check if the cloud application has all the features that you intended to have in the original software.

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