Workloads can grow by 400% or more
Add data, users and processing — and billing

Proof of Concept
Early Production
Full Production

Key Question:
How much is this likely to cost when we get to full production?

Cloud DBMS

Resources and Costs

Cloud DBMSs provide a great deal of flexibility and ease of use. It is important to know how they use resources and how they are billed.

There is no standardization, making it hard to compare.

Cloud billing models

Vary compute power during the day, saving money in the "troughs" ...
... but remember, if your workload is not very variable, you don’t save units.

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The basics

Variable vs. constant demand

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Variable Demand/Cost

Units Consumed

Units Saved

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The bottom line — what really matters is price performance