

## TOP 3 FACTORS TO WEIGH WHEN CONSIDERING CLOUD SOLUTIONS

Your company's data is arguably the most valuable asset – but are you treating it as such? If you're not already using reliable cloud services to keep your data secure yet accessible 24/7, it may be time to consider cloud solution options. Here are the top 3 factors to weigh.

- 1. Hardware & software expenses & scalability.** When you opt for on-site infrastructure rather than cloud solutions, you face up-front expenses on equipment & software licensing. Later, you may pay upgrade cycle costs & a lack of flexibility when downsizing. Cloud solutions make it quicker & more cost-effective to scale your infrastructure. Keep in mind, though, that not all business applications operate optimally in the cloud.
- 2. Security & reduced liability.** With cloud solutions, physical & network security increases. On-site solutions offer a higher level of data control, but with this comes greater theft or breach risk.
- 3. Disaster recovery, backup, & redundancy.** Cloud services include data backup in the monthly cost, with added security since backups are located off-site. Redundancy is increased, covering power sources, networking, data centers, & more. Without in-house IT, however, keep in mind disaster recovery processes may not follow your desired timeline. On-site data solutions require additional hardware for data backup, costs for redundancy, & overhead plus costs for disaster recovery.

To learn more about how virtualization could help your business, call Pendello Solutions today at (913) 677-6744.

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### **SECURITY. SCALABILITY. ACCESSIBILITY.**

*These are all benefits cloud services offer – but only when you work with the right provider.*

*Pendello Solutions offers enhanced protection for your business' valuable data. Employees will be enabled to easily access key applications, but your company won't have to spend the time and money that comes with monthly management and maintenance of on-site IT infrastructure. We work with businesses of any size and industry to come up with tailored, scalable cloud solutions.*

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*Give us a call at (913) 677-6744 if this sounds like the solution you need.*

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