Alibaba Cloud Elastic IP Address

Pricing

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Generic conventions

Table -1: Style conventions

Style	Description	Example
	This warning information indicates a situation that will cause major system changes, faults, physical injuries, and other adverse results.	Danger: Resetting will result in the loss of user configuration data.
	This warning information indicates a situation that may cause major system changes, faults, physical injuries, and other adverse results.	Warning: Restarting will cause business interruption. About 10 minutes are required to restore business.
	This indicates warning informatio n, supplementary instructions, and other content that the user must understand.	Notice: Take the necessary precautions to save exported data containing sensitive information.
	This indicates supplemental instructions, best practices, tips, and other content that is good to know for the user.	Note: You can use Ctrl + A to select all files.
>	Multi-level menu cascade.	Settings > Network > Set network type
Bold	It is used for buttons, menus , page names, and other UI elements.	Click **OK**.
`Courier font`	It is used for commands.	Run the `cd /d C:/windows` command to enter the Windows system folder.
Italics	It is used for parameters and variables.	`bae log list --instanceid` *`Instance_ID`*
[] or [a|b]	It indicates that it is a optional value, and only one item can be selected.	`ipconfig` *`[-all|-t]`*

Style	Description	Example
{} or {a|b}	It indicates that it is a required value, and only one item can be selected.	`swich` *{stand | slave}*

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1 Pay-As-You-Go

Elastic IP Addresses (EIPs) are billed based on the traffic usage. Each EIP is billed independently.

Billing instructions

Both the charging and billing cycles are hourly.

Total cost of an EIP = EIP retention fee + traffic fee.

- Retention fee = price x retention time. Each EIP is charged independently.

  Partial hours are billed as full hours.

  > Note:
  > The EIP retention fee is free of charge when the EIP is bound to an ECS instance in a VPC. However, for SLB instances and NAT Gateways, the retention fee is still collected.

- Traffic fee = price x charged traffic. Each EIP is charged independently.

  The cumulative outbound traffic of the EIP in an hour is charged. Outbound traffic refers to data transmitted from the Alibaba Cloud data center to the Internet, and the reverse is inbound traffic.

  > Note:
  > Modifying the bandwidth does not affect the cost. Even so, we recommend that you set the bandwidth based on your actual needs to avoid generating excessive charged traffic due to malicious access.

Pricing

If the price on the purchase page is different from the price listed in the table, take the price on the purchase page as the standard.

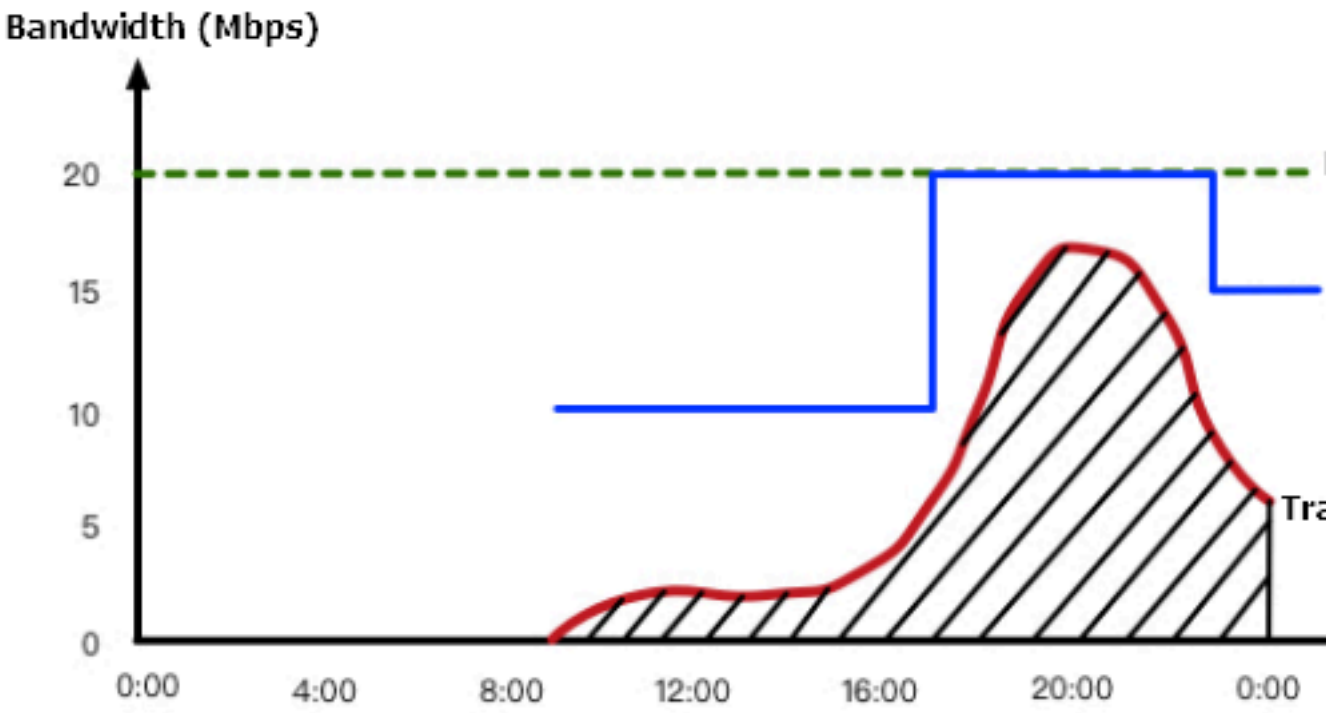
Region	Traffic Fee (USD/GB)	Retention Fee (USD/Hour)
China (Hangzhou), China (Shanghai), China (Beijing), China (Shenzhen)	0.123	0.0031
China (Hong Kong)	0.153	0.0088

Region	Traffic Fee (USD/GB)	Retention Fee (USD/Hour)
Singapore	0.081	0.0063
Japan (Tokyo)	0.087	0.005
US (Virginia)	0.076	0.0047
US (Silicon Valley)	0.077	0.0047
Germany (Frankfurt)	0.07	0.006
UAE (Dubai)	0.447	0.009
Australia (Sydney)	0.096	0.006

Billing example

The EIP usage in this example is as follows:

- Assume that you purchased an EIP in the China (Hangzhou) region at 9:30 and set the bandwidth to 10 Mbps.
- Then you immediately bound this EIP to an ECS instance and used the EIP to access the service deployed on the EC instance.
- You changed the EIP bandwidth twice that day:
  - At 17:00, the bandwidth was changed from 10 Mbps to 20 Mbps.
  - At 23:00, the bandwidth was changed from 20 Mbps to 15 Mbps.



The total cost of this EIP on that day is USD 7.5.

- EIP retention fee:

  Because the EIP is bound to an ECS instance of the VPC network, no EIP retention fee is charged.

- Traffic fee:
  - The total traffic consumed by the EIP that day is 60 GB.
  - The traffic fee in the China (Hangzhou) region is USD 0.125 per GB.
  - The total traffic fee is 0.125 x 60 = USD 7.5.

2 Overdue instructions

If an EIP bill is overdue, your service may be affected. Renew your EIP in time to avoid service interruption.

1. **If an EIP bill is overdue, or if your payment is not received, you will get an email.**
2. **The EIP functions normally within 15 days after the bill is overdue.**
3. **The EIP service will be suspended after the bill is overdue for more than 15 days.**
4. **If the account is recharged with a sufficient amount of money 15 days after the service is suspended, the service is automatically restored. Otherwise, the EIP address will be released 15 days after the service is suspended. The account owner will receive an email notification.**