IBM Db2 on Cloud enables larger database workloads on Bluemix Dedicated private cloud infrastructure service, bringing public cloud service to private cloud clients

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At a glance

 $\mathsf{IBM}^{(\!\scriptscriptstyle{(\!R\!)}\!)}$ Db2 on Cloud brings the following public cloud service benefits to private cloud clients:

- · Provides private cloud clients with fully managed cloud database service
- Enables capacity optimization of up to 48 cores,1 TB RAM, and 11 TB storage systems
- Enables enterprises to move larger workloads into a fully private cloud infrastructure

Overview

IBM Db2 on Cloud (previously known as dashDB $^{\rm TM}$ for Transactions) now offers larger database workloads on IBM Bluemix $^{\rm (R)}$ Dedicated private cloud infrastructure service. Previously available for Db2 on Cloud on the Bluemix public cloud, this new IBM Cloud Service enables sensitive industries using IBM's private cloud service to leverage a simplified database solution that is fully managed and designed for massive amounts of data.

IBM Db2 on Cloud is designed to provide private cloud clients with:

- An easy, problem-free way to run Db2. No setup is required and IBM handles maintenance and updates, such as backups and security.
- Optimized storage capacity of up to 48 cores, 1 TB of RAM, and 11 TB of storage space
- An easy-to-use web console for importing and running SQL and administrating the system.
- High availability plans that can minimize downtime. These plans offer a 99.99% uptime Service Level Agreement and rolling updates for security patches.

Note: Effective June 20, 2017, IBM dashDB for Transactions SaaS was renamed to IBM Db2 on Cloud, and IBM DB2 $^{(R)}$ on Cloud was renamed to IBM Db2 Hosted. This announcement is applicable to the newly named IBM Db2 on Cloud and not to IBM Db2 Hosted, formerly named IBM DB2 on Cloud. For full details, see Software Announcement ZP17-0457, dated July 18, 2017.

Key prerequisites

- · Internet connection
- · Supported browser

Planned availability date

September 5, 2017

Reference information

For more information about the recent Db2 re-branding, see Software Announcement ZP17-0457, dated July 18, 2017.

Program number

Program number	VRM	Program name
5725-U32	Cloud Service	IBM Bluemix Dedicated Data Repositories

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Technical information

Specified operating environment

Software requirements

Accessing IBM Bluemix requires an internet connection and a browser.

The program's specifications and specified operating environment information may be found in documentation accompanying the program, if available, such as a readme file, or other information published by IBM, such as an announcement letter. Documentation and other program content may be supplied only in the English language.

Planning information

For additional information regarding planning, usage restrictions, or limitations concerning Bluemix, go to the IBM Bluemix docs website.

Packaging

Not applicable for Cloud Service offerings.

Ordering information

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Product name	Product category
IBM Db2 on Cloud	Bluemix

Passport Advantage

IBM Bluemix Dedicated Data Repositories (5725-U32)

Part description	Part number
IBM Db2 on Cloud 48.1000.10000 Dedicated Infrastructure	D1USPLL
IBM Db2 on Cloud High Availability 48.1000.10000 Dedicated Infrastructure	D1USQLL

Charge metric

Program name	PID number	Charge metric
IBM Bluemix Dedicated Data Repositories	5725-U32	Instance

Instance

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Money-back guarantee

No

Volume orders (IVO)

No

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Software Subscription and Support applies

No

IBM Operational Support Services - Support Line

No

Other support

Passport Advantage

System i Software Maintenance applies

No

Variable charges apply

No

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