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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 information, supplementary instructions, and other content that the user must understand.	**Note:** 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]`
{} or {a|b}	It indicates that it is a required value, and only one item can be selected.	`swich {stand | slave}`

Contents

1 Billing of physical connections

The billing method of the physical connection interface is Subscription.

Billing method

Billing method	Description	Upgrade or downgrade	Overdue payment instruction
Subscription	Monthly or yearly subscription with the billing unit of USD/month	Not supported	• When the physical connection interface is overdue for more than 24 hours, the interface will stop forwarding data and be locked. • If you recharge your account within 24 hours after the bill is overdue, your configuration will not be affected. • After your account is settled, the physical connection interface will immediately restart data forwarding and be unlocked. • If the physical connection interface is overdue and locked for over 15 days, it will be reclaimed. The configuration will be cleared and cannot be restored.

Billing items

The physical connection service involves Alibaba Cloud fees and third-party fees.

• Alibaba Cloud fees

The physical connection interface fee is charged by Alibaba Cloud, including the initial installation fee and outbound traffic fee.

  • If you access Alibaba Cloud using a dedicated port , you will be charged a one-time physical line interface initial installation fee and monthly resource usage fees.

  • If you access Alibaba Cloud through the NNI partner with a shared port, you only need to pay the monthly outbound traffic fee, no need to pay the initial installation fee and resource occupation fee.

• Third-party fees

The fees charged by third parties (telecom operators, partners, and data center operators) include the leased-line fee and indoor cable rental fee. For more information, consult the third party.

Pricing of dedicated access ports

Dedicated access port fees include *Table 1-1: Initial installation fee (one-time charge)* and*Table 1-2: Resource occupation fee*.

Table 1-1: Initial installation fee (one-time charge)

Interface specification	Price (USD)
1G and below	1,500
10G	1,500
40G	1,500
100G	1,500

Table 1-2: Resource occupation fee

Charged item	Interface specification	Subscription (USD/month)
Resource occupation fee (China)	1G and below	85
	10G	720
	40G	2,450
	100G	5,200
Resource occupation fee (Outside China)	1G and below	210
	10G	1,600
	40G	5,500
	100G	11,700

> **Note:**
> No resource occupation fee will be charged until April 1, 2019.

Pricing of shared access ports by partners

> **Note:**
> No outbound traffic fee is charged for the period before April 1, 2019.

Charged item	Price
Outbound traffic fee	0.015 USD/GB

Third-party fees

Third-party fees include the leased-line fee and indoor cable rental fee. For more information, consult the third party.

Charged item	Description
Leased-line fee	Charged by telecom operators or partners. The lease fee depends on the bandwidth and distance.
Indoor cable rental fee	Charged by IDC operators or partners. For more information, consult the third party.

2 Billing of peering connections

The billing method of peering connections is Subscription.

Billing method

Billing method	Description	Upgrade or downgrade	Overdue payment instruction
Subscription	Monthly or yearly subscription with the billing unit of USD/month	Real-time upgrades are supported. Temporary upgrades are supported. Upgrades or downgrades are supported after subscription renewal. Real-time downgrade is not supported	• When the initiator instance is overdue for more than 24 hours, it will stop forwarding data and be locked. • If you recharge your account within 24 hours after the bill is overdue, your configuration will not be affected. • After your account is settled, the initiator instance will immediately restart data forwarding and be unlocked. • If the initiator instance is overdue and locked for more than 15 days, it will be reclaimed. The configuration will be cleared and cannot be restored.

Peering connection fee

In the process of peering connection, Alibaba Cloud charges for the initiator instance but does not charge for the acceptor instance. The fee depends on the bandwidth of the initiator instance and the distance between the two instances. The fee of VPC interconnection in the same region is lower than that of VPC interconnection between different regions.

• Cross-region interconnections are charged according to the prices shown on the purchase page. If you have any problem, contact your customer manager.

> **Note:**
>
> Before December 31, 2020, VPC interconnection between North China 2 (Beijing) and North China 3 (Zhangjiakou) is free.

• Same-region interconnections are charged according to the price listed in the following table. This fee will not be charged until December 31, 2020.

Table 2-1: Same-region peering connection fee in Mainland China

Bandwidth (Gbps)	Initiator instance fee (USD/month)
1	70